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# Guest Editorial

MOTHERHOOD . . . .

ON WHICH CIVILIZATION IS BUILT

By LOUISE BADGER



The celebration of Mothers' Day this month makes one stop and remember what a rich heritage belongs to those who have benefited by having had a real mother.

The underlying qualities of heart and mind that make up motherhood are basic to the preservation of the human race. Motherhood is love in action. It cherishes, protects, administers, educates. It is a foundational influence that lasts throughout one's entire life.

"A mother's affection cannot be weaned from her child, because mother-love includes purity and constancy, both of which are immortal. Therefore maternal affection lives on under whatever difficulties." (Mary Baker Eddy)

Any child who has been nurtured by a real mother gains an instinctive confidence in good and a sense of stability and security which can be obtained in no other way. When a firm conviction in good is instilled at an early age, the child goes forward better equipped to meet the frustrations and contradictions of a materialistic society.

There never was a time when true motherhood was more needed than right now, to help combat the dire threats of this day and age.

So let Mother's Day be gratefully commemorated by remembering that the basic qualities of thought on which civilization is built start with Mother.

**ABOUT THE AUTHOR . . .** Mrs. Louise Badger came to Rancho Santa Fe in 1925 from New York City. At that time the total population here numbered five families! She has one son, Ed Spurr, who lives on Sun Valley Road with his wife Thane, and two lovely daughters, Kim and Tam. Mrs. Badger is in the public practice of Christian Science.

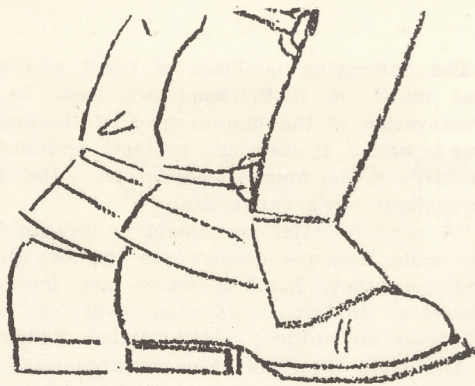


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By DAVE BURGER

STRIKE! CRACK! SLIDE! "Yer Out!" Yes, these are some of the sounds you'll be hearing down at Richardson Memorial Field when the Rancho Santa Fe Little League starts play. . . . Seventy boys, from the age of 7½ to 12 years, have been practicing under the watchful supervision of some of the fathers, grandfathers, and just interested adults, who have given a few of their leisure hours a week to help instruct these young men in a clean, wholesome, and healthy game of baseball.

Much has been written about Little League Baseball. Some of the stories have been slanted slightly to fit into the realm of taking too much time from Dad's recreation and just causing problems around the household when baseball comes around. Others have said that it is a real character builder for the youth of the country.

It is a program designed to ingrain in the growing up period of youth, the high standards of beneficial discipline, training, integrity, physical fitness and the will to win. The wholesome aspects of the youngsters taking part in the program that cultivates beneficial experiences of coordinated teamwork and good sportsmanship is a highly complimentary reflection on the spirit and contagious enthusiasm of the parent and volunteer leader. During its first quarter century, Little League has developed a sense of dedication and devotion to the welfare of youngsters, and has passed this dedication in trust from generation to generation. In the process it has become the motivating force, the impetus by which Little League has grown to stature and high public esteem.

Every parent of the boy who plays Little League Baseball has a responsibility to do his or her part in the community effort. There is no substitute for active parent participation, nor is there any circumstance which compels the local league to accept children whose parents, by refusal or apathetic indifference, fail to apply themselves to the affairs and interest of the league. Many of our boys have enjoyed a year, perhaps two or three years, of Little League participation only because adult volunteers other than their parents have made the sacrifice and given of themselves to make it possible.

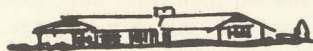
We hope the parents, grandparents, and just neighbors, will attend Little League games and support the league's activities. Youngsters who play Little League are at an impressionable age and sensitive to parental reaction.

Indifference on the part of the parent is almost certain to be reflected in the boy's attitude towards the game. Presence of parents in the stands during a game is a source of encouragement and stimulation for the boys. It is also a deep felt pleasure, that may never be recaptured as long as your boy is just a "kid."

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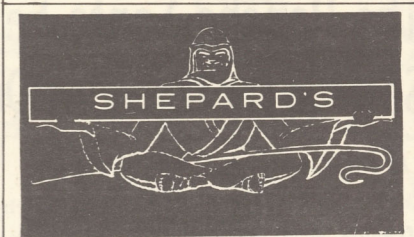
It is a pre-conceived, but erroneous notion that unless a parent has already established qualifications as a coach, a manager or for some kind of administrative capacity, he cannot be of help to the League. Some parents find it easy to excuse non-participation on these grounds. There are many teaching aids which we can and will provide. Importantly, there is a small nucleus of men who have had experience and are willing to help in teaching the parents something that they have learned over the period of years. Each year we have a group of boys who graduate and usually the parents "graduate" with them. There is an unreplenishable loss of experienced adult leadership and service.

Parents of new boys coming into the program must take up where others leave off. This is where the enrichment of several adults, each helping, each lending his own experience, brings out a faith and confidence in the boy that he will retain for many years of his life.

Little League should be a happy family experience. Making it that way, through intelligent and unselfish participation, best defines the role of the parent. LET'S PLAY BALL!

"The strength of a nation rests in the character of her men. And character comes from boyhood. Thus every boy is a challenge to his elders. . . . For the world of tomorrow about which all of us are dreaming and planning will be carried forward by the boys of today," (Herbert Hoover)

**ABOUT THE AUTHOR** . . . Dave Burger is one of Rancho Santa Fe's most ardent boosters. Owner of Daby's Fashion Shop in the village, a member of the Rotary Club, and a busy husband and father of three . . . David still finds time to assume Little League top chores, and will also head up the Ranch PTA come Fall.



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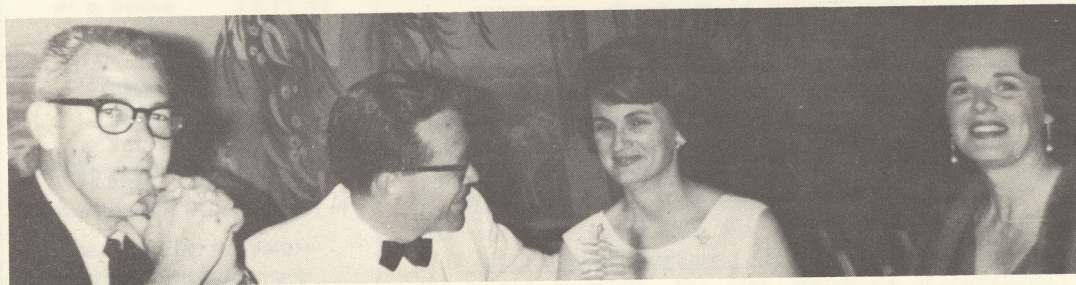
Victor Mature sponsors the "Victor Matures" and he and Dave "ham it up" for the camera!

