

Informal Supper Precedes Junior Woman's Club Meet

Torrance Junior Woman's Club with good food, intimate atmosphere, an orchestra and dancing. And for your convenience individual tables and candlelight, cards and a cokes bar. The attire will be casual and all guests are welcome. Be there at 7 p.m. the charge is \$1.25 per person. The club decided to have a pop corn concession at the National Kids Day event to be held November 19 at 7 p.m. All children in the area are welcome. It will be sponsored by the Torrance Kiwanis Club. Mrs. William Walsmith volunteered to sit in on the Community Advisory Committee meetings at the Health Center.

LAUNCH SOUTH BAY CELEBRITY SERIES

"Your Civic Music Association is the result of the life work of a dynamic woman named Mrs. Harshbarger, who now resides in Whittier." Alexander F. Haas, vice president of National Concert Artists Association, told the executive committee and workers of the South Bay Celebrity Series when they met at the Redondo Union High School cafeteria.

for the kickoff of their 1949-50 membership drive. Mr. Haas continued, "You are part of a parent organization which covers over 1000 towns throughout the United States. Through this system you are receiving the same high type of entertainment that formerly was possible only in the great metropolitan centers. Through no other medium can you receive so much for your entertainment dollar."

Leslie Brigham, president of the local group, enlarged upon the aims and purposes of the plan, gave the workers an inspiring pep talk and introduced other members of the committee.

Lutar Hoobayr, dramatic tenor, with radio and picture experience provided the piece de resistance of the evening by showing a privately-owned film of Toscanini conducting the N.B.C. Orchestra in Verdi's "Hymns of the Nations," with vocals by the Westminster Choir and Jan Peerce.

Workers in this community who will call upon friends and neighbors or may be contacted for memberships which entitle the holder to four concerts in Redondo Union High School Auditorium, plus twenty additional events in neighboring cities through reciprocity agreements are Abe Milstein, Nadine Nickol and Kathryn Buffington.

All workers selling ten or more memberships by tomorrow, Friday, November 18, are invited to partake of Mr. Brigham's famous spaghetti luncheon at campaign headquarters, 511 So. Gertrude avenue, Redondo Beach

Richards Home Setting for Birthday

Shirley Richards was honored Sunday afternoon on the occasion of her seventh birthday by her mother, Mrs. J. D. Richards at the family home, 26322 Hillcrest avenue. A group of games was arranged under the direction of Mrs. L. D. Broadwater.

Retiring to Alex's Gallery, the guests and honoree found a large table gaily decorated with napkins folded like hats to mark each place and two decorated birthday cakes, aglow with candles which were cut and served with ice cream and punch. Guests were Jeanine and Veronica Carter, David, Donald and Walter Myerscough, Junior Marisek, Bobby and Ruth Scott, Gloria Thorpe, Jackie and Kathryn Poole, Gwen and Francis Broadwater, Sandra Smith, C. L. and Mike Murray, the honoree, Shirley, and Sandra and Denny Richards.

Choir Guests at Wayside Chapel Sunday

Members of the Lomita Bethel choir, International Order of Job's Daughters, will appear at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, November 20, at Wayside Chapel Methodist Church in a body singing the anthem for the service.

Board Meet Is Followed By Luncheon

Fern Avenue PTA had an executive board meeting Thursday with Mrs. G. J. Derouin, president, conducting the session.

Members present were Meses. J. R. Rice, V. T. Vanderpool, W. C. Higdon, E. Smith, F. E. Mead, P. Shinoda, R. Sandstrom, G. J. Derouin, and Mr. Albert Posner, school principal.

Members then joined the teachers in a delicious luncheon served by the Seventh Grade Room Mothers. Those responsible for its success were Mrs. Howard Haworth, chairman, and Meses. Jack Moore, Gamby Boss, and Claud Force. This not only proved to be a lot of fun for all, but cleared \$14.60 for welfare work. These luncheons will be regular monthly affairs to be conducted by room mother groups.



TO HEAD BETHEL . . . Miss E. C. Clero, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Clero, Juniper avenue, who was elected to the office of honored queen of Torrance Bethel, Job's Daughters in regular session Tuesday evening in Masonic Temple. Other elective officers chosen are: Beverly Luster and Donna Wolf, princesses; Marian McDonald, guide; and Mary Ann Lenton, marshal.

Mrs. Hodgett Demonstrates Decorations

Miss Sarah Hodgett will demonstrate table decorations and favors for the holiday season at the Consumer Education Class, sponsored by Lomita Elementary PTA, Friday morning, November 18, from 9 to 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Alpha Stump, instructor, will introduce the speaker and Mrs. Grover Tolley, parent-education chairman, will be in charge.

These constructive classes are held every Friday morning at the school and are well attended but there is always room for more adults.



GRAND OFFICER . . . Miss Beverly Luster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Luster, of 1515 Crenshaw boulevard, who was named grand treasurer of the State of California, International Order of Job's Daughters, for 1949-50 at Grand Bethel which convened during the past week in Oakland.

TO ESTABLISH HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pryor will arrive tomorrow from Chicago to visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Pryor, 1424 Hickory avenue. The Chicagoans will establish their home in Torrance.

Brownie Cook out

Members of Brownie Troop 1096 completed their career project, making aprons for their work with ceramics when they met at the home of their co-leader, Mrs. Grace Thorpe.

