

Sara Jane Sargent, Gloria Zlot, Pat Kleidinger, Pat Steason, Jean Franklin, Kathy Stroh, Judy Chandler, Pat Poitz and Mary Simpson.
Troop 390
 Investiture services were held recently for Girl Scout Troop 390 at the home of the

Troop Leader, Mrs. Virginia Graham.
 Twenty-three Girl Scouts received their vows and received their pins from Leaders Virginia Graham and Katie Hobbs.
 Girls receiving their pins at this time were Linda Anderson, Sharon Brewer, Pat Burke, Car-

ol Carter, Cheryl Chilandano, Charlotte Davis, Janelle De Mott, Margaret Emery, Virginia Graham, Diane Hoy, Sandra Hobbs, Biscuit Johnson, Joy Kinyon, Diane Lawry, Reggie Lewis, Susan Morris, Sue Omohundro, Cheryl Perry, Julie Pier, Nancy Ritter, Kathy

Smith, Donna Whitely, and Judy Wilts.
Pack 222C
 Cub Scout Pack 222C, the first pack formed in this area in 1956, plans to visit Fort MeArthur, tour a fire department, and a trip to Marineland

Girl Scout Troop 610
 Girls of Scout Troop 610 visited Verdugo Park on an outing Saturday. Following their lunch in the Glendale Park, they toured Forest Lawn.

Those making the jaunt included Cathy Hertz, Mickey Green, Anna Montague, Charlene and Cathy Garrison, Charlotte Schmidt, Sandra Derouin, Nina Lally, Janet Isenhower, Sue Melville, Rose Ann Colton,

Scout Trails



Troop 1715

Sixteen warmly clad Brownies of Troop 1715 of North Torrance took off early Saturday morning Feb. 4 for Mt. Waterman. They enjoyed sledding, other snow sports and a picnic. Making the trip with the boys were: Odette Beaudoin, Priscilla Beaudoin, Georgia Crosswell, Sherry Hart, Pat Drake, Janice Ford, Sharon Gill, Vicki Mengar, Judy Pesola, Toni Sittig, Jane Sewell, Julie Stanley, Shirley Hobbs, and Sandy Van. Parents on the trip were: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gillette, Mrs. Marcel Beaudoin, Mrs. Arnold Beaudoin, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Mongar, Mrs. Nick Drake, Carroll Wilson, Steve Drake and leader, Mrs. Albert Pesola.

Troop 1277

Early in January two senior scout troops of North Torrance were combined. They were Troop 1277 led by Mrs. Basil Pesola, leader. The combined troops are now Troop 1277 with Mrs. Hall as leader and co-leaders, Mrs. Doris Enright and Mrs. Pesola. President of the troop is Ellen Thurman, vice-president, Nancy Mooney, secretary, Joan Sebes, treasurer, Barbara Cagle, Council representative, Sonja Pesola and Barbara Cagle. Meetings are held at Verburg rumpus room. Investiture was held Feb. 6. Colors were advanced by Myrna Osner, Patty Verburg and Sonja Pesola. Candles were lighted as each scout made her promise. Receiving their senior pins were: Linda Epperson, Myrna Osner, Karen Kennedy, Leora Kohler, Nancy Mooney, Sonja Pesola, Diane Woodruff, and Patty Verburg. Linda Millard was unable to attend. Five point program pins went to Jean Becker, Joanne Augustyn, Barbara Cagle, Dianne Standley, Joan Stieber, Rosemary Streetmaker, Ellen Thurman, Yvonne Turboy, Fas Amunson, Jean Wagner and Dianne Hodges. Five year pins were awarded to Linda Epperson, Karen Kennedy, Patty Verburg, Dianne Hodges, and co-leader Mrs. Laura Pesola. After the ceremony, games and contests were enjoyed and a decorated cake made by one of the patrols was served with punch and coffee.

Pack 728C

Cub Pack 728C held their Blue and Gold Dinner on Feb. 24 at the Fern Ave. School. Awards were presented to the following members: John Saunders, Jim Malone, Jack Ross, Mike Shinoda, Ron-

