

Registrations Under Way For YWCA Summer Camp

Water ballet in the camp pool, beach games of volleyball, tennis or basketball, hiking along the trails, cookouts, and horseback riding along beautiful mountain trails; these are a few of the activities being anticipated by harbor district girls who have signed up to attend YWCA Camp Tahquita this summer.

The camp, owned, operated, staffed and maintained by the YWCA Camping Council of Southern California is an area camp with the Harbor YW as one of eight Associations participating.

It is located 19 miles east of Hemet on Highway 74 in the San-Jacinto Mountains, five miles from Idyllwild. The facility includes 12 cabins, fireplaces, wood stoves, sleeping facilities for indoors or outdoors, a dining room and kitchen, a snack house, a swimming pool and 160 acres of timbered land and sports areas.

The camping season is from July 4 through August 29 or a total of 8 camping periods. A qualified Director, assisted by a trained counselor staff and a registered nurse will direct camp and program activities.

The camp is open to girls 11 to 17 years of age or 7th through 12th grade. All reservations must be made in advance at least 14 days.

The following girls have registered to date: Diane Earle, Linda McCarthy, Susan Spiel, Rodene Beckman, Judie Mathis, Pamela Aubuchan, Dorothy McLean, Margie Losten, Polly Egman, Shirley Powell, Amanda Foulger, Freda Hook, Doris Sullivan, Rosemary Joyce, Esther Backsey, Hulda and Sybill Sunday, and Patsy King.

Committee chairmen for the coming year were announced by Mrs. A. E. Palmer, chairman of the Torrance Branch, at the June Branch Committee meeting. Those who will serve are: Mrs. Grover C. Vandeventer, personnel; Mrs. M. M. Behwab, national support; Benard E. Finney, Mrs. Miles Booth, house; Mrs. Maud O'Bar, worship and remembrance; Mrs. Minnie Solomon, world fellowship; Mrs. Les Stamps, camp and Community Chest; Mrs. Thomas Westfall, membership; Mrs. Helen Benton, secretary; and Pauline Grest, treasurer. Serving in an executive capacity as chairman of the nominating committee will be Mrs. Warren Hamilton.

Other committee members as yet unassigned are: Misses Clara Conner, Kenneth Clutter, A. McCoy, Darvin Parrish, Walter Silence, and Miss Nell Colburn.

EASTERN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Osterlind, 2813 Sonoma have had as their guests old friends from Connecticut who came especially to be present at the 8th grade graduation of the Osterlind's daughter Carla from the Madonna School. The guests, who left the first of the week for their home were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Derby and Mrs. J. Peterson of Bridgeport and Mrs. Charles McKoon of Saybrook, Connecticut.



SCHOLARSHIPS... were awarded at the Nativity School graduation exercises to Carole Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elles Cook, 1608 Crenshaw Blvd., who received the annual scholarship given by the Rev. P. J. McGuinness. This scholarship, which is based on scholastic record, will be used by Carole at St. Michael's High School in Los Angeles. At right, Mrs. Francis Gately, past regent of the Catholic Daughters presents an award to Susan O'Brien, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. O'Brien, 2405 Hawthorne Blvd. Susan plans to enter Nazareth Academy at Orange.

Blue Birds Have Picnic

Blue Birds of the Blue Bird Girls from the Carr School enjoyed a picnic at the Alondra Park recently. After the luncheon each girl was presented with a Blue Bird pin, purchased for them by their leader, Mrs. Millie Wilson.

Enjoying the picnic were: Bobbie Moran, Cheryl Frey, Kerry Warden, Joan Jacobs, Sondra Furtrell, Joan Moore, Howard, Carol, Solimar, Mary Douglass, Jansett Kodua, Mary Ann Louner, Jackie Roiser, Janie London, Patti David, Barbara Overdorf, Borretta Perette, Pamela Wilson, Susan Stinchcomb, Dianna Wall, Carol Nolan and Pamela Wilson.

Wedding at Messick Home

Susanne Messick of Hermosa Beach became the bride of Ted Davik, Saturday, June 13. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, 162 Paso De las Delicias, Hollywood Riviera.

