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The
Torrance Council Way

Mrs. Ralph Gring

COUNCIL
Torrance Council of Parent Teacher Association will hold its meeting Wednesday, April 3, at the Torrance Recreation Center. Coffee will be served at 9 a.m. and Mrs. Perry Baker will preside at the meeting at 9:30 a.m.

WEST HIGH
Mrs. William Robertson was elected president of West High PTA for the 1968-69 school year at the unit meeting March 19. Other officers elected to serve with her are Mmes. Marie Kronar, first vice president; Philip Johnston, second vice president; Warren Steele, third vice president; Harvey Horwich, recording secretary; Glenn Frame, corresponding secretary; Steve Haston, treasurer; John Ramarcz, auditor; and Dale Wood, historian.

JEFFERSON
Newly-elected officers of Jefferson PTA are Mmes. William Morrow, president; Charles O'Harra, first vice president; George Wright, second vice president; Roger Peltz, third vice president; William Hathaway, recording secretary; Clifford Davis, corresponding secretary; Ronald McKee, treasurer; and William Blitze, historian; Mr. Duane Norton, auditor, and Mr. George Marich, parliamentarian. Installation of the new officers will be held in May.

TORRANCE HIGH
Mrs. James Davis, Torrance High School PTA president, announced that during a recent meeting the following officers were elected for 1968-69: Mmes. Jack McDonald, president; S. L. Campbell, first vice president; Mr. Harold Klonecky, second vice president; Mmes. Dale Brubaker, recording secretary; James Fornelli, corresponding secretary; M. E. Momo, treasurer; Howard Martin, historian and Mr. Maurice Wilson, auditor.

Knolls Club Enjoys Trip
Forty members of the Knolls Travelers Club enjoyed an all-day trip by chartered bus recently. They saw the Holy Land Exhibition on Lake View Avenue in Los Angeles and had lunch at the Beadles restaurant in Pasadena before visiting the Descanso Gardens. Mrs. Frank Weust, president, was trip chairman.

Couple Feted At Surprise Party



MR., MRS. GORDON AKERS
On Silver Wedding Date

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Akers, 5112 Laurette St., were guests of honor at a surprise party last Sunday afternoon, given by Mr. and Mrs. William Priest at their home, 5124 Laurette, in celebration of their Silver Wedding Anniversary.

A decorated anniversary cake centered the dining table.

Approximately 25 neighbors and relatives gathered to congratulate the couple and to enjoy a buffet luncheon. The anniversary celebrants were showered with gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Akers were married March 27, 1943 in Lynn, Mass. Torrance has been their home since 1957. The couple are parents of two children, Robert G., 22, serving with the United States Army in Vietnam and a daughter, Cheryl M., student at West High School. Mr. Akers is employed by Hughes Aircraft, El Segundo.



CAMILLE BAXTER
Guest Speaker

Librarian Speaks At Marymount

Camille Baxter, Harbor College librarian, will speak on the preservation and mending of books at a meeting of the Friends of the Marymount Library on Tuesday, April 2, at 10:30 a.m. in the Marymount College Library.

Miss Baxter will stress practical aspects of book-mending gathered through her experience as a librarian. She will display samples of mending materials.

For the past 14 years, Miss Baxter has been librarian at Harbor College and prior to this was librarian at San Pedro High School. She received her BA from UCLA, her BS degree from UC, and her MS from USC.

Mrs. Almond B. Cockerill, program chairman for the Friends of the Library at Marymount College, Palos Verdes Estates, announces that the regular meetings of the group are held at 10 a.m. on the first Tuesday of each month.

Returns Home

Mrs. Beatrice Lord left by plane Thursday morning for her home in New Bedford, Mass., after spending three months here with her nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Akers on Laurette.

Bethel Tours Queen Contest Opens Hospital For Lasuen's Fiesta

Bethel 36, International Order of Job's Daughters, toured Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children in Los Angeles as their semi-annual educational fund trip. The educational fund is for the benefit of Job's Daughters, who need loans to further their education.

Bethel members attending were Barbara and Diane Durian, Susan Vereke, Lois Deering, Michele Martineau, Joan Pinkston, Gwen Smith, Pat Cunerty, Cheryl Cleveland, Carol Collins.

Also, Pam Jackson, Kay Biehler, Janice Engstrom, Sharon and Nancy Putnam, Nancy Stephenson, Melanie Rickabaugh, Nancy Combs, Toni Lindsay, Gail Benedict, Chris Cripe, Sara Wood, Beverly Jahn, Lynn McCartney, Leslie Royce, Chris Eggum, and Gloria Dowden.

Balloons, confetti, and the barker's spiel will soon be the sights and sounds of Fermin Lasuen Boy's High School's annual Spring Fiesta, "La Fiesta de la Primavera," to be held three consecutive nights on the school grounds May 24, 25 and 26.

