

Teenagers to Host Parents at Dance Saturday Night

All teenagers are encouraged to bring their parents to the Recreation Department's sponsored Family Dance this Saturday night, August 13, at the Civic Auditorium. The Recreation Department promises an evening filled with fun for both parents and the teenagers.

The Bettie Thomas studio will provide instructors to teach ballroom dancing for all beginners, parents as well as teenagers, from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dancing to Sal Frisina's orchestra will begin at 8:30 and last until 11:30 p.m., department of

officials said. Besides the free admission for all parents, the parents will also receive free passes to the Torrance Drive-In Theater, it was disclosed.

Admission for teenagers is 50 cents. This dance is included on the season passes which some teenagers have already purchased.

Teen-agers, make it a date with your parents this Saturday night, August 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Sands, of 2046 Lomita Park Pl., announce the birth of a son, James Edward, weighing 8 pounds and 4 ounces. Date of birth July 27.

FIND NEW SITTER FOR FLAGPOLE

A new face will be hoisted up the nationally famous 65 foot flagpole this week at 505 Pacific Coast Hwy., Hermosa Beach. It was exclusively learned that night.

Under mysteriously shrouded circumstances, the original flagpole sitter "flew the coop" a couple of weeks back and then his replacement, who had only 5 days "flying time" also turned up among the missing.

The twin owners of Twin Pontiac, sponsors of the flagpole, "expedition," expect to have a "qualified personage, possibly female, atop the pole within the day—and reports indicate she might be a prominent person

Second Annual Kiddy Circus Attracts 1,500

The tents folded, wagons are being stored, and the animals are to be placed in winter quarters to close the season for the greatest local playground circus of all time.

Nearly 1,500 people attended the second annual circus at Torrance Park last Saturday afternoon, August 6, which was sponsored by the Torrance Recreation Department.

TALLEST MAN
The world's tallest man, Cliff Thompson, 8' 7", visited Torrance on July 16, 1949, under the sponsorship of the Torrance-Lomita Optimist Club. Born in North Dakota in 1904 of normal sized parents, Cliff weighed 12 pounds at birth, and at 16 years of age, measured 6' 6" in height.

According to the twins. Hundreds of applications have been sifted after the Twins ran advertisements for a replacement, but the agency is awaiting the "right" person—one who'll be content to do nothing.—Adv.

Gold Fish
The midway was filled with hundreds of laughing youngsters with their arms loaded with gold fish, monkeys on a string, whistling birds, popcorn, and other assorted prizes that they had won at one of the many booths, recreation directors reported.

In the evening, the band shell was filled to capacity with a circus-loving crowd. They witnessed eleven acts put on entirely by the boys and girls from the local playgrounds.

Party
All money derived from the circus, after expenses are taken out, will be divided among the playgrounds for a party on each area, it was disclosed.

The Recreation Department wishes to thank the playground directors who worked hard and long to make the circus a huge success, and the local Harbor Aquarium Society, which donated 200 goldfish and bowls.

The department wishes to thank the Park Department for their splendid cooperation in helping to set up the grounds for the circus.

Last but not least, the boys and girls responsible for making the circus one to be remembered for a long time deserve a great deal of thanks for their hard work, the recreation leaders said.

Karen North Wins Contest

Among the winners of prize awards in the "POPSICLE" Fashion Contest is Karen North of Gramercy ave. Torrance. The contest required the entrant to suggest

a name for an "imaginary ranch" and design a suitable brand. Young Karen's prize is a beautiful EFFANBEE By-Dee Doll and Wardrobe.

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