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OBITUARIES

The Journal publishes paid obituaries in Wednesday and Saturday editions and on its Web site at www.ifallsjournal.com.

Obituaries must be submitted by 10 a.m. Tuesdays to be published in the Wednesday edition, and by 10 a.m. Thursday to be in the Saturday edition.

All obituaries must be prepaid before they are published.

Obituaries can be faxed to the Journal at 285-7206; e-mailed to tammiec@ifallsjournal.com; or mailed to The Journal at 1602 Highway 71, International Falls, MN 56649.

We encourage electronic delivery of obituaries and any accompanying photos.

If desired, The Journal will e-mail or fax a proof of the obituary to the funeral home handling the service.

For more information, call Tammie Calder at 285-7411.

Julia Doris Frahm, 93

Julia Doris Frahm, 93, of International Falls, Minn., passed away Sunday evening, Feb. 9, 2014, at Rainy Lake Medical Center.

Julia was born Aug. 31, 1920, in Ray, Minn.

She grew up in Ray and in 1970, she and her husband John moved to International Falls.

Julia married John H. Frahm on June 1, 1938, at Zion Lutheran Church.

She worked for Rig Jig Tackle at her home for several years.

She enjoyed ceramics, knitting, baking, cooking, chair macrame, her sewing and craft club, traveling, and fishing.

Julia loved spending time with family and having them spend time at her home.

She also loved spending time at the family cabin on Lake Kabetogama, and being on the lake.

She was a member of the Ray Ladies' Aid, Zion Lutheran Church, and the Women's Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary.

She was preceded in death by her parents, John and Julia Hoel; her husband, John H. Frahm; two sisters, Maybelle Wold and Mildred Otness; two brothers, Lester Chute and Roy Chute; son, Milton Frahm; and granddaughter, Shelly Frahm.

Julia is survived by sons, Douglas (Bonnie) of International Falls, Duane (Virginia) of Apple Valley, Minn., and Dwight (Doreen) Frahm of Mora, Minn.; daughters, Beverly Frahm (Paul Keiffer) of Danville, Calif., and Diane (Jim) Hebner of International Falls; and numerous grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren.

Memorial services will



be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13, at Zion Lutheran Church, with visitation at 1.

Interment will be at Forest Hill Cemetery.

Memorials are preferred to Zion Lutheran Church, the Salvation Army, or the North Star Hospice in her memory.

Condolences may be left at www.greenlarsen.com.

Arrangements are with Green-Larsen Mortuary Inc., International Falls.

Fred Pulicicchio

Fred Pulicicchio, "Mr. Paul," born Aug. 12, 1933, passed away Monday, Jan. 27, 2014, after a 10-month battle with cancer. He was at home surrounded by his loving family.

He was raised in International Falls, Minn., by Pasquale and Margaret Pulicicchio who immigrated from Italy.

Fred attended the University of Minnesota on football and hockey scholarships. He played football for two years and was a goal tender for the hockey team and an active member of ROTC.

Fred and his team members were awarded silver medals for participation in the NCAA hockey championship game of 1954.

He married Elna in 1955. He worked full time at night at a steel mill and part time at a bank to support his family.

He graduated in 1958 with a bachelor of science degree.

At first he taught high school and coached hockey

in St. Paul, Minn. In 1962, he moved to Tacoma, Wash., with his wife Elna and five children.

He taught math at Fife High School, coached football, and taught Driver's Education. He was also a negotiator for the Teacher's Education Association.

He belonged to Sons of Italy, Knights of Columbus, and coach of the fast pitch girl's baseball team called the "Asarco Road Runners."

His interests included all sports, woodworking, 10K running, bocce ball tournaments, hunting, playing cards, traveling, and puzzles; but his family's activities always came first.

He is survived by his wife, Elna of 58 years; eight children and their spouses — Jon, Jerry (Kim), Jody, Joseph (Carol), Janine (Dann), Justina (John), Janetta (Josh) and Jason (Jodi); 22 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death



by his parents and siblings, Vincent and Lillian.

A rosary service took place at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 6, at Whiteside Mortuary Chapel, Elma, Wash.

A funeral Mass was conducted at noon Friday, Feb. 7, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Elma.

A memorial Mass and reception will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 13, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Tacoma.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations in Fred's name to your favorite charity.

Earlaine Joy Briggs, 80

Earlaine Joy Briggs, 80, of International Falls, Minn., died Sunday, Feb. 9, 2014, at Rainy Lake Medical Center.

She was born May 25, 1933, at Fort Frances, Ontario.

The former Earlaine Joy Carpenter was united in marriage to James Briggs on March 31, 1951.

She worked as a postal clerk and city clerk for South International Falls and retired as the deputy city water clerk for International Falls on June 30, 1998.