An invitation was extended by Brownie Marsha Renck for the troop to meet at her home next Friday for a cook-out in the Renck patio.

Gloria Thorpe had charge of refreshments.

Slumber Party at Graham Home Success

A slumber party proved to be a hilarious affair for members of the Pydygia Club at the home of Carol Graham, 25415 Fejo avenue, last week.

Members attending were Pat Pullen, Joan Kanasto, Shirley Belcher, Ann Collins, Nellie McVay, Mary Brown and guests, Joab Godsil, Janet Hood, and Vivian Thompson.

P. V. College Council Holds Luncheon

The social committee of the Palos Verdes College Advisory Council held its first luncheon meeting of the season yesterday at the dining hall of the college. Speakers were Mrs. Richard P. Saunders, wife of the president, who spoke about the values which the college tries to help young people to achieve, and Miss Eugenia Symms, associate dean of students, who explained her work.

Hostesses were Mrs. M. T. Davis, Mrs. C. C. Moore, Mrs. Guy Burroughs, Mrs. John McDonald, and Mrs. Stuart Ripley, all of Palos Verdes Estates; Mrs. Andrew Shaw of Rolling Hills, and Mrs. Kelly McBean of Miraflores.

HOLY NAME MEN SLATE CARD PARTY

Officers of the Holy Name Society will be hosts at a benefit card party Tuesday evening in Nativity Hall, 1045 Manuel avenue. This party will take the place of the customary Altar Society-sponsored party on Thursday, Thanksgiving.

Usual card games will be played and delicious refreshments have been promised by Clayton E. Bowen, president, who heads the committee. A 50 cent donation will be accepted. Everyone is invited.

INTERESTED AUDIENCE ATTENDS PTA MEETING

Torrance High School PTA meeting held Tuesday evening, November 8, drew a large turnout of parents and teachers.

Mrs. W. E. Bowen presided at a short business meeting which was followed by a panel discussion.

"Reporting to Parents," the topic chosen, had Mr. W. T. Tilton as moderator and the panel was made up of Mrs. G. A. Miller and Mrs. A. B. Cowie, parents and Miss Carmelita Raus, Mr. Delbert Dexter and Mr. James Halle, teachers.

It was brought out that the "Object of Reporting" should be the basis for the discussion as the objective would determine the type of reporting wanted. Proof of audience interest was the amount of discussion from the floor.

Mr. George Zavislan's acapella choir sang several well-chosen numbers and were encored.

After the meeting, the teachers returned to their rooms for Parent Conferences and a social hour was enjoyed in the library.

Large PTA Audience Hears Dr. Dingilian Speak

Father's Night at Lomita Elementary PTA Thursday was highlighted by the appearance of Dr. David Dingilian, supervisor of advisement service for the Los Angeles City Schools, as guest speaker.

"Mental Hygiene" was the doctor's topic, and Mrs. John Kirsch, program chairman, presented Elaine Hathaway in piano selections. Mrs. Joe Stahl, president, conducted the meeting; Girl Scout Troop 218 led the pledge of allegiance and Mrs. Nicholas Betz gave the inspirational message.

Girl Scouts Plan Events

Girl Scout Troop 593, sponsored by St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church, at their last meeting elected officers and planned their candy sale to be held in conjunction with the annual Lomita Scout Mothers bazaar all day tomorrow and Saturday morning.

Marie Trautfelder was elected president of the troop; Pat Doran, vice president; Eve Potranavich, secretary; Mary Anderson, treasurer; Joan Derouin was named publicity chairman.

Mrs. Sarah Litton is leader of the troop and Mrs. Madden, co-leader. The troop is now working on a plasticraft project.

Following the meeting Room Mothers, representing the classrooms of Mrs. Leavengood and Mrs. Carol Brigham under the direction of Room Mother Chairman Mrs. L. V. Powell, served delicious refreshments. These included Mesdames Grace Kellorg, C. B. Marsh, W. C. Mertz, John Goss, K. W. De Waische, Melvin Smith, John Zell, M. Weiss, D. M. Latham, and Bruce Schweitzer.

Mrs. Stahl announced the annual Milk Bowl classic at the Los Angeles Coliseum November 26 and urged the sale of tickets among the local associations for its success. She also stressed support of the movement to secure a junior high school in Lomita. The association also will furnish members to assist in the annual Christmas party sponsored by the Lomita Chamber of Commerce.

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OES Plans 'Farewell'

Farewell Night will be observed by Torrance Chapter, 380, Order of the Eastern Star in Masonic Temple this evening.

Worthy Matron Mildred Edwards and Worthy Patron Leonard Babecek will preside and Inez White will serve as chairman of arrangements. A large attendance is anticipated.

Home From College

Miss Nancy Whyte, a sophomore at Mills College, Oakland, will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Whyte, over the Thanksgiving week-end. She will arrive early Thanksgiving Day morning on the "new" Southern Pacific streamliner, "Starlight."

HOLIDAY VISITORS

Miss Frances Barrington will arrive Wednesday from Mills College for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barrington, 2368 Torrance boulevard. Miss Barrington will be accompanied by a school friend, Miss Dorothy Landreth, of Colorado Springs, who will remain for the holiday week-end.

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