

PTA The Torrance Council Way

Mrs. Stephen Sampson

COUNCIL
Mrs. Hiro Muranaka, parliamentarian of Torrance Council of PTA, announces the cancellation of the summer PTA course. A new date will be announced later in the summer.

At a recent Consumers' Workshop for Housewives attended by two State PTA chairmen, among the important points of information disseminated was the home-habit: "The first law for economical meals is, LEARN TO COOK."

A special commendation was received from 33rd District of CCPT. Mrs. Jerry Baker, outgoing president of Torrance Council, received the plaque from Mrs. Elvie Bright, district president.

Workshops for all Council chairmen are scheduled to be held in September at the First Christian Church at Maple and El Dorado. The Communicator has further details.

SEASIDE
Seaside PTA sponsored a picnic for the eighth grade graduates on June 12 at Sea Aire Park. Graduation was

held at South High School on June 13 at 6:45. The graduates then danced to a "live" orchestra from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. sponsored by the PTA. Another annual Hot Dog Sale for the summer school students is planned for July 11 by the PTA.

Plans for next year's program were announced at the board meeting, and the programs will follow the theme "Season Tickets," according to Mrs. John Thayer, first vice president.

NORTH HIGH
Mrs. Elroy Wittrock, president, met with the executive board of North High PTA to outline plans and activities for the coming year.

Committees appointed to meet during the coming months include program, ways and means, membership, hospitality, by-laws and standing rules.

The hospitality committee will plan a Teachers Brunch for Wednesday, Sept. 11, from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

The executive board will meet Thursday, July 11, at 10 a.m. in the North High conference room.



KALLIE STRATOS
... Grand Bethel Honored Queen
(Seeman Portrait)

Kallie Stratos Presiding At Grand Bethel Conclave

Miss Kallie Stratos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Stratos, 2859 W. 229th St., Torrance, is in Oakland attending the Grand Bethel of Job's Daughters in session there from Friday through today.

Miss Stratos is a past Honored Queen of Bethel 36 Gardena and is now retiring as Grand Bethel Honored Queen of the State of California.

A Torrance High School graduate, she has completed two years at El Camino College and is now employed at the Newberry Store in Rolling Hills Plaza.

As Grand Bethel Honored Queen, the local girl has been busy representing Job's Daughters at the Eastern Star and Rainbow conventions and in many Masonic talent shows.

With Miss Stratos in Oakland are 32 Job's Daughters and seven chaperones. Her expenses are paid by Bethel 36 which has staged many fund raising events for this purpose.

Miss Pat Cunerty is Honored Queen of Bethel 36. Mrs. C. Richabaugh is guardian and T. Collins is associate guardian.

Trio Lodge Friendship Night Set

District Deputy Helen Wilson and her staff installed Mae Van Wie as outside guardian at the meeting of the Trio Rebekah Lodge. Vesta Littrell was appointed two-year trustee by Noble Grand Bertha Fern.

During the business meeting, it was announced that Friendship Night will mark the next meeting of the Trio Lodge. A potluck dinner will be served at 6 p.m. followed by a silent auction under the direction of Margie Russell. Violet Alvarez and Mary B. Smith will be chairmen of Friendship Night.

After the meeting, refreshments were served by Edith Marriott, assisted by Elizabeth Yerton, Nellie Peterson and Jennie Regina.

Club Party
Bertha Westphal, president of the Trio Club, announces a potluck luncheon on Tuesday, July 2, in the garden at the home of Mrs. Edith Marriott. Canasta will be played during the afternoon with prizes for high scores. All members are invited to attend.



QUEEN AND HER COURT

Activities of the Torrance Bethel 50 Job's Daughters will be directed during the coming year by this newly-installed Royal Court. They are, from left, Kathi Bennett, guide; Debbie Fox, senior princess; Billie Ott, honored queen; Brenda Watt, junior princess; and Debbie Ellison, marshal. The installation took place before a capacity audience at the Torrance Masonic Temple. (Seeman Photo)

Classes in Modeling, Yoga Set at YWCA

Miss Mary Deseree will instruct special classes in yoga as well as charm and fashion modeling as a feature in the summer schedule at the Torrance YWCA.

The six weeks series beginning this Monday will start with the yoga class from 7:30 to 8:30, followed by the charm and modeling class from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m.

Featuring special techniques of exercise for beauty and grace the yoga class will demonstrate principles of complete relaxation and recharging through simple basic exercises and concentration.

Classes in fashion modeling, "Beauty in Motion," will stress posture and carriage, with practical pointers on "floating walk," proper turns, graceful hands, how to handle accessories; climbing stairs, right entrances and exits, sitting and "grace in cars."

Students are asked to wear soft sole (not tennis) shoes, capris or slacks, and bring a mat or blanket for yoga classes.

