

TOPS Helps Weight Watchers

Are you overweight? Want to be a slim trim gal like you were when you were married?

TOPS, Take Off Pounds Sensibly, can help you. The group is based on the same premise that Alcohol Anonymous has so successfully used, stated Mrs. Martin, president.

Meetings are held at St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 1432 Engracia, at 7 to 9:30 p.m. each Tuesday.

There are 85 chapters in the county area and the Torrance group numbers 39 members.

Mary Winter, weight recorder, checks the weight as each member checks in at the meetings. Secretary for the group is Joyce Wooten.

Only women who have a 15 per cent overweight problem are eligible to join the TOPS.

Dues are six dollars a year which includes the TOPS News, a manual, and national chapter dues. Each week members pay 25 cent dues at the local meetings to help defray expenses.

Further information may be obtained by calling Mrs. Martin at FA 8-3080.

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Delta Zeta Slates Business Session

Regular monthly business meeting for the South Bay chapter of Delta Zeta will be held Wednesday, Oct. 19, 8 p.m., at the home of Mrs. Harry G. Forrester, 520 31st St., Hermosa Beach.

The evening program will feature a demonstration on the latest fashions in jewelry.

Interested Delta Zeta alumnae in the South Bay area may make reservations by calling OS 5-8147 or FR 2-0304.

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Golden Wedding Marked by Mr. and Mrs. H. Dean

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dean will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Oct. 16 at 2 p.m. at the Carpenter's Union Hall, 1620 Pier Ave., Redondo Beach.

The Deans were married Oct. 8, 1910 in a small community just outside of Birmingham, Alabama. The young couple planned to elope but found her mother waiting for them.

In order that all of their friends and relatives could attend, the official celebration has been planned for the afternoon of Oct. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean will pledge their vows anew with Judge Ralph Dills performing the ceremony.

Visiting friends and relatives will sign a guest book with Mrs. Maude Ollinger in charge.

The Harry Deans came to California in 1912 and have lived in the South Bay area since 1932.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean are the parents of two daughters,

Mrs. Al Foreman, Redondo Beach; and Mrs. Carl Schenberg, Los Angeles; and of a son, William S. Dean of Torrance.

They have 14 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Mr. Dean has been employed with Columbia Steel since 1932.

"Our recipe for happiness," said Mrs. Dean, "is we tried to understand one another as individuals. Our happiness comes from giving as well as taking."

"Circus Day" Saturday at St. Andrew's

Saturday, is Circus Day at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 1422 Engracia Ave., Torrance.

"Actually, it is the annual bazaar, but a bazaar at St. Andrew's is never just a bazaar," said Mrs. L. D. Goddard, bazaar chairman. "It's a fun day for the whole family!"

From 2 until 9 p.m. clowns, barkers, and entertainment will be provided for all. There will be a Queen Contest, a cake walk, and booths of scrumptious baked goods according to the bazaar chairman.

A dinner will climax the events of the day. Dinner hours are at 5, 6, and 7 p.m. Adults are \$1.75 and children for \$1 under 12, according to Mrs. Hinshaw, who is in charge of reservations. Places may be reserved by calling her at FA 8-1346.

Memberships in Torrance YWCA Open

The Torrance YWCA invites all women and girls 12 years of age and over to become members of the YWCA.

Electors are members who wish to take some responsibility in helping to form the policies of the YWCA and to choose the leaders; for example, the board of directors. Electors must be over 17 years of age, stated Mrs. Minnie Solomon, public relations chairman for the Provisional Committee.

Men and boys are invited to become associate members of the Torrance YWCA.

The program of the Torrance YWCA seeks to meet local needs and provide services which are not being offered elsewhere in the community or by any other agencies, according to Mrs. Solomon.

For further information about membership, inquiries may be mailed to: Torrance YWCA, Post Office Box 398, Torrance, California.

'October Shuffle' Set for Saturday

"October Shuffle" is a dance with a card game theme to be given Saturday, Oct. 15 by the Los Fiesta Doreas dance club.

