

Teenagers Plan Spring Frolic

TORRANCE — Torrance Teen Club extended an open invitation to all teenagers this week, and urged them to attend their Spring Frolic Dance, Thursday, April 13, at the V.F.W. Hall, from 8 to 12 p.m. A well known band will be featured, and the floor show will include Manny La Porte, pianist, formerly with Eddie Duchin's orchestra, and now at La Cita in Manhattan Beach. Other features are being planned, so the evening is expected to be the event of the spring season.

Small admission will be charged to members and non-members, in order to pay for decorations. All members must present their cards to benefit the special admission price. Refreshments will be served and dancing will be the main event.

All teenagers wishing to join the club are urged to contact Eddie Carroll, teen president. All parents are urged to attend each affair, as well as representatives of service organizations, to see the need for a teen-age center for Torrance.

Anyone wishing more information are urged to contact Frank or Ralph Jakubowski, or call Torrance 756.

List Volunteers Who Aided in Red Cross Drive

SHOESTRING—Mothers from Narbonne P.T.A. and Halldale P.T.A., living in the area north of Carson Street between Western Avenue and Normandy Avenue came forward in an emergency to aid the Red Cross in a drive to raise funds for the Red Cross Fund Drive. Those who participated were: Mesdames Cody Verkwitz, Steve Hippick, S. P. Beaman, R. H. Shiveley, R. C. Poer, Minot Rugg, John Andrade, J. H. Van Dyck and Robert Lenten.

Those who covered the area south of Carson Street were: Mesdames H. L. Norris, C. E. Bohannon, M. B. Strelch, H. C. Cotton, Ruth Martin, Earl Rose, W. C. Sidwell, W. A. Galbreath, J. D. Eiens, Joe Fanning, G. W. Ebersole, Glen Bell, A. O. Moon-eyham, L. L. Powell, G. E. Lense, J. H. Fryback, W. A. Tonner, and G. E. Phillips.

Mrs. Robert Lenten, Major for this area extended a heartfelt vote of thanks to all those who so willingly gave of their time on behalf of the Red Cross Fund Drive.

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GEORGE W. DOWNING For Council

In closing my campaign with this issue of the press, I want to especially thank each and every one of the opposing candidates for their fairness and sportsmanship in their treatment toward me. It is appreciated very much. Also thank my many friends who have given unselfishly of their time, and expense, in my behalf, all of them are truly civic minded friends who have my aims and sincerity for sometime back. The support and confidence of such fine people means more to me than I can express in words and gives me a stronger incentive to delve more deeply into problems ahead, elected or not.

It is my intent and purpose, as long as I live, to work for the betterment of Torrance, in or out of office, for I have faith and am truly optimistic of the advantages to be gained in the future for residents fortunate enough to claim Torrance as their home. I do respectfully suggest that as soon as this election is over that we all forget whatever political differences we had and get behind our chosen representatives with a sincerity of purpose.

Kindest personal regards and best wishes to all.
Sincerely,
GEORGE W. DOWNING
For Council
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Install Heads

TORRANCE — Toastmasters will gather Saturday, April 8 at the Fish Shanty in Walteria for their semi annual Installation of Officers dinner, with Toastmaster Harry Burkholder as president.

Toastmaster for the evening will be Delbert Vaughn, with Harry Burkholder, Lester Foster, M. C. Hunt, Tweed Jolly, and Harry Watkins as speakers.

Shiek to Tussle With Zaharias

TORRANCE — Chris Zaharias will make his debut at Torrance Civic Auditorium when he toes the mark with Sheik Lawrence of Arabia in tonight's main event.

Sheik Lawrence, once a junior heavyweight champion, is among the fastest men in the business. Speed is his biggest asset, and he'll probably lead Zaharias a merry chase tonight.

Until Chris catches up with him, that is. Then it'll be a different story.

The reason the Torrance fans probably won't go for Chris is because they watched his brother, Babe, in action two weeks ago on the first card sponsored by the local Optimist Club.

What those fans saw then, they didn't like. And they prob-

ably won't like Chris any better than Babe, because both are cut out of the same cloth.

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During my long term as City Clerk of Torrance, I have kept abreast with its growth and development, not only as to the requirements of its citizens, but to the many laws and statutes governing municipalities.

Therefore, believing my experience qualifies me to seek re-election, I respectfully ask the support of the citizens at the April 11, 1950, Elections.

Yours for Good Government,
ALBERT H. BARTLETT.

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