The groom is a native of Redondo Beach and is chief diver at the Palos Verdes Oceanarium. Attendants were Matt Davis, brother of the bride groom, and Mrs. H. W. York. Minister Earl Barnum, of the Church of Religious Science, officiated at the ceremony. The guest list included, mother of the groom, Mrs. Doris Davis, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Roeder, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Warner, the third, Michael Warner and Captain and Mrs. H. W. York.

Nursery Has Graduation Exercises

Graduation exercises were held Thursday morning June 18, for children of the Torrance Nursery School who will be entering kindergarten in the fall. Those honored were Donna McLean, Meredith Money, Mike Belser, Ben O'Brien, and Craig West. The children enjoyed watching themselves in the motion picture, "He Who Dares to Teach," which was filmed at the school. A picnic followed at Lomita Park.

Election of officers for the fall semester and a pot-luck dinner highlighted Monday evening's final meeting of the Parent Education Class. Officers will be held by couples rather than by individuals. Those who will assume office are Messrs. and Mrs. Lloyd Money, president; Edward Dahlen, vice president; Helen Truedell, secretary; and Rodney Mills, treasurer.

At Auditions

Attending the artists auditions at the Friday Morning Club in Los Angeles last Monday in anticipation of selecting outstanding artists for next year's Torrance Women's Club program were Mrs. H. L. Mitchell president and Mrs. L. A. McCoy, program chairman. On Tuesday they were joined by other club members, Mrs. R. J. Prout, Mrs. R. J. Rogers, and Mrs. L. C. Wilbrecht.

Eastern Star Holds Meet

An enjoyable evening was spent by those who attended a meeting of the Eastern Star, last Thursday evening, at the Masonic Temple. Phyllis Faverley, Worthy Matron and Earl Wells, Worthy Patron, presided over activities.

The evening began with the allegiance to the American Flag, which was presented to the audience by Clyde Satterfield, Flag Bearer.

Past matrons and patrons were presented to the members who were, Annetta Smith, Florence Wallman, Jeannette Clark, Edna Babcock, Garnett Satterfield, Vivian Cook, Frederick Cook and Vincent Villanave.

Earl Wells, worthy patron; Edward Morgan, associate patron; Raymond, treasurer; Garnett Satterfield, organist; Ruth Hardin, warden; Clyde Satterfield, flag bearer; and Frances Faverley, chaplain, will represent the chapter at Lomita's District Courtship Night.

The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron urged those in attendance to attend the next meeting which would be the official visit of the Deputy Grand Matron, Myrna Sims.

Refreshments were served after the meeting in the colorfully decorated dining room. Serving were Florence Villanave, chairman; Bernice Russell, Ada Drake, Julia Junior and Vincent Villanave.

Crenshaw

Winding up spring and fall activities for the Crenshaw PTA, a buffet dinner served to the eighth grade graduates and teachers Thursday evening, June 16, at the school.

The PTA extends their appreciation to Mrs. Roy Thurman, Mrs. Clarence Swearingen, and Mrs. Dana Walker for hosting coffee hours, also Mrs. William Skiles, Mrs. Ralph Eystone, Mrs. Clint Chapman and all those who participated and donors who made the buffet supper dance possible.

From four hundred and ninety-one students, seven classrooms and fifteen faculty members, Crenshaw school has progressed to one thousand forty-three students, twenty-two classrooms and thirty faculty members. This all-around increase has occurred since September up to the month of June. This increase seems to be a permanent thing, with one hundred and sixty-eight kindergarten children and seventy-two graduates, and the school population still growing.

Another debt of thanks is extended to Mrs. W. Robert, principal and Richard Weitz, vice principal and other faculty members for making the attendance success possible.

Growth in school hasn't been the only momentous goals for Crenshaw school. Installation of a traffic light, and the Crenshaw Crisis, contributions to student welfare and activities, dental health, milk fund, baskets of food to families when needed, high school graduation party; troop flags for the two Scout troops, sponsored by the PTA and the buffet supper dance for the eighth grade graduates. Dishes, silver and a coffee urn were purchased in addition to the above mentioned.

