Women in The News

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Bruin Club Hears Of India Project

The executive secretary of the university religious conference at University of California at Los Angeles, Miss Adelaide Guenther, told of her experiences in India at a meeting of the Whittier Area Bruin Club.

Just back from her third trip to India, Miss Guenther was accompanied on each trip by twelve students from the university. While there, the students joined with the Indians in building schools, farming, and assisting in other projects. By concentrating their efforts in regions where communism was strong, the students hoped to combat communist propaganda.

Dessert was served at the conclusion of Miss Guenther's talk, and plans made for the spring dinner-dance on Apr. 2 at the El Dorado Country Club.

Board members assisting Mrs. Robert W. Young, hostess, were Messrs. S. H. Wegener, co-chairmen, Spurgeon Finney, Robert Ellis and Mmes. Fred E. Slater, and T. J. Bardeen.

Alumni Group Supper Party

The attractive home of Spurgeon and Millye Finney on Emmet Ave. afforded a festive setting for a social event of the Whittier area alumni group of the University of California at Los Angeles.

Members of the club had a potluck supper and an evening of swimming and games.

Honored guests were Mr. and Mrs. Cyril C. Nigas. C. C. Nigas is the newly elected president of the UCLA Alumni Assn.

Others joining in the festivities were Hale and Betty Jane Wegener, Harold and Virginia Roebuck, Bob and Frances Young, George and Betty Davidson, Jim and Peggy Dinmore, Raymond and Ray Reiring, Charles and Geraldine Bennett, Louis and Wilma Hallburton, John and Dorothy Miller, Roy and Besey Covert, and Bob and Mary Ellis; and the host, Spurgeon and Millye Finney.

The next meeting of the group will be a family picnic in Palm Park August 28. Interested UCLA alumni may contact Hale or Betty Jane Wegener, OX 62558, for further information.

WHITTIER BUSINESS FOCUS

Wake Up Whittier

Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital

Chamber President Cheryl Estep of State Farm Insurance thanks Drew Sones, Chair of the PIH Board of Directors, for hosting the November Wake Up Whittier.
A list of prospective members for the Whittier Bruin Club was checked by Mrs. B. J. Taylor, club social chairman, and Hale Wegener, past president. New members were guests at an open house Saturday.

—Review Photo

BRUIN CLUB HOLDS
NEW MEMBERS EVENT

Whittier Bruin Club welcomed new members and friends at an open house at the home of the president, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Carlin, 1011 Eastridge Dr., on Saturday.

The chairman, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Taylor, were assisted by Messrs. and Mrs. Scott Miller, Jim Dinsmore, John Flour, Marlet Smith, Hale Wegener, Del Woodworth, Bob Ramsing and R. W. Young.

Members will be attending a tea October 22 at the home of Chancellor and Mrs. Murphy honoring Thomas J. Cunningham, recipient of the 1961 Edward A. Dickson Alumnus of the Year award.

The Whittier Bruin Club will hold a Monte Carlo party Nov. 20 and in January a progressive dinner party is planned.

One of the main functions of the Bruin Club is to help keep the alumni informed about the happenings on the UCLA campus, and to help with the scholarship program that is supported by the alum
REMINISCING of the blue and gold years at UCLA are these Bruin Alumni Club members (from left) Mrs. S. H. Wegener, Mrs. R. W. Young and Mrs. Carl Frickes, Jr. The annual get-together for this club will be held tonight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wegener. All former Bruins are invited to attend the affair.

AN ENCHANTING LIBRARY is found off of the living room in the colonial style home of the S. H. Wegeners, another of the four toured Saturday. Rows of shelves are filled with reading material and reference books and the room is designed for relaxing and reading. Discussing one of the collection of books are Mmes. Richard Crowley and Wegener. (Daily News photo)
Fricke, longtime Whittier resident, dies at 87

From staff reports

Carl H. Fricke Jr., a 52-year resident of Whittier, died Monday in Rancho Palos Verdes.

Fricke was born Oct. 16, 1917, in Los Angeles. He was raised in Altadena, spent summers on Catalina Island and graduated from the University of Notre Dame in 1939, majoring in philosophy. He was active in the Notre Dame Athletic Association, both in football and boxing, and served as senior class vice president.

Drafted into the U.S. Army during World War II, he landed in Normandy just 55 days after D-Day. He served in the European Theater of Operations from 1943-45.

He met his wife of 61 years, Eleanor Everett Fricke, on Catalina Island in 1941. They married in 1942, and when the war ended, he returned to Southern California where together they raised three sons.

