

Marina District Holds Fashion, Garden Shows

Mrs. Norman Peterson, special occasions chairman of the Marina District, 18, California Federation of Women's Clubs, has named the committee to assist her with district's annual fashion show and luncheon "Carnival Capers," Oct. 31, at noon, at Club Del Mar, Santa Monica.

Mrs. O. S. Larabee, president of the district, along with her two vice presidents,

Mmes. Ervin W. Graf and A. Ben Ellery, will form the hospitality committee.

Mrs. Arthur W. Day, will be in charge of amenities; and Mmes. John Wentworth, programs; Alfred Inman, decorations; S. J. Lere, publicity; Stanley Kmeclak, tickets; P. R. Repath, reservations; North; A. M. Lindner, reservations; South; O. Leonard Huddleston, opportunities; Lawrence McNulty, commentator; Joseph Barnes, mimeographing; and models to date are from the following clubs; Culver City, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Inglewood acres, Loyola Village, Mar Vista, Marina Satalites, Neptunian, Playa Del Rey, and Redondo Beach. Members should purchase tickets from their clubs' president.

Flower Show

"Symphony of Time" will theme the annual Marina District Flower Show and Silver Tea, Oct. 19, at the Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club, 1210 Fourth Street, Santa Monica, from 1 to 8 p.m., according to Mrs. Larabee.

This annual event is sponsored by the Garden Sections of Marina District clubs, with Mrs. Stuart R. Rankin as chairman and Mrs. Clarence W. Gilkes as vice chairman.

Three classifications of exhibitors may be entered: the amateur arranger, the advanced amateur arranger, and the professional. No Artificial flowers can be used in any arrangement and each club is invited to make a "Holiday" table setting arrangement.

The Silver Tea will be held from 2 to 5 p.m., according to Mrs. Rankin.

Women Assist

Assisting with the plans for this event are Mmes. G. W. Thrasher, Santa Monica Bay Woman's Club, staging, clubhouse, equipment, and table presiders; John Anderson, El Segundo Woman's Club, entries and placement of exhibits; Arthur Evers, Redondo Beach Woman's Club, and Cyril Brooks, Hermosa Beach Woman's Club, ways and means; Marry Smith, Playa Del Rey Woman's Club, and Milo Rollins, Loyola Village Woman's Club, registration; Ralph E. Lindsey, Neptunian Woman's Club, tea table decorations and set-up; W. Hill, Palms Woman's Club, tea hostess and supplies; O. W. Lepper, Hawthorne Woman's Club, educational exhibits; Frank Robinson, Inglewood Woman's Club, and Sydney Bannister, Woman's City Club of Venice, hospitality; V. E. Benstead, Jr., Torrance Woman's Club, trophies and awards; Stuart R. Rankin, show chairman, judges; and Joe E. Barnes, district memo chairman, schedule design and mimeographing.

Special Exhibits

To be shown will be flower exhibits, door decorations, corsages, miniatures, bottle arrangements, simulated plants, formal and informal table settings, tea table arrangements, junior gardeners exhibits, vegetable and fruit arrangements, specimen blooms, cut flowers, potted plants, collection of potted plants, marina geraniums, indoor planter, your city flower, and A. Garden Therapy Project Study (history).

The following classification awards will be given: Marina Award of Merit, best club entry arrangement, best amateur arrangement, best advanced amateur arrangement, best overall potted plant, best entry table setting, best junior gardener entry, first, second, third, honorable mention, and award to retail florist entry.

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Operation Coffee Break

was held to welcome kindergarten mothers, under direction of Mmes. T. E. Moore and J. Moore.

Christie Visits Bridge Session

Palos Verdes Bridge Club, which meets at Torrance YWCA, 2320 Carson Street, each Monday morning at 11 invites all bridge players from the Peninsula Area to attend free lectures from 10:30 to 11 each Monday morning.

Bob Christie, will answer questions on latest bridge play, as well as definite series of pointers on improving your bridge.

