



Gala Masquerade Dance Opens Halloween Season

Officially ushering in the Halloween party season, Club Alondra was the setting for a gay masquerade party Friday evening to entertain members of Los Fiestadores Dance Club.

Hosts for the colorful affair were Mary Lee and Bill Boswell, Jackie and Cam Blakely, and Sharon and Dex Dexter.

Prizes for costumes were awarded as follows:

Best couple: Marge and Jack Moore, who came as a caveman and his mate. Award, a pumpkin pie.

Most original: Marian and Bob Trezise, Bob an organ grinder, Marian, a monkey, complete with coin-collecting cup. Their prize, a box of doughnuts.

Gruesome: Burt Fasley, a wolf man. Award, a candy-filled horn.

Last but not least, John and Maria Steinbaugh, as hula dancers, who received as their award a toy balloon.

The party featured mixer dances including such appropriate ones as pumpkin, coffin, and witches.

Typical Halloween decorations, including black cats and pumpkins, converted the clubhouse into a colorful seasonal setting.

A highlight of the affair was a program featuring Lloyd Jones and Bill Lewis in variety acts and song numbers, climaxed by group singing led by Lloyd Jones.

Refreshments of doughnuts and coffee were enjoyed at midnight. The club's guest night has been set for November 11 in the same clubhouse.



Women's Activities

OCTOBER 25, 1951 TORRANCE HERALD Seventeen

HAYSEED DANCE GALA FOR SOBADA DANCERS

Club Members Donate to Blood Bank

Torrance branch, American National Red Cross, again chalked up a successful bloodmobile unit operation when members participated in the National Supply Company's Employee's Club Blood Bank on Monday of last week.

Workers volunteering their time under the supervision of Blood Recruitment Chairman Mrs. Nina Easley were: Mmes. Bette Howard, Phyllis Lamb, Margaret McMillan, Virginia Jones, Garnett Johnston, Anid Miles, Elizabeth Russell and Ruth Rogers.

Torrance Branch wishes to express appreciation to the president of the National Supply Employees Club, Mr. Ernest Treloar, who made it possible for 192 workers to each donate a pint of blood.

Sobada Club members are still talking about the good time they had Saturday evening at their novel Hayseed Dance held in Club Alondra.

Country style blue jeans suggested the theme for the party with men guests attired in jeans or overalls and straw hats and ladies garbed in cotton dresses, aprons and sunbonnets.

High point of the evening was the auctioning of appropriately decorated box lunches, which had been filled with fried chicken and other party foods by the ladies.

As is customary, the highest bidder enjoyed his supper with the lady who packed the lunch.

Prize for the prettiest box lunch, a large sack of groceries, went to Mrs. Don H. Hyde.

Next dance will mark guest night on Saturday, November 17, also at Club Alondra.



NEW HONOR . . . Mills College Senior Nancy, Ann Whyte has been appointed to serve as Academic Head of Mary Morse Hall on the Oakland campus for the new academic year 1951-52. Miss Whyte is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Whyte of 1620 Post avenue.

Miss Whyte is majoring in music in addition to her courses in journalism and photography.

Emergency Nurse Class Set Tonight

Third in the current series of emergency nursing classes will be held from 7:00 to 9:30 tonight in Harbor General Hospital.

Instruction will be given by Miriam Pearce, nursing instructor at the hospital, on "Immediate Care of the Sick and Injured," including care of burns, wounds and fractures.

Second half of the program, on "Equipment," will be directed by Verna Pennington, in charge of central supplies at the hospital, who will discuss use of intravenous equipment, therapy and blood pressure.

Alberta MacLean, American Red Cross Home Nursing chairman, will conclude with a talk on "Improvising Equipment."

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Shower Fetes Young Matron

Mrs. Gordon B. Smith (Jane Paxton) was the honoree at an enjoyable shower given Friday evening by Mesdames Raymond Paxton and Russell M. Paxton at the home of the former, at 1301 Crenshaw boulevard.

Beautiful gifts were presented by Mmes. F. M. Ainsworth, Bert Stewart, Miles Booth, Frances Hunt, W. E. Paxton, Jim Prother, Eve Paxton, T. C. Henni, Albert Ely, N. D. Smith, Stewart Smith, Earl Hendrickson, Lewis Layne, the Misses Lois Wilkerson, and Joann Sandstrom, and Kennon and Helen Smith.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream, cake and foaming punch were served.

Neighbors Carnival Set 30th

Everything is in readiness for the Royal Neighbor-sponsored annual bazaar to be held in Torrance Woman's Clubhouse Tuesday, October 30.

A feature of the affair will be a dance party in the evening under chairmanship of Mrs. Sophia Duncan.

According to the Oracle, Mrs. Vertie Grimm, the members have been working all year in preparation for the bazaar and beautiful embroidered and other handmade articles will be offered for sale. Typical carnival attractions also will be dispensed at colorful booths and tables.

HEARS OF DEATH

Mrs. J. V. Murray of 1912 Andro avenue learned this week of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Hocom of Greenfield, Mass. Mrs. Hocom had been a guest at the Murray home for several months in recent years.

COUNCIL HEAD REQUESTS FULL REPRESENTATION

Torrance Council PTA executive board meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 6, at 9:45 a.m. at 2335 Plaza Del Amo.

Mrs. A. B. Cowie, president, urges Torrance Elementary, Torrance High School, North Torrance Elementary, Seaside, Perry, Walteria and Fern Avenue PTAs to have full representation at this meeting.

REPRESENT PERRY PTA

At the dental health program conference of Torrance PTA Council, Perry School PTA was represented by Mmes. E. Collier, George Simonson, J. H. Russell, C. L. Thompson, K. N. Hall, H. L. McGeachy, W. A. Wright, P. H. Mosman, and R. B. McClain.

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