



FOR THE BIRDS are Mrs. Ted McDaniel and Mrs. Elsie Church of Lomita, who with their husbands hosted last Sunday meeting of the Avicultural Society of America. Here the two women admire a toucan.

Bird Raisers Hold Meeting

Local cage bird raisers are anticipating the district tenth national cage bird show of the Agricultural Society of America Nov. 6-9 at Long Beach Municipal Auditorium. Local members were entertained last Sunday at the Lomita home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted McDaniel, 2427 W. 251st St. Next door neighbors, Hazel, and George Kersh, were co-hosts. On the refreshment committee were Mrs. Hersh, Kenny Wyatt, and George Henry. More than one hundred visitors came during the afternoon, exchanging bird news, visiting the McDaniel birds and the birds and antique clock collection of the Kershes. Noted Guests Among the guests were Gene Wheeler of Lynwood, author of numerous bird articles, who showed a cross of two varieties of cockatoos; Mrs. Gilbert Lee of Los Angeles, an authority on African grays (parrots); and Francis H. Rudkin Jr., Fillmore, who raises tropical birds. The local club meets monthly on the first Sunday, and membership is open to all bird lovers. Summer meetings are held at the various homes, winter meetings, usually at Plummers Park, Hollywood. Thomas Brinker of Van Nuys is the club president.

Harbor Area YWCA to Observe National Y-Teens Roll Call Week

New friends, new interests, new opportunities for participation in civic projects are among the "discoveries" Y-Teens of the Harbor Area YWCA are offering their classmates the week of Oct. 12-18. The occasion will be the YWCA's annual nation-wide Y-Teen Roll Call Week which this year has the theme, "Discover With Others—Join the Y-Teens." Sunday Tea In Torrance, the week will open with a Mother-Daughter tea from 3-5 p.m. Sunday, in the Branch building at 2320 W. Carson. Another feature this week will be the panel discussion on "Girl-Boy Relationships", on Wednesday at 4 p.m. On the panel will be El Camino College students, Pat Spletter, Bob Donaldson, chairman; Walter Becker, and Don Quackenbush. In San Pedro, the Y-Teens will entertain all girls interested in joining, at a party on Wednesday. The Enoblet club will have charge of registration; Eroettes, singing; Castlettes, program; Sea Stars, refreshments. Community singing will be led by the Senior High conference delegates, Abbie Romero, Carol Brough, Sarah Gum, and Barbara de la Cruz. The Wilmington Branch will hold a rally after school Thursday, for all seventh graders. Teenagers joining the Y-Teens during the week may be identified by special Y-Teen membership buttons imprinted with the official emblem. Important Part The Y-Teen program, an important part of the YWCA's work with youth is carried on through clubs, according to Mrs. Loraine Harper, president of the Harbor Area board of directors. "In the YWCA we try to work with rather than for girls; seek to provide opportunities for youth to have those experiences that will help them meet with wisdom and confidence the social forces affecting their lives, to help youth grow toward greater understanding of themselves, and others, and to become mature individuals and responsible citizens of a democracy." Mrs. Ralph Harper continued to explain that members of this Community Chest agency choose their own officers and activities and representatives who attend local, state, and regional, and national conferences.

WOMEN'S FEATURES ACTIVITIES CLUBS SECTION

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TORRANCE Y-TEENS will observe national Y-Teen Week, October 12-18, with a Mother-Daughter banquet Sunday in the local YWCA branch, 2320 W. Carson st., and a panel discussion Wednesday on "Girl-Boy Relationships." Planning to take part are (front row from left) Delpha Elliott, Judi Thomas, Judi McTea, Melinda Capps, Dolores Potter, Diane Wayt, (back row) Georgiann McLean, Neva Languis, Georgianna Corsentine and Carole Giles.

Koom Mothers Meet at School

A meeting for Crenshaw Elementary School room mothers was held recently with 45 mothers attending. Plans were discussed for PTA meetings and it was decided that kindergarten mothers would host the first PTA meeting. The first PTA board meeting was held Oct. 2, Mrs. C. M. Richards, president, in charge. Mrs. W. H. Cox gave a report on the progress of the mother singer group. They will sing for several PTA meetings during the coming year. At present there are only six members and membership is open. Mrs. M. Kline reported on plans for the PTA carnival Oct. 25 from 2-7 p.m. at Crenshaw School. There will be a country store and many booths, as well as refreshments.

Girl Scouts Have Campout

Girls scouts of Troop 566 held a campout Oct. 3 at the home of Mrs. Gerald G. Grubb, 1625 Elm St. The evening started with a supper prepared by the girls, followed by swimming and a trip to the home of Sherie Hale for a piece of her birthday cake and ice cream. Returning to the Grubb home, the girls got into their sleeping bags for the night. Prepare Breakfast Saturday morning they prepared their own breakfast before leaving for home. Attending the campout were: Shirlyn Floyd, Carol Goodrich, Jerre Grubb, Sherie Hale, Carolyn Jensen, Karen Johnson, Mary Malley, Jacquae Megow, Bobby Myers, Shirley Myers, Grace McCabe, Tommie McMahon, Sherry Northington, Kay Roberts, Virginia Taylor, Dora Louise Wahl, Jamie Albright. Mrs. Grubb and Mrs. Carl Wahl are leaders of the troop which is sponsored by Fern Greenwood PTA.

