

OBITUARIES

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CAMPBELL, John H.S. – 80, passed away peacefully on May 19, 2012 in Rosewood Manor Nursing Home in Richmond, B.C. where he has resided since January of 2000. Born in Truro, John was the son of the late Rev. Dr. Herman and Margaret (Kuhn) Campbell. He is survived by his wife, the former June Winters; sisters, Isabel (Rev. John) Henderson, Pictou; Wendy Bierman, Caldwell, Idaho; a brother, Paul (Danielle), Halifax. He is also survived by three daughters in B.C., Debbie (James) Clelland; Lori (Eric) Guetre; Trish and two daughters in Nova Scotia, Jane Hunter, Wolfville; Anne Clowry, Avonport; a step-daughter, Cindy, in B.C. He will also be missed by his sister-in-law, Milly Venus of Richmond, B.C. Being forward thinking, he developed his own telecommunications company "Consultec Canada Ltd." with offices in Vancouver, Edmonton and Halifax. Cremation has taken place and a private burial will be held at a later date.

SWAN, Janet Diane – 69, Folly Lake, passed away Wednesday, May 23, 2012, in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born in Truro, she was a daughter of the late William and Charlotte (McCully) MacKay. She is survived by her husband, Paul; sons, Shane Langille, Debert; Robin Swan (Denise), Deippe, NB; daughters, Sherry Iaboni (Silvano), Truro; Cindy Golding (Selwyn), Alberta; Debbie Colwell (Mike), Dorchester, NB; grandchildren, Michael, Kyle, Aled, Doug, Jacob, Jeremy, Ashley, Travis, Joni; great-granddaughter, Averie; brothers, Paul (Phyllis), Lakeview; Dale (Jean), Debert; Jeff (Shelle), Mattatall Lake; Dan (Donna), Debert; sister, Cheryl MacKay, Toronto. Funeral service was held Saturday May 26, 2012, at Debert Baptist Church, Debert, Pastor Bill Martin officiated. Interment was held in Middle Road Cemetery. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall ~ Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com.

MILLER, Ethel Grace – 84, Truro. With saddened hearts we announce the passing of Ethel Grace (McMaster) Miller on Sunday, June 3, 2012, at Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born March 29, 1928, in Manganese Mines, she was a daughter of the late Daniel and Christina (MacKenzie) McMaster. Ethel is survived by her daughter, Diane (Robert) Smith, Truro; granddaughter, Grace (Dale) Weatherbee, Belmont; grandsons, Stephen, Truro; Gary (Michelle), Greenfield; great granddaughter, Kaila Smith, Truro; great grandson, Travis Smith, Truro; sisters, Kathleen McLaren, Edna (Ronnie) Crowe, Marguerite Harvey, Truro; Jean (Rufus) McCallum, Marjorie Bryson, Hilden; Isabel (Bob) Baisley, Moncton; brothers, Robert (Velma) McMaster, Timberlea; Hughie (Linda) McMaster, North River; Walter (Florence) McMaster, Donald (Betty Jean) McMaster, Bible Hill; many nieces and nephews. Along with her parents, she was predeceased by her husband, Almon Miller; sister, Helen Ward; brothers, Stanley, Alfred, Ernest, Frank. Private family interment was held in Riverside Cemetery, Upper Stewiacke. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall ~ Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

MCCULLY, EDWARD R. – 57, of Parrsboro passed away suddenly June 4, 2012 at home. Born in Parrsboro, he was a son of the late Gerald and Irene (Carr) McCully. He is survived by his wife, Anne McCully, Parrsboro; daughters, Dawn McCully (Lawrence Willigar), Parrsboro; April McCully (Matt Hill), Dartmouth; two brothers, Grant (Lynda), Gravenhurst, Ont.; Charles (Ruth), Parrsboro; several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a sister in infancy; a brother, Gerald. Funeral service was held June 8, 2012 with Rev. Greg Doyle officiating. Burial in St. Brigid's Cemetery, Parrsboro. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

