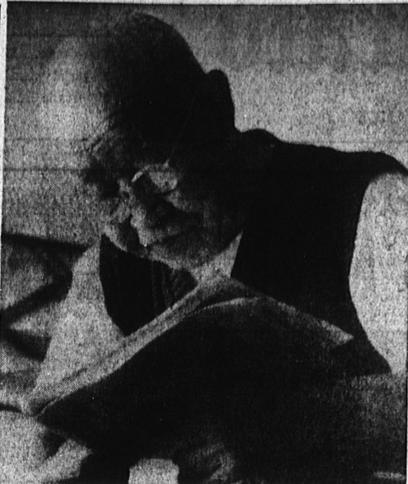


Fight Pledged

Charging that Lomita Incorporation backers are trying to "brainwash the people with half truths and misrepresentations in their power-hungry attempt to seat themselves in Lomita City Hall," the Lomita Civic League last week pledged to fight incorporation in a coming election.

Herbert B. Brisbin, league president declared that if Lomita has cityhood forced upon them against their will, it will only be because of lack of money to combat the "high pressure brainwashing campaign" of the pro-incorporation group.

The league directors declared that the incorporation petitions recently certified by the Board of Supervisors should have been thrown out because of duplication of signatures.



PRIZE-WINNING PICTURE . . . After David Shinoda, 2716 Torrance Blvd., snapped this picture of his Grandpa Fujisawa when he was visiting last fall, he thought it so good that he entered it in a nationwide contest for high school students sponsored by Eastman Kodak. He learned this week that he won honorable mention and a \$10 certificate in the contest.

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Dental Care Provided by TDHA Reviewed at Meeting

The Torrance Dental Health Assn., has provided a total of 3383 units of dental work to Torrance school children since its inception in 1952. Executive Secretary Millie McBe reported at the annual meeting here last week.

Leading the list of dental needs cared for by the locally sponsored, non-profit organization were fillings, she said. A total of 2215 fillings have been made by cooperating dentists during the five years of the program.

President Don Hitchcock reviewed the work of the association, pointing out that the children aided by the Torrance Dental Health Assn. were those who could not be qualified for direct county aid, but whose families could not afford the costs of private dental care.

"In this field, we have found a great need for our assistance," Hitchcock said. New officers for the coming year elected at the annual meeting included Reid Bundy, president; R. S. "Dick" Pyle, first vice president; Mrs. Edna Chapman, second vice president; Anne Collins, treasurer; and Mrs. A. C. Turner, secretary.

Attending the meeting were representatives of many service clubs, Parent-Teacher Assns., and participating dentists and school officials.

City Plans Celebration of National Recreation Week

In celebration of National Recreation Month, the Torrance Recreation Department in cooperation with the Torrance Unified School District, has announced plans for a month-long schedule of activities.

This was revealed yesterday by Harry Van Bellehem, recreation director for the city. Activities listed include the following:

Park Areas

The week of June 17, El Retiro, McMaster, Sea-Aire, Torrance and Walteria Parks will have a recreation program from 1 to 5 p.m. Starting June 24 and continuing through Aug. 30, the program on all of these areas will begin at 9 a.m. and continue through the early evening hours.

School Areas

From July 1 - Aug. 2, 1957, the following schools will be open for a supervised program from 1 - 5 p.m. Following the close of the school summer session and continuing to Aug. 30, the schools will have a program from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. These schools are Anza, Arlington, Carl Steele, Castmir, Carr, Crenshaw, Greenwood, Hillside, Howard Wood, Madrona, Meadow Park, Newton, Perry, Riviera, Seaside and Walteria.

Special Activities

Registration for swimming lessons for children between the ages of 7 and 12 years will be held on a first-come-first-served basis at the Victor E. Benstead Plunge on Thursday and Friday, June 6 and 7, from 1 - 5 p.m. and from 6 - 9 p.m.

Day Camp

Day camp for boys and girls between the ages of 7 and 12 years of age will be conducted at El Retiro Park, July 23-28 and from Aug. 6 - 9; at Torrance Park from July 30 to Aug. 2 and Aug. 13 to 16. There is a small fee for each child.

CD Wardens to Meet

Charles Deck, County Deputy Warden for Civil Defense has announced a meeting for 7:30 p.m. Monday, June 10th, at the Lennox Sheriff Station, 4331 Lennox Blvd., which is open to wardens and the public for study relative to the simulated H-Bomb drops which will take place on a national basis July 12.

child per session which covers the cost of a beverage daily, a special field trip, and craft supplies used during the week. Registrations are now being accepted at the Recreation Dept. Although a maximum of 30 will be allowed in each session.

Art Classes

A special summer series of art lessons will be held at the old City Hall. Under the direction of Moni Gillett, noted South Bay artist, two sessions will be held each consisting of 6 lessons of one hour and twenty minutes each. There is a small fee which covers the cost of equipment used. Children between the ages of 6 and 10 years will meet from 9:30 to 10:20 a.m. and those from 11 to 16 years will meet from 10:30 to 11:50 a.m. Dates for the session are as follows:

Session No. 1

July 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25.
Session No. 2 —
July 30, Aug. 1, 6, 8, 13, 15.

Field Trips

Weekly field trips to nearby points of interest will be scheduled throughout the summer. Full information will be available on the area after the beginning of the summer program, regarding the exact locations and dates for various trips. A fee per trip is charged which covers transportation costs, a special treat somewhere along the way, and any admission that might be charged to the trip site.

Sports League

Baseball teams will be formed at Torrance Park for boys 14 years and over. Those interested in joining a league should contact the area director.

10 inch softball leagues will be set up in the Pee Wee, Midget and Junior classification. Further information will be distributed next week.

The summer Adult Program Schedule will be released next week. Present Plans will provide badminton and volleyball in the Adult Program, plus a Tuesday morning Housewives softball league.

High School girls softball league will be held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings during the summer months. Those interested in playing and are not yet on a team should contact Miss Doris Avis, or leave your name at the Recreation Department.



SUPERSONIC COLONELS . . . Cols. James "Doc" McGhee and Bruce Hinton prepare for takeoff of North American Aviation's F-100F minutes before delivery flight from Palmdale, Calif., to Nellis Air Force Base, Nevada. Col. McGhee, Nellis Base Commander, flew the two-place jet fighter, the first delivered to USAF Training Command, while Col. Hinton, training group commander and Korea war hero, rode the co-pilot backseat.



METHODIST OFFICERS . . . New officers of the Women's Society of Christian Service at the newly-organized Riviera Methodist Church recently were elected. Talking over next year's plans are Mrs. D. O. Schell, vice president; Mrs. John McCullough, past president; Mrs. J. T. McClure, president; Mrs. Clark Kirkpatrick, secretary, and Mrs. David Congleton, treasurer.

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Committee to Study School Report Plan

A committee of principals and teachers will seek to work out a revised guide for reporting to parents in accordance with the recommendations of the committee which recently studied the school's reporting system, according to Acting Superintendent A. N. Posner.

A committee of educators and representatives of parents and business had studied the present "gradeless" report cards. They recommended that the program be more fully explained to parents and that teachers avoid "sugar coating." They also recommended that report cards be handed out at the time of parent conferences to allow further explanation. It also suggested that parents who request them receive letter grades.

Posner said that the committee would study the best methods of carrying out the recommendations and then present them to the school board.

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