Parent education classes and Home Nursing Courses were also available. Student participation in PTA programs also helped make this success possible.

"Arithmetic Fair" gave the parents a chance to find out what their children were learning and doing during school hours.

Coffee hours, kidnap breakfast and skating parties were part of the social agenda for the year.

President, Mrs. Ralph T. Eystone, receives our thanks for her leadership.

PTA Activities

Seaside

Last regular meeting of Seaside PTA was held Thursday, May 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the school. Brownie Troop 1851 presented the colors and the school band played the national anthem. The school glee club wore new robes the PTA members had made for the glee club to use when entertaining. The 78 girl glee club sang "We Thank Thee," "Just As I Am," "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You." Mrs. Bridgman is the leader of this group. The school band under the leadership of Mr. Pettis presented a and Mrs. W. A. Wright, president of Torrance Council was installing officer.

The following were installed for the coming year: Elnes Doyle French, president; G. W. Steele, first vice president; David Daniels, second vice president; Basil Lewis, third vice president; Carl Sanford, recording secretary; C. G. Nollenberger, corresponding secretary; H. R. Burt, historian; Earl Welliver, parliamentarian; and Mr. William Clary, auditor.

The meeting was adjourned following the historian report given by Mrs. Roy Touchstone.

The 1958-59 executive board of Seaside PTA met for the last time June 9 at 1:30 p.m. at Merrieland for a farewell luncheon. This board meeting was for fun and no business was on the agenda.

Mrs. Earl Welliver, outgoing president of Seaside was presented with a maple what-not and two pieces of milk glass. After luncheon the board members said farewell to their duties for this year.

L-S.P. Council

Mrs. William Rhodes, incoming record book chairman of Lomita San Pedro Council of PTA, held a workshop for local chairmen at her home, 2224 W. 28th St., Lomita, on June 2 at 7:30 p.m.

Attending this meeting were Miss Louie Miller, president, and Thomas J. Johnson, chairman of Point Fermin Robert La Blond, Halldale; Louis Villalobos, 16th St.; Jean Crews, Channel Heights; Jack Chittenden, Lomita; Elementary; Ed Jones, 7th St.; Donald Lund, 26th; Hugh McIntyre, Deland; Michael Travers, Harbor City; Arthur Rousi, Cabrillo; Ben Pukaski, Bantini; and Felix Lucene, White Point.

Scout Trails

Pack meeting of Cub Scout 725-C for June opened with the pledge of allegiance by Cubmaster Bill Lewis.

Den seven won the attendance award and new Den flags made by the Den Mothers were used for the first time. Group singing was led by the Cubmaster, Theme for May was a circus and skits on this theme were presented by each Den.

Bobcat pins were awarded to Roy Painter, John Evans, Jeffrey McCoy and Kurt Berkovich. Jay Borkmuth received a Lion badge and the gold and silver arrow, Denar badges to Robert Schettler, Archie Cooper, Frederick Swift, Phillip Crofton and Lamar Timmons. Scouts Robert Painter and Jim Buttler from Troop 725 received den chief cords.

Dennis Cooper received the Webelos Badge, and was also presented his graduation certificate. Mr. Porter, submaster of 725, presented to him a neckerchief and welcomed him into the group.

A short talk on Scouting was given by Pop O'Haver of the Harbor District committee. The meeting closed by Den 2 and four forming the living circle and saying the Cub Scout promise.

The last meeting of the school year for Troop 711 will be a haul for all girls and their mothers. Girls will be dressed in native costumes and luau food will be served. A song and dance number has been planned.

Mrs. Naomi Flemmens, assistant leader, resided in Hawaii for several years and she is assisting the girls with their plans.

At this last meeting of the school year, Linda Roberts will receive an achievement badge. Leaders are Mrs. Dorothy Green and Mrs. Naomi Flemmen. Troop No. 841 camped in Exposition Park for the two nights and cooked their own meals during their stay. The boys were divided in to four groups, which were rotated, for operation of the display booth, camp duty, security and liberty.