# The Rancho Santa Fe Inn Once Again is the Picturesque Setting for the Las Duenas Mariposa Ball!

It was a fabulous evening! Ranchoites, and friends from surrounding communities turned out three hundred strong, to partake of liquid refreshments, dine on beef stroganoff, and dance until the wee small hours. Both the Inn's charming "Garden Room" and the delightful "Meeting House" were capacity filled... adding well over one thousand dollars to the worthwhile Las Duenas treasury.



Hubert and Betty Brooke laugh it up as Dave Burger clowns it up! Harriet Burger shares the fun.



Former Ranchoites, the Bill Moellerings, (first and third from left) enjoy a fun-filled evening with the Bill Herberts.



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## ★ This month in the Rancho Santa Fe School! ★

LINDY NOVAK, Grade 1 — Mrs. Petretta



We have a new cat. I haven't named him yet. But we call him Kitsy. I have a little brother too. Can you guess what he does to my hair? He pulls it as little babies like Mike do. In the month of April Cynthia Briggs got her tonsils out. And Danny

Tague got his adenoids out too. Roy in the second grade brought two baby birds in that he found in a barn around his house. All they did was sit on Roy's arm. Our class is learning songs about "Are you sleeping brother John" and "Down by the station". We have learned to sing them with the boys starting and the girls starting in the middle of the boys singing. And also Steve Wagner had a birthday and Betsy Dodds had one too.

MARTHA DRIGGS, Grade 1-2—Mrs. Matthews



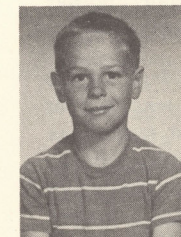
Dear readers,

Mrs. Matthews' sister died. She is not at all happy about it. The class is very sad. It is hard to believe, but it happened. Chrise Strohmeier's cats had kittens. One hid a litter. Now Chrise can't find them. Oh deary me! Martha Driggs' family took care of a litter of

puppies for Mrs. Stewart. There were six pups in the litter. Three were girls and three were boys. Anne Dawkins' family went to the Feist's house for dinner. They had lots of fun. The sixth grade went to camp for a week. I wish

I could! Margaret Ann Worstell's cat died. But her grandmother came to visit her. Mrs. Gilbert (our substitute) owns an accordion. Sue Dee played the piano part (Yankee Doodle) while Mrs. Gilbert played the rest. It sounded like a band! Our class is studying Indians. I know a lot more about Indians than I used to! It is fun to learn about Indians. "At Spanish time my class orders food. Not real food but food cut out of magazines." It is fun, but it doesn't taste very good! John Mohr had a birthday party at school. We ate: cupcakes, ice cream and punch. We felt like stuffed chickens! But it was better than the food we had at Spanish time! At recess on our kick-ball team Sue Dee caught three flies in a row! We were very proud of her.

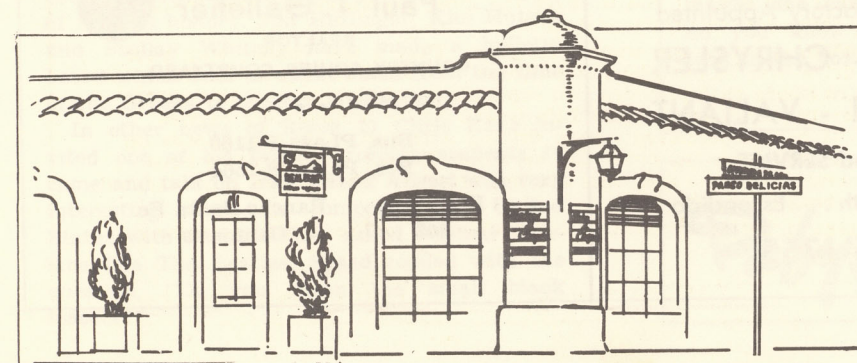
STEPHEN HOPKINS, Grade 2 — Miss Holden



In the month of April my class did these things. The second grade has two new girls. The girls' names are Lisa Janes and Patty Ziskin. The class is working with Cuisenaire rods. We are doing Addition and Subtraction with them. We had two birthdays in April.

Keith Stuart's birthday was April 14 but he had his party on April 11. Stephen Hopkins' birthday was April 23. Kathy Haflinger got a new kitten from Greg Scarr.

Tommy Haddad went to the hospital to get his tonsils out because he had tonsillitis. Joey Kowalski built an ant farm for red ants. Gaby Mandelik is going on a vacation behind the Iron Curtain. The class is learning about musical notes. The class has been looking at film  
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strips on being responsible. Roy Titcomb went on a camping trip. The class is doing book reports and Science reports. Robert Mannion got some pigeons. Lili Ford got two kittens.

**ANN JO CREUTZ, Grade 3 — Mrs. Parkinson**



Our class went on a field trip to three different libraries in San Diego. The first library we went to was a public library. The library has about 600,000 books. There were pictures in the library. The pictures were made by children. We went to the

Newspaper Room. They had newspapers from Hawaii and from Alaska and from London. The London paper had stronger paper. We also went to the Children's Room. We looked around a bit. We went to a law library. It had over 10,000 books. About 50 lawyers come a day. The third library was a teachers' library. We were tired when we got back.

Julie Roe's mother is going to some different countries. Julie is staying with Kim Comey. Her mother went around the world also. James Peery broke his arm and now it's in a cast. He broke it on the monkey bars wearing a baseball mitt on his left hand. He writes with his left hand too. I put my name on his cast. Mike Holland had laryngitis. Janice Hammack went to a horse show. Randy, Allen and Steven are new boys in our class. We had another boy named Randy, but he moved.

**FRED WORSTELL, Grades 3 & 4—Mrs. Taylor**



This month was full of events. The first event was the fourth grade trip to San Juan Capistrano. We had a lot of fun because Mrs. Feist's class went along too. Our second event was the third and fourth grade trip to three libraries. Mrs. Parkinson's

class went also. Mrs. Taylor's class has welcomed two new children. They are both third

graders and their names are Michel Bowen and Stan Ferdyn. In game time Tim Savage adds fun and laughs to four square. Achievement tests have come around for the fourth grade. They started the 15th of April and ended the 16th. Senora Collins has a new dog. His name is Hud and he is half Chihuahua and half something odd. Our class has been doing inner tube printing during art. It has been fun. Sentences are very popular in our room. Noisy boys and girls write them. Sharon Lang moved to Encinitas.

Goodbye readers, see you next month.

**ALEX WATTS, Grade 4 — Mrs. Feist**

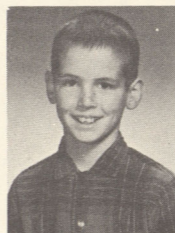


In Social Studies, we are studying early California so on April 21st, Mrs. Feist's class went with Mrs. Taylor's class on a field trip to the San Juan Capistrano Mission, which is the oldest standing building in the State of California. The trip lasted

for approximately an hour and fifteen minutes. When we got there, we paid the admission, which was 25 cents. We were soon at a place where there were hundreds of pigeons. Most of us had extra money so we bought packs of seeds for 5 cents. Before long, most of us had at least one pigeon, while some of us had three, including myself. We soon passed some beautiful gardens, where we soon came upon some bells, which have been hanging there since 1813. We then passed another huge garden, and came to a gate, where two doors were opposite each other. We went into a museum, where we saw many beautiful examples of Indian cultures. There were also many things used by the Padres and the Spanish soldiers. There were souvenirs, so some of us bought some. Then we passed another huge garden and came to a chapel, which is called Father Serra's church. It was the most beautiful thing that I have ever seen! The altar is gold-leafed! It was beautiful. After a short time we came to some things like the tallow vats, the metal smelter, the jail, the barracks building and

many other things. When we left, we soon stopped at a beach and had lunch. When we got back to school we stayed outside because it was only about three minutes before 3:00.

