

CARNIVAL GAIETY TO PREVAIL IN CLUBHOUSE SATURDAY

Multiple Attractions to Entertain Old and Young

With the fifth annual spring carnival only two days away—Saturday, March 12, from 4 until 11 p.m., Torrance Woman's Club carnival committee heads and their assistants, under direction of Mrs. B. Taylor Whitney and Mrs. R. R. Smith, co-chairmen for the event, are busy with last minute preparations.

PTA District Election Set For April 7

Perry School Parent-Teacher Association executive board met at the home of the hospitality chairman, Mrs. C. R. Crewe, Tuesday and following not luck luncheon proceeded with their business meeting under the leadership of Mrs. A. B. Cowie, president.

Announcements for the T.E.A. meeting at the Torrance High School and a series of lectures on child development by noted speakers were made by the secretary, Mrs. G. Pickler. The proceeds of the card party was reported by the chairman, Mrs. W. Gunter, with a total of \$26, being turned in to the treasurer, Milton Isbell, YMCA representative, who was a guest and presented an outline on the current fund campaign and future plans for the YMCA unit at Perry School. The committee of men, with Lester Clemons as chairman, are keeping plans for the Father's Night meeting on March 21, a guarded secret. A very interesting and amusing evening is expected.

DINNER PARTY HONORS OKINAWA VISITOR HERE

A dinner party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Beckett, 1888 W. 261st street complimented Sgt. John A. Cox, Army Air Force, of Okinawa, Shima located in the Philippines who is visiting here. A past master of Okinawa Masonic lodge No. 118, Sgt. Cox expects to be stationed at March Field in the near future.

Places were marked for Mrs. Lloyd Beckett and daughters, Linda and Helen of Burlington, Iowa; Mrs. Minnie Beckett, William Risbroth; Mrs. William Edwards of Long Beach and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Beckett.

The clubhouse, at 1422 Englewood avenue, across from Torrance Memorial Hospital, will be converted into a typical country fair with attractions on all sides vying for the attention of all.

A percentage of the proceeds from this annual ways and means project will be allocated for Torrance Memorial Hospital.

Children attending the carnival will be greeted by a gaily costumed circus clown who will present each with a special "treat." The clown, who will be present from 5 until 9 o'clock will add color and entertainment to the gay affair.

The cherry tree with its many attractively wrapped gifts will appeal to young and old and of particular interest to the younger fry will be the circus cake and the colorful rocking-horse nursery lamp which are to be given away. Another center of interest for children will be the "lucky dip" with gifts of toys, games, balls, etc. for each boy and girl.

As is the custom at these annual affairs, entire families plan to enjoy the home-made chili beans, hot dogs, and other typical carnival fare to be served from 5 until 9 o'clock.

Adults will be entertained at bingo for which prizes will be given. Fortune telling also will be an attraction and a weight guessing contest will add a hilarious note.

Valuable door prizes will be given away every hour on the hour!

Climax of the evening will be the presentation of a hand-painted picture and a collection of beautiful household linens now on display in downtown stores.

Always of universal interest at the club carnivals is the country store booth where canned and packaged foods are given as prizes.

The clubhouse snack bar will be converted into a miniature bakery where the ladies will sell delicious baked goods and cooked foods. Homemade candy will be packaged and sold at still another booth.



STARTING LINEUP... Mrs. Paul Loranger, "Colonel," Mrs. Gladys Weston, treasurer of the Torrance chapter, and Harry Greenwood, chairman of the current Red Cross Fund Campaign "check their signals" shortly before they started the ball rolling at the "Kick Off" meeting last Thursday.—Herald Photo.

Torrance Mothersingers at District Rehearsals

Continued work on the number of songs to be sung at the district and state PTA conventions occupied the Torrance Council Mothersingers at their rehearsal Monday night.

Ladies who attended the district rehearsal in Los Angeles last week were enthusiastic in their praise for the work of PTA State Music Director Nancy Pauline Turner who conducted the chorus of about 300 women.

"Torrance made a very good showing," Mrs. Geneva Sheffield, Mothersingers president, reported. She urged all members to plan to attend the next district rehearsal April 1.

Torrance Mothersingers will start next Monday working on additional songs which may be used in a choral concert later this spring. "This group soon will be ready for a formal public appearance," Anthony Vazzana, director, stated. He plans to prepare duets and small ensemble numbers in addition to the regular choruses.

Mrs. Dorothy Pullen of Harbor City joined the group this week and was cordially welcomed by all present. Mrs. Geneva Sheffield and Mrs. Margie Von Bellehear will be hostesses for the next social evening.

Card Party

Hostesses for this evening's Catholic ladies card party are Mrs. Neil J. McConlogue and her committee.