A card game theme will be carried out from the invitations that were mailed to dance decorations at the Elks Club, 315 Esplanade, Redondo Beach.

Dancing will begin at 9:30 p.m. to the music of Les Tronfier and his orchestra. At 10 p.m. a special guest tournament will be held.

"Members 'canasta' friend," quipped Mrs. Joe Eisenbrandt a member of the committee in charge of the arrangements for the dance.

The arrangement committee members are: Dr. and Mrs. Philip Halloran; Messers and Mesdames Bob Clayton, George Post, "Stubbs" Wilson, and Joe Eisenbrandt.

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CHOW TIME for (left to right) Al Snider, Palos Verdes; Mrs. William Hixson, Torrance; Mrs. Paul Sturdivant, Rolling Hills Estates; Paul Sturdivant, Padre Club president, and Richard

Hapgood, Lomita, when they attend the Padre Club benefit beef barbecue Sunday, Oct. 16, at Lasuen Plaza. —Photo by Christopher Paturzo

J. K. Burchfields Reveal Daughter's Engagment

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Burchfield, 2030 Martina Ave., announced the engagement of their daughter, Emily, to Gerald Eugene Baker.

Baker is the son of Mrs. Marjory Baker, Long Beach, and Clifford Baker of the state of Washington.

Miss Burchfield graduated from Torrance High School in 1951 and attended El Camino College for one year. She was an active member of the G.A.A. and was a Tartar Lady. Emily is also an active

member of the Jobs Daughters.

At present Miss Burchfield is employed by AiResearch Mfg. Co. as a blue print technician.

Baker graduated from Long Beach Polytechnic High School and is employed as an engineer by Space Technology.

The happy couple plan to be married Feb. 4, 1961 at the First Methodist Church where Miss Burchfield is a member.



EMILY BURCHFIELD . . . engaged

Testimonial Set for Noted Leader

Mrs. Anna Grancell, noted humanitarian, will be honored by State of Israel Bonds at a special testimonial, Wednesday, Oct. 19, 8:30 p.m. at Temple Menorah, 112 N. Catalina, Redondo Beach, Dr. Matthew J. Ellenhorn, member of the Board of the Temple, will preside.

A leader of the Bond campaign since its beginning two years ago, Mrs. Grancell holds a long and distinguished record in community service.

Coming here from Philadelphia, Mrs. Grancell and her late husband were engaged in the restaurant business. Mr. Grancell invented a formula for the manufacture of a machine lubricant which is now in general use throughout the world.

It was Mrs. Grancell who financed the construction of Temple Menorah, one of a number of institutions which she and her husband contributed for charitable and cultural purposes.

Lasuen Plaza Setting for Benefit Barbeque

Tree shaded Lasuen Plaza has been chosen by the Padres Club of Fermin Lasuen High School as the setting for their first major benefit event of the 1960-61 season to be held Sunday Oct. 16 when officers and members will preside at a beef barbecue dinner.

Proceeds from this non-invitational affair will be used for the purchase of athletic equipment for the expanded sports program at the school according to Paul Sturdivant, president of the men's organization.

Hours for the gala al fresco party have been set for 2 until 7 p.m. so that families, guests, and friends of Lasuen may view the new school, and meet the faculty and coaching staff in an informal social atmosphere.

Charm, Makeup Authority to Speak at Guild Meeting

Miss Cel Rutledge, dean of teachers at the Caroline Leonteti modeling school, will lecture on charm and makeup, Wednesday, Oct. 19 at 1 p.m. in the Blue Room of Mount St. Mary's College.

Members and friends are invited to attend, according to Mrs. Howard M. Schott, president of the Guild.

Also on the program will be a panel discussion, "The Meaning of College Sororities," presented by Misses Sally Sprigg, president, Kappa Delta Chi; Linda Feinberg, president, Gamma Sigma Phi; Jerri Callahan, president, Tau Alpha Zeta; and Phyllis Lieb, president of the Tri-sororities group.

Plans will be made during the business meeting toward the December tea to be held in the beautiful Doheny home, 8 Chester Pl., Los Angeles.