**DAVE BURGER, Grades 5 & 6 — Mr. Taylor**



During the month of April many things happened in our class.

We received two new children in our room whose names are Karen Jones and Mike Ziskin. Karen was formerly from San Diego and Mike was from Palm Desert.

Hubbard Howe celebrated his birthday and took some friends to Sea World and had a nice time.

The week of the 19 of April we had testing. And then the week of the 26th sixth graders went to camp. They are going to be gone until about 1:00 p.m. Friday of the same week.

Almost all the boys in our room are in Little League. The boys of Rancho were split up into teams and the games are going to start the week of May 4th.

Senora (Mrs.) Collins, our Spanish teacher, shared her new dog Hud. He is part Chinese Pug and part Chihuahua.

**CHRIS KANE, Grade 5 — Mrs. Ross**



Hello readers: The month of April was gay with many birthdays in Room 11. Robert Briggs started the month off by bringing a pinata to school and giving the class a party. Leslie Champ's birthday followed on April 7th and then Lucy Murphy turned

eleven on the 10th. Then Jenny Knudsen became eleven on April 24th. Next was Billy Stromeyer's on the 25th and the month of birthdays was completed on April 29th when Yager Cantwell celebrated his.

Robin Booth and Candy Coberly have put up an outstanding bulletin board with the title **Spring Has Sprung**. Christopher Borst, Kim Hujsak, John Meyer, David Sproul and Bart Worthington have made one of the most interesting bulletin boards of the year on the subject of natural history. Jim Haflinger, Kim Hujsak and Scollay Whitney have made a bulletin board which tells us about math from the time of the Greeks to modern civilization.

In other news of Room 11 Chris Kane invited one of his father's foreign students to come and talk on Iran. Saaed Ansari was very interesting when he compared the United States with Persia. When asked whether Iranians like The Beatles, Saaed replied with the question, "Do you mean the small black insects?"

Many wished that they could have been out of school on April 23 and 24 because those were the days for testing.

Mark Giffin's father went to Panama to sell a boat to the Panamanian Government. Bart Worthington's family is building a pool in which they hope to swim during the hot days of summer. Jenny Knudsen is about to become a movie star. Jenny will be seen very shortly on Bonanza, so keep watching Channel 10.



**LOIS STEWART and SHERRI SPROUL**

**Grade 6 — Mr. Rowe**

Hi there! These past few weeks we've been very busy. We've gone through anything from going on long trips to just going on an adventure around the neighborhood.

Kathleen Randol spent an exciting time in Illinois, visiting with some friends. Among the visitors to the desert this month were Wendy Ticomb and Lois Stewart. On April 3 Sherri Sproul's dog at six puppies while on the 15th her cat had four kittens, Whoa! On the same side Tom Wellman's mare, Cindy, had a new colt. During the adventures around the neighborhood Cathy Paulin and Ariel Torian found an owl's egg while Lee Dewey and Cindy Loomis found some birds in a nest. Also Nancy Whitney found four wild baby rabbits. Just a few days ago our class finished the achievement test. We had a wonderful time at sixth grade camp up in the Cuyamacas. We stayed there from April 27 to May 1, 1964. More next time about this!

**PERSONAL**

Dear Mrs. Giffin:

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By LISA KRAH

This past month has been fairly active for most members of the Rancho Riding Club. We had an especially fine turn-out for the Hunter Trials on April 18th. Also, many ribbons were brought home from shows held in surrounding areas. Several events are scheduled for May, including jump clinic, gymkhana, trail ride and polo.

The semi-annual class competition will be held at the Riding Club Stables on May 15th. Over 100 children attend these equitation classes conducted by Louise and Bob Rice. The classes are divided according to ability. The winner of the last competition then judges the next one; thereby teaching the children ring presense, and understanding of the art of judging.



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## President....

MR. AL RIDLAND, PRES.  
RANCHO RIDING CLUB

The President's job, as in most organizations, is primarily one of finding somebody else to do all the work. Keeping the affairs of the Club going takes more people and many more man-hours than most members probably realize; if asked to name all the chairmen at work on various projects, most members might be doing well to name half of them. There are actually 19, not counting the Treasurer, who probably has the most time-consuming job of all. In addition to the chairmen responsible for the different riding activities, shows, and upkeep of the Club property, there are those with administrative duties such as the Building Chairman in charge of clubhouse plans and financing, Chairman of legal affairs including contracts, tax and insurance matters and Publicity Chairman, to name but a few.

Having delegated as much work as possible to these unsuspecting people, the President tries to get them the information and assistance they need to do their various jobs, and then sees that everything proceeds according to schedule. This occasionally involves pinch-hitting for someone who is ill or out of town, but with the wonderful committees we have the need seldom arises.

Administrative duties of the president include serving as a distribution center for questions, information and complaints from the membership and the general

public. The president is the liaison officer with the Rancho Santa Fe Association both directly and through the Park and Recreation Board, of which he is also a member. These matters, along with normal Club business, he either brings to the attention of the appropriate chairman or places on the agenda for discussion at the next monthly meeting of the Board of Directors. When decisions are required that cannot wait for the next meeting, he may settle minor matters himself; those of a more serious nature he can refer to the executive committee, consisting of the four Club officers, while those involving major policy decisions may require either a special meeting of the full Board or telephone contact of each Board member. At the regular monthly meetings, the President directs the Board's attention to accumulated business and asks the Board for decisions on the various matters which determine the purposes, policies and activities of the Club.

Apart from the normal flow of business, one of the biggest and most exciting projects under discussion is the proposed clubhouse. The Board has decided that a project of such major proportions should only be undertaken with the approval and support of the membership. David Comey, the Building Chairman, has been spending a great deal of time preparing plans and obtaining contractors' bids and discussing the project with various financial institutions. The Board's aim is to have a firm, overall proposal to present to the Membership prior to the semi-annual June meeting so that a vote can be taken and a final decision made at that time. Please start making plans now to attend!

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**THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE OF THE GARDEN CLUB** will present the following slate of officers to the meeting on Tuesday, May 12th for consideration and approval. Mrs. Neil Randol, for re-election as President; Mrs. Edward Hujsak, Vice President; Mrs. John Grimm, second Vice President; Mrs. Lee Taylor, Secretary; Mrs. Marshall Middleton, Treasurer; Mrs. George Richter, Corresponding Secretary. The Board of Directors includes: Mrs. Charles Chapin; Mrs. Glenn Mitchell; Mrs. Alfred Cope; Mrs. D. M. Bakewell; and Mrs. John Couch.

