

LOCAL PTA ACTIVITIES

259th Place

Christmas numbers sung by the Mothersingers Chorus and a student chorus, and an open house program were the main features of the December meeting of the 259th Place PTA held recently.

The open house event, which preceded the regular business meeting, afforded parents an opportunity to visit classrooms and to discuss the school work of their children with teachers.

The program of the regular meeting, which was presided over by Mrs. W. N. Kephley, Jr., president, included, in addition to the Christmas songs, the presentation of a new electric phonograph to the school, and a short talk on the meaning of the Bill of Rights.

The new phonograph, which was presented to the school as a Christmas present, was purchased jointly by the PTA and the student body. It was accepted on behalf of the school by Margurite Marinkovich, a sixth grade student.

The upper grade chorus, under the direction of Mrs. Lillie Scott, first grade teacher, and accompanied by Mrs. Patricia Miller, fourth grade teacher, sang several songs with soloists Tommy Hess and Cathy Stalmack, and "The Twelve Days of Christmas" with a group of twelve sopranos participating.

Under the direction of Mrs. Esther Howe, music chairman, and accompanied by Leola Raymetz at the piano, the Mothersingers Chorus sang a selection of seven Christmas numbers.

The women who compose the chorus in addition to those previously named are: Mrs. Dorothy Anderson, Lois Bowling, Evelyn Boesvert, Helen Calvin, Lillian Eggleston, Roma Cano, Constance Sage, Marge Smith, Kathleen Moore, Marguerite Palm, and Olean White.

The program was arranged and presented by the first vice president, Mrs. Dan Bowling.

S. M. White

As part of the health program at Stephen M. White over 500 students were inoculated with a smallpox vaccine under the direction of Dr. Earl Kendrick, nurse Gloria Rossbrastis and their assistants, Miss V. M. Fisher, Mrs. R. F. Buffington, Mrs. K. T. Chang, PTA Health chairman, Mrs. L. W. Baker and helpers Mmes. Fred Trujillo, W. T. Albaugh, Oscar Smith, D. W. Lasell and W. L. Harvey.

December 4 was the lower division sports night with the theme "Snowball Hop." The Cha-Cha contest was won by Carol Kajikawa and Caesar Pasqual; Freeze dance by Diana Gerard and John Blake; Checker dance, first place by Peggy Clevenger and Bill Key, second, Jerry Muse and Sandra Garner. Grand prize was won by Helen Kohl and Jim Morris.

Sponsors were William Ramsey, Gerry Yamamoto, and Anthony Sokolic. Special guests were Commissioner of Youth services from Los Angeles Howard Bell. Faculty member Robert Stallwood and family dropped in.

Parents assisting were Mmes. H. Condon, Perry G. Patterson, Lyle Harvey, W. L. Harvey, James Maloy, Waynard Everett, Bill Tracy, Oscar Smith, Herman Isenbeiss, Messrs. and Mmes. Frank S. Whitesel, Earl Swanson, and Henry Runge.

Halldale

Mrs. Amanda Wilhelm, principal, was hostess at a holiday breakfast for all members of the Halldale PTA board on Dec. 9. Mrs. Ruth Adams and Mrs. Judson Bowers served coffee and cake.

Mrs. Wilhelm announced that Mrs. Helen Morton, third and fourth grade teacher, had been appointed on an advisory committee to improve teaching by television.

The Christmas program, "Our Christmas Heritage," was presented Dec. 15 under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Adams, music teacher.

Santa visited the children at Halldale on Dec. 18 after which room parties were held.

On Jan. 5, Halldale will be hostess at a breakfast meeting for the Council. The meeting will be held at 9:30 a.m. in the school auditorium. On the breakfast committee are Mmes. Jim Garland, Robert Coulter, William L. Wilson, Benjamin Wallace, Jesse Simmons and Herbert Clark.

After a gift exchange, the board members had luncheon at the Palms restaurant.

Narbonne

"Social Practices of Today's Youth" was discussed in a buzz session at the regular meeting of the Narbonne PTA Tuesday evening, Nov. 17. Mrs. Stephen Lovas arranged the program, which included such topics as: "dating," "driving," "home entertainment," "social hours," "church activities," "smoking and drinking," "Television, radio and records," "working in social activities with study," "allowances," and

"school activities."

Parents and teachers participated in the various groups under the leadership of Mmes. Lincoln Van Camp and W. M. Graham; Messrs. Calvin Garvin, W. M. Graham, Jesse Levine, Stephen Lovas, Arthur Sigman, Richard Owings, W. Holmes Smith and Wing Commander Reginald Harlan. At the close of the session the thinking and ideas of each group was presented by its leader.

Shuberts "Marche Militaire,"

a piano duet was played by Dawn Oye and Debbie Pinckney. Stan McAllister sang "The Blind Ploughman" by Robert C. Clark, accompanied by Jennifer Jones. All are B-10 students from the music classes of Miss Alice Sturdy.

Mrs. David P. Goolsby presided at the meeting and Mrs. W. Earl Burris gave the inspirational message.

During the social hour, Mmes. Arthur Sigman and George D. Weeks poured; Mmes. Ed Holloway and Ted Hachiya; Misses Roberta Holloway and Jennifer Jones assisted with the serving. The next meeting is planned for Tuesday, Dec. 15, at 1:30 p.m. in the multi-purpose room.

186th Street

Students of the 186th Street School presented a Christmas program in the school auditorium for the parents at the PTA meeting on Dec. 11.

At the last regular monthly board meeting Mrs. Ward Grantham was elected first vice president. Mr. Niels Iversen's appointment by Mrs. Merrill Lindsey, president, as institutional representative for Cub Scouts was announced.

A Christmas party for the members of the 186th Street School PTA board will be held at the home of Mrs. Merrill Lindley on Dec. 21.

Those assisting with the vaccinations for children at the

school auditorium on Monday, Nov. 30, were Mmes. Marvin Grove, Bill Thrower, Jimmy Deems, Ward Grantham, Niels Iversen, Charles Foster and Hugh Allen.

Board Party

On Wednesday, Dec. 9, the members of the executive board of the Gardena High School PTA held their annual Christmas party at a local restaurant. Instead of exchanging gifts, this year the members brought Golden Books, colors and crayons to be sent to the Los Angeles 10th District Health Center.

Present at the party were Mmes. E. N. Reese, president; C. N. Peterson, Harbor region-

al director; E. G. Croom, president of Gateway Council; Kenneth Allen, Allan Pond, R. H. Froom, Robert Gulliver, W. E. Martois, W. C. Willard, Dalles Rasmussen, Charles Funke, Alfred Stahl, Bert Hallett, Martha Bobby, Esther Skopp and Miss Kathleen McQuire, girls' vice-principal and co-ordinator for the PTA.

Serves as Judge

Mrs. Godfrey Nelson, a member of the garden section of the Torrance Woman's club, CFWC, served as a judge in the corsage contest held at the children's party given by two branches of the Torrance Fuchsia society.

Holiday Party

The traditional neighborhood party will be given by Scott and Wendy Triplitt Monday evening at the home of their parents, the R. J. Triplitts, 3236 Eldorado Ave.

A Spanish dinner will be served and a gift exchange will follow. The Christmas pinata will be the highlight of the evening.

After the party, the youngsters will go caroling.

Guests will be Donna and Larry Easley, Kim and Jackie Brooks, Allen Schwartz, and Mary Coleman.

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