

Ann Landers

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...tivity toward you is damaging to the entire family.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a high school senior who is going steady with a terrific girl. The only trouble is I'm never quite sure of what she is doing behind my back. Lizette has my class ring and we are almost semi-engaged.

The other evening we were at a party and she suddenly disappeared for about an hour. When I found her sitting in a guy's car in front of the house, I was pretty burned up. We had a big fight but kissed and made up and she promised to be faithful.

Yesterday a buddy told me she gave this creep her phone number. It figured because her line has been busy for two nights straight. When I asked Lizette about it she said it was the only way she could get rid of him. Should I believe her? — TOBY

Dear Toby: You can if you want to, but I don't. A girl doesn't give her phone number to a guy if she wants to get rid of him.

Get your ring back and call of the semi-engagement (whatever THAT means). It's obvious she wants to date others, and I hope you will do the same.

Are your parents too strict? You can benefit from the experience of thousands of teenagers if you write for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "How to Live With Your Parents," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed stamped envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope. (C) 1963, Field Enterprises, Inc.



ASSUME LEADERSHIP—Activities of the Trio Rebekah Lodge 240 of Lomita will be directed during the coming year by from left, Anna Reynolds, vice-grand, and Vena Johnson, noble grand, who were installed with their other officers on Jan. 8 at the Lomita Masonic Temple. (Portrait by Seeman)

Trio Rebekah Lodge Installs New Officers

Trio Rebekah Lodge 240 of Lomita installed its new 1963 officers on Jan. 8 at the Lomita Masonic Temple.

Conducting the installation were District Deputy George Smith, assisted by Dorothy Ray, marshal, and her team.

Elective officers installed were Mae Van Wie, Jr., past noble grand; Vena Johnson, noble grand; Anna Reynolds, vice grand; Bertha Fern, recording secretary; Hattie Schroeder, financial secretary; and Emma Schummer, treasurer.

Filling the appointive offices are Esther Hansen, conductor; Edith Treveltham, warden; Mary Smith, chaplain; Florence Broad, musician; Tillie Van Driel, color bearer.

Others were Margie Russell and Elizabeth Yerton, supporters of the noble grand; Ada Anderson and Pansy Coil, supporters to the vice grand; Bertha Westphal and Dorothy Seibold, guardians; Vesta Littrill and Edith Bench, banner bearers to the guardian; Mayme Wells and Marie Doktor, banner bearers

Club Dinner

The "One a Month" Canasta Club held a dinner party Sunday evening at the Reef restaurant in Long Beach as a farewell for one of its members, Mrs. Jewel Frederick, who is leaving, and as a welcome to Mrs. Esther Hanson, who is taking her place in the club.

Attending the affair were Mmes Bertha Fern, Verna Johnson, Gertrude Kastrup, Margie Russell, Lola Nielson, Ada Anderson, Edith Bench and the two honor guests.

Benefit Card Party Tuesday

Bert S. Crossland Unit 170, American Legion Auxiliary, will hold a benefit card party Tuesday evening, Jan. 22, at 8 p.m., at the Legion Hall on Border Ave. Refreshments will be served following the games. On the committee are Mary Harder, Vera Pierson and Margaret Howell. The public is invited to attend.

PTA The Torrance Council Way

Mrs. Lee Polick

SOUTH HIGH NOTICE: A special South High PTA meeting has been called for Monday, Jan. 28, 8 p.m., in the South High School cafeteria for the purpose of discussing school financing.

It is necessary at this time to decide whether or not the South High PTA will recommend that Torrance PTA Council support or not support the April Bond Election.

S. W. Waldrip, assistant superintendent in charge of business for the school district, will speak and answer questions.

MADISON

Madison Elementary PTA will hold its January general meeting at 7:30 p.m., Thursday, the 24th.

Theme for the monthly meeting is "International Show Time." Foreign dances will be by Mrs. Yassir's third grade class.

Foreign exchange students are: Miss Aracelli Blanco, Spain; Miss Maria Vincienne, Belgium; Andre Honorati, Italy.

LINCOLN

"Faith in Our Fathers" was the theme of the Lincoln Elementary PTA meeting held Jan. 10, 7:30 p.m., at the school cafeteria, honoring the fathers of the community.

Music was furnished by quartet, Charles Mashburn, Lloyd Sorenson, Andrew Fister and Jack Kalko, who identified themselves as "Lincoln Leftovers," singing "Shortening Bread," "Working on the Railroad," "Can't Get to Heaven," and "Good-nite Ladies" with comic gestures.

Coach Stewart Kempton and 11 boys from North High School wrestling team demonstrated and described the team workouts.

The following members were elected to the nominating committee: Andrew Foster, and Mmes LeRoy Elde, Zane Baughtman, Mardell Heeber and Marie Rose.