**THE BEAUTIFICATION AND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF THE GARDEN CLUB** holds its regular meeting on the last Thursday of each month in the Rose Room of the Garden Club. The new officers of the 1964-65 season include: Helen Weddell, Chm; Frank Coffin, Co-Chm; Don Dickinson, Treas; Alwin Trepte, Asst. Treas; Mrs. Frank Fleming, Rec. Sec't. The Committee members are: Sam M. Lee, Harry Taylor, Margaret Amtmann, Howard Whiffen, Florence Trepte, Mrs. Arthur Lindburg, Mrs. J. Widman Bertch. Frank Cantwell is in charge of clean-up.

**RANCHO-COASTAL HUMANE SOCIETY** celebrates "Be Kind To Animals Week". The Animal Shelter, located on 389 Requeza Street in Encinitas, welcomes friends and supporters. This very worthwhile organization, spear-headed by vivacious and vigorous Maria Lloyd, not only accepts all unwanted animals... but finds lost pets, rescues animals in distress, places animals in good homes, and many more important duties. Contributions and/or memberships are gratefully appreciated.

**COUNTRY FRIENDS** . . . A spring membership luncheon and the annual election of officers will be held by The Country Friends in The Meeting House at The Inn on Thursday, May 21, at 12 o'clock. The usual no-host social hour will be held in The Vintage Room from 11 o'clock until 12.

The guest speaker for the meeting will be Dr. Ernest F. Witte, Dean of the School of Social Work at San Diego State College.

Mrs. Edward Havens of Rancho Santa Fe will be chairman for the event and she will be assisted by hostesses from the Del Mar-Solana Beach, Encinitas-Cardiff-Leucadia and Rancho Santa Fe areas. Hostesses from Rancho Santa Fe are Mmes. William Jack, Robert La Prella, Harrie Taylor, Eugene Bashore and Robert Francisco. The Del Mar area will be represented by Mmes. Martin Toohey, Rex Smith, Frances Cornwell, Donald Lapham, H. M. Chadwell and Douglas Carman. Hostesses from Encinitas are Mmes. E. S. Blue, H. G. Gladhill, Ray Hughes, Jack Harrington, Phillip Boyer and M. W. Stofer.

The table decoration for the luncheon will be furnished by a committee from Encinitas under the chairmanship of Mrs. Harry Kapherr. Other members of the committee are Mrs. Stephen Millis and Mrs. Robert Cozens.

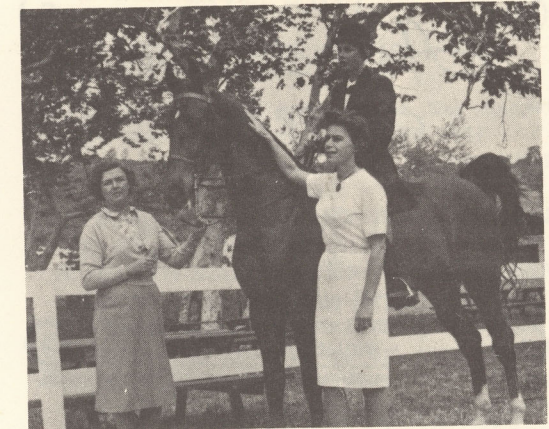
Reservations may be made in the Rancho Santa Fe area by calling Mrs. Edward Havens, 756-2431 or 756-1095. Due to a limited seating capacity, the number of reservations will be limited to 230 and the list will close at noon, May 18. Members wishing to insure acceptance of their reservations are requested to call as soon as possible.

The Country Friends Shop is holding its semi-annual 25 percent discount sale during the entire month of May. All merchandise in the shop, with a few exceptions, is included in the sale. Many fine pieces of antique furniture, silver, and paintings are offered at this large discount. Members are urged to acquaint their friends with this fine opportunity and visit the shop during the month-long sale.

**THE STAMP CLUB** meets the second Monday of each month at the Rancho Santa Fe Garden Club. Meetings are open to Juniors as well as Seniors, and programs include open discussions, speakers, and movie slides. This club was organized a year ago by Carl Cato who has just been re-elected as President. Other officers include Bob Hughes, vice president; and Murray Hawkins, secretary. Mr. Cato is a member of the American Philatelic Society, and the Stamp Club is a chapter member.

**LIBRARY GUILD** . . . Mrs. Erna Clark, second vice president of the Library Guild, is chairman for the first membership luncheon of the Guild to be held June 4th in the Garden Room of the Rancho Santa Fe Inn. Miss Frances Hahn, head of the San Diego County Libraries, will be the guest speaker. Miss Hahn, who was recently acclaimed as one of the most amusing and informative speakers ever to address the Rotary Club, will speak on the many problems that confront a library, such as censorship, vandalism, pornography, etc. Telephone reservations may be placed with Mrs. Louise Badger, 756-1632. A no-host social hour will precede the luncheon.

**THE BOOK CLUB** will hold its final meeting of the season on May 26th. Election of officers will be held, and the out-going officers will be the hosts for this meeting which will be a "fun meeting" as a climax to a very enjoyable year. Meetings will resume again on the last Thursday in September. Present officers include Mrs. Ray Grisct, President; Mrs. Henry Sanger, Vice President; Mrs. John Goodwin, Treasurer; and Mrs. Edward Schriefer, Secretary.



## Riding Club Horse Show June 6 & 7

Premium lists are in the mail for the 18th annual Rancho Riding Club Horse Show, to be held at the club grounds, June 6-7. Entries close May 20.

In the 18 years since its inception, it has grown enormously. Beginning as a "family" show, it now has 50 classes and as many as 500 horses participating. It is the second largest horse show in the county.

Eric Atterbury, as show manager, is well known throughout the state as manager of the annual Del Mar Horse Show at the San Diego County Fair. He expects to attract many entries from the Los Angeles area.

Since 1962 the Rancho Riding Club Horse Show has been sponsored jointly by the Riding Club and the San Dieguito and Escondido Units of the Women's Auxiliaries to the Children's Hospital. The partnership has been very profitable, with proceeds being divided equally between the Club and the Children's Hospital.

Chairman for the Rancho Riding Club, this year, is Mrs. Fred Booth, and for the San Dieguito Unit, Mrs. Richard McClure. Mrs. Roy Klema will assist as Chairman for the Escondido Unit.

An exhibitors party will be held at the picnic area of the club, following the last class, on Saturday, June 6. Carmen Schoensee heads the committee for the party.

The show attracted upwards of 1,000 people last year. Admission is free and parking and refreshments are available.

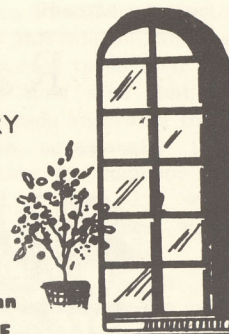
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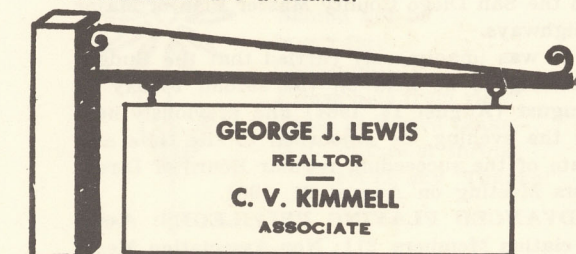
#### — FINAL INSPECTIONS —

- Vogel Residence
- Schell Residence

During March, the following projects were actually underway:

|                                 |    |
|---------------------------------|----|
| Residences                      | 14 |
| Pools                           | 3  |
| Apartment units                 | 4  |
| Stables and Corrals             | 4  |
| Misc. additions and alterations | 12 |

David B. Dewey, Jr.  
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# Association Bulletin and NEWS

Approved by the Board of Directors  
for publication of the Association  
Bulletin 3-6-64

## BOARD MEETING, APRIL 3rd, 1964

Secretary Cope presented the Gross Receipts of the Association as of March 1964.