This year's fiesta will feature games of all kinds, contests, foreign foods, homemade goodies, and such fabulous prizes as a color television set and a glamorous American-made sports car.

Starting this week and ending April 13, Lasuen High School invites all single girls between the ages of sixteen and twenty from the Torrance area to participate in the "Queen of the Fiesta" contest. Gifts from the local

merchants, cash prizes and a golden trophy await the lucky queen and her runners-up.

All girls interested in entering the contest may get application blanks by contacting Mrs. Ernest Garsen, Las Damas de Lasuen president, or by picking up their applications at Fermin Lasuen High School on Western Avenue and 25th Street in San Pedro.

League Party Set April 6

North Torrance Babe Ruth League will stage its annual party on April 6 at the Higgins Brickyard-Patio, 2217 W. Artesia Blvd., Torrance. There will be prizes and refreshments. The public is invited to attend the evening of fun, with activities beginning at 8 p.m.

Bridge Party

A bridge-luncheon for her club was given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Delbert Thomsen at her El Prado home.

High score in bridge was held by Mrs. Jack Day, with Mrs. Henry Backlund second and Mrs. Richard Beecher, third.

Other guests included Mmes. Paul Loranger, Rod Norris, Robert Triplitt and Jack Brooks.

Mrs. Triplitt will be the next hostess on April 23.

Will Entertain Woman's Club

"The World of Carl Sandburg" will be brought to the Torrance Woman's Club at its meeting Wednesday, April 3, at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave., by the Hampton Players. This program will begin at 2 p.m.

At 1 p.m., a business meeting will be held, with Mrs. R. E. Moffitt presiding. After the program, there will be a tea, with Mrs. C.T. Rippy serving as chairman.

Mrs. Kuska To Appear on TV

Mrs. Nellie Kuska, who owns and operates the Kuska Museum at 24101 Walnut St., Lomita, will make her second guest appearance on The Woody Woodbury Show Wednesday, April 3.

Mrs. Kuska will show many art objects from her museum.

Hat Parade To Spark Luncheon

Thursday Club will meet next Thursday for a potluck luncheon in the Recreation Room at the Knolls Lodge. Mrs. David Gartner is in charge of the event. Each member will wear an "Easter Hat" of her own design and a prize will be given for the one judged "the best."

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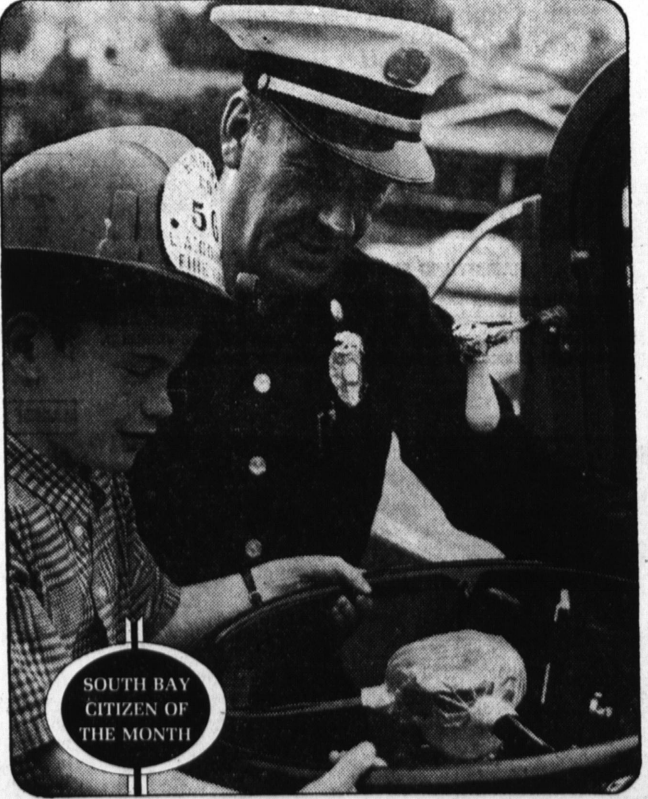
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A Los Angeles County fireman for 17 years, Rolling Hills Captain Cy Jenkins typifies the courage and sense of responsibility that characterize firemen everywhere who chose a job that demands the ultimate in commitment—that they stand ready to risk their lives. Cy Jenkins goes one step beyond. As a long-time Scout Master, he has spent countless hours helping young boys discover and develop the inner resources necessary to lead a valuable life. Through the rigors of long-distance hiking and the challenge of mountaineering, Jenkins has revealed to them the rewards of commitment. "No one has quit yet," he says proudly. With men like Jenkins to inspire them, boys can begin to view their own potential with confidence.



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