Stork Story

A baby daughter has joined the household of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Decker, of 2601 Sonoma St. Christine Lynn arrived at 1:30 p.m., on April 24 at the Torrance Memorial Hospital. Her birth weight was 7 lbs., 10 oz. At home she joins brother, Gary Wayne, 30 months. Grandparents are William Chittenden, Alameda, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Decker, of Des Moines, Iowa.

Another young lady has brightened a Torrance home in the person of Mary Etta who joined the Chandler family at 2608 Brian Ave. The scales at Torrance Memorial Hospital registered her birth weight as 7 lb. 4 oz. on April 24. She has a brother, Robert Blair, 5 years. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B. Beeson; Mr. and Mrs. R. Redmond, all of Redondo Beach.

Second daughter for Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Thomas of 2600 Curtis St. arrived April 24 at 11:45 p.m. at Torrance Memorial Hospital. The 9 lb., 10 oz. miss will be called Doris Jeanette and is making the acquaintance of her sister, Juellen Kathylee. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Thomas of Palmdale; Mr. and Mrs. A. Thomas of Tampa, Fla.

James Stanley Jr., is the new heir in the household of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Morris of 728 Sartori Ave. Weighing 7 lb. 11 oz. on the scales at Torrance Memorial Hospital on April 22 at 11:04 p.m., he has a sister, Jerrie Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. J. C. Morris, of Wetumka, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Clay D. Jones, also of Okla.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Friend, of 1830 Reynolds Dr. The new arrival who is being welcomed by three sisters will bear his father's name. He tipped the scales at Torrance Memorial Hospital at 6 lbs. 14 oz. on April 23 at 6:53 p.m. His parents are Diane, 8 and Billie, 6. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Abbott of Torrance; Mrs. G. L. Friend of Jacksonville, Fla.

Welcoming a son are Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Wheeler, of 1113 W. 163rd St. Joseph Allen was born April 24, 5:21 p.m. at Torrance Memorial Hospital with a registered birth weight of an even 7 lbs. His five-year-old grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lucy Ewell of Hermosa; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Di Brase of Redondo Beach.

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Pair Married in Hollywood

Miss Joyce Hall of Los Angeles and Robert L. De Bar of Glendale, both employees of Northrop Aircraft, were married Sunday, June 14, at 1600 N. Kingsley Drive, Hollywood.

A reception followed the wedding and the couple spent a honeymoon in the high Sierras. The bride is in the material division and Mr. De Bar in the tool engineering division at the aircraft plant.

Among those attending were Messrs. and Mrs. E. S. Franklin, Jr. J. E. White, R. P. Johnston, E. L. Sahr, E. P. Griswold, R. H. Parsons, J. C. Clinkenbeard, Mrs. Dorothy Rye, and Miss Marilyn Andrews.

E. S. Franklin, 17640 Ainsworth Ave., Torrance gave the bride in marriage.

Observe 55th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Hopkins, 2615 Palos Verdes Dr., celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary with an open house at their home on Sunday, June 21. The couple were married June 16, 1904, in New Jersey. They have lived in Torrance for two years.

The four children and their families were present to celebrate the anniversary. They are C. R. Hopkins of Gardena, C. Hopkins, Torrance, Mrs. E. Garlick of Los Angeles and J. Hopkins of Hermosa Beach. The Benzer Hopkins have eight grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Ice cream and cake were served from a table beautifully decorated with wedding bells and flowers.

NOTE ANNIVERSARY

In celebration of their sixth wedding anniversary, James Halle was host at a surprise dinner party for his wife at a local restaurant last Tuesday evening. Joining Mr. and Mrs. Halle for dinner were Messrs. and Mrs. Garth Belknap, William Moore, and Leonard Lip-ton.

The Halle's are planning to move to Hemet soon where Mr. Halle has accepted the position

Visit Relatives

Mrs. W. I. Laughon and her mother, Mrs. Lolly Ahrens, 1538 23rd Prado spent three days last week with relatives at Eagle Rock. While there they drove to Escondido for a day's trip. Over the weekend guests at the Laughon home were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fisher and Bruce, Jr. of Westchester.

of vice-principal at the Hemet High school.

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