Mr. J. B. Jenkins, Project Manager for Amberwood Construction Co., gave a presentation on the Whispering Palms project and asked the Board to consider approval of some two-story single family dwellings in the project. President Blackman stated that the Board would discuss the matter and inform Mr. Jenkins of their decision.

The Board considered the matter of the request for realignment on portion of Lot 4, Santa Margarita Tract by R. LANDEN & S. KEETH. It was unanimously approved by the Board.

Director Shaw reported on the progress in changing the out-of-bounds markers on the golf course to fall immediately inside the bridle trails and service roads in most places.

It was unanimously carried that the **Annual Golf Cart Lease Fee** be reduced from \$600 (tax included) to \$450 plus tax (\$540 total) **beginning July 1, 1964**. Prepaid fees at previous rate to be refunded on a pro-rata basis. Also that pre-paid Annual Golf Playing Privilege Fees for next fiscal year be billed for the full year, with the privilege of paying in two equal installments—July 1st and January 1st.

Mr. B. H. Hoffmaster, Flood Control Engineer for the County of San Diego, gave a presentation on current and proposed flood control measures for the area.

The Board unanimously approved the following Association Members to serve as Nominating Committee for the election of Directors: R. M. Clotfelter, Chairman; Dr. Victor E. Stork and Hubert Brooke, members.

President Blackman made a report on the status of the Association's interest in regard to the San Diego County Master Plan of Major Highways.

It was unanimously carried that the Budget Meeting to be held on the second Friday in August (August 14, 1964) and previously held in the evening, be adjourned to the time and date of the succeeding regular Board of Directors Meeting on August 21, 1964.

**ADVANCED PLAYING PRIVILEGES: Association Members, 211; Non-Association Members, 130.**

## BOARD MEETING, APRIL 17th, 1964

The Statement of Financial Condition as of March was presented.

The Village Press' (Mrs. Ruth Giffin) printing of the Association Bulletin was extended an additional two months, through the May and June issues.

A sign requested by the Youth Activities Committee for the ball park was approved to control usage.

It was unanimously carried that the Annual Reports from the various Committees be printed and mailed to each Association Member prior to the Annual Meeting which falls on June 5th this year.

It was noted that Election of Directors would take place on June 8th this year. The Nominating Committee presented the following list of candidates to fill the three vacancies occurring on the Board as of July 1964: Dr. John C. Bovee, Mr. Hubert Larson, Mr. Al C. Ridland, Mr. Brereton Teagle and Mr. Cyrus C. Thieme.

At the recommendation of the Golf Course Committee the extra 50 cent charge for renting golf carts with a canopy, was discontinued.

## Approvals Granted

The application of H. R. OWENS to SUB-DIVIDE a Por. of Lot 1, Blk. 44 (Linea del Cielo) a gross acreage of 20.4 into seven (7) sites one of 2.5 acres net, and six of 3.0 acres net was approved.

The application of Mr. and Mrs. GRAY THORON to "cut-off" by SUBDIVISION a 2.4 Acre parcel in a Por. of Blk. "J," Sec. 22 (El Vuelo) from their gross acreage of 82.61 A. for the purpose of providing an **access road**, was approved with the stipulation that it is **not to be considered a building site** and shall be so stated in the deed.

The application of JOHN E. KAUFMAN for REALIGNMENT of Por. of Lot 1 and Lot 9, Blk. 36 (El Camino Real) was approved.

The application of J. B. SHAMEL (MANION, CALDER & CHAPIN-PHEASANT-MITCHELL ESCROW) for KEEPING OF ANIMALS (15 horses—thoroughbreds and quarter) on Lots 6 and 8, Block 27, Map 1742 (El Mirador) was approved with specific attention being drawn to the fact that no boarding of animals or any commercial venture would be allowed in this residential zone.

The application of E. R. BLAISDELL "RANCH GOURMET" for COMMERCIAL SIGNS at the Valenciana Plaza Building, La Granada was approved.

The application of J. LARREA, "WISHING WELL HOTEL" for replacing a COMMERCIAL SIGN at Via de Santa Fe and Via de Valle (north corner) was approved.

**ADVANCED PLAYING PRIVILEGES: Association Members, 211; Non-Association Members, 132.**

## RESOLUTION

At its meeting April 17, 1964, the Board of Directors of Rancho Santa Fe Association made the following RESOLUTION:

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the Community of Rancho Santa Fe, through its Board of Directors, expresses its sincere appreciation to E. J. "Bob" Evans for his splendid gift of Tee Accessory Groups for the entire Golf Course.

Bob's thoughtfulness and generosity have resulted in making golfing at Rancho Santa Fe more pleasant and will benefit his many golfing friends for years to come.

RANCHO SANTA FE ASSOCIATION  
Horace L. Blackman, President  
Board of Directors

## Finance Committee

MR. CLARK  
TEITSWORTH  
Chairman



The Finance Committee was formed in 1962, and is directly responsible to the Board of Directors for keeping themselves posted as to the financial income and supervision of expenditures of all activities of the Association. They act as "watch dogs" of the approved budget, monthly operation and capital expenditures. Harold Harris, A Bryan Lasswell, and Ralph Mangan share duties with Chairman Clark Teitsworth.

## House Committee

MR. TED  
LORETZ  
Chairman



House Committee members keep a tight rein on the Clubhouse Restaurant-Bar-Snack Bar operation. They are responsible for the hiring of the chef, adjustments up and down in Menu pricing, service, etc. This active and effective committee includes Jane Stockton, Reg Clotfelter, Ralph Mangan, Alfred Hill, John Berkson, Jack Berry, and Ted Loretz.

## ART JURY

### MEETING, APRIL 10th, 1964

Approvals were granted on the following since the Meeting of March 13, 1964:

**E. F. MORTON—DRIVEWAY MARKERS, Lot 51, Map 2089 (Mimulus)**

**G. H. BARNETT—PAINT COLOR, RES. Lot 1, Blk. 7 (La Crescenta)**

**S. KEETH-R.A. LANDEN—REALIGNMENT, Lot 4, Santa Margarita Tract**

A landscape plan of E. F. MORTON, Lot 51, Map 2089 was noted by the Art Jury and added to the regrading plans presently undergoing discussion. Various possibilities were discussed with C. A. Root, designer for the Morton's and he is to submit further plans for correcting the present abrupt high banks created by the grading of this lot in variance to the approved plans.