FRICKE

He served as president of the Taverner & Fricke Paper Company in Los Angeles, working in the wholesale paper and packaging business in Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, and Ventura Counties for more than 50 years. They moved to Whittier in 1951, where he was active in raising funds for the Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital Foundation and as a member of the Friendly Hills Property Owners Association. Fricke attended St. Mary's Catholic Church in Whittier.

Fricke was particularly committed to the Boy Scouts of America. He devoted himself to 40 years of community service to the Scouts. His leadership influenced thousands of boys at the troop, National Jamboree and world Scouting levels. As Scoutmaster of Troop 936, he helped develop 33 Eagle Scouts. All three of his sons attained the rank of Eagle Scout. Fricke received the Silver Beaver Award in 1968 and in 1984, he received "The Good Scouter Award," Scouting's highest district award for community and youth service, from the Los Angeles Area Council of Boy Scouts of America.

He was an avid hiker and backpacker, especially loved to hike the High Sierras and his beloved Yosemite Valley. He loved to travel, record family genealogy, and work in his orange grove. He continued to return to his grandmother's home on Catalina Island to the end of his life, working to make the original Catalina family home a living legacy for generations to come.

He is survived by his three sons and their families: Carl Fricke III (Kathleen Gross Fricke), Leon Fricke (Mary Egnatuk Fricke) and their daughter Haley Fricke and Steven Fricke (Toni Nelson Fricke).

The family suggests memorial donations be made in Carl Fricke's name to the Los Angeles Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America, 2333 Scout Way at Rosemont, Los Angeles, CA 90026, or the Alzheimer's Association, Los Angeles, 5900 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1700, Los Angeles, CA 90036.

A Vigil service will be held at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Rice Mortuary, 5310 Torrance Blvd. in Torrance. A Funeral Mass will be conducted at 10 a.m. Thursday at St. John Fisher Catholic Church in Rancho Palos Verdes.

Fricke will be interred next to his grandparents, his parents and wife Eleanor at Avalon Cemetery, Catalina Island, at the family grave site that he worked hard to create.

To send the family a message or for directions to services, visit the mortuary's Web site, www.LAfuneral.com, or call (310) 792-7599.
Local Bruins

UCLA Gold Shield member Eleanor Fricke, her husband Carl, Gold Shield member Millye Finney and her daughter Carleen Tophan were guests at the recent Gold Shield champagne reception honoring Professor Patricia Greenfield.

Also present at the function were Whittier Bruin Club President Mary Hanson and her husband, Charles.

Greenfield was the 1988 Gold Shield Faculty Prize recipient. UCLA Alumni Association Gold Shield Scholars were also introduced at the event, held in the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Edward William Carter. Following the program, the guests toured the UCLA Hannah Carter Japanese Garden.

Whittier Bruin Club

Mr. and Mrs. James Dinsmore have been reappointed scholarship cochairpersons by the Whittier Bruin Club, President Mary Hanson.

The local UCLA alumni group recently donated $1,000 for a scholarship that went to Whittier student Ted Allen. Committee members included John and Harriet Flor, Robert Kelly and Tom and Francie Urton.

The Whittier Bruin Club is open to all former UCLA students. For further information, phone Hanson at 695-2769.

Club News

FEBRUARY 28, 1992

Whittier Bruin Club

The club scholarship committee, chaired by Jim and Peggy Dinsmore, is interviewing prospective candidates for the annual $1,000 UCLA scholarship awarded by the club. Committee members are John and Harriet Flor, Hale Wegener, Fran and Bob Young, Ricardo and Margaret Terrones, Rosemary Kimble and Jerene Hewitt.

Club members recently enjoyed a holiday party at the home of Tom and Frances Urton. Other activities planned for this year are a brunch at Friendly Hills Country Club April 5; Whittier Night at Hollywood Bowl July 18, and the annual summer party in August.

The Whittier Bruin Club is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. For information, call President Mary E. Hanson.
Bruins
Same complaints

One often hears how students nowadays aren't learning anything, how superior the schools were in "our day," how today's high school seniors can't read, write, spell or add. (I remember my mother's generation voicing the same complaints.)

Well, our local schools can be justly proud of three outstanding students, two of whom won first and second place in the statewide UCLA alumni scholarship awards. And their impressive accomplishments are almost unbelievable.

Scholarship winners nowadays not only have to maintain high grade point averages (most applicants had over 4.0), but also have a varied background that includes community service.

Typical is a math major who teaches chemistry on the side, tutors in a foreign language, plays first chair violin in the symphony orchestra, volunteers in the local hospital, works in a parent's store, is president of the honor society and senior class and wins, of course, numerous high achievement awards.

Sitting in on the interviews at UCLA and hearing these inspiring future leaders gives one hope for our often-disturbed and disturbing country.