Fashion Tea Art Exhibit Planned To Stimulate Creative Women

The art of decorating both herself and the home has long been the foray of the creative woman. An event has been planned by the Sisterhood of Temple Menorah to enrich and stimulate this interest in south bay women of creative calibre. The event, which is the first of its kind to combine fashion and art, is scheduled in Torrance Civic Auditorium, 1349 El Prado. Dessert Tea A dessert tea, the affair will feature fall fashions color-coordinated to the contemporary paintings of prominent south bay women. The monochromatic hues and the bold designs of the clothing and the art will illustrate to the audience that the worlds of fashion and painting are truly aligned. Mrs. Norman Lumian, Mrs. Robert Eckhouse, and Mrs. Vicki Felden, co-chairmen of the affair, have announced that there will be a door prize. Master of Ceremonies The affair will feature Ed Siani, prominent master of ceremonies, whose commentaries will add the appropriate flair to each costume and each painting. Siani is known for his work in television commercials and amateur theatrical groups where he has starred. His background in theatrics stems from his career as announcer on radio station WIP in Philadelphia. Father of three girls, he feels he can comment accurately on the subject of fashion. His full time position as administrative assistant in the Hughes Aircraft Company prevents him from entering the theatrical profession as a career. South bay women are fortunate in having his piquant account. The work of seven prominent South Bay artists, Marion Cummings, Vicki Felden, Kathy Fels, Vlasta Field, Moni Giffet, Luci Meighan, and Dale Sexton, will enhance the fashion preview. That the basic elements of color coordination, line usage, and variations in hue make up the standard rule for good art, and that these many facets of art combine to please the eye is true in painting as in fashion. Seeing this in the fine fashions from the Pie-Wic Dress Shop, as in the fine art of the south bay illustrators, Madame South bay will prove to herself that the two worlds of fashion and art are not polemic. Rather, they are one in purpose and motive; that purpose being to enhance the surroundings of the modern woman and to enrich her life with beauty.

Plan Colorful Harvest Decor

The splendor of harvest time colors will transform the Retail Clerks Auditorium in Harbor City Nov. 8 when the Nativity Mothers Club stages their annual "Harvest Moon Ball." Mrs. Clyde Anderson and her decorating committee are already at work on preparations as are other committees and their chairmen, Mrs. Al Baker, refreshments; Mrs. Joe Gregg, checkroom; Mrs. Robert Klaesges, publicity; and Mrs. Erward Winkelbauer, tickets. Tickets are now being distributed and may be obtained from any member of Nativity Mothers Club, and at the door. Music will be furnished by Freddie Gray and his orchestra from 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Refreshments will be served and prizes awarded. Co-chairmen for the event are Mrs. Norris Carstenson and Mrs. Harley Berning.



PIES FOR DINNER?—Mrs. Fronia Branagh, dining room chairman for Torrance Rebekah Lodge annual bazaar and steak dinner at Torrance Masonic Temple Wednesday, tries to wangle a few pies to serve at dinner. Mrs. Eunice Pope, baked goods chairman seems undecided. Interested in the outcome are other chairmen: Angelino Diaraio, Lucille Taute, Frieda Shaffer, and Belva Brase.

Rebekah Bazaar Is Wednesday

Members of Torrance Rebekah Lodge are busy this week preparing for their annual bazaar and swiss steak dinner to be held the afternoon and evening of Oct. 15 at Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo Ave. Booths will be open at 1:30 p.m. with fancy work, aprons, baked goods, greeting cards, and a table of white elephants. A parcel post booth will also be maintained. Mrs. Shirley Leets is kitchen chairman for the dinner and Mrs. Fronia Branagh has been named serving chairman. Booth chairmen are Angelino Diaraio, Lucille Taute, Eunice Pope, Frieda Shaffer, and Belva Brase.



SAMPLE IN MINIATURE—Planning for Temple Menorah's fashion tea and art exhibit to be presented Nov. 3 at Torrance Civic Auditorium, co-chairmen Mrs. Norman Lumian and Mrs. Robert Eckhouse, work with doll and miniature art. Professional models will show fall fashions and works of seven South Bay artists will be exhibited.