Similar classes instructed



MARY DESEREE
... Instructor

Area Delta Zetas At St. Louis Convention

Delta Zeta Sorority has just concluded its National Convention at the Chase Park Plaza Hotel in St. Louis, Mo. A member of South Bay Alumnae Chapter of Delta Zeta attending was Mrs. John Thomas of El Segundo, who recently completed her term as president of Southern California Council of Delta Zeta, and is the chairman of the Delta Zeta Flame Fantasy Luncheon and Fashion Show which will be at the Century Plaza Hotel, Los Angeles, on Feb. 8, 1969.

This is a benefit for Unibetic Camp for Diabetic Children, sponsored by the Los Angeles Metabolic Clinic. Mrs. Thomas is corresponding secretary and editor of the monthly newsletter for the South Bay Alumnae Chapter of Delta Zeta.

Also attending the National Convention in St. Louis was Mrs. Richard Owen of Manhattan Beach. She is a member of South Bay Alumnae of Delta Zeta and the College Chapter director of Alpha Chi Chapter of Delta Zeta at University of California at Los Angeles.

Delta Zeta Sorority was founded at Miami University, Ohio, 1902, and was admitted to National Panhellenic in 1910. Delta Zeta has 173 college campus chapters and South Bay Alumnae is one of 208 chartered Delta Zeta Alumnae Chapters in the United States.

Fireworks Sale Staged By B&PW Club

Torrance Business and Professional Women's Club has cancelled its July business meeting since all club members are currently working at the club's fireworks stand on Artesia Blvd. in Torrance.

The stand, which was opened Saturday will remain open through July 4. This is the club's only fund-raising event of the year. Mrs. O. D. Land, president-elect, and Mrs. Mark Hulise are in charge of the fireworks sale.

The club's next business meeting will be held Monday evening, Aug. 5, in the employes lounge at Torrance City Hall.

Past Prexys Gather for Reunion

Past presidents of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church held their annual summer get-together last Tuesday at the new Sir George Restaurant.

Enjoying the luncheon and afternoon of visiting were many long-time residents including Mmes. Grace Hooper, now of Oakland, who is spending a month here visiting friends; C. P. Olson, now of Leisure World; Melba Burgener, John Keefe, A. E. Palmer, John McMullen, M. M. Schwab, Chet Wiley and Russell M. Paxton.

Other past presidents unable to be present for the luncheon were Mrs. William Speck, now living in Athens, Greece; Mmes. Carl Kildoo and Harold McCool.

Meets Tuesday
Torrance Camp 8908 Royal Neighbors will meet Tuesday, July 2, at the Torrance Woman's Club, 1322 Encragia Ave.

'Stars Light The Way...' Theme Bethel 50 Installation

Miss Billie Ott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ott, 1952 W. 234th St., was installed as Honored Queen of the Torrance Bethel 50, Job's Daughters at the 82nd semi-annual installation of Officers at the Masonic Temple, Saturday evening, June 1.

Others installed were Debbie Fox, senior princess; Brenda Watt, junior princess; Kathi Bennett, guide; and Debbie Ellison, mars' al.

Appointive officers assuming duties were Kathy Sprout, chaplain; Ricki Major, treasurer; Robin Durant, recorder; Debbie Crawford, librarian; Cheryl Collins, musician; Laurie Carlson, senior custodian; and Paula Wright, junior custodian.

Others were Jolene Branstetter, inner guard; Cindi Whitman, outer guard; Janice McDonald, Melodee Wombold, Maria Bolles, Nancy Butler and Teresa Miller, messengers. Appointed to office were Claudia Whitman, banner bearer; Gina Keen, electrician; and Lori Stellino, assistant recorder.

Ceremonies were opened by the entrance of the Bethel Guardians, Mrs. Carolyn Petersen and Vic Fowler, and Charles Petersen, master of ceremonies.

As Linda Watt, installing honored queen, entered, Jerry Miller, soloist, sang "The Impossible Dream."

Other installing officers were Tim Watt and Charles Petersen, Jr. Mrs. Karen Flagg registered the guests.

Dianas Will Sponsor Sale Of Fireworks

Redondo Beach Dianas will sponsor a fireworks sale at 710 N. Pacific Coast Highway. The fireworks booth will be open from now through July 4 from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Proceeds will benefit the Dianas' philanthropies which include Las Palmas School for Girls, North Redondo Toy Loan and Well Baby Clinic.

Mmes. Dino Ruffoni, second vice president, membership chairman, and Phillip MacBride, first vice president, dean of chairmen, are in charge of the event. The Dianas are affiliated with the California Federation of Women's Clubs, Marina District, Junior Membership.



MEMORIES IN PRINT

On a tour of the United States enroute to Washington, D. C., from where they will return to their homes, are foreign students, who attended high school here last year. Visiting the Press-Herald office, prior to leaving to gather clippings of their activities during the past year are, on desk, Mary Luz Bueno of Peru; Josef de Bock, Belgium; and Bjorn Gunnarson, Iceland; on the floor, Erkki Leikoski, from Finland. The group joined other district AFS students for the bus trip across country at the El Segundo Recreation Center last Friday. (Press-Herald Photo)

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