First place winner, Mark A. Mulholland, is a St. Paul high school student; second place winner, Madhangi Jayaraman is a Pioneer high school student. Also a prize winner from our area is La Serna student Valerie Grabiel.

Mary E. Hansen, Pres. Whittier Bruin Club

HEAR ABOUTS

UCLA alumni

St. Paul High School student Mark A. Mulholland was first place winner of a statewide UCLA Alumni scholarship.

The second place winner was Madhangi Jayaraman of Pioneer High School. The winners and their families were honored by the Whittier Bruin Club at a reception in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hanson.

Also a statewide prize winner from the local district is La Serna student Valerie Grabiel.

The Whittier Bruin club annually raises $1,000 which is donated towards the UCLA scholarship fund. This year's committee, chaired by Peggy and James Dinsmore, include Harriet and John Flor, Fran and Robert Young, Hale Weneger and Mary Hansen.

The Dinsmores and the Youngs were recently honored by UCLA for their longtime scholarship activities.

Those interested in joining the organization, which is open to all former UCLA students, should call 665-2769 for information.

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Whittier Highlander

People

May 24, 1989

Statewide UCLA Alumni Scholarship winners Mark A. Mulholland of St. Paul High School, Madhangi Jayaraman of Pioneer High School and Valerie Grabiel of La Serna High School and their families were recently honored at a reception by the Whittier Bruins Club.

The club annually raises $1,000 for the UCLA scholarship fund.
UCLA

Oct. 5, 1989

Dear Mary,

It was a pleasure to meet you and your husband at the Regional Presidents' Dinner. I hope you found an idea or two helpful—something you could implement with the Whittier Bruins.

I'd be happy to help you with an event sometime this year. Please let me know when I could be of assistance. Your club has a long and distinguished reputation.

P.S. See you Jan. 16.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

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Around Town

President, officers selected by area alumni organization

New officers were recently named by the Whittier Bruin Club, an organization of UCLA alumni.

Elected were: Mary E. Hanson, president; Hale Wegener, secretary; Bob Kelly, treasurer; John and Harriet Flor, social, and Robert and Fran Young, scholarship.
Area student gets scholarship from Whittier Bruin Club

Whittier student Ted Allen received a $1000 scholarship donated by the Whittier Bruin Club, an organization open to all former UCLA students. Scholarship co-chairmen Mr. and Mrs. James Dinmore were recently reappointed to their posts. For information, call (213) 695-2769.

Neighbors

DAILY NEWS

Whittier Bruin Club

The Whittier Bruin Club (UCLA alumni) will hold its summer social on Wednesday at 4:30 p.m. in the Newport Beach home of Millye and Spurgeon Finney.

Open to all interested UCLA alumni, the Whittier Bruin Club provides funds for scholarship winners. Raising money for deserving students is the club's principal objective.

For further information, call 695-2769.

Bruin Club

Scholarship winners

UCLA scholarship winners will be honored from 2 to 4 p.m. on May 20 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Urton by members and friends of the Whittier Bruin Club, according to Mary E. Hanson, club president.

Scholarship winners are: Sepeidah Nouhi from California High, Peter Bellingh of Pioneer High, Stuart O'Campo of La Serna, and Fanny Wong of Montebello.

Fran and Bob Young were scholarship co-chairpersons, with committee members including Peggy and James Dinmore, Harriet and John Flor, Tom Urton, Hale Wegener, Terri Shar and Mary E. Hanson.

Open to all UCLA alumni, the Whittier Bruin Club raises scholarship funds. For further information, contact Hanson at 695-2769.
Jan 13, 1991

Mary Hanson

Sorry, I overlooked your bill until today. Thanks for your good work.

By the way, we have received dues from 13 new members since the ice cream social.

Our balance is $17,33.02

Rgards,

Bob

"... It's a real political thing to get appointed... Women have not been this connected to get appointed in the past"

Yvonne T. Sanches
Whittier Municipal Court judge
Neighbors

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CLUB NEWS

Bruin Club picks officers

The Whittier Bruin Club recently named its new officers. Mary E. Hanson will serve as president. Other officers include Hale Wegener, secretary; Robert Kelly, treasurer; John and Harriet Flor, social; and Fran and Robert Young, scholarship.

Plans are now being made for an August social. The club’s main purpose is to provide scholarship funds for future UCLA students.

The recently donated $1,000 to the university. For further information, call 695-2769.

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Hostesses for the evening will be Harriet Flor and Miriam Stone. Ruth Johnson will address the topics of Africa and Egypt.