Members of North American Aviation Garden Club will hear Joe Littlefield, garden consultant-lecturer, discuss "Gardening Hints and Tricks," Sept. 27 at 7:30 p.m. in North American Aviation Recreation Center, 5353 W. Imperial Hwy., El Segundo.

The speaker will show the group how and when to prune plants, proper way to set out shrubs, best way to prepare flower bed soil for best floral results, how to improve lawns and will answer gardening and landscaping problems.

Members and visitors are invited to bring branches for identification, also buggy pieces of poor lawn for help leaves, wilted plants and in solving those garden trou-



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Joyce Cannon Will Wed Timothy Smith

Garden Society Hears Littlefield

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Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Cannon of 1328 Greenwood Ave., Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Joyce Carole, to Timothy Paul Smith.

Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith of 2504 Cabrillo, Torrance.

Miss Cannon graduated from Torrance High School where she was 1958 Homecoming Queen. She attended El Camino College. Her fiancé graduated from Torrance High and is attending El Camino. He plans to transfer to USC in February.

The wedding will be Nov. 22 at First Lutheran Church.

This club is open to all North American Aviation employees interested in learning how to improve the gardens around their homes, which in turn improves the looks of the neighborhood.

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Aquarium Society To View Color Slides of Show

The September meeting of Harbor Aquarium Society will be held Thursday, at 8 p.m. in Recreation Hall at McMas-ters Park, 174th and Yukon, Torrance. Meeting will be called to order by President Al Doyle of Hawthorne.

Feature of the evening will be showing of color slides of aquarium shows at San Francisco, Oakland and Long Beach. Slides were taken by Jack Vince of Long Beach.

Final registration of entries for the 7th Aquarium Show of the Harbor Aquarium Society presented under sponsorship of the Recreation and Parks Department at Cabrillo Beach Marine Museum will be taken. Museum and Aquarium Show are free of charge. Dates are Oct. 6, 7 and 8.

Showfish of the month for this meeting will be the Platies. Door prize will be a five gallon aquarium with hood. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Women of Moose Hold Toy Party

A "Toy Party" will be given by publicity committee of Women of the Moose Torrance Chapter 44, at the Moose Hall, 1744 W. Carson, Torrance, Saturday at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend.

Recently Chapter 44 and Loyal Order of the Moose 785 presented "Gay 90's Revue."

With a cast of 15 headed by Mrs. George Clay, mistress of ceremonies, there was a melodrama, followed by the olio (old fashioned vaudeville), filled with songs and dances. Music for the evening was provided by VI and the 3 J's.

Cast included Carl Fisher, director; Mmes. Thomas Jenkins, Arthur Galinsky, Walter Witt, Floyd Peterman, Ross Britt, N. Platta, Douglas Dixon, Noel Peacock.

Also Douglas Dixon, Ross Britt, Lester Rhinehart, George Snyder, and Dan Hutchinson.

Activities Planned For South High

Many activities have been planned for this year at South High School by the Student Council many of which have already taken place.

The Council is lead by Suzie Schenk, president. Assisting her in planning of activities are: Sandi Palmer, vice president; Winkie Gilbert, commissioner of records; Gini Matute, corresponding secretary; Paula Harter, commissioner of finance; Sue Shields, commissioner of publicity; Shirley Nakata, commissioner of activities; Adrienne Fein, club co-ordinator; Rosemary Ballow, Girl's League president; Rick Mallory, Boy's League president.

Also on the Council are class presidents: Tom Pettepiece, senior class; Rick Coulter, junior class; Glenn Fisher, sophomore class.

Reciprocity Tea

Representatives from 25 organizations of the South Bay area were guests of the Garden Club in the Redondo Beach Women's Clubhouse at their annual Reciprocity Tea Monday.

President Mrs. Harvey Klein called the meeting to order and introduced district officers and honored guests.

Decorations were in pink and visitors were given pink corsages.

"Happy Birthday" was sung to tea hostess, Mrs. W. W. Wilkinson.

Winners in the specimen bloom were, Mrs. Oscar Olsson, first, and Mrs. Martin Bonningson, second.

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