After inspection of the property and due consideration, approvals were granted on the following applications:

**C. C. THIEME—ADDI. LAVATORY, Por. 6, Blk. 16 (El Mirador)**

**F. P. CROWELL — ADDI. GAMEROOM, BDEM., BATH, Por. Lot 1, Blk. 22 (Los Morros)**

**R. P. DODDS—ADDI. CARPORT, ALTER GAR., Lot 7, Blk. 47 (La Madreselva) with proviso interior walls carport finished.**

**M. N. CHERVENKA — ADDI. STUDY & BATH, Lot 111, Por. 112, Blk. 18, Map 2089 (La Fremontia)**

**J. B. SHAMEL (CALDER, MANNION, CHAPIN ESCROW)—HORSE STALLS & CORRALS, Por. 6-8, Blk. 27 (El Mirador)**

**R. V. VENBERG—RESIDENCE, Por. Lot 12, Blk. 32 (Linea del Cielo)**

**C. ELLIS-D. KURRIE—RESIDENCE, Por. Lot 4, Blk. 16 (La Valle Plateada)**

**F. MACCONEL — RESIDENCE, Por. Lot 1, Blk. 30 (Via de la Valle)**

**R. B. OLIVER (PRELIM.) — RESIDENCE, Por. 6, Blk. 31 (La Gracia)**

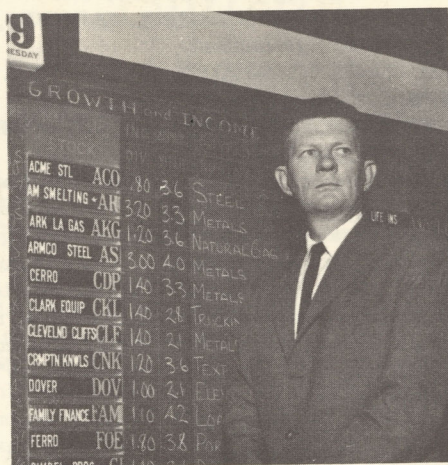
**L. G. McLAUGHLIN — RES. (Proviso west patio fence 6' high), Lot 67, Map 2129 (Marvillas)**

The application of M. C. ETHERTON for WINDBREAK & FENCE BY POOL, Lot 93, Map 2089 (Paseo Delicias).



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## Jack Vanderbeck Joins SHEARSON, HAMMILL



Shearson, Hammill & Co., nation-wide investment banking and brokerage firm, announced today that Mr. Jack L. Vanderbeck has joined the Rancho Santa Fe office as a Registered Representative.

For the past four months, Mr. Vanderbeck has been at Shearson, Hammill's Wall Street headquarters where he has worked with the firm's partners and other executives in security analysis, investment advisory services and the underwriting and commodity departments. Shearson maintains these special investment services for customers in 50 offices coast to coast, in Montreal and in Basle, Switzerland.

Prior to his association with Shearson, Hammill, Mr. Vanderbeck was Branch Manager and resident Vice President of another securities sales organization. Mr. Vanderbeck retired from the United States Marine Corps in 1961 as a Captain.

A member of Oceanside Elks Lodge, he resides at 1713 Redwing St., Meadowlark, San Marcos, Calif.

The Ranch Tennis Club's next chop suey tournament will be held Saturday, May 16, at the local courts, with the women winners of last month's tournament in charge. They are: Betty Brooke, Pat Woolley and Mary Day. (Men's winners at the April Event were Stu Hoadley, Al Day and Monte Etherton.) Tournament players will meet afterwards for a pot-luck supper at Bob and Louise Loomis' home.

The junior tennis calendar for May holds two events—Francis Parker boys' team will come back for a return match, and a team from a girls' school in Anaheim will challenge the Ranch's junior feminine players. Thyra Fellows and Fran Johnson are assisting tennis pro Billie Yorke in planning the matches.

Three juniors, Sheryl Fellows, Kathleen Sweeney and Heather Manion represented the Ranch at the Ojai tournament the last of April.

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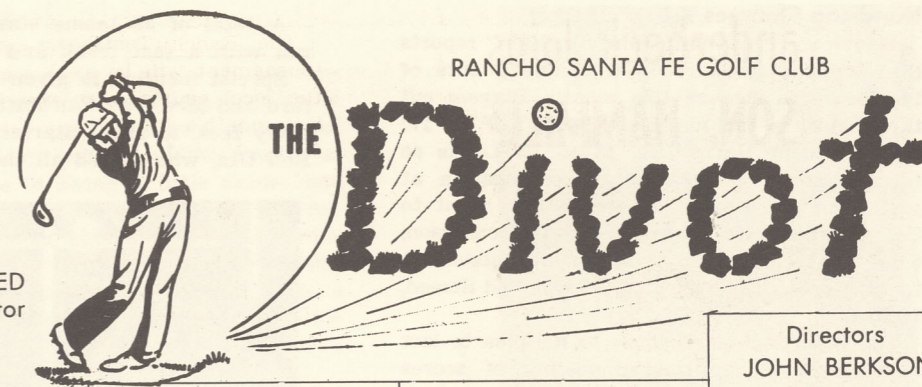
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### CONGRATULATIONS! FRANK UNGER WINS PRESIDENT'S CUP

Dave Hire and Frank Unger shot 36-hole net scores of 140 to tie for the championship in this year's President's Cup tourney played April 4th through 12th. Both men played fine golf in the 18-hole playoff with Frank winning on the 18th green. Frank won a \$35.00 merchandise certificate for his fine play.

In Vice President's Cup play, Jack Berry and R. E. Leadon finished in a tie at 142, with Jack winning the playoff. Tournament Director Al Dutton finished one stroke back with 143 to nail down third place.

Dave Hire's 140 won the Governor's Cup. Capt. Marty Gibbons, with a fine 141, was the runnerup, while Tony Mahon took third place with 146.

Guy Van Patten showed that he has regained his old touch by winning the Duffer's Cup with 142. Fred Satten was second at 147, and Worth Warner was third at 148.

Prizes in each flight were merchandise certificates valued at \$25.00 for first place, \$15.00 for second, and \$10.00 for third. Low scores for each weekend's play were good for prizes of three golf balls. Jack Shaw was low the first weekend with 68, and Worth Warner's 68 was best of the second round scores.

Sixty-two players competed, making this year's tourney one of the largest in several years.

#### Dave Hire Wins Barton Millard Trophy . . .

Fifty-eight Senior members turned out April 10th for the Fourth Annual Senior's Championship. Finishing in a three-way tie at 69 were Dave Hire, Dr. Jack Gable, and Col. Charles Bock. Because of the late hour at which play was completed, the winner was determined by tossing a coin. Dave Hire won the toss and the Championship.

Capt. Bob Lockwood, with 70 strokes, won first place in the 55-59 age group. C. R. Hetzler was runnerup with 77.

Col. Charles Bock's 69 won the 60-64 age group. Jack Shaw shot 71 to take second place. Howard Will, with 69½, won first place in the 65-69 bracket, followed by Cmdr. Phil Warren at 71.

Dr. Jack Gable's 69 won first place in the 70 and over group. Fred Bechstein shot 73 for second.

#### San Diego County Open At Rancho Bernardo May 16 and 17 . . .

John Stewart, President of the San Diego County Golf Association, has announced that the 36th Annual San Diego County Open will be played May 16, 17 and 18 at Rancho Bernardo Country Club. Amateur prizes will be based on the first 36 holes of medal play. The 20 low amateurs and all professionals will then play 36 holes on Monday, May 18 for the championship.