Whittier Bruin Club

Brunch at Friendly Hills Country Club, followed by a concert by the Rio Hondo Symphony Orchestra, is open Sunday to all alumni and friends of UCLA. The club is currently interviewing students for the university’s scholarship awards. The Whittier Bruin Club annually donates $1,000 to the scholarship fund. Peggy and Jim Dinmore are chairing the scholarship committee this year.

For further information about the Whittier Bruin Club, contact Mary E. Hanson, president, 695-2769.

AROUND WHITTIER

Post-holiday fun at Bruin party

WHITTIER — The Whittier Bruin Club will hold its annual post-holiday party, featuring a talk by Susan Sones, California High Culinary Academy instructor, at 1 p.m. Jan. 17 at the home of Risha Schollbauer, 6018 Painter Ave.

For more information, call (562) 695-2769.
To the Whittier Bruin Club:
I have recently received notification of who I can finally thank for my $1,000 scholarship — so thank YOU!!

Going to UCLA seemed pretty much impossible for me, as I could afford tuition, but not living expenses. (And to commute is nearly impossible.)

Thanks to your scholarship, meeting the costs of a dormitory is easier. If I can be of any service to you, i.e., talking about UCLA to incoming freshman, or any other manner, please do not hesitate to call.

Thank you again —

Yvonne M. Cooper

Top UCLA freshmen receive scholarships

LOS ANGELES — The UCLA Alumni Association’s Alumni and Scholarship Program has recognized the accomplishments of well-rounded students who, in addition to being academically gifted, have demonstrated outstanding leadership abilities and show exceptional promise, announced Ken Meyer, director of the program.

Among this year’s 173 awardees, area winners are Sarumathi Jayaraman of Pioneer High School, Whittier, $4,000 and Eunyong Na of Plumas X High School, Downey, $500.

Alumni Association freshman scholarships are available to California high school students who apply for admission to UCLA with a Scholastic Aptitude Test score of 1,200 or higher and a minimum grade-point average of 3.08 (A). Financial need is not a criterion.

The 1991-92 awardees were ranked highest among a pool of more than 1,600 candidates whose applications were judged in district and area competition throughout California. The final level of competition produced 46 finalists who vied for the largest awards during a day-long program on the UCLA campus. During the program, each finalist was interviewed and rated by five separate groups of Advisory and Scholarship Program volunteers.

Saturday, June 12, 1993

Around
WHITTIER

Whittier
UCLA Alumni Association
honors Frank Hill tonight

State Sen. Frank Hill, R-Whittier, will be honored for public service tonight at the UCLA Alumni Association’s 40th annual Alumni Awards for Excellence Ceremony.

The event honoring 25 UCLA graduates will be held at 8 p.m. in Royce Hall at UCLA.

Hill, who is a member of the Whittier Bruin Club, graduated in 1976.
Save The Date
The annual Alumni Associations of the University of California (AAUC) Legislative Conference in Sacramento is scheduled for March 11 and 12, 1991. Mark your calendar now.

Know Your Legislator: Senator Frank Hill
Frank C. Hill, III, '76 began his life in public service long before he was elected to office. A staff member for Congressman Wayne Grisham and U.S. Senator S.I. Hayakawa, Hill was elected in November, 1982, to the State Assembly, where he represented the 52nd district for seven years. After his first term in the Assembly, the California Journal identified Hill as "a real straight shooter. He'll tell you where he's at without being asked, a trait not usual among legislators."

In November, 1989, he was elected to the state Senate, representing the communities of La Mirada, Whittier, La Habra Heights, Hacienda Heights, Rowland Heights, La Puente, Valinda, West Covina, Walnut, Diamond Bar, Yorba Linda, Placentia, Ocinda, and Brea.

Senator Hill has sponsored legislation concerning health, safety, and hazardous waste. As a proponent of the free enterprise system, Hill is an outspoken advocate for reducing the size and scope of government. Nevertheless, he remains a vocal supporter of public education and increased school funding. A warm supporter of UC and UCLA in the legislature, he can also be seen on the sidelines during football and basketball seasons cheering the Bruins to victory.

Senator Hill has earned degrees from Mount San Antonio College, UCLA, and Pepperdine University. He resides in Whittier with his wife, Faye, and their children, Jenny and Greg.

Dear Mr. Dinsmore & Whittier Club,

Thank you so much for awarding the prestigious Alumni scholarship to me. It will provide tremendous help for me in the coming year, and I'm sure that it will help me realize my educational goals. Once again, thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Michael Rivers

Dr. & Mrs. Daniel D. Rivers
8323 E. Sava St.
Downey, Calif. 90240
Club Notes

Whittier Bruin Club

An evening with Senator Frank Hill will be presented by Whittier Bruin Club and UCLA Alumni Association Governmental Relations Program, 7-9 p.m., Oct. 28, at Friendly Hills Country Club, 8500 S. Villa Verde Drive.