HATT, Linda Rosalie, 48, Truro passed away June 4, 2012. Born in Truro, she was a daughter of Donald and Hazel (McNutt) Hatt, Truro, who now reside in Bridgewater. Besides her parents, she is survived by step-grandmother, Margaret Hatt, Westbank, B.C.; brother, Larry (Dawn), Onslow Mountain; sister, Eileen (Elvis) Oickle, Bridgewater and nephew Obadiah Oickle, Bridgewater. She was predeceased by her sister, Glenda in 1990. Funeral service was held on Friday, June 8 in Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow Street, Truro with Evg. Mr. Albert Hull and Evg. Mr. James McClelland officiating. Interment in Crossroads Cemetery, Valley with Evg. Mr. John Meekin officiating. On-line condolences and donations at www.colchestercommunity.com

QUINN, RYAN W. – 18, of Parrsboro. God called away to "play ball with the angels" our Ryan on Monday, June 4, 2012. Ryan was an amazing young man who is being missed by so many. He is survived by his dad, Bill; mom, Jackie; his sister, Janine; paternal grandparents, Howard and Joan (Smith) Quinn; paternal great grandmother, Ritta Gilbert; numerous aunts, uncles and cousins. A memorial ceremony was held at the Don Yorke Memorial Ball Field in Parrsboro on Friday, June 8, 2012. Memorial donations may be made to the Parrsboro Warriors Softball Teams or Kidsport. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

COLPITTS, E. JEAN – 85, of Diligent River passed away Tuesday, June 5, 2012 at Diligent River. Born in New Milton, England, she was a daughter of the late William and Lillian (Harvey) Lilley. Jean came to Canada as a war bride arriving in Halifax at Pier 21 in 1946. She is survived by daughters, Carol Dowe (Kenneth), Diligent River; Susan Wilson (Phil MacKay), Dartmouth; a son, Greg (Joyce Yorke), Diligent River; sisters, Joyce Ramsey, England; Maureen Isemonger, Australia; 3 grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, Kenneth in 1990; a son, Peter; a grandson, Craig. A private graveside service will be held at a later date. A reception was held in the Diligent River Community Centre on Saturday, June 9, 2012. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

FIELD, Frederick K. – 70, of Truro passed away Friday, June 8, 2012 at Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born in Halifax, he was a son of the late Oscar and Mary (Perrin) Field. Fred spent his early years working in local sawmills and at the Bass River Chair Factory. In 1969, he married Cheryl Hiltz, now deceased. After returning to Nova Scotia, Fred worked at Camp Debert until his retirement in 1996. Fred is survived by daughters, Angela Webb (Kevin), Monson, Mass.; Cindy Field, Hope, B.C.; a son, Charles Field (Margaretha), Great Village; grandchildren, Robert Webb; Cody Field; Hendrikus and Oscar van den Hoek Field; sisters, Joan Leslie, Carrs Brook; Judith Kennedy (Tom), Upper Onslow; a brother, Olsen Field (Linda), Carrs Brook; several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a brother in law, Allen Leslie. A graveside funeral service was held June 13, 2012 in the Economy Cemetery, Rev. Florence Antle-Brison officiating. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

