

Mayor Isen Pleads Case for 'Over-40' Workers

Mayor Albert Isen of Torrance today drew the attention of the community's employers to some arithmetic of the future in proclaiming May 21 to 27 "Hire An Older Worker Week." The occasion is part of the Local observance of May as "Senior Citizens Month."

"Hire An Older Worker" is not really a plea to employ anybody because he or she has reached any set number of birthdays. On the contrary, the slogan is to point up the importance of not discriminating against a job applicant because he may have reached a certain number of birthdays. Millions of persons in the "45 years and over" age bracket are employed at this very moment, and will be for a long time in the future because the combination of their maturity and experience makes it profitable for their employers to employ them.

1961 TORRANCE AREA

Baseball Directory

The baseball aggregate statistics listed below have been compiled by staffers of the PRESS to better acquaint readers with the make-up of Little, Pony and Babe Ruth Leagues of the Greater Torrance area. If your league is not listed write to Sports Editor, Torrance Press, 3238 W. Sepulveda Blvd., with information.

LITTLE LEAGUE

Little League baseball is for boys born between July 31, 1953 and Aug. 1, 1943.

SOUTHWOOD

President—Ed Nicodemus (FR 1-3651)
Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, Sepulveda Blvd. on the south, Del Amo Blvd. on the north, Henrietta, Torrance Blvd. on the west.
Location of Ballpark—Emerald St. between Anza and Victor St.

TORRANCE

President—Leo Fischer (FR 1-1647)
Boundaries—Raisin Lane on the north, Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, Del Amo on the south, Flieser St. on the west.
Location of Ballpark—Harrison St. and Enfraders St., Torrance Park.

TORRANCE AMERICAN

President—Frank Tuffie (FR 5-7721)
Boundaries—Redondo City limits on the west, Sepulveda Blvd. on the north, Madrona Ave., Lomita Blvd., Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, Pacific Coast Highway on the south.
Location of Ballpark—Del Amo Field, Plaza del Amo, one block west of Western Ave.

TORRANCE NATIONAL

President—George Cole (FA 8-5079)
Boundaries—Carson St. on the north, Western Ave. on the east, Sepulveda Blvd. on the south, Carson on the south and on the west.
Location of Ballpark—Del Amo Field at Plaza del Amo, one block west of Western Ave.

CENTRAL TORRANCE

President—Bert Easley (FA 8-1320)
Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the west, 190th St. on the north, Western Ave. on the east, and Carson St. on the south.
Location of Ballpark—Mobil Field, south of entrance at 2400 190th St.

RIVIERA LEAGUE

President—Ross Pinto (FR 8-8111)
Boundaries—Pacific Coast Highway on the north, Torrance city limits on the south, Nancy Lee Lane through the center of Via El Sereno on the east and the Pacific Ocean on the west.
Location of Ballpark—Lewer Kissel Field, Pacific Coast Highway—One half mile west of Hawthorne Blvd.

LITTLE LEAGUE (Cont.)

NORTH TORRANCE

President—Lou Baker (DA 9-1556)
Boundaries—(West League) Hawthorne Blvd. on the west-between Redondo Beach Blvd. and 190th St., east and west bisected by Glenburn and 182nd, Field. (East League) east city limits form boundary between Redondo Beach Blvd. and 190th St.
Location of Parks—Dominique Park, 190th St. and Beryl St., Torrance (Redondo Beach City limits)—West League, Garret Field, 190th St. and Arlington Ave. (East League).

PACIFIC COAST

President—Al Wilson (FR 5-7270)
Boundaries—North of Pacific Coast Hwy. to Hawthorne Blvd., Lomita Blvd. from Hawthorne to Crenshaw, south to Palos Verdes Estates and L.A. County line, East Crenshaw Blvd. south to Pacific Coast Hwy., east to Torrance City limits, south to Torrance City limits and L.A. County, West Nancy Lee Lane, Calle De Ricardo to Via El Sereno.
Location of Ballpark—Kissel Field, adjacent to Walters Post Office.

PACIFIC RIVIERA

President—John Creighton (DA 6-4551)
Boundaries—Pacific Ocean, Torrance city limits on the south to city limits on the east, north on Crenshaw to Lomita, west on Lomita to Hawthorne, south on Hawthorne to Pacific Coast Hwy., west on Pacific Coast Hwy. to Ave. J, south to Camino Del Campo and west to the Pacific Ocean.
Location of Ballpark—Kissel Field, 4200 Pacific Coast Highway.

BABE RUTH LEAGUE

Babe Ruth League baseball is for 13, 14 and 15-year-old boys born since Sept. 1, 1945.

TORRANCE

President—Bill Korchensky (FA 8-1211)
Boundaries—190th St. in the north, Normandie on the east, Sepulveda (excluding area bounded by Western, city limits and Crenshaw Blvd.) on the south, city limits on the west.
Location of Ballpark—Plaza Del Amo, west of Western Ave. (Del Amo Field)

NORTH TORRANCE

President—Al Welch (DA 3-2529)
Boundaries—City limits of Torrance, north of 190th St.
Location of Ballpark—Gunsler Field, 177th St. and S. Gramercy Pl. (West of Arlington)

PACIFIC AMERICAN

President—Ralph Brogdon (FR 8-1995)
Boundaries—Torrance city area south of Pacific Coast Hwy., bounded by Redondo city limits on the west, Sepulveda Blvd. on the north, Madrona Ave., Lomita Blvd. and Hawthorne Blvd. on the east, including Hollywood Riviera.
Location of Ballpark—South High School.

PONY LEAGUE

NORTH TORRANCE

President—Glen McDowell (FR 2-7054)
Boundaries—Redondo Beach Blvd. on the north, Torrance City boundaries on the east, 190th St. on the south, Hawthorne on the west.
Location of Ballpark—El Nido Park, Kingsdale Ave. (182nd St., west of Hawthorne Ave.)

TORRANCE CENTRAL

President—Hal Smith (FA 8-1811)
Boundaries—Hawthorne Blvd. on the west, 190th St. on the north, Western Ave. on the east, to city limits on the south, west to Crenshaw, north to Sepulveda.
Location of Ballpark—Mobil Field, south of entrance at 2400 190th St.

PACIFIC RIVIERA

President—John Creighton (DA 6-4551)
Boundaries—Pacific Ocean, Torrance city limits on the south to city limits on the east, north on Crenshaw to Lomita, west on Lomita to Hawthorne, south on Hawthorne to Pacific Coast Hwy., west on Pacific Coast Hwy. to Ave. J, south to Camino Del Campo and west to the Pacific Ocean.
Location of Ballpark—Kissel Field, 4200 Pacific Coast Highway.

WEST TORRANCE

President—John Schnepf (FR 5-4653)
Boundaries—Redondo City limits on the west between Torrance Blvd. and Pacific Coast Hwy., north boundary follow Torrance Blvd., Henrietta, Del Amo; east boundary follows Hawthorne Blvd., Sepulveda, Crenshaw, Lomita Blvd., Hawthorne to south boundary along Pacific Coast Hwy.
Location of Ballpark—Ryan Aircraft Co. (Field on Lomita Blvd.)

COLT LEAGUE

President—J. C. Gilliland (DA 4-1578)
Torrance League (Torrance and Gardena)
Location of Ballpark—North High.

LEGION

(Two Teams in City)
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J. Clements—(FR 8-2833) South Torrance

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(Two Teams in City)
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