Hill will discuss the state budget, higher education and priorities for local community and the state. An active member of the Whittier Bruin Club, he has been a strong proponent of higher education and authored legislation creating an alternative budget that evolved into the finally approved budget.

Coffee and dessert will be served at the meeting.

The club is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. For more information, call President Mary E. Hanson, 695-2769.

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Whittier Bruin Club

UCLA alumni and friends will continue celebrating the holidays at the annual holiday party at 8:30 p.m. Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Hanson.

Although the group holds many social events during the year, its main purpose is to provide a yearly $1000 scholarship for a future UCLA student. Ricardo and Margaret Terrones are scholarship chairmen.

For more information about club activities, call President Mary E. Hanson, 695-2769.
Bruin club events to end summer fun

WHITTLER — Summer activities for the UCLA Whittier Bruin Club will conclude with group attendance at Whittier Night at the Hollywood Bowl on Sept. 6, followed by an end-of-summer party, which will be held from 1 to 5 p.m. Sept. 14 at the Monarch Beach home of social chairwoman Betty Bragg.

Scholarship chairman Michael Wick announced that the Whittier club recently donated $1,500 to the UCLA Scholarship Fund.

Celebrating its 44th year as one of the university's oldest support organizations, Whittier Bruin Club is open to all graduates and friends of UCLA.

For information, call Membership Chairman Joe Core, (ccr) 695-6997.

Whittier Bruin Club awards scholarships

- Whittier Bruin Club 1993 scholarship recipients are Doan Tranag Tran and Jason Wong, said Ricardo and Margaret Terrones of the scholarship committee.
- A graduate of Warren High School in Downey, Tran is a pre-biology major with a medicine objective. Tran, also expecting to go into medicine, is a graduate of Alhambra High School in Monterey Park.
- Open to all UCLA alumni and friends, the Whittier Bruin Club annually donates $2,000 to the university for scholarships. For information, call Mary E. Hanson, the club president, at 695-2769.

THE WEEK ahead

SUNDAY

WHITTIER BRUIN CLUB annual summertime party will be held from 5 to 10 p.m. at the home of Joyce Cappe. All members and friends of the UCLA Alumni Association are welcome. All monies raised by the club go into the university's scholarship fund. Scholarship chairpersons are Margaret and Ricardo Terrones. For information, call President Mary E. Hanson, (310) 695-2769.
Peggy Dinsmore '43 Helps Others Overcome Obstacles

Contagious and inspirational are some of the words that have been used to describe Peggy Dinsmore's enthusiasm for literacy efforts. For the past 10 years, teaching others to read and developing volunteer opportunities for those who want to teach have been top priorities for this Bruin.

Peggy's involvement really goes back to her school days at UCLA. Jobs in the political science and the arts libraries helped her earn her bachelor's degree in education in 1943. After several years of being away, more at home raising her family, Peggy decided to return to library work, this time at the Placentia Public Library.

"But then Proposition 13 came along and forced the library to lay off many of us," she says. "Nevertheless, I stayed involved with the library by being elected to the board of directors of the Placentia Library District."

Soon after, cookie king Wally "Famous" Amos, the national spokesperson for Literacy Volunteers of America, invited the Placentia Library to participate in its literacy program. "At that time, many people in library administration felt that their focus should be solely on book circulations," Peggy explains. "But a few of us didn't agree with that point of view and were able to persuade our colleagues that literacy was an important project for libraries to adopt." The district soon became involved with the literacy effort, making it a pioneer in the movement in California.

Peggy began taking workshops and eventually tutored a student of her own. "Those of us who are able to read take for granted the many obstacles in the life of someone who can't," she says. "But for many of these people, reading allows them, for the first time, to do such basic things as write checks, read menus, or use the phone book."

Under the direction of Peggy and others, the Placentia Library developed literacy programs in other Orange County communities. "There are many ways to get involved — ways that don't necessarily involve tutoring," says Peggy. "Volunteers are also needed to plan fund-raising and other events, answer phones, maintain communication between volunteers and beneficiaries of the programs, and other tasks."

Volunteerism for Peggy doesn't end with reading. She and her husband, Jim, have also been involved in the Alumni Association's Advisory and Scholarship Program, serving as scholarship cochair for the Whittier Bruin Club for the past three years. The club funds an annual scholarship, and last year three top scholarship winners were referred to the Alumni Association by the Whittier group.

With plans to retire soon from a full-time job with Security Pacific Automation Corporation, Peggy looks forward to devoting more time to literacy programs. Helping others learn has long been a part of Peggy Dinsmore's life, a part which, for her, "makes life worth living."