Alumni mothers are hostesses for the day with Mrs. Charles King, chairman.

Under the general direction of Thomas Ferrell, ways and means chairman, with Vernon Butcher in charge of the dinner, the barbecue is to be staged in the square facing the chapel. It is planned to serve some 800 guests from Palos Verdes Estates, Portuguese Bend, Wilmington, Lomita, Torrance, Miraleste, Harbor City, Rolling Hills, and San Pedro.

Ken Linne, who heads the serving committee, noted that in addition to the barbecued beef with savory sauce Padres chefs are preparing baked beans, tossed green garden salad, hot rolls with butter, and a choice of beverages to complete the dinner menu.

Tickets may be obtained from any Padres Club member, by calling TE 2-8097, or at Lasuen Plaza on Sunday, said John Perini, ticket chairman.

Other Padres Club members assisting with arrangements, are Robert Rados, Peter Melanson, and Harold Froelich of San Pedro; Henry Diharce of Wilmington; Gene Dunne of Rolling Hills; Richard Hapgood of Lomita; and David Brady of Palos Verdes Estates.

Songwriters' Club Opens Fall Season

The Vel-De-Nez Songwriters Club of the Harbor area will mark the opening of the fall season with a housewarming party, Saturday, Oct. 15, 7 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Cox, 1201 Pier Ave., Redondo Beach.

The Deloris Ponticelli Youth Band of Northridge will entertain guests during the evening.

Songwriters interested in the activities of the club have been invited to attend.

Refreshments and a door prize will complete the evening's festivities.

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Secretaries Schedule Mrs. Morse to Speak

"How to Get Along With Your Boss" is the topic selected by Mrs. Bernard A. Morse for her address to the South Bay chapter of the National Secretaries Association.

The group, which is International, will meet at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 20, at the Jump 'N' Jack Restaurant, 2900 Pacific Coast Highway, Torrance.

Mrs. Morse is assistant general manager of the Los Angeles Civil Service Department. She began as an examining assistant for the Department in 1939.

She received her bachelor of arts and master of arts degrees from Stanford University. At the University of California, she was a lecturer in public administration.

Mrs. Morse is active in many business and professional women's organizations. Her fraternal affiliations are with Omega chapter, Stanford; Tri Delta and Pi Sigma Alpha.

Mrs. Edna P. Baker, treasurer of the California Division of NSA, is planning to attend and will conduct the initiation of new members.

Reservations for the dinner meeting are available by calling Mrs. F. G. Charles, OL 3-7010 during working



MRS. B. A. MORSE . . . guest speaker

hours, or at OS 6-1216 after 6 p.m. The reservations deadline is Tuesday, Oct. 18.

The exotic Cyclamen is an amazing performer in California gardens. Plans which you buy in bloom at nurseries this month, will usually show color right through winter and still be in bloom when spring arrives.

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HAWAIIAN THEME — Will be the motif of the Harbor Medical Assistants fashion show and entertainment Tuesday, Oct. 18, at 8 p.m. at the Plush Horse Restaurant. (Left to right, lower) Robin Thomas and Vincents Albiol will dance a Spanish dance, one of the highlights of the event. (Left to

upper) Mrs. Gerald Young, model; Mrs. Walter Cavanaugh; Mrs. Edward Mayer and Mrs. Don McKenzie, model; have helped to plan a festive evening. Fashions are by Mon Botique and hairstyles by Mr. Lazzaro and staff of the Broadway Del Amo.

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AUTUMN SPLENDOR—Theme of the fall fashion show, luncheon and card party sponsored by Marina District of the California Federation of Women's Clubs, Thursday, Oct. 20, at 12 noon. Planning to attend the affair, held at the Club Del Mare, are (left to right) Mrs. R. E. Moffitt, Marina Dis-

trict scholarship chairman; Mrs. Roy Apsey, president, Torrance Woman's Club; Mrs. John W. Thuss, district conservation chairman, and Mrs. R. C. Focha, third vice-president, Torrance Woman's Club. A Halloween motif will be carried out in the decorations.