nie Wombaugh, Larry Ogle, Ken Gable, Danny Fulton, Mike Blankenship, Carl Thompson, Bobby Sonju, Norman Korehen-sky. Robert Yanta, John Kelly, James Donald, Thomas Garrison, William Kanatsky, David Stoenberg, Brian Jones, Stephen Combs, Art Mallo, Bill Moeder, Dennis Ogren, Leslie Lobaugh, David Moore, Dean Denton, David Veskin, Tommy Justice, Mike Orley, Phil Stadden, Danny Rudd, Kim Wilson, Jim Bull, John Smoot, Perry Velek, and Denny Moore.
Cub Pack 723-C
 The annual Blue and Gold Banquet of Cub Scout Pack 723C was held on Friday, Feb. 24, at the American Legion Hall, at 6:30 p.m. Den 7 led the flag ceremony and Ben Irvine gave the blessing. Each Den Mother decorated her table, with the Cubs making corsages for their mothers and grandmothers. Honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Albright, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Watson, and D. E. Kirka. Awards climaxed the pot luck meal with Cubmaster Lee Polick and Pete White assisting. Wolf badges were given to Dale Wilson, Billy Sullivan and Danny Murry. Bear badges were presented to Rodney White, James Gores, Bill Polick, Danny Cunningham, and Billy Waterman. Bradley Thompson received his Lion badge and earned the Webelos Den, also receiving the award were Larry Helphand, Joe Seirica, John Phillips, and Gene McKinley, and Craig Crossman. Denner stripes were given to Jack Murphy, Edwin Erberg, Denny Cunningham, Stevie Irvine, Sandy Tiedman and Bobby Sullivan, David Harrison, Tommy Brass. One year pins were accepted by Mrs. Charlotte Wilson, Dale Wilson, Keith Patton, James Diamond, Michael Huggins and Billy Engstrom. Two years in the Pack was celebrated by Craig Crossman and Larry Helphand. Ray Anderson former Cubmaster was given recognition of four years with the group. "Happy Birthdays" were sung to Billy Sullivan and Denny Moore. "Letter to Loretta," a television drama about Cub-Scouting concluded the evening festivities. The Pack is under the sponsorship of the Torrance Elementary PTA.

RIGHT AROUND SEASIDE

Three Heights Children Prepare Verse for Print in School News

By SUE BURK
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 Jim and Rose McClure, of 5320 Doris Way, took their three daughters, Margaret, Rosemary, and Betty on a short trip to visit with friends near Van Nuys on Saturday past. Happy to report that Jim is out of the hospital and enjoying much better health now, though doctor's orders are that he take it easy for a long time to come.
 Mrs. Norma Porter, of 5304 Doris Way, is in the Torrance Memorial Hospital, where she has undergone major surgery. We do hope Mrs. Porter will be feeling much better by the time this breaks into print.
 We hear that three nice ladies living on Vanderhill Rd. are getting to be real good in the line of verse. Connie Priestley, Alma Reid, and Marian Unger put their heads together and came up with a real good verse about parents and their help in the school. You will be reading the verse soon in the school paper.
 Melvin E. Hatton celebrated his fourth birthday on Feb. 23, with several of the neighboring children. Brother Robert, eight years and one day older than Melvin, celebrated his 12th birthday on Feb. 24. Included in the guest list were grandparents—Mr. and Mrs. Bauer, and other relatives who came all the way from San Fernando Valley to be here in time for the celebration. Making the most of their birthdays, the older children went on a scavenger hunt.
 There is a report from the Seaside School that a six-year-old girl was confronted by some man on her way to school the other day. The child told her mother that the man tried to coax her to take a ride in his car. Thank goodness the little girl remembered what she had been told and did not take the ride. Parent, I ask...no, I beg of you to watch your own child and others walking by your homes when they are on their way to and from the school.
 Celebrating the expectant arrival in the Ken Blockford home, Mrs. Alpha Rens and Mrs. Sue Burk gave a surprise sick shower in the Burk residence honoring Nellie Blockford. Going down to Sue's house just for a quick cup of coffee, Nellie really was surprised to see guests June Milligan and mother, Lorraine Litava, Ruth Sammons, Myrtle Nix, Betty Mitchell, and Jeri Grierson. Since everyone is in high hopes that it will be a girl, the girls leaned in that direction. The conventional shower games were played with June Milligan, Betty Mitchell, and Jeri Grierson taking the prizes. The early morning shower let guests partake of assorted doughnuts, pinwheel crisps, apple tarts, and coffee.
 Mrs. Lilly Ionta, her daughter and son, Rose and Angelo, and Mrs. Stella Sammaturo arrived from Connecticut Saturday, Feb. 25, for a vacation in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Chalifoux, of 3118 Macafee Rd. Lilly, Stella, and children are really living it up—visiting all the high spots around here and all Southern California. Reports so far are that they really like California and especially Seaside. Maybe we can persuade them to buy out this way.
 Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Burk and children, of 5104 Zelon Rd. during the week end were Mrs. Marie Holstein and children of Palmdale, Calif. Also, seen at the Burks were Mr. and Mrs. Dan Nolan of Hollywood, and Irene Hodges of Redondo Beach.
 Have heard nothing more on the case of the dead gopher and the little Williamson boy. We may presume that all is well in this department.

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