



TOOT, TOOT . . . Young Torrance musicians find that practice is fun in the Torrance Recreation Department's "fun through music" program held weekly at McMaster, Walteria, El Retiro, Torrance, and Sea-Aire Parks, under the direction of Jim Davidson. Shown are Donna Cooper, Jim Dawson, and Bill Jackins. The practice will wind up as all parks give a combined concert on Aug. 26.

### Observation Deck Opens Seven Days

Due to the increased demands of the summer vacation period, the public observation deck atop the Central Theme Building at Los Angeles International Airport's new jet-age terminal now is open to the public 11 a.m. through 9 p.m. daily, seven days a week.

The observation deck is served by a special elevator in the Theme Building lobby, and a charge of 10 cents per person reimburses the Los Angeles Department of Airports partially for the expense of maintaining and operating the observation area for the public. There is no charge for children under seven.

In addition to enjoying the excellent view of the airport, surrounding communities and the Pacific Ocean from the observation deck, sightseers also can get a first hand look at the great air travel center via special sightseeing trams.

These glass-domed Satellite Transit trams pick up passengers every half hour in front of the Theme Building for complete sightseeing tours of the new terminal and other airport facilities. Tour hours are from

### Registration For Harbor College Set

A last reminder of registration dates for Harbor College's summer session was issued today by Dr. Robert V. Bacon, dean.

"We are looking forward to an enrollment even higher than last year's which broke all our previous records," said Dr. Bacon. "Students are becoming more and more aware of the benefits to be derived from the summer program."

Final registration dates are Thursday and Friday, July 5 and 6 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. and from 6 to 8 p.m. Instruction will begin on Monday, July 9, and last until Aug. 17.

More than 130 classes are scheduled in courses offered in the regular program of the college with a choice of morning, afternoon, or evening classes in many subjects.

Further information may be obtained by phoning or visiting the college at 1111 Figueroa Pl., Wilmington.

12 noon to 7 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and holidays. Charge is 25 cents for children and 50 cents for adults.

### Torrance Boy, 10, to Undergo Open Heart Surgery Tuesday

The value of the Red Cross blood program is truly appreciated by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Thompson, 22142 Nicolle, whose 10-year-old son, Lynn Alan, will undergo open heart surgery Tuesday.

When the youngster's forthcoming surgery was scheduled at UCLA Medical Center, the Thompsons were told that approximately 22 pints of blood would be required to prime the mechanical device that does the breathing and circulates the patient's blood during such an operation.

As it does in all open heart surgery cases scheduled in Los Angeles County, the Red Cross agreed to provide the blood.

BECAUSE BLOOD used for open heart surgery must be of the same type as the patient's and has to be drawn within 24 hours of the operation, Red Cross has already begun its work.

At the regional blood center in downtown Los Angeles, where more than 2,000,000

names of past donors are on file, volunteers are checking for individuals with A-Negative blood.

These people are called, told of young Lynn Allan's urgent need for blood and asked to help.

Donors able to give will come to the center Monday where the blood will be drawn in bottles containing a special solution. Then it will be delivered to the hospital in time for the operation.

OPEN HEART surgery, unheard of five years ago, now demands that Red Cross provide 12,000 pints of blood annually for some 600 heart operations.

With a backlog of patients awaiting needed surgery, as soon as the blood can be provided, the Thompsons were anxious to do their part in seeing that what their son will use is replaced to the Red Cross stockpile.

Although charged with no replacement responsibility, the Thompsons told their friends

of the great need for blood used daily to treat the ill and injured as well as for special open heart surgeries.

MRS. THOMPSON says many of their acquaintances have already given in behalf of young Lynn Alan.

The remainder of the blood will be provided by employees of Metlox Manufacturing Co., Manhattan Beach, where Mrs. Thompson was formerly employed.

They have made more than 30 appointments to donate blood when the Red Cross mobile unit makes its visit to Redondo Beach Tuesday.

"We do appreciate the interest and thoughtfulness of all those who are giving blood — for no matter in what way one's blood is used, you can be sure it is helping the ill and injured. And who knows — some day you may be on the other side, receiving the miracle aid of blood as my son will be doing," states the grateful mother.

Lynn Alan, who will be a fifth grader at St. Philomena School this fall, is looking forward to increased activity that will result once the blockage in his aorta valve is corrected.

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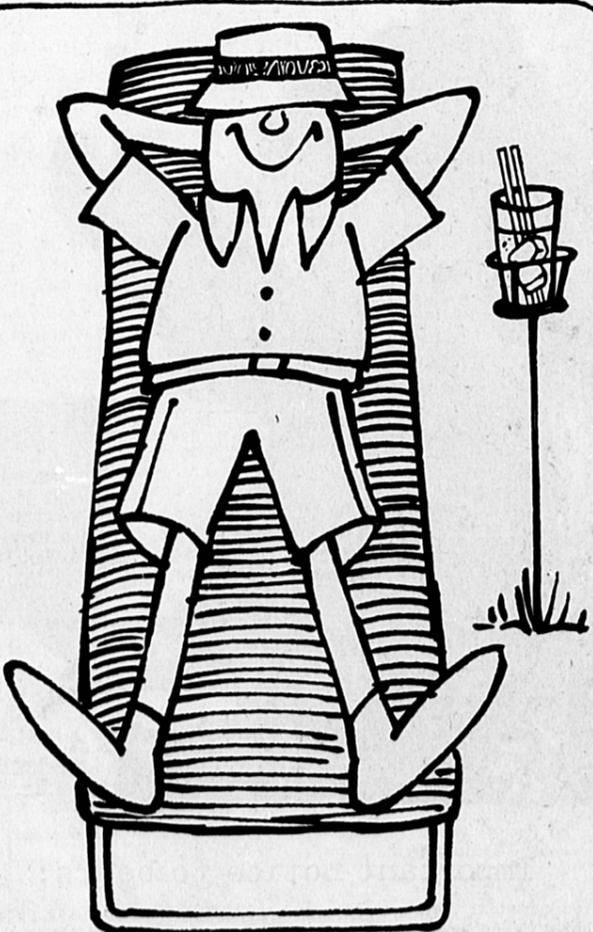
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