

March of Riviera Mothers Nets \$742

By MARY and JACK WEBB

Mrs. Jack Cummings, chairman of the 1953 March of Dimes, reports that the mothers marched to the tune of a big profit last week. Their total collections to help fight polio were \$742.61. A handsome sum no matter which way you count it. But all Riverians can be proud of the fact that their collection was so substantial; it stacks up well against the total collection for the whole Torrance district of \$3600. Let's bow low to Mrs. Cummings, her assistant, Mildred Dudley, and the other mothers who marched last week. They included Mesdames Jean Handy, Lois Kubeck, Janice Shaw, Joan Weston, Audrey Flannagan, Virginia Robbins, Maxine Stout, Laura Watson, Peggy Reid, William King, Florence Baker, Mary Giff, Marge Kinsey, Grace Williams and Bess Morgan. Also in the march were Miriam Sims, Glenna Willett, Jo Nash, Barbara Hebson, Fat Rogers, Gladys

Auditorium, Seaside School, 4651 Sharynne Lane. All adults are invited to attend this worthwhile and educational discussion.

Mrs. Virginia Schneider, 636 Calle Miramar, reports that the co-op nursery operated at the El Retiro park has an opening for two more children. Mrs. Shirley Phillips is the teacher and Mrs. Mary Lou Hopkins is the Membership Chairman for the nursery. The nursery operates four days each week, from 9 until 11:30. Children from 2 1/2 to kindergarten age are eligible to attend. Cost is \$10 per month, \$7 for the second child. Mrs. Hopkins adds that more information may be obtained by calling her at FR 5-1334.

"Understanding Your Role as a Parent," will be the subject of the next discussion in the Creative Family Living series now under way at Seaside School auditorium. This series is sponsored by the Riviera School P.T.A. and the Seaside school P.T.A. in cooperation with the Torrance School of Adult Education, and conducted by Mrs. Dorothy Law, Counselor, Family Life Education. This series will continue for the next three Wednesdays following the meeting of February 18. Time is 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.; place is the

Comeau, center; Rickey Rothmeyer and Gary Maddox, forwards, Jim Sena, Jackie Parker, and Mike Scott are substitutes, as are Benny Bold and Gary Bremley.

Eileen Dowling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dowling, 626 Calle de Arboles, was elected sergeant-at-arms of the Torrance Tri-Hi-Y, at its recent election meeting. Last Monday, February 2, the organization held candlelight installation ceremonies at which Eileen, along with the other newly elected officers, was installed in office. After the ceremonies, cookies and punch were served.

The Sportsmen's Club is readying for its Ladies' Night celebrations to be held February 19th at its Riviera-Beach Club clubrooms. Mr. Charles Chappel, our assemblyman, will give a talk on methods an average citizen can use to influence legislation. Special films produced by Will Zens, using local acting talent, are to be shown. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Present at the Torrance Educational Advisory committee meeting February 9 at the Torrance YWCA was Riviera school principal Robert Dexter, Mrs. Jack Webb, Riviera P.T.A., and Mrs. Don Whitney, Homeowners Association.

Mrs. Johr Shidler, 317 Camino de las Colinas, has been named co-ticket chairman for the Valentine charity ball to be held this Saturday night at the Riviera Beach club. Sponsored by the Torrance Memorial Hospital Women's auxiliary, this second annual charity ball will help raise funds for the hospital. Ticket donations are \$1. Dance ticket donations are \$5. Dance

Born last January 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Moss, 210 Via Alameda, was their first child, a daughter weighing in at 8 lbs., 6 oz. She was born at St. John's Hospital in Santa Monica. The parents have named her Michelle. Mr. and Mrs. Moss recently moved into their home at this address after living for about a year in the Palos Verdes apartments.

"Founders' Day," will be the theme of the next general meeting of the Riviera P.T.A., scheduled for February 18 at the school. A skit, "Fashion Show from 1897 Till Today," has been prepared for the evening's entertainment. All association members are invited to attend. Cake and refreshments are on the agenda, reports hospitality chairman Evelyn Lundstrom and assistant Mildred Dudley.

The new Riviera school basketball team, sponsored by Torrance Recreation, dropped its first game, against the Torrance "Pueblo Panthers" by a lopsided score of 60-28, last Sunday at the Torrance High gym. Spectators reported that the Panthers called signals in Spanish which bewildered our Riviera quint. Members of the local casabans include Bill Schipper and Paul Moir, guards; Tom

Community Sing Institute Set

Harbor City Sing will join with nine other community sings sponsored by the Los Angeles Bureau of Music in combining pleasure with business in a day-long Community Sing Institute and Clinic and evening Jamboree at Lincoln Center Saturday, Feb. 28.

Administrative committees, staff directors, and accompanists will attend the affair, to begin at 10 a. m.

Highlight of the day will be the Jamboree, at which each group will sponsor contestants for the title of best small variety act to have appeared before the city-sponsored sings last season. Each of the ten competing groups will receive a trophy from their sponsoring sing, and the winner will receive a sweepstakes from the Bureau of Music.

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ing to the tune of Sydney Zaid's orchestra, will commence at 9 p.m. Proceeds from last year's event enabled the hospital to purchase a new diathermy machine.

Guy Painter, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Painter, 303 Via Pasqual, demolished his bike in an accident with an automobile last Thursday. It was at that dangerous time of dusk when Guy suddenly found himself between two moving automobiles. He ran into the car ahead of him, banged himself up, the collision ruining his bike.

Outside of minor bruises, the doctor found Guy in good condition.

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