For information on becoming a literacy program volunteer, please call the UCLA Alumni Association at (213) 206-0610.
Students awarded scholarships

Deocampo awarded scholarship

The 1990 recipient of the Whittier Bruin Club Scholarship of $1,000 is Stuart Deocampo, announced by Robert and Fran Young, Whittier Bruin Club scholarship chairpersons.

A recent graduate of La Serna High School, Deocampo's active participation in school and community affairs include: piano and vocal (choir) performer, chapter president of the Junior Statesmen of America, varsity cross country and track and field, as well as a member of the California Scholarship Federation. His employment includes sales at Baskin Robbins 31 flavors and volunteer work at Whittier Hospital.

The Whittier club, composed of UCLA alumni, recently held its annual scholarship dinner at the beach front home of Spanos and Millye Finney in Malibu.

On September 6 the local group will cooperate with the UCLA Alumni Association in hosting a new members reception to be held 7-8:30 at the Whittier Hotel.

The main purpose of the Whittier Bruin Club is to raise scholarship funds for future UCLA students. For information, call Mary E. Hanson, president at 635-2769.

CLUB NOTES

Whittier Bruin Club

The holidays will be celebrated with the annual Christmas open house, Dec. 9, 3-6 p.m. at the home of Hale and Betty Jane Wegener as announced by social chairman Harriet Flor.

Wine, soft drinks and hors d'oeuvres will be served. Christmas carols will be led by Beverly Harris. For reservations call Harriet Flor 691-9629.

The Whittier Bruin Club's main purpose is raising funds for scholarships. Membership is open to alumni and friends of UCLA. For more information call president Mary E. Hanson 695-2769.

Club NOTES

Friday, January 4, 2002

Bruin Club to hold holiday party Sunday

WHITTIER — Bruin Club of Whittier will hold its annual holiday party from 4 to 7 p.m. Sunday at the home of Risha Schodlaufer. The club is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. For information, call Mary Hanson, (562) 695-2769.
Bob and Mary Kelly on their wedding day 50 years ago.
Bob and Mary Kelly feted on golden anniversary

Robert 'Bob' and Mary Kelly celebrated their 50th anniversary at a dinner party at Reuben's Restaurant in Whittier which was hosted by their children. Close friends, Norm and Marilyn Clark of Whittier, the Clark's sons Gary and David and their wives attended the celebration.

Bob was born in San Diego and Mary was born in Chicago. They met at UCLA where Bob had just received his masters degree in geology. Mary majored in foreign language. They married after graduation on June 27, 1961 at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Pasadena. For several years they lived throughout California while Bob worked in field geology. They liked Whittier and settled here and worked in Los Angeles. They are 40-year residents of Whittier.

The Kelly's have two children: The Honorable Thomas Kelly of Santa Cruz, judge; and daughter Patricia of Stanton, a Postal Service manager. They have three grandchildren.

Bob is retired from Continental Oil Co. (CONOCO) where he was employed as a geologist and self-employment as a GRI real estate broker.

Mary is a homemaker and is very active in local organizations, including Children's Home Society, Women's Club, and El Dorado.

Friends and family celebrated Kelly's 50th anniversary

French flavor

David and Carol Le Savage of Whittier travel with the Whittier Daily News to Belvedere View Point in Moorea, French Polynesia.
Celebrating 40 years of musicals

Trio to be honored at theater celebration

By MARIA DURVERE

Ah, the limelight. Such memories, such magic! Music theater fans will have the opportunity to share and recall stage antics when Whittier-La Mirada Musical Theatre celebrates its 40th anniversary June 26 with a gala celebration.

The fund-raiser starts at 7 p.m. at La Habra Ritz and will feature dinner, dancing, raffles and lots of reminiscing. Proceeds from the gala will go toward the Youth Cultural Enrichment Program, which allows school-age children to attend special week day shows.

The highlight of the evening will be a ceremony honoring Charles Hanson and Beverly Harris for their decades of commitment to the theater group.

"Every time I see a production, it's still on stage," Hanson said. "Although her husband Charles, doesn't concur, he is looking forward to the honor.

"After you've been associated with it for 40 years, you are entitled to feel honored," he said.

The Hansons became involved with the Whittier Light Opera, as it was called then, in 1955. Harris joined them in 1957. Although the three are active in the group anymore, they support it from the audience and as vocal advocates.

While they were involved, the trio wore every hat possible: each served as president or vice president, performer,景色 costumes, sold tickets, built sets and swept up after the shows.

"Despite the fact we had no money, too big a theater, initially the Whittier High School auditorium, and we were practically building the scenery in the streets, we put on some good shows. Of course some were dogs, too," Mary recalled.