MAGRUDER

Saturday, Jan. 26, Magruder PTA will sponsor the Walt Disney color movie "Davey Crockett and the River Pirates." Show times are 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Popcorn, punch and candy will be on sale. Children 25 cents and adults 50 cents. The public is invited to attend.

Arithmetic methods used in the Magruder classrooms was presented to members of Magruder PTA at the January meeting. Teachers from different grade levels showed the methods they use in their rooms to teach students new number concepts.

The official and members were welcomed by Edlin Jackman, worthy matron, and Marion Jackman, worthy patron.

A special program was arranged by Alice Hansen, chairman, and her committee, Messrs. and Mrs. Jacob Hansen, Ed Petersen and Clarence Andrews.

Refreshments were served in the dining room.

Lomita OES Visited by Dignitary

Deputy Grand Matron Sarah Crooks, a 1957 past matron of Carnation Chapter, Redondo Beach, made her official visit to the Lomita Chapter 591, Order of Eastern Star, on Monday evening, Jan. 18, at the Masonic Temple, 25725 Bland Place, Lomita.

Pre-opening hosts were Alice Hansen, 1957 past matron and Ed Petersen, 1957 past patron, of the Lomita Chapter.

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Club Hostess

Mrs. R. A. Beecher entertained her club on Tuesday at her Felbar Ave. home.

The hostess served a salad luncheon which was followed by an afternoon of bridge. High score was held by Mrs. Jack Day, second by Mrs. Henry Backlund and third by Mrs. Joseph Helphand.

Mrs. Beecher's guests were Mmes Jack Brooks, Robert Triplitt, Larry Voien, Charles Rippey Jr., Jack Day, H. J. Backlund and Joseph Helphand.

Mrs. Cam Blakley will entertain the club on Jan. 29.

PTA fathers officiated during this meeting.

Sepulveda PTA's program theme for January was "Focus on School Financing." Guest speaker, closely associated with the topic, was Mrs. S. W. Waldrip, assistant superintendent in charge of business for the Torrance Unified School District.

A newly organized seventh and eighth grade glee club presented several selections, directed by Mrs. W. F. Allingham and accompanied by Mrs. L. G. McBride.

The upcoming PTA Minirel Show, scheduled for Feb. 9, was previewed in a brief stage act.

The annual Father-and-Son Pancake Breakfast was held Sat., Jan. 19, at El Retiro Park.

ANZA

Anza PTA went "Treasure Hunting Through Art" at its Jan. 17 meeting, held in the school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m.

An art workshop was set up in various corners of the cafeteria and the audience participated in various forms of art from water coloring to mosaics. Materials were furnished and discussion of art in all forms was encouraged.

COLUMBIA

Columbia PTA met in the school cafeteria Tuesday, Jan. 15, at 7:30 p.m. The pledge of allegiance was led by Boy Scout Troop 777. Miss Betty Gralicker, MSW, Child Development Clinic, Children's Hospital of Los Angeles, was the speaker.

EDISON

Edison PTA held their regular association meeting Jan. 9, in the school cafeteria. Donald Credell spoke on the financing of the schools. The following people were elected to serve on the nominating committee: Mmes John Baur, William Cassida, Maurie Bruner, Art Lester and Stanley Saunders.

The Clown Club of North High School, under the direction of Mrs. Lenore Anderson, presented humorous skits.

"Come and Get It" February's theme, will invite members to the annual potluck dinner to be held Feb. 13 in the Edison cafeteria. Highlight of the evening will be the Founders' Day program and the awarding of the Honorary Life Membership.

PTA

Halldale

"Focus on Education" was the theme of the Halldale Avenue PTA meeting held on Jan. 8 in the school auditorium. Upper class curriculum was discussed by three Halldale teachers, Mrs. Ruth Moeller, 6th grade; Mrs. Helen Friedman, 4th grade, and Mr. James Clark, third grade.

Mrs. Amanda Wilhelm, principal, expressed her thanks to the PTA for the transistor radio and new United States and California flags and holders to the school as a Christmas gift.

Members of the A6 graduating class were presented to the PTA. Those who will attend Stephen White Junior High are: Kris Falsoner, Michael Jones, Katharina Marx, Rudolph Orona, Clay Sharp, and Patricia Strong. Fleming Junior High will be attended by Robert Alves, Steven Alvarez, Mary Louise Araujo, Peggy Brannon, Robert Brewster, Sandra Bruce, Martin Condon, Terry Donaher, Richard Foreman, Gary Hopkins, John Jones, Mickey Jones, Sharon Mathews, Robert Myers, Larry Patrick, Ronald Peterson, Jeanine Wathen, and Yvonne Wathen.