She was past president of the Veterans of Foreign Wars 2948 Auxiliary, past secretary and active member of the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church.

She loved her lake home and feeding all the wildlife there.

She also loved dancing, playing cards, cooking and

baking for her large family.

She was also extremely proud of her son's military service.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Louis and Elsie May Carpenter; sisters, Angela, Gloria and Cynthia; brother, Bernard; and infant daughter, Diana May.

Survivors include her husband, James Briggs; sons, Brian (Kallie), John (Teresa), Linden (Melanie) and Derek; daughters, Sandra McCormack-Handwerk and Michele (Jeff) Dahlin; 12 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and sisters, Barbara Coran and Brenda Haney, both of Fort Frances.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 12, at Green-Larsen Mortuary.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 13, at Holy Trinity



Episcopal Church.

In memoriam donations would be preferred to the Community Cancer Walk, Borderland Humane Society or the VFW Ladies Auxiliary.

A luncheon will immediately follow funeral services at the VFW Club.

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Nash Hahn, 3 months

Nash Hahn, 3-month-old infant, passed away Wednesday, Feb. 5, 2014, at Avera Flandreau Hospital, Flandreau, S.D.

Nash David Douglas Hahn was born Oct. 27, 2013, to Daniel and Dana Hahn.

Nash was only with us a short time but he touched our hearts with his smile and his cooing, grunting as he was trying to sit up, being our little wiggle worm, and his beautiful facial expressions.

Survivors include his parents, Daniel and Dana; brother, Drevyn; grandparents, Tammie and Brian Hammer, Flandreau, Doug Hahn, Flandreau, Mel Brown Jr., Huron, S.D., and Katie Bauer, Rapid City, S.D.; great-grandparents, David and Judy

Rokeh, Littlefork, Minn., Shirley Brown, Elkton, S.D., Dennis and Shirley Hahn, Flandreau, Susie Cullen, Flandreau, and Norman and Marion Hammer; great-great-grandma, Marcella Rokeh, Ivanhoe, Minn.; aunts and uncles, Danielle (Jay) Torgerson, Brad (Megan) Hammer, Alyssa and Trevor Hahn and Emily Bauer; special friends, Ida Sofie Wengler, Denmark, Alina Fritsch, Germany, and Tim Bauer, Spearfish, S.D.; godparents, Paige Rasmussen and Paul Martinez; and numerous other family and friends.

He was preceded in death by an uncle, David Hahn; aunt, Carolyn Jewett; cousin, Marv Jewett; great-great-grandparents,



Howard and Edna Hart and Donald Rokeh; great-grandpa, Melvin Brown Sr.; great-grandpa, Jim Cullen; and great-great-grandma, Evelyn Wiskur.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 8, at Skroch Funeral Chapel, Flandreau.

Visitation was one hour before the service.

PUBLIC NOTICE
CONTINUING EDUCATION OPPORTUNITY
2013/2014 AMBO Contractor Training Seminar

When: February 17, 2014 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Where: Backus Community Center
900 Fifth Street, International Falls, MN 56649
Registration: 7:00 a.m.

COURSE SCHEDULED
2012 IRC: Administration, Framing & Finish Applications
One hour of Energy will be presented after the regular session

This seminar will discuss administrative provisions of the State Building Code the contractor needs to understand to minimize project delays, cost overruns, and establishing an effective relationship with the local building department.
Part II of the seminar will investigate details of framing in accordance with the IRC. Topics to include, but not limited to, floor systems; cantilevers; roof trusses; building envelope, wall coverings, windows and roofing. The session will close with a discussion on interior finish requirements.

This seminar has been approved for 7 hours CEU by the Minnesota Department of Labor and Industry. Residential contractors, Building inspectors, Building officials, and Architects and designers are encouraged to attend.


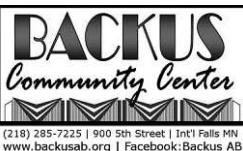
INSTRUCTOR
Greg Karow, C.B.O.

FEES AND REGISTRATION
The fee of \$100.00 includes instructions, course materials, lunch and breaks. Make check payable to Backus Community Center in the amount of \$100.00 if submitted by January 31, 2014. Registration after this date is \$110.00 and will be accepted up to one week before the seminar (February 17, 2014). Walk-in registration will be accepted on a space available basis, with a registration fee of \$120.00

Registration can also be made by calling 218-285-7225 or registration forms may be picked up at Backus Community Center Office, Northern Lumber, and Falls Lumber. Or can be found at www.backusab.org Please return registration forms to Backus Community Center, 900 Fifth Street, International Falls, MN 56649. Please call 218-285-7225 for questions. Credit Card accepted.

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