Friends are invited to attend the party which will be held in the home of Mrs. McConlogue at 1741 S. Scallen, and Mrs. Farrell, Lipowski, Herrin, Richmond, Mike, Moore, Annis, Dodrill, Cameron, Bailey, Casey, and Hageman.

Present were the honoree and Mmes. Jean Schultz, Laura Sprong, Fay Bauss, Mildred Sprague, Ellen Constance, Joyce Montgomery, Freida Evans, Daisy Watson, Pauline Grubb, Dora Sutton, Ruth Barlow, all of Torrance; Mae Alexites, Edna Myer, Aggie Appleton, Los Angeles; Donna Briggs and Audrey Sabeleus, Hermosa Beach; and Nita Roberts, Santa Monica.

YOUNG MATRON IS SHOWERED WITH WEE GIFTS

Mrs. Eddie Standridge was honored at a beautifully arranged shower recently when Mrs. Harold Rittmiller entertained at her home, 1218 Beech avenue. Assisting as co-hostess was Mrs. John Grub.

The refreshment table was decorated with two large stockings, two inverted pastel umbrellas and a pink crepe paper cradle.

Following typical baby shower games refreshments were served and the lovely gifts were unwrapped.

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PARTY PLANS ARE CULMINATED FOR DOLLY MORRISAU

The third birthday of Dolly Morrisau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Morrisau, 25225 Ocean street, was the incentive for a party with a group of children invited guests Saturday afternoon.

Party plans were arranged for out-of-doors with the youngsters enjoying the set of swings, gift to little Dolly from her parents, a group of games and moving pictures taken of the group.

A large table was attractively decorated with a pink and white color scheme carried out in the favors and birthday cake. Ice cream cones punch and the cake were served to Gary O'Neal of San Pedro; Carl and Sandra Glaze, Jerry Stephens, Ronnie, and Donny Hiltzclaw, Linda, and Arlene Saylor, Sharon Herman, and the honoree.

CHRISTIAN ART IS SUBJECT OF LECTURE SERIES

Preparations have been made for a group of Sunday afternoon lectures at the Los Angeles County Museum on Christian art from its beginning and down to the end of the Middle Ages, given by Dr. Alois J. Schardt, head of the art department of the Olive Hill Foundation at Los Angeles.

There will be six lectures in the series, one each Sunday at 3 p.m. to April 10. No admission will be charged.

Dr. Schardt formerly was director of the National Gallery in Berlin and is the author of numerous works on art history. The foundation he is now connected with is an organization existing to afford an understanding of the best in the history of art and culture.

Girl Scouts Plan Events To Precede Ingathering

The latest Lomita Girl Scout troop to be organized is sponsored by St. Margaret Mary Church and now has received its designated number, 593.

Leader of the troop is Mrs. Harry B. Litten and co-leader is Martha S. Madden.

COOKIE SALE SUCCESS

The annual Girl Scout cookie sale has been completed with the Girl Scouts of Lomita selling a total of 138 cartons.

Under the leadership of Mrs. George H. Getz Troop No. 835 sold 27 cartons the highest number among the local troops.

INGATHERING

Plans have been completed for the Girl Scout Ingathering at Lomita Park March 12 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A radio and loud speaker will be furnished by Glenn Radio Shop so that girls unable to attend the Girl Scout program at the Los Angeles Shrine Auditorium will hear the broadcast from 11 to 11:30 a.m.

FORM COMMITTEES

Mrs. Frank Church, harbor sectional chairman of Girl Scouts, is expecting each junior and senior high school troop to select two representatives to meet at her home, 2419 W. 251st street, March 29 from 7 to 9 p.m. to serve as a planning committee for the Juliet Lowe Ingathering at Peck's Park, San Pedro on May 14. This group will be known as the Junior-Senior Council.

LISTENING PARTY

A listening party was planned by members of Girl Scout Troop No. 758 at their regular Friday meeting to be held at Lomita Park March 12 for the girls who will not be able to attend the Girl Scout birthday party in Los Angeles.

The girls will take their lunch

OFFICERS NAMED TO HEAD B.K.K.'S

Officers elected recently to serve the B.K.K.'s during the ensuing term are:

Mona Henry, president; Donna Baer, vice president; Lorraine Anderson, secretary; Marie Atkins, treasurer; Billy Wright, historian; Lorraine Foley, reporter; Joyce Riggio, sergeant-at-arms; and Donna Mauk, chaplain.

TWO BIRTHDAYS INCENTIVE FOR CELEBRATION

Jack Kennelly of 1679 W. 257th street and Bill McEwen of Torrance who were born the same year on March 4th were honored Friday night at the Kennelly home with an informal social evening climaxed by a lobster supper.

Among the many who dropped in during the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Jevend Fernandez; Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor daughter, Eleanor and two sons, Jim and Don; Mrs. Bessie Higgins and Armand Such.

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