Parents and friends have been invited to their class party to be held in the school auditorium on Thursday, Jan. 31, at 1:30 p.m.

Chapmans Hosts

Recent party hosts at the Pen & Quill hotel-restaurant in Manhattan Beach were Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Chapman of Torrance, who entertained at dinner for Messrs. and Mmes. Richard Kloeber of Longview, Wash., Roy Coulson of Torrance and J. W. Chapman of Playa del Rey.



HER FAN CLUB . . . Mrs. Gene Douglass, today's guest cook in the Favorite Recipe Column, has her own four little helpers and admirers while on duty in her kitchen. Giving her a hand are, from left, Lori, 6, Joyce 4, Marilyn 3, and Joanne 4. Joyce and Joanne are identical twins.

Y-Wives To Hear Talk On 'Wigs'

"Wigs" will be the featured topic at the regular meeting of the Torrance Y-Wives on Thursday, Jan. 22, at the YWCA, 2320 Carson St. Demonstrator June Andes from Wigs by Rex, will describe the different types and colors of wigs available and how they are made. She will demonstrate what can be done with wigs, how to style them, care for them and wear them.

The program will be held from 9:30 a.m. until noon. Child care is provided and non-members are invited to attend.

Plans are being completed for other Y-Wives-sponsored events in the near future. A fashion show will be held on Tuesday, March 26, with the theme "A Day in the Life of a YW-Wife."

Another coming event is the Bob Baker Review to be held April 13. Baker and his troupe of Marionettes have performed for motion pictures and television shows. The program is planned to entertain the young and old alike.

Local Housewife, Mother Shares Favorite Recipes

Typical of the many new young families, who figure so prominently in the tremendous growth of Torrance, is the Gene Douglass family, who live at 4143 W. 175th Place.

The family moved to Torrance four and a half years ago from Redondo. All native Californians, Mr. Douglass hails from Lompoc and Mrs. Douglass from Paso Robles.

They are the parents of four children, Lori Ann, 6, who is a student at Madison School, identical twin daughters, Joyce Lynn and Joanne Marie, 4½ and three-year-old, Marilyn Jane.

Mr. Douglass is an accountant-leadman for the Nor-Air Division of Northrop Corp.

Mrs. Douglass has been an active member of the Mothers of Twins Club, along with her role of housewife and mother.

Current interests of the couple are improvements of their home which include a new concrete block fence and landscaping.

Chosen as today's guest cook in the HERALD'S Favorite Recipe column, Mrs. Douglass has given three favorite recipes which have won the approval of her family and friends. They include a tamale pie, a salad and a chocolate applesauce cake.

TAMALE PIE

- 1 cup canned tomatoes
1 cup canned corn
1 cup ripe olives (pitted)
1 cup corn meal
1 cup milk
1 egg (slightly beaten)
1 grated onion
1 lb. hamburger

ORANGE-SHERBET SALAD

- 2 pkg. orange jello
1 pt. orange sherbet
2 cans Mandarin oranges

CHOCOLATE APPLESAUCE CAKE

- 1 cup sugar
1 cup flour
3 tbsp. cocoa
1 tsp. cinnamon
1/8 tsp. cloves
1/4 tsp. nutmeg
1 tsp. salt

GFWC Art Contest to Attract Record Entries

A record 15,000 high school seniors from all of the 50 states are expected to enter the 1963 art talent contest sponsored by the General Federation of Women's Clubs and Hallmark Cards.

This estimate was made by Mrs. Wallace C. Brown of Los Angeles, state GFWC art chairman, who based her prediction on the 12,000 entries in last year's contest.

This annual contest will be open to all high school seniors graduating in 1963. Competition theme will be "The American Vision," which may be interpreted in oils, water colors, pastels or mixed media.

Hallmark Cards will provide \$600 college scholarships to the three national winners. Most state winners will also receive awards from the State Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Brown said.

Entries should be submitted through local affiliated Women's Clubs Deadline for the contest is April 1, 1963. Winners of the 1962 contest were Sharon Whittaker, 17, Ravenna, Ohio; Sharon Ann Jones, 17, Idaho Falls,

Entertain at Dinner Party

Dr. and Mrs. Gerson Jacobson entertained at a dinner party last Sunday evening at their home, 2913 W. Carson St.

Their guests were Messrs and Mmes Robert Moore, Edwin Gangel, Edwin Cooke, all of the South Bay area, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hall of San Francisco.

Birthday Party

Enjoying a seafood dinner recently at Marineland Restaurant in Palos Verdes were Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Clark of Torrance, who entertained friends on the occasion of Mrs. Clark's birthday anniversary. Guests included Messrs. and Mmes. Dudley Clark and James B. Preston.

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Garden Club Plans Trip Torrance Terrace Garden Club met last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Marie Shanahan on Acacia Avenue.

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