The theater took over their lives and homes with costumes and sets overflowing from garages into living rooms, and household money making its way into theater accounts, Charles recalled.

And family members were always roped in to help. Harris' four daughters performed, and even a cousin visiting for the first time was commandeered to work on the 150 costumes she made for "Nanette Marletta."

"There was a lot of strain at the time, but now we can remember them as funny things," Charles said.

"They provided the leadership and guidance that gave this organization its very life for the first 25 years," said Paul Garman, executive director. "We can never be grateful enough to them."

Gala chairwoman Teresa Behnke said the evening includes dinner in the form of a selection of tastings from area restaurants, including Portofino, The White House, Red Lobster, Trader Joe's, The Olive Garden, Masons Bakery and Polly's Pies.

Dance music will be supplied by a disc jockey. Songs from musicals will most likely be among the selections - appropriately enough.

Guests can vie for prizes in a Chinese raffle, in which people drop their bids into a box in front of the item they wish to win. Behnke said the 10 baskets up for grabs fit musical themes. For example, the "Into The Woods" selection is a picnic basket filled with a certificate for a weekend retreat to Big Bear.

The journey down memory lane will be driven by reams of information on display, including clippings and old photos, and a screening of slides taken during all stages of production through the years, she said.

On a more modern note, performers from the upcoming "Phantom of the Opera" will give a 20-minute mini-show.

Tickets are - of course - $40. For information, call 949-8888.
**After-school special introduces children to courtroom scenes**

WHITTIER — Children will have a rare opportunity to hear first-hand what goes on in the courtroom and behind the scenes from Whittier Municipal Court Judge Yvonne Sanchez at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Whittier Public Library, 1344 S. Washington Ave.

The program is the first of four after-school specials to be presented on the third Wednesday of each month. According to Children's Services Librarian Bondie Weber, the programs are designed to appeal to children ages 9-12. The remaining specials will present juggling, the paper art of origami and science experiments.

Sanchez has served the Municipal Court of Whittier Judicial District since 1988. She hears all matters that come before the court, including felony preliminary hearings, arraignments, jury trials, master calendar and small claims cases.

Previously, she served Los Angeles County as a deputy public defender. After graduating from Montebello High School and Pitzer College in Claremont, she earned her law degree from UCLA, School of Law.

Sanchez is a member of the California Judges' Association, the Whittier Bar Association, and the Mexican-American Bar Association.

She resides in Whittier with her husband and two small children.

Free program tickets are available in Children's Services, the first of each month. The series is funded by the Friends of the Whittier Public Library. For more information, call 866-8949.

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**Whittier Daily News**

**Bruin Club winding up summer fun**

WHITTIER — Summer activities for the UCLA Whittier Bruin Club will conclude with group attendance at Whittier Night at the Hollywood Bowl on Sept. 6, followed by an end-of-summer party from 1 to 5 p.m. Sept. 14 at the Monarch Beach home of social chairwoman Betty Bragg.

Scholarship Chairman Michael Wick announced that the Whittier club recently donated $1,500 to the University of California at Los Angeles Scholarship Fund.

Celebrating its 44th year as one of the university's oldest support organizations, the Whittier Bruin Club is open to all graduates and friends of UCLA.

For more information, call membership chairman Joe Cooper, (562) 802-8997.

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**Robert Hale Capps of Whittier, 72**

WHITTIER

Robert Hale Capps of Whittier died June 12 at the age of 72.

Born Sept. 3, 1920 in Los Angeles, Capps attended Eagle Rock schools and served in the U.S. Coast Guard in World War II, assigned to a frigate in the Pacific.

Capps graduated from UCLA with a degree in accounting, then joined Ernst & Ernst Co. and became a certified public accountant.

After employment with Nutrilite in Buena Park and Thompson Products in Bell, Capps joined Coast Envelope Co. as controller in 1960. The company was acquired by Hammermill Paper Co. and Capps served three years as general manager of the South San Francisco plant. He returned to Los Angeles in 1975 as president of the Los Angeles and South San Francisco divisions until his retirement in 1984.

He is survived by his widow, Joyce, sons and daughters-in-law Steven and Donna Capps of Huntington Beach and Paul and Helen Capps of Los Angeles; daughter and son-in-law Marilyn and John Mullen of Bellingham, Wash.; and five grandchildren.

Bob and Joyce Capps were active parents in Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts and were awarded Honorary Life Memberships in the Mar Vista School PTA.

Among his civic and service accomplishments, Capps served as president of Alhambra Toastmasters No. 34, as president of the Friendly Hills Property Owners Association and as president of the Whittier Bruin Club.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. July 18 at the family home.
Cooprider earns award

WHITTIER — Yvonne Cooprider of Hacienda Heights was named the 1991 recipient of the $1,000 Whittier Bruin Club Scholarship Award, announced by Peggy Dinmore, chairman of the club’s UCLA Alumni Association Scholarship Program.

