

NORMAN & FRANCES BERG

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Wapiti Fastball League Meets

An organizational meeting of the Wapiti Men's Fastball League was held Wednesday with a new slate of officers being elected.

Joe Banske will head the loop this season replacing Wally Buryn. Vice-president is Carl Gilmour while Bob Thomson has been elected secretary - treasurer.

Also elected to the executive were Moe Morgan, Al Geib and Norman Berg.

A further meeting will be held next Wednesday night in Room 10 of the Park Hotel and any teams interested in joining the league are urged to attend.

A new constitution has been drawn up and it will be outlined at the meeting.

A \$30 entry fee has also been established.

Anyone interested in joining the loop are asked to attend the meeting or contact Mr. Ganske at 10808 - 94 St.

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Loewen - Berg

A spring wedding was held recently at the St. Paul's united church at Grande Prairie, when Ellen Marjorie Berg, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Berg of Bezanson, became the bride of John Arthur Loewen, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Loewen of Crooked Creek.

Rev. D. Waite officiated the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a full-length gown of white lace over taffeta featuring an empire waistline, long sleeves and train. She carried a bouquet of live red sweetheart roses.

Attending the bride were Renna Berg and Betty Ames of Bezanson. They wore

identical dresses of sky-blue chiffon over taffeta and carried bouquets of white and blue carnations.

The groomsmen were Lee Chapman of Crooked Creek and Gordon Workman of DeBolt. Ushers were Gary Berg of Bezanson and Mark Nichols of DeBolt.

For her daughter's wedding, the bride's mother chose a beige dress with white accessories. A corsage of peach roses matched her outfit. The groom's mother chose a peach-colored, two-piece dress with white accessories and a corsage of white roses.

A wedding supper for the bride and groom was served in the DeBolt Centennial hall. A dance followed.

Out of town guests included friends and relatives from Saskatoon, Edmonton, Calgary, Fort St. John and Chetwynd, B.C.

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Obituaries

MARGARET AILEEN BIRNIE-BROWN

Mrs. Margaret Aileen Birnie-Brown passed away on Thursday, Jan. 17 in Grande Prairie at the age of 76. She was born in Edmonton and was a resident of DeBolt.

She is survived by five sons: Walter of Calgary, Edwin of Olds, Don of Valleyview, Gerald of Grande Prairie and Jim of Bezanson; four daughters: Francis (Mrs. Norman Berg) of Bezanson, Anne (Mrs. Ellsworth Kimble) of Grande Prairie, Marjorie (Mrs. Gerald Moody) of Bezanson and Elaine (Mrs. Maurice Moore) of DeBolt; 30 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren, brother Tom

Rhatigan of Edmonton; four sisters: Anne Hoyle and Nellie Brand of Edmonton, Birdie McAllister of Victoria, and Ollie Snider of Washington. She was predeceased by her husband Jack in 1960 and a grandson Cory in 1978.

Funeral service for the late Margaret Birnie-Brown is held from the DeBolt United Church today at 3 p.m. Interment followed in the DeBolt Cemetery, Rev Archie Birse officiating.

Funeral arrangements by Oliver Funeral Chapel.

5 Card of Thanks

THE FAMILY of the late Aileen Birnie-Browne wish to thank everyone for their help and support during the loss of our mother and grandmother. Thank to Dr. Molnar and the staff for the auxiliary hospital, Rev. Archie Birse, the pallbearers, Olivers Funeral Chapel, everyone who donated to the Kidney Foundation and the Heart Fund, the ladies who brought food to the hall and the house and everyone who sent flowers, cards and phoned. Special thanks to Beth, Jean, Ruth, and Helen for the lovely supper and Jan and Vernon for their work at the cemetery.

Frances & Norman Berg,
Anne & Ellsworth Kimble,
Bud & Muriel Birnie-Browne,
Eddy & Edna Birnie-Browne,
Don & Margaret Birnie-Browne,
Jerry & Marlene Birnie-Browne,
Majorie & Jerry Moody, Maurice
& Elaine Moore. Jim
& Gloria Birnie-Browne and families.

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*Wedding & Engagement
Announcements*
LENES - BERG

Mr. & Mrs. Delmer Lenes of DeBolt announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Trudy Colleen to Gordon Berg, youngest son of **Mr & Mrs. Norman Berg** of Bezanson. The wedding is to take place on Saturday August 4, 1984 at 3 p.m. at Christ Church Anglican, 6610 Poplar Drive, Grande Prairie. Reception at 6 p.m. and dance to follow.



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Gerald Birnie-Browne, 64, of Grande Prairie

On Monday, September 17, 2001 Gerald "Jerry" Birnie-Browne, longtime resident of the Grande Prairie area,



passed away at the Q.E. II Hospital in Grande Prairie at the age of 64 years.

Jerry was born February 3, 1937 at Edmonton, Alta.

Left behind to mourn his passing are his loving wife, Marlene of 40 years; son, Wade (Glenda) of Grande Prairie; son, Kurt (Angela) of Grande Prairie; four grandchildren, Shayla, Jaeden, Mason and Jordyn; four sisters, Frances (Norman) Berg of Bezanson, Alta., Ann (Elsworth) Kimble of Glen Leslie, Alta., Marg Moody of Bezanson, Elaine Moore of DeBolt, Alta.; four brothers, Buddy of Calgary, Eddy (Edna) of Olds, Alta., Don (Margaret) of Valleyview, Alta., and Jim (Gloria) of Bezanson; numerous nieces, nephews and many other relatives and friends.

Jerry was predeceased by his parents, Rushton and Margaret Birnie-Browne; his father and mother-in-law, Marvin and Mae Jensen; brother-in-law, Lyle Jensen; one sister, one niece and one nephew.

If friends so desire memorial donations in Jerry's memory may be made to the Alberta Heart & Stroke Foundation.

Visitation for family and friends

will be held on Thursday, September 20, 2001 from 7:30-9 p.m. from Oliver's Grande Prairie Funeral Chapel, 10005-107 Ave., Grande Prairie.

Funeral service for the late Gerald "Jerry" Birnie-Browne will be held on Friday, September 21, 2001 at 2 p.m. from Oliver's Grande Prairie Funeral Chapel, with Rev. Vern Begalke officiating. Interment to follow in the Glen Leslie Cemetery.

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