Scouts Sponsor Father-Son Hike

Fifteen boys and nine dads participated in the father-son hike of Boy Scout Troop 728 last Sunday. After driving to Chantry Flat in Big Santa Anita Canyon, the Scouts made a six mile trail hike. The group hiked to Sturtevant Falls and then made their own path to Spruce Grove Camp, guided by Scoutmaster Herman Boodman. There they ate lunch and rested for the return trip made along a narrow park trail back to Fern Lodge, then to Chantry Flat. They sighted a doe and her fawn above Fern Lodge. Scouts attending were Ken Neal, David Strayer, Larry Champion, their fathers, and Mike Shinoda of the Apache Patrol. The Comanche Patrol was represented by Dave Cooper, Larry Reintjema, Kim Wilson and their dads. From the Eagle Patrol was Dennis Champion, Greg Gibson, Bobby Murphy, and Tom Patrick. Mike Carter, Donny Christensen and Dennis Albright and their fathers, and Larry Hendrickson and Greg Barrett represented the Lions.

Halloween Party Parade Planned

More than 165 mothers attended the October get-acquainted coffee break sponsored by 233rd St. School PTA Oct. 2 at Normandie playground. The event was a fund raising affair for the children's Christmas party. Mrs. Eleanor Kennedy, principal, announced an enrollment of 1045 children at 233rd, 185 of which are in kindergarten. Mothers were signed up as room mothers and helpers for the Christmas party. A costume party at 2 p.m. will be a feature of the Oct. 24th Halloween party at the school. The festivities will continue until dusk. Tee shirts printed with the school name were sold at the playground meeting and will also be available at the Halloween festival. Cub Drive Cub Pack 755-C, sponsored by the school PTA, held a successful doughnut drive recently. The proceeds will be used to purchase Christmas cards which the Cubs will in turn, sell. Membership in the pack is open. Those wishing information may call the Crabbe residence, DA 6-9472. Attend Fashion Lunch Hi Neighbor Club members attending the Oct. 3 fashion show luncheon at the Plush Horse Restaurant were: Mmes. Louis Ambrosia, Robert Dean, Robert Godward, Jess Huerta, Alton Nigh, Frank Oldt, and Ralph Madden. The show featured lingerie, negligees and Hawaiian apparel.

Name Christmas Party Chairmen

Chairmen for the Torrance Lioness Club Christmas party were named last Tuesday at the October business meeting held in the home of Mrs. Newell Larson, 16710 Faysmith Ave. The meeting was conducted by Mrs. Milton Isbell, president. Chosen to work on party arrangements were Mrs. Jack Smith, chairman; Mmes. Albert Ison, Kenneth Olson, Albin Peterson, John Ritchie, and Sam Van Wagner. Mrs. Kenneth Olson will be hostess for the October social meeting.

Wilmington Club Sets Dance Date

Mrs. William G. Brown, publicity chairman, has announced the annual alumnae dance of Wilmington Juniors Woman's Club to be held Nov. 14 at the Allen Center Naval Base Officers Club. Dancing will be from 9 p.m.-2 a.m. with music by the naval band. Mrs. Ray Allison, club wavy and means chairman, is also dance chairman. Mrs. Robert Trujillo is club president. Proceeds of the dance will go toward supporting Mahar House in Wilmington, a playground building for social events which is under the Los Angeles playground department. George Moll, Light refreshments will be served. Any Alpha Phi in the South Bay area who wishes to join the group, may contact Mrs. Bennett at FR 5-4951.

Garden Section Meets Wednesday

Torrance Woman's Club Garden Section met in the clubhouse Wednesday to hear a talk by Mrs. R. G. Young, district director of California Garden Clubs, District 2, give a talk on "Flower Legends and Superstitions." Mrs. Peter Boonstra, chairman, presided at the business meeting and coffee and cake served at the conclusion of the program. Those in attendance included Mmes. Rufus Jackson, R. A. Moffitt, S. J. Dunhouse, Godfrey Nelson, H. G. Stevens, Don Wolf, Alma C. Smith, George Leverenz, T. L. Hayes, John W. Thuss, and Miss Esther Z. Maxwell. The Oct. 22 meeting will be held in the patio at the home of Mrs. Peter Boonstra. Mrs. Howard R. Altermatt will give a talk on "Corsages."

Woman's Society to Sponsor Turkey Dinner

The public is invited to attend the "Come and Go" turkey dinner to be served today from 12:30-4 p.m. at the Walteria Community Methodist Church. Members of the Woman's Society for Christian Service are sponsoring the affair. Tickets may be purchased at the door.

Advertisement for 'Crowning Glory' hair salon. Features 'BUDGET COLD WAVE \$4.95 COMPLETE' and 'PERMANENT WAVE SHOP'. Includes phone number 1-9480 and address 207 N. Market, Torrance.



COWBOYS AND INDIANS, members of Cub Pack 211-C held a recent rodeo party at Howard Wood School. In costume for the occasion were Michael Shelhart, left, David Huffman, Bobby Braddock, and Gregory Oliver.



TORRANCE COUNCIL PTA, 33rd District, District, registered an official 11,159 members as of Friday noon, as their concentrated membership drive of October 6-11 neared the end. The drive will continue for a time in the hope of reaching an enrollment of 20,000 in the 25 schools represented. An official record poster in front of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce building showed day-by-day gains. Looking it over Friday morning was Mrs. Jesse (Mary) Wilson, 150 W. 219th st., and Jay, 2.