Entry fee is \$13.00. Amateur players must have an active handicap in a member club of the SDCGA. Entries will close on Monday, May 11. Entries may be mailed to the San Diego County Golf Association, 4375 Temecula St., San Diego, Calif. 92107. Entrants should give their name, Club, handicap, and address.

#### Hire Eagles No. 4 . . .

Seems that ex-President Dave Hire is much in the golfing news this month, but we must point out that on April 6 he eagled No. 4 by canning a 230-yard three wood shot! This is better than a hole-in-one on a par three, except that Dave doesn't have to buy champagne.

#### New Ball Washers Gift Of Bob Evans . . .

All members have noticed the beautiful new ball washers on every tee. These washers, with our club name and yardage for each hole were graciously donated to the club by member Bob Evans. Members will recall that Bob also provided the new tee markers installed last fall. These new washers certainly dress up our tees and are a most welcome addition to the course. Many thanks to Bob for his thoughtfulness!

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### Handicap Changes . . .

Handicap chairman Jim Stockton reports that eight players received handicap cuts of two or more strokes this month. Players cut three strokes include Ben Harris, 20 to 17; and President Harry Lee, 18 to 15. Looks as though Harry decided to go on vacation at just the right time! Two-stroke cuts went to Col. Charlie Bock, 15 to 13; Frank Donaldson, 6 to 4; Al Dutton, 10 to 8; Chaun Hetzler, 21 to 19; Gordon Ludwig, 11 to 9; and Rod Streed, 14 to 12.

Jim reports that response to his plea in last month's Divot for clearer posting of scores was great. He thanks all of you for your cooperation.

Starting this month, the last 15 scores for each member are posted above the handicap lists. This listing will let you check your own left May 1 for a 35-day motor trip to the East. Their final destination is Boston, but they expect to take in the New York World's Fair on the way. We hope Harry finds those Eastern courses interesting!

### Flash! Derby Ends In Dead Heat . . .

The Tenth Running of the Rancho Santa Fe Derby, held on Sunday, May 3rd, ended in a dead heat between number 3, captained by Dick Christopher, and team number 22, led by George Pease. Each team posted a score of 130, several strokes off the track record. Captain Christopher reported that his crew, Willard and Katherine Lenz and Edith Christopher, put forth a balanced effort. Best hole of the day was number 8, where Bill and Dick each scored net eagles. The Pease team, Jay and Pat Wolfe and Marie Pease, also gave a super team showing. Their best hole was number 4, where Jay scored a net eagle and Pat a net birdie. Captain George helped the cause by birdying 17, while Marie scored net birdies on nos. 2, 9, 17, and 18.

Two teams also ran a dead heat for show. Team No. 16 (Dorothy and Charles Bock, Joe Beerkle, and Carolyn Cwik) and team No. 19 (Marion and Lew Pratt and Kay and Bob Schmedding) posted identical scores of 131.

A total of 29 teams started. The race was run with a fast track and a stiff sea breeze.

Special mention is given to Mrs. Merl Wolfard and Mrs. Guy Van Patten who took in the entry fees, to Head Starter Jim Boyle, and to Bob Utz, who posted all the scores.



**TIME OUT FOR A SNACK AFTER THE TOURNAMENT.** From left to right: Tony Mahon, Bill Wood, Jack Shaw and Frank Unger.

### Holes-In-One . . .

The past month was unmarred by a hole-in-one. All this shows is that it really pays to buy hole-in-one insurance. Just a year ago, Ralph McAfee started the insurance pool for club members. You guessed it! Not a solitary hole-in-one has been shot by anyone in the pool, although there have been a number by non-participants. If Murphy's Law holds good, the mere mentioning of this would result in someone's emptying the till.

### Jack Berry Turns Pro . . .

Jack Berry just couldn't stand it any more, not enough golf in his daily life. So he turned pro and is working as Assistant Teaching Pro at Mission Bay with Marius Ahlstrom. Now he gets to play on Mondays, maybe.

### Tips From Your Pro . . .

By **JIM BOYLE**

**The Long Irons** — Most of us at one time or another have difficulty with the long irons. Here is the main cause. The two, three, and four irons are least lofted and the longest so we feel we have to swing a little harder and faster, resulting in a badly hit shot. The following three things should help to improve your long iron play: First of all, take a comfortable stance — not too wide. Too wide a stance restricts the pivot and adds to the tendency to swing too fast, resulting in a lunge with little or no hand action.

Second, position the ball about midway between the left heel and center. Any variation, unless playing on an up- or down-hill lie, will result in a mis-hit.

Third, swing slightly down at the ball. This lets the club do the work instead of trying to engineer the ball into the air, which usually results in a topped shot.

These three things, plus a slower and more deliberate swing, will improve your long iron play and help to overcome the fear of the long irons.



**JIM BOYLE, head professional at the RSF Golf Club, takes a practice swing on the practice tee.**

### Yearbook Additions . . .

We congratulate Vice-President Jack Berry for the fine job he did in getting out the 1964 Club Yearbook and Directory. Jack wishes to advise members that two new members were welcomed into the club just after the publication deadline. He suggests that you write the names and phone numbers in the blank pages in the back of the book. The members are:

Anson Lisk, Rancho Santa Fe, 756-2205  
Van Duyn Ridgway, La Jolla, 454-6413

Jim Boyle first came to Southern California as a Marine in 1943. Following World War II he attended the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque and in 1948 started in the "golf business" at Gull Lake Country Club in Kalamazoo, Michigan. The years of 1949 through 1952 were spent at the Lochmoor Country Club in Grossepointe, Michigan. Jim married Carol in 1951, and started to work at the Rancho Santa Fe Golf Course in 1953 as assistant to Hank Bargar . . . became head professional in 1956. (over)



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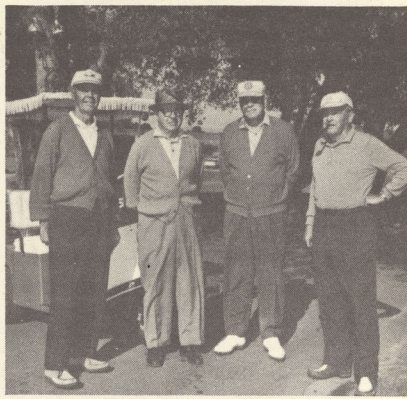


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**A HANDSOME FOURSOME COMPLETES A GAME.** From left to right: Commander Philip Warren, Ben Harris, Dr. Ned Fowler, and Henry Sage.

**Greens Committee Report . . .**

Ray Millard, Greens Committee Chairman tells us that all fairways have been fertilized and aerated to promote better growth. Bob Wanner's crew is also hard at work improving the tees. All tees will be top dressed and fertilized. Some, however, have been packed down so much over the years that it will be necessary to remove the turf and replace it with new sod. Members can expect to play from temporary tees at those holes while this work is going on.

