



TORRANCE COUNCIL The first open meeting of the school year will be held Oct. 2 at Christ the King Lutheran Church, 2706 W. 182nd St., Torrance. Coffee will be served at 9 a.m. and the meeting will start at 9:30.

CASIMIR Casimir Elementary PTA holds the promise of a very busy and successful year. The first meeting was conducted by Mrs. C. M. Aguilar, who was recently elected to replace Mrs. Ray Hiltgen, who has moved to Atascadero.

MADISON Madison Elementary PTA announces a Flu Clinic to be given on Friday, Oct. 5, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria at 17515 Amie Ave.

HILLSIDE It was get-acquainted day when seven new teachers met the 1962-63 officers and chairmen of the Hillside PTA at the annual teachers tea held recently in the cafeteria.

EDISON Back to school activities began at Edison PTA with a teachers' brunch. Teachers were introduced by Donald Credell, principal, and board members were introduced by Mrs. Robert Brigham, PTA president.

ATTENTION PTA PUBLICITY CHAIRMEN All news releases for PTA units in the Torrance Council are to be submitted to Mrs. William Jackson, 5513 Towers St., Torrance. Mrs. Jackson, publicity chairman for the Torrance Council, edits the weekly PTA Council column which appears in the Sunday issue of the TORRANCE HERALD.

Each PTA unit is allowed two pictures a year, generally used for fund raising events. To schedule pictures, the PTA publicity chairman is asked to call the TORRANCE HERALD at least one week prior to the release date.

P T A ACTIVITIES

Halldale Halldale Avenue PTA Executive Board held its first meeting for the 1962-63 year on Sept. 12 with Mrs. Lytle B. White, president, in charge.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Henry Vannetta, hostess, and Mrs. Dan Palmer of Rho Xi chapter. The next council meeting will be held Oct. 2 with Xi Zeta Chi chapter as hostess.

Oklahoma Guests Enjoying a continental dinner with friends at the Pen and Quill hotel-restaurant in Manhattan Beach were Mr. and Mrs. Philip Knauer of Hollywood Riviera.

Birthdays Recent dinner guests at Marineland Restaurant in Palos Verdes included Mr. and Mrs. John E. Walters of Torrance, who noted his birthday anniversary by entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Robert Demarest of San Pedro and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph K. Johnson of Torrance.

Olivers Hosts Among the recent hosts at Marineland Restaurant in Palos Verdes were Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Oliver of Torrance, who entertained at a seafood dinner party for Mr. and Mrs. John B. Walker of Rolling Hills and John Fiske of Torrance.

A Four some A foursome enjoying dinner together at the Pen and Quill hotel-restaurant in Manhattan Beach recently were Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Clark of Torrance and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Conaghy of Hollywood Riviera.



MRS. KENNETH McRAE ... Elk Ladies President (Portrait by Seeman)

Ladies of the Elks Plan Fashion Show For Nov. 3

Nov. 3 has been set as the date for the fashion show to be presented by the Torrance Ladies of the Elks, announced Mrs. Kenneth McRae, president, at the business meeting of the group held on Sept. 11.

The show will take place at the Elks Lodge, 1820 Abalone St., and tickets will go on sale in October. Serving as general chairman of the show will be Mrs. Don Lemon, first vice president.

A complete fall ensemble will be the major door prize. Club members will model the new fall creations which will be furnished by a Torrance shop.

At the meeting, two members were initiated, Mrs. Bernard Stabb and Mrs. Jean Meyers.

Next business meeting of the Ladies of the Elks is slated for Tuesday, Oct. 2.

Red Cross Slates Baby Care Course

Red Cross announces the scheduling of two Mother and Baby Care courses open to prospective parents and others interested in the free instruction.

One of the series of classes begins Oct. 2, in the South Bay Red Cross office, 109 Emerald, Redondo Beach, and will be taught on consecutive Tuesdays and Thursdays from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

On Oct. 22 another course will begin in the regional Red Cross headquarters, 390 W. 7th, San Pedro.

Registration for either course may be made by calling the Torrance-Lomita Red Cross branch office.

French and minoring in elementary education and business. Mrs. Watson has done graduate study at the University of California at Los Angeles.

Mother and Baby Care is one of the many areas of training provided free through the nursing service division of the American Red Cross.

Mrs. Catherine De Bolt of Manhattan Beach will teach the course in South Bay. Volunteering to instruct in San Pedro is Mrs. Marie Kaplan, a Palos Verdes resident.

Ann Landers

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had been foolish so we patched things up.

Now I'm beginning to wonder if perhaps this blemish on our marital record is spoiling our chances to adopt a baby. We've had our names in at several agencies for years now but we have not been called. Can you tell me? —PATIENTLY WAITING

Dear Waiting: I discuss your inquiry with three excellent adoption agencies and they all gave me essentially the same answer.

