

# Newlyweds Surprised at Two Showers for Them Last Week

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Rusk were honored this week in the form of two lovely wedding showers.

First of all last Sunday evening Roy and Vicki went to visit his folks. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rusk, of 221st St. When they arrived there they noticed some extra cars. Upon entering the front door they were met by 33 relatives of Roy's. They were presented with a 21-inch television. The kids were so surprised they cried.

Then Saturday evening Vicki was again honored by a crowd of women who congratulated Vicki on her recent marriage.

Many games were played during the course of the evening by Mrs. Ben Rusk, Mrs. Gene Sterling, Mrs. Lester Clouch, Mrs. Wally Franklin, Mrs. Ralph Robertson, Mrs. Pete Apkinas and the hostess, Mrs. Ruth Sterling, at whose home the shower was held, 820 Portola.

Many lovely gifts were presented the guest of honor. These sending gifts but were unable to attend were Mrs. Shered Kelton, Mrs. F. P. Galaway and Mrs. Harley Newman.

Easter Week always calls for special plans and social

events, and the Shoestring Strip folk are planning Easter egg hunts and many parties. Normandale Playground is having special events for the children.

You will notice in the near future that a "no parking" sign will appear over in front of the playground so that it won't be quite so dangerous. The street is not wide enough for cars to park on both sides of the street, especially when they are having ball games and buses and many cars are parked on both sides of the street.

A gala birthday party helped Andrea Felker celebrate her 13th birthday. She lives at 1569 W. 218th St.

Her party was a little different than most parties. She took four of her friends to Hollywood and really took in the sights. Her mother went along. Of course the party would not have been a success if Mrs. Felker had not gone with the girls. They took in a movie while there.

A very important meeting held last week at the 223rd St. School in connection with the Assn. for Childhood Education International, ACEI, conference.

This conference study will be held in the Staller and Blitmore Hotels in Los Angeles April 21 through 26. This is open to all school teachers,

school administrators, parents, and others concerned with children from the ages 2 through 12.

Those present at the meeting with Mrs. Elizabeth Dankey as hostess were Mrs. Marie Bunch, teacher at Denker St. School; Mrs. Thyra Towland, from Towne Ave. School; John Bailey, Wilmington Park; Marjorie Conn, consultant from the South district; Mrs. Elinor Swimm, principal of Seventh St. School; Don Heath, Ann Stanley and Bob Baird, 223rd St. School, and the committee chairman, Mary MacCono from the Cabrillo St. School.

The teachers who will be delegates to the L.A. meeting discussed making it possible to attend this conference. Also they were preparing the Harbor Area California night which will take place at Harbor Junior College April 25 in the evening.

The committee is touring the different schools and is picking one school in the area to have meetings. The 223rd St. School was honored to have them for a visit.

Everyone is invited to the meetings in Los Angeles. For further information, please call me. Reservations are not necessary but are advised.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Milford recently moved into the neighborhood of the 1500 block on 226th St. They are expecting their first child soon.

The "spaghetti dinner" held last week at the 223rd St. School was awh opping success. In fact, they had to quit selling tickets and turn several away because of the large crowd.

Spaghetti and all the trimmings was served to approximately 500 people in the evening in the school yard. Later the parents and friends of the children who attend this school toured the school and visited their rooms and talked to the different teachers and the principal, Mrs. Elizabeth Dankey.

The board members of the

## Pigeon Race For Cancer Set April 28

The first annual 300-mile pigeon race, proceeds of which will be donated to the Cancer Fund, will be held on April 28 by the Gardena Valley Homing Pigeon Club.

Chairman S. G. Caruso said he hoped that the race could be developed into a project which would raise \$1000 yearly for the fund.

Donations of \$1 for entry of one pigeon. Owner of the winning entry will have his name engraved on a trophy and the owners of the first 10 positions will get diplomas. The birds will be released at Stockton.

H. L. Hilger, Torrance, is racing secretary of the club. Other members of the club from Torrance include T. Jackley, L. Sible, R. Sible, C. Waller, and J. Waller.

Further information can be obtained from Caruso at DA 4-9865.

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# New Cub Pack, Sponsored By 223rd St. PTA, Forms

The newly organized Cub pack 755C, sponsored by the 223rd St. Elementary School PTA, will meet on Thursday, April 25, at the school.

At the last meeting, organization explanations were given by Paul Shinoda, of the Harbor Area training committee. At the final meeting, the signing of the charter was completed. Don Heath, a teacher at the school, was named as institutional representative by Mrs. David Goolsby, PTA president.

Cubmaster will be William Olson, assisted by George Lehmann and Gerald Williams. Ellis Blankinship will be committee chairman, assisted by J. Turner, secretary; Kenneth Cathey Sr., treasurer; Sam Iturri, den dad; Elwood Wall and J. C. Pottridge, transportation; Don Heath and J. Turner, parent contact; Paul Kelson, Robert Hill, M. Carman, and P. Benjamin, committee members. Heath also will serve as achievement awards chairman.

Mrs. Ellis Blankinship assisted by Mrs. Paul Kelson are den mothers of Den 1. Their Cubes are Daryl Blankinship, Ronny Kelson, Billy Burich, Robert Sullivan.

Mrs. George Lehmann and her assistant Mrs. Julius McCarthy are den mothers of

Den 2. Cubs are Robert Ybarra, Michael Lehmann, Dennis Spock, Jerry Spock.

Mrs. Charles Hamilton, assisted by Mrs. Joe Taclay, are den mothers for Den 3. Cubs are Danny Hamilton, Arthur Taclay, George Armas and David Duncan.

Mrs. Donald Burk and assistant, Mrs. Veta Simpson, are den mothers for Den 4. The Cubs are Gary Burk, Gary Wilkinson, Jerry Williams and Lanny Block.

Mrs. Bill Olson and Mrs.

Kenneth Cathey, are den mothers for Den 5. Cubs are Harry Olson, Gerald Olson, Kenneth Cathey Jr., Tommy Freeman and Phillip Smyth.

Mrs. Richard Carrier is den mother for Den 6. Her Cubs are Richard Carrier Jr., James Turner, Ray Turner, Jerry D. Burks.

Mrs. Sam Iturri is den mother and her assistant is Mrs. Milton Connelly of Den 7. Cubs are Frank Iturri, James Roger Connelly, Jerry Doran and Jack Shanablin.

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