CAMERON, (Frail) Marie I. – 98, passed away peacefully at her home in Lower Debert, NS, on June 9th, 2012. Born October 23rd, 1913, in Scot's Bay, NS, she spent her married life in Truro, moving to Lower Debert nine years ago. Marie came to Truro and went to Normal College in 1933. She taught school for two years before marrying in 1936. After 75 years she has followed Weldon by only seven months. She ran the office for Weldon in his plumbing and heating business. She will be missed by her three daughters, Shirley Patterson, Helen Fillmore and Marilyn Cameron; her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Dorothy Patterson; Philip and Melissa Patterson; Josiah, Caleb and Micah; Harold and Sherry Fillmore; Brandon; Ken and Donna Fillmore; Joshua, Elsie, Katie and Bailey; Ed and Carolyn (Fillmore) MacGregor; Marie and Michael; Ralph and Denise Fillmore; Cameron and Riley. She was predeceased by her husband Weldon; her parents, John and Bessie Frail, and young sisters Evelyn and Helen. Funeral service was held June 15, 2012, in Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow Street, Truro. Marie's grandson, Pastor Ken Fillmore officiated. Burial will be in the Middle Road Cemetery, Debert. On-line condolences and donations at: www.colchestercommunity.com

SWAN, Lillian Delena (Geldart) – 77, Truro. Loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, sister, aunt and friend passed away Thursday morning, June 14, 2012, at Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro, after bravely enduring a brief battle with cancer. Delena was married to Basil Anderson Swan for 58 years. (Deceased June 2011) She will forever be missed by her children, Brian, David (Cathy), Robert (Kathy), Gordon (Cathy), Cindy (Eugene); grandchildren, Shawn, Amie, Jessica, Gavin, David, Christopher, Emily, Aaron, Kayla; five great grandchildren; many nieces, nephews and friends. She is also survived by her brother, Vaughn, her sister, Joan and has joined her father, Walter, mother, Frances (nee Matthews), brothers, Roland, Eric and Delma. Although born and raised in Debert, Delena, after marrying Basil, moved to Ontario in 1952 and subsequently Quebec in 1954 where she and Basil raised their five children until they returned home to Nova Scotia (New Glasgow) in 1977. Funeral service was held Sunday, June 17, 2012, in Debert Baptist Church, Debert, Pastor Bill Martin officiated. Interment was held in Main Road Cemetery, Debert. Arrangements have been entrusted to Mattatall ~ Varner Funeral Home, 55 Young Street, Truro. Full obituary and condolences at: www.mattatallvarnerfh.com

RUSHTON, Raymond Blois, Truro - It's with deep sadness that the family of Raymond Blois Rushton announces his passing on June 15, 2012. Ray has been reunited with his parents, Abartha and Bertha Rushton (nee: Cochrane); his first wife of 49 years, Marian Elizabeth (nee: MacKay); second wife Katherine Langille; infant daughter Linda; sons Raymond Logan and Bryce Lawrence and grand daughter Sandi Gail; his favorite and only sister Ruthene Faulkner; and brothers Lloyd, Cecil, Ralph, and Bill. Left to cherish his memories are his wife Pearl (nee: Upham); daughters Mary (Art), Hilda, Sharon (Ed), Judy (Patrick) and Geraldine; his sons Reg (Yvonne), Charles (Robert), Ralph (Betty June), and Donnie (Darlene); stepchildren Sharon Hulme and Randy Upham; and his brothers Earl and Stan. He also leaves behind, 24 grandchildren, 38 great grandchildren, and 6 great great grandchildren; as well as many nieces and nephews. Ray was born and raised in Montrose where he attended school. He served overseas in World War II where he was injured and received a medical discharge. The family would like to extend a very special thanks to his wife Pearl for taking such great care of their father over the past 8 years. They would also like to thank the staff at Wynn Park Villa. A celebration of Ray's life was held Tuesday, June 19, in Colchester Community Funeral Home, 512 Willow Street, Truro with Rev. Brian DeLong officiating. Private interment in Portapique Cemetery. On-line condolences and donations at: www.colchestercommunity.com