Once a divorce is filed it's matter of record. In the light of the subsequent reconciliation, however, it could not necessarily hinder our chances of adopting a baby.

Confidential to MAD ABOUT THE BOY: Sorry it's just a collection of words until you support it with action. If "absence makes the heart grow fonder" a lot of people must love their church.

If alcohol is robbing you of someone you love of health and dignity, send for ANN LANDERS' booklet, "Help For The Alcoholic," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Sewing Show At Broadway On Tuesday

"Big Sew, Big Show" will be the theme as the Broadway Del Amo sets aside this week, Oct. 1-6, to salute those women who create their own fashions from patterns.

Highlighting the week will be "Elegance by the Yard... with McCall's Patterns," a style show presenting a complete fall wardrobe for women who sew their own clothes.

Additional plans to help the seamstress during "Big Sew, Big Show" week include a demonstration on how to insert zippers, handy hints for cutting fabric patterns, an explanation of varied uses of inter-facing, and a demonstration of the new Pfaff sewing machine.

Demonstrations will take place 45 minutes before and after the fashion show in the fabric center.

Plan Class In French For Children

French language classes for children of elementary school age will be offered this fall by the Manhattan Beach branch of the American Association of University Women, announced Mrs. Orlando Tafuya, Manhattan Beach, second vice president of the branch, today.

"Classes are open to all students in the area," stated Mrs. Tafuya. Interested individuals are urged to contact Mrs. Tafuya.

Classes will begin Tuesday, Oct. 2, at the First Lutheran Church, 1100 Pointsettia Ave., Manhattan Beach. Students in grades one through three will meet from 3 to 3:30 p.m.; those in grade four through six will meet from 3:40 to 4:45 p.m. A fee will be charged.

Instructor for the 10-week session classes is Mrs. Edward Watson, Manhattan Beach, who earned a bachelor's degree at New Jersey State College, Upper Montclair, New Jersey, majoring in

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FLOWER SHOW WINNERS... Top honors in the Greenthumbers Garden Club's annual flower show, "Messages in Flowers," went to, from left, Susan Shirley, 12, in the children's division, from 9 to 15 years of age; Mrs. Vincent Patten, first in the potted plant competition; Mrs. Elmer Junge, first in the prize specimens; Mrs. Louis Wilhelm, first in floral design, and Tami Wilhelm, 4, winner in the children's division, ages 3 through 9 years.

'Messages in Flowers' Is Theme Greenthumbers Garden Club Stages Annual Flower Show

Greenthumbers Garden Club, affiliated with the California Gardens Clubs, Inc., held its annual flower show "Message in Flowers" on Friday, Sept. 21. The event was held at the home of Mrs. William Abblett, 5732 Clearsite St., Torrance.

In the children's division of the show, with entrants from 9 to 15 years of age, first place awards went to Susan Shirley, Cathy Shirley and Jeannie Allen; second place award, Cathy Shirley; and sweepstakes trophy was awarded Susan Shirley.

In the children's division, with entrants from 3 to 9 years of age, first place went to Tami Wilhelm, Betty Buchanan and Wayne Wilhelm; second place to Tami Wilhelm and Jimmy Buchanan; and honorable mention, Mary and John Kolleck. The sweepstakes trophy in this division went to four-year-old Tami Wilhelm.

Horticultural Division—Potted Plants First awards were received by Mrs. Vincent Patten and Mr. John Klug; second were received by Mrs. John Fitzgerald and Mrs. William Junge.

Horticultural Division—Specimens First awards were received by Mrs. Vincent Patten and Mr. John Klug; second, Mrs. William Junge, Mr. John Klug, Mrs. Vincent Patten, and Mrs. Elmer Junge.

Program Set For Alumnae South Bay Alpha Chi Omega Alumnae Club will hold its second fall meeting on Oct. 3 at the Southern California Edison Co. in Redondo Beach at 8 p.m.

Camping Trip Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Louvier and JoKay, Jay and Jed have returned from a four-day camping and fishing trip at Devil's Postpile National Monument near Mammoth Lakes.

Fun and Fund Club Fun and Fund club of the Torrance Rebekah lodge will meet Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 11 a.m. at the Torrance Masonic Temple, 2326 Cabrillo Ave. A pot luck luncheon will be served followed by a business meeting conducted by Glada Yost, president.

New officers of the club are Mmes. Gilbert L. Fries, president; John Goode, vice president; Roy S. Hopkins, corresponding secretary; I.F. Richardson, recording secretary; Charles Wolfe, treasurer; Charles E. Lewis, publicity chairman, and Lawrence Rothrock, Pan-hellenic representative.

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