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## **Community Jamboree Salutes Civic Groups**



The Torrance Fire Department's 100-foot aerial lad-LENGTHY LADDER . . der truck will make periodic visits to the Torrance Community Jamboree Oct. 7 through 11 at the Grand Theater. Fire captain Donald M in or (fore-ground) watches fireman Bill Wood (center, background) demonstrate the rear wheel cockpit to Chief Robert R. Lucas (left) and Pat Garvey of Pacific Telephone's Torrance Community Relations Team



PICTURE PRETTY . . . YMCA Indian Maidens Robin Morris (left), 8, daugh-ter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris of 22943 Fonthill, and Colleen Cunningham, 9, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cunningham of 5513 Highgrove, are all ready for the Torrance Community Jamboree to be held at the Grand Theater. The girls are two of many Indian Maidens who, with their mothers, will display Indian lore and crafts at the jamboree

**Event** Opens Monday for **Five-Day Run** 

The Torrance Community Jamboree a The Torrance Community Jamboree a salute to Torrance area service and civic groups, will open Monday noon at the Grand Theater, 1522 Craven St., and continue through Friday.

All segements of Torrance civic life will All segements of Torrance civic life will be represented at the jamboree which will be open daily from 12 noon until 9 p.m. Booths will be located inside the theater, while the larger displays will be located across the street in a parking lot. The jam-boree is free of charge.

Arranged by the Torrance Pacific Tel-ephone Community Relations Team, head-ed by Jim Conn, the jamboree is a first-of-its-kind in the Los Angeles area and is expected to attract thousands of persons throughout the week the week.

Free long distance telephone calls will Free long distance telephone calls will be given «way from the Pacific Telephone Direct Distance Dialing display which was unveiled recently at the Los Angeles County Fair, according to Conn, local telephone man-

Persons who will receive the free tele-phone calls will be selected by the "com-puterized" display which will be manned by 'Toriance telephone personnel. Persons receiving the free nationwide telephone calls will telephone from an air conditioned family booth at the display. family booth at the display.

Jamboree participants include the Torrance Downtown Association, Del Amo Fi-nancial Center, Torrance Family YMCA, Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce, Tor-



FREE TELEPHONE CALLS . . . Nedra Bushby (left) and Vivian Goddard of Pacific Telephone will be among the local telephone employes giving away free telephone calls at Pacific's Direct Distance Dialing display at the Torrance Com-munity Jamboree at the Grand Theater, 1522 Craven St. The computerized dis-play will automatically select persons who will receive a free long distance telephone call.

rance Jaycees, Torrance Municipal Airport, Torrance Unified School District, Torrance Fire Department, City Library, Red Cross, the city's Recreation Department, and the U.S. Army, Ft. MacArthur. "The jamboree is a consolidated effort to bring the many civic services available to Torrance residents together," Conn said. "I urge every citize to attend the jamboree

to bring the many civic services available to Torrance residents together," Conn said. "I urge every citizen to attend the jamboree and visit the many displays." "Your Own Thing" is the theme of the Recreation Department's display which will be rotated throughout the week. Craft demonstrations by experts in their respective fields, including ceramics, paint-ing, fencing and guitar playing, are sched-uled. Booth vsitors may also try their hand at oil painting, on a 7-foot community mural. A continuous slide show of the city's recre-ation activities is also planned. Outside the theater, the recreation de-partment has scheduled the Happy Wander-er Theater, a port-a-park display, a mobile nature museum, and a ski demonstration. The City Library will emphasize the technical side of the library at its booth. The display will follow a book from its arrival at the processing center until ready for the library shelves. An artist's rendering of the city's new library also will be on display, A "behind the scenes" look at Torrance Fire Department will include a display of specialized tools and equipment not often seen by the public. A "fire starters" display will show Torrance residential fires. The city's

will show Torrance residents the probable cause of many residential fires. The city's

100-foot aerial ladder truck is scheduled to make periodic visits to the jamboree. "Education in Action" is a display by the Torrance Unified School District which will acquant residents with the new look of education. A slide series will show the many phases of education and its application to the local community. Indian lore and crafts will be displayed by the Torrance Family YMCA, Indian Guides and Maidens at the jamboree. Guides and Maidens will be dressed in authentic Indian costumes.

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The experimental aircraft "Flutter-bug," a pint-size portable aircraft, will be displayed by Torrance Municipal Airport. Other air-port displays will include an air traffic dis-play, a scale model of the 500-acre airport and industrial services available at the air poet. port.

port. The Torrance Police Department has scheduled a dangerous weapons and narcot-ics display along with its emergency com-munications control station. Local police of-ficers will be on hand to answer questions

ficers will be on hand to answer questions about the displays. Refreshments will be sold in the thea-ter balcony by the Torrance Police Officers Association. Proceeds will be used for youth activities in the Torrance area. The Red Coats of the Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce will be on hand at the Chamber booth to explain the many serv-ices available by the Torrance Chamber. Tor-rance Jaycees and the Red Cross also plan similar information-type booths similar information-type booths,



FUTURE PLOTTED . . . John Blaisdell, chairman of the Torrance Airport Commission, point out a probable growth area on a scale model of the 55-acre Torrance Municipal Airport to be displayed at the Torrance Community Jamboree. Viewing the model are (from left) Kay Kling, airport secretary; Linda Jones of Pacific Telephone; and Bill Critch-field, assistant airport manager.



BED COATS READY ... The Torrance Area Chamber of Commerce Red Coats will be on hand at the Torrance Community Jamboree next week to ex-plain the many chamber programs offered to area businessmen. Checking over the chamber's information display are (from left) Red Coat chairman Bob Morris Pacific Telephone's Scott Harrison, Marjorie Murdoch of the Chamber and George M. Ebert, chamber president. Pacific Telephone's Torrance Com-munity Relations Team is arranging the jamboree as a community service.









DANGEROUS WEAPON ... Sgt. Gene Erbetta of the Torrance Police De-partment shows Pacific Telephone's Betty Gutman a dangerous weapon dis-play which will be displayed at the Torrance Community Jamboree Monday through Friday. Police also will display a narcetics board at the city's emercommunications booth at the jamboree.

COMMUNITY MURAL . . . The Torrance Recre-ation Department will sponsor a do-it-yourself community mural at its Torrance Community Jamboree booth. Billie Allen (right), displays the recreation theme, "Your Own Thing," while recre-ation leader Jo Ann Marsh and Pacific Telephone's Bruce Jenson try their hand at painting on the 7-foot mural.

NEW INNOVATIONS ... The Torrance Unified School District will present a slide series entitled "Education In Action" at the Torrance Community Jam-boree next week at the Grand Theater, 1522 Craven St. Board President Dr. Owen Griffith and Superintendent Dr. J. H. Hull preview the slide show with Pacific Telephone's Bill Uerkwitz, a Torrance councilman. Pacific Telephone ling the arrangements of the jamboree as a comm

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