MCCULLY, Everett James – 69, Debert passed away peacefully June 15, 2012 in Colchester Regional Hospital, Truro. Born in Truro he was a son of the late Sidney and Lillian (Geldart) McCully. He worked in the family business, McCully and Soy Limited and was very devoted to his family and community. His woodworking hobby benefited the community in many ways. His life was one that was filled with generosity and a caring spirit. Everett was made an honorary member of the Debert Fire Brigade and was a member of the Debert Royal Canadian Legion and the Debert United Church. He will be forever remembered and sadly missed by all who knew him. Everett is survived by his wife, Jean (Geddes); daughter, Susan (Walter) Rodler, Debert; son, Mark (Shelley), Great Village; grandchildren, Melissa (David) Rector, Megan, Danielle, Liam; great grandchildren, Ryan and Brody; brother, Leonard (Doreen); sisters, Irene (Aubrey) Gratto, Linda (Earl) McCurdy, Priscilla (Eric) Jennings, Donna (Brian) Johnston; several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by sister, Mae Matthews; brothers, Mike, and Manning and two infant sons. Memorial service was held Monday, June 18 in Debert United Church with Rev. Don MacQueen officiating. Interment in Debert Cemetery, Plains Road. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Debert United Church or Debert Fire Brigade. On-line condolences and donations may be made at www.colchestercommunity.com



LEBLANC, Arthur J. – 81, of Five Islands, Colchester Co. It is with great sadness and heavy hearts that we his family, announce Arthur's passing on Wednesday, June 20, 2012 at South Cumberland Community Care Centre, Parrsboro. Born at Cap-Pelé, N.B., he was a son of the late Alfred and Justine LeBlanc. He was a lover of the sea, who spent his entire life harvesting the "creatures" of the bay. He will always be remembered for his big clams. Arthur is survived by his daughter, Tammy Grue (Alfred), Bass River; grandchildren, Aaron and Bryan; brothers, Henri and Randolph; several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his sisters, Zelma, Annie, Edmée; brothers, Alban, Robert, Adrice, Ulysse and Francois. Funeral service was June 23, 2012 at Smith's Funeral Home, Parrsboro, Deacon Howie Goldstein officiating. Memorial donations may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society or to a charity of choice. Online condolences at www.smithsfuneralhome.com

SUTTIS, Amy Gertrude 83, Truro passed away peacefully June 21, 2012 at The Mira Long Term Care Centre, Truro. Born in Milton, Queens Co., she was a daughter of the late Angus and Bertha (McCombs) Manthorne. Amy loved her Buick and often took her friends to yard sales and on Sunday drives. Amy always brightened a room wherever she went and she will be sadly missed by all who knew her. She is survived by her daughter, Doreen (Paul), Chernoff, Calgary, Alta.; son, Douglas (Ann), Williamswood, N. S.; sisters, Gladys Cooke, Liverpool, Verna (Art) McIntosh, Kingston, N. S., Hazel Manthorne, USA; brother, Sterling (Mary) Manthorne, ON.; grandchildren, great-grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Harry; sisters, Bertha, Irene, Evelyn; brothers, Bevan, Maurice. Cremation has taken place. A memorial service was held June 24, 2012 in Truro Heights United Baptist Church, 343 Truro Heights Road, Truro Heights, NS with Rev. Greg Porter officiating. Interment in Riverside Cemetery, Bass River. Arrangements entrusted to Colchester Community Funeral Home, Truro where condolences and donations may be made at www.colchestercommunity.com

8TH Annual Umbrella Relay Walk – September 8TH

By Noreen Lewis

A first prize of \$100 and \$50 for second prize await the individuals who collect the most money for the Cobequid Pastoral Charges 8th Annual Umbrella Relay Walk covering Portapique to Lower Five Islands in 2 KM intervals.

Starting at 9 am until complete ending at approximately 12:30 pm participants will enjoy refreshments at the

Economy United Church. People are encouraged to join in the fun for walking only by registering as an individual or a team of two to four people by August 1st.

Sponsor sheets are available from Darlene Smith, Bass River, 647-2817; Dorothy Carson, Five Islands, 254-3759 or Carole Dibbon, Economy 647-2022. Proceeds for the Cobequid Pastoral Charge, The United Church of Canada.

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