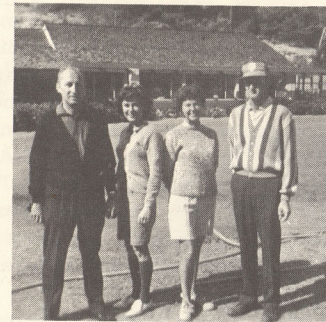
Chairman Ray adds that he will welcome constructive criticism from club members for improvement of the course. So if you have some ideas you think might help, just give Ray a call.

**Men's Club Tournament Calendar . . .**

May 17—**SCOTCH FOURSOMES.** Partners hit alternate shots starting from the first tee. Medal play using half the combined handicap. Merchandise certificates to winners. Tournament Director—Al Dutton.

May 31—**MIXED & MEN'S FLAG TOURNEY.** Best ball of partners. Full handicap in strokes as they fall on the scoreboard. Tournament Director — Al Mohr.

June 6—**BEST BALL OF PARTNERS.** Play and 7; 13 in flights based on handicap. 36 and 14 holes medal play. No limit on partners' handicap differences. Play on either day of each weekend. Merchandise certificates to winning teams. Tournament Director: Gordon Ludwig.



**Also happy over their 130 was team No. 22, Jay and Pat Wolf, (l) and Marie and George Pease (right).**



**Greens chairman, Ray Millard, left, tries new ball washer as donor, Bob Evans looks on.**



**Team No. 3, Dick Christopher, Edith Christopher, Katharine Lenz, and Willard Lenz (l. to r.) appear pleased with low Score**

**Rules Of Golf . . .**

By **BOB UTZ**

**Touching Sand in a Sand Trap** — There has always been a question as to whether a player should be penalized for touching the sand with his club on his backswing when his ball lies in a sand trap. This will clarify the rule for all golfers and those who have had discussions about it.

A's ball comes to rest in a sand trap. He selects his club and enters the trap, properly taking his stance, does not sole the club, and plays the ball out of the trap. In so doing, his club catches sand on the back stroke. B contends that A has incurred a penalty by allowing his club to touch sand on the back stroke. What, if any, is the penalty?

B is correct. A incurred a penalty of loss of hole in match play or two strokes in stroke play, under Rule 33-1.

**Help Wanted . . .**

We are prepared to print more news of members, but your editor just doesn't have the time to sniff it out. All you members can help, though, simply by letting Bob or Jim have any news item which you think might be of interest. Interesting items would include amazing shots which shattered your opponents, highlights of golfing vacations, showings at out-of-town tournaments, and the like.

**Rod Trucks Gets Novel Birdie! . . .**

Rod Trucks had lots of luck on Sunday, April 19 playing with Ralph McAfee, Dr. John Kellogg, and your editor. Rod's ball lay four, ten feet from the cup, when Dr. Kellogg's ball pitched from 30 yards away knocked it in the cup for a birdie. Needless to say, the shot aroused mixed emotions!

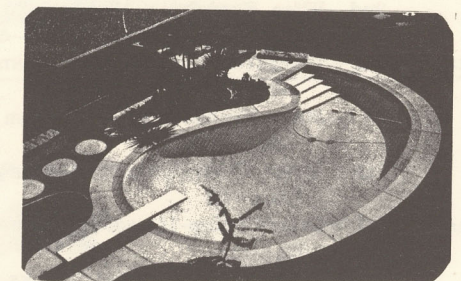
**Board Announces New Marshalling Program**

Herb Pratt, Rancho Santa Fe Association Liaison Chairman, announced today that a new marshalling program is to be placed into effect in an effort to improve playing conditions. Jim Fox has graciously accepted the chairman's job for the program. He will be assisted by approximately 15 members from both the men's and the women's groups.

A plan of this type depends for its success upon the cooperation of all members, but it will improve the course as to both appearance and playability. The Association Board has approved the plan. If necessary, playing privileges will be denied those players who consistently fail to replace divots, rake bunkers, or repair ball marks on greens, or who drive carts off the black top around tees and greens.

With Jim Fox's able guidance, and the help of all members, this plan should be a huge

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TWO OF RANCHO SANTA FE'S MOST CHARMING GOLFERS, namely Dorothy Croft and Katie Knight, take time out from a busy game.

## Fairsex....

By DONNA STREED

The big event of the spring season is by now well under way — the Women's Club Championship. It's match play, so one never knows who might turn up in the finals battling down to the 18th hole for the honors. Getting off to good starts in qualifying rounds were Dora Donaldson, defending champion, and Margaret Muench, several times former champion, tying for low gross with scores of 80. And coming out of nowhere, or rather out of a long slump, was Ellen Farr, posting low net with a fine 87-17-70.

The main event in April, Best-Ball of Partners, provided a sterling test of partnerships and good golfing. Following are the winning and second place twosomes:

- Class A—1st—Love Magness-Betty Dobler—65  
 2nd—Ellen Farr-Irene McAfee—66  
 (tie) Pat Wearne-Donna Streed—66
- Class B—1st—Margaret Wallace-Ann Theime—67  
 2nd—Mary Frobes-Norma Mangan—68  
 (tie) Edith Christopher-Katherine Lenz—68
- Class C—1st—Leila Champ-Meredith Morton—68  
 (tie) Mazie Graham-Ethel Trucks—68  
 2nd—Rue Harris-Mawrie White—69

Dora Donaldson took part in the California State Championship in April. Her qualifying 73 broke the course record at Modesto's Del Rio C.C.! Congrats, Dora - but what happened during the tournament?

Questions have arisen regarding what constitutes a "No Card," or "NC" score for handicapping purposes. Consultation with Chairman Dorothy Robbins and others reveals that the club follows the procedure as written in "Conduct of Women's Golf" put out by the PGA. Playing less than 18 holes constitutes an "NC" posting, as well as picking up on more than two holes. However, it is generally interpreted that concession of putts on any number of holes does not become "picking up."

The women's course rating has been changed to 73. Re-rating took place when the Women's Southern California Rating Committee came to play and measure the course in April. As of this writing, no changes will be made in handicapping of individual holes, but No. 13 tee will be played back near the men's tee, as recommended by the Committee. Louise Gross had the honor of playing along with the raters.

Dorothy Robbins reports that the Nominating Committee has been appointed, a member from each class, to nominate board candidates for election at the June annual meeting. Committee members are Virginia Hammond, Virginia Shaw, Dorothy Beals, and Ruth Peters. Seven candidates will be nominated for the four vacancies occurring this year.

The Member-Guest Invitational scheduled for May 19th promises to be a gala affair. Experience gained in last year's first such event will make this one even better and we hear that more prizes are being planned. The field will be limited so entries should be made as soon as possible.

Maree Boots posted a magnificent 76 last month at Circle R Golf Course. However, she got a new set of woods just after that, so any low rounds in the near future will be a bit harder to come by, won't they?

June Berry is off her feet for a few weeks, both of them having been operated on recently. Hope to see you back, soon, June, swinging harder.

### Dates to Remember — Women's Events

- May 5th—First round matches, Spring Tournament
- 7th—Second round matches, Spring Tournament and First round of Consolation matches
- 12th—Final matches, Spring Tournament and also Sweepstakes for defeated players and others
- 14th—Guest Day
- 19th—MEMBER-GUEST INVITATIONAL—field limited to 40 teams
- 26th—Ball Tournament, medal play, and also Final Round, Western Pin
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 4th—Guest Day  
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