

Dance Slated Tonight At Nativity Hall

Tonight a dance at Nativity Parish hall at 1420 Cota avenue, will inaugurate the social activities of the newly organized Senior Young People's Club of Nativity Parish. The dance will be from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. Popular records will supply the tunes, and refreshments will be served, announces Paul Comon, refreshment committee chairman.

The club is open to any young single people between the ages of 18 and 30, and anyone wishing to join the club is welcome to attend the dance. There will be no admission charge.

The initial meeting of the group was held last week in the Parish hall, at which time Father McGuinness officiated and honorary officers were appointed as follows: Dave Bishop, president; Shirley Moody, vice-president; Mary Jeanne Hazlett, secretary, and Paul Comon, treasurer.

SOCIETY

WOMEN'S NEWS

CLUB NEWS

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EASTERN KIN VISITING MINNIE LONG

Mrs. Minnie Long, of 912 1/2 Amapola avenue, is currently enjoying an extended visit by her daughter, Mrs. Charles Grandstaff and her little 5 1/2-year-old daughter, Cindy Lou, from Wheeling, West Virginia. Mrs. Grandstaff is also visiting her two sisters, Mrs. Louis Stewart of 824 Amapola avenue and Mr. Irene Cordova at 712 Pacific Lane, as well as two nephews, LeRoy Davis and Henry Davis and his family on Halldale avenue.

Mrs. Long also had another visitor from West Virginia recently when her cousin, James Long of Wellsburg spent a week at the Amapola address.

DeMolay Mothers Hold July Meet

The DeMolay Mothers Circle met at the home of Mrs. Laura Jones in Lomita for their July meeting. Mrs. Rose Schmidt was co-hostess as Mrs. Rene Dean, president, conducting the meeting, at which 16 members were present.

Bernice Trenarey gave a report on the bi-monthly luncheon to be held at the Torrance Temple in September were discussed.

New club members are Sara Donaldson, Margaret Babbitt, Inez Brady, Maxine Elston, Cleo Jackson, Sally Litaker, Shirley Rowland, and Doris Watson.

Mrs. Mary Lou Eisenhess will open her home for the August meeting, with Lou Anna Collins sharing the hostess honors.

Naomi Circle Has Potluck Supper At The Ron Bishops'

Members of the Naomi Circle of the Methodist Church entertained their husbands last Saturday evening with an informal potluck supper held in the patio of the 3341 Opal street home of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Bishop.

Attending as guests were Reverend and Mrs. John Taylor, and sharing the festivities were Messrs. and Mesdames Harold Littleton, Ronald Petrat, Bob Flowers, Les Murdock, Don Harding, Harold Hayes, A. U. Turner, Jess Lockhart, Tom Thornton, and Ron Bishop.

Highlight of the gathering was an exchange of gifts after the supper. Each couple brought two gifts which were exchanged among the group during games, the gifts taking the place of prizes as well.

Although planned as a money-raising project, and hailed as a notable success on that score, the group enjoyed the affair to such an extent that the circle is planning more such get-togethers in the future.

Margaret Elizabeth Lacy has been assigned as teacher in the Torrance Unified School District for the coming school year.



—Press Photo

THE DELPHIAN SOCIETY, a national discussion group newly organized in Torrance, will study current trends under these new officers. Shown scanning the Society textbook are front row, left to right, Mrs. J. S. Dresser, vice-presi-

dent; Mrs. W. G. Smith, chairman of the seminar board; and Mrs. H. M. Davis, president. In the back are Mrs. D. J. Quinlivan, treasurer, and Mrs. G. E. Walker, secretary.

New Chairmen Ratified By 186th P-TA

Mrs. A. B. Pond, president of 186th Street P-TA, recently called a special board meeting to ratify new chairmen for the coming year.

New chairmen are Mesdames Floyd Beech, parent education; Oliver Lang, unit goals; Raymond Abernathy, newsette; W. S. Stewart, magazines; Carl Smith, hospitality; Ben Cothran, room representative; Robert Parmer, community chest; Claud Hill, ways and means; Harold Sprinkle, membership; J. Evans, Jr., membership posters; Guy DeMontigny, juvenile protection; Robert Melhorn, health; Raymond Stith, home service; Phillip Donaher, child welfare; Earl McCoy, radio and television; Ronald Powell, safety; George Mathews, honorary life membership and legislation; Leonard Wise, youth service; and Earl Beck, citizenship.

Ways and means projects were also discussed and a Hal-loween Carnival was planned for Friday, October 29.

A "Come as you are breakfast" to be held sometime in the early part of September was also discussed.

Pet Show At Normandale

Normandale playground was the scene of a pet show yesterday, as the children brought their various pets for judging and a chance at the ribbon awards.

WALTERIA P-TA MEETING TODAY

The next regular monthly board meeting of the Walteria P-TA will be held today in the school kitchen. The meeting will start at 9:30 and all members are asked to be present.

Approximately 125 people attended the brunch held last week in the Walteria School kindergarten room. Proceeds from this event will be used to aid the two foreign exchange students. Committee members were headed by Mrs. Hector Herrera, ways and means chairman, and Mrs. Harold Wrigley, assistant ways and means chairman.

High Cultural Goals Of Delphian Society Told

The Delphian Society, founded in 1910 as an independent national non-sectarian and non-political discussion group, has organized a Torrance chapter due to the efforts of Mrs. L. N. McKown.

The Torrance group, Kappa Chapter of the Delphians, met for the first time last Thursday morning, and will continue to meet the second and fourth Thursdays in the Torrance Library lecture room from 10 a.m. to noon.

Officers of Group
Newly elected officers are Mesdames H. M. Davis, president; J. S. Dresser, vice-president; G. E. Walker, secretary; D. J. Quinlivan, treasurer, and W. G. Smith, chairman of the seminar board.

At the present time membership is open until a total of 35 is enrolled for the three-year seminar.

Study Methods
The three-year seminar is a college level program outlined

under three classifications, psychology, culture, and political patterns as they are formed by culture.

Members are given assignments to study at home from books that are furnished by the society. However, no books or written notes are taken to the meetings. Each member takes her turn as moderator in the discussions, and although the opening speaker may speak as long as three minutes, others are limited to a one-minute discourse on the subject at hand. This enables all to participate in discussions on diverse subjects covering numerous phases of modern life.

The goal of the group is to gain from their discussions a mature personality, family stability, and responsible citizenship.

Fire Chief And Wife Visit Kin

Touring for two weeks throughout scenic Colorado were Torrance Fire Chief J. J. Benner and Mrs. Benner of 1728

Andreo avenue. While in the colorful state the Benners visited Mrs. Benner's mother Mrs. Henry Frank, her two brothers Phil and Henry Frank, and her sister, Mrs. Henry Schmidt. The Torrance couple also visited Benner's sister Mrs. Roy Hill-gret.

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