Cooprider attended Glen A. Wilson High School where her active participation in school and community affairs included class officer, First Shakespearean merit semi-finals, president of drama club, member of Academic Decathlon, church choir, performance in school plays, Junior Statesmen of America, and member of the fine arts club. Her employment included cashier and third manager of the house ware shop as well as tutor.

The Whittier Bruin Club, composed of alumni and friends of UCLA, recently held a successful beach party at the Laguna beachfront home of Millye and Spurge Finney. Plans are now in progress for a similar Christmas function. For more information, call President, Mary E. Hanson, 695-2769.

Whittier Bruin Club scholarships

WHITTIER — Bruin Club Scholarship Awards Chairmen Peggy and James Dinmore have announced the club’s annual scholarship award winners are Daniel Good of Sonora High School in La Habra and Adam Noritake of Whittier Christian High School.

Now enrolled at UCLA as a linguistic and French major, Good has received honors at the Golden State examination, excellence in Grand Concours French exam, varsity badminton and band as well as water polo and concert band. A member of the French Club, he has served as student liaison for the student exchange program.

Noritake, a Montebello resident, has been a member of the school’s marching band, California Scholarship Federation, National Honor Society, neighborhood church day care program, a biology tutor and Christian Youth Leadership Program.

The Bruin Club donates $1,000 annually toward the UCLA scholarship program.

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Bruin Club plans brunch

Friendly Hills Country Club will again be the location of the annual Whittier Bruin Club brunch at noon Sunday. Following brunch, member and friends will attend the Rio Hondo Symphony concert in Whittier High School Auditorium. 4-23 9:4

Open to all UCLA alumni and supporters, the club’s primary purpose is its scholarship program. 695-2769.
Whittier Bruin Club

Courtney McIntyre, UCLA alumni program manager, will be the guest of the Whittier Bruin Club Sunday when the club meets for its semi-annual membership party. The 6:30 p.m. meeting will be at the home of Charles and Mary Hanson.

Open to all friends and alumni of UCLA, the Whittier Bruin Club annually donates $1,000 to the UCLA Scholarship Fund. For further information, call 695-2769.

Local court commissioner becomes judge

By Anne Le Jeunesse

WHITTIER — Yvonne Sanchez started the day Monday as a Whittier Municipal Court commissioner — she ended the day as a judge.

The 36-year-old jurist, who was elected in June, assumed the $30,860 judicial position Monday after Governor Pete Wilson appointed her on an interim basis until her six-year elected term begins in January.

Sanchez, who has been a local court commissioner since 1983, replaces retired Judge James McKeechne, who has been handling cases on an assignment basis.

In addition to other duties,

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make an application.

But some other local courts do have women on the bench. Pasadena and Whittier municipal courts have two women each. For the county as a whole, roughly one in five municipal court judges are women.

Yvonne Sanchez, a judge at Whittier Municipal Court, agrees that the lack of women lawyers is part of the explanation — but only part.

"Plus it’s a real political thing to get appointed," she said. "Women have not been this connected to get appointed in the past."

Until recently, there were few women to choose from. And men were doing the choosing.

"I think the knee-jerk reaction was to go with a man," Sanchez said.

Yvonne Sanchez

Sanchez will now be able to issue search and arrest warrants, and will be called upon to issue probable cause determinations — deciding if arrest charges are sufficient to hold suspects in custody.

WOMEN ON THE BENCH

Female judges and commissioners at area municipal courts:

- ALHAMBRA - 0 of 4
- CITRUS - West Covina: 0 of 9
- RIO HONDO - El Monte: 0 of 7
- PASADENA - 2 of 6
- SANTA ANITA - Monrovia: 1 of 3
- WHITTIER - 2 of 6

Bay Area Bruins. Young Alumni Cable Car Bar Hop, San Francisco. Time TBA. Call Jeff Leopold (415) 885-6472.

Whittier Bruin Club. Whittier Night at the Hollywood Bowl. Time TBA. Call Mary Hanson (310) 695-2769.
Elna Sue (Swanson) Johanson, best known locally as founder and chairwoman of Whittier's "Save the Depot" Committee, died Monday in Las Vegas, where she had moved in 1996 to be closer to her daughter and granddaughter.

Her death reportedly came from complications after a fall. Born Dec. 22, 1918, in Boston, to Swedish immigrant parents, she was a Swedish-speaking child when she moved with her family to Whittier in 1926.

After going through the Whittier public school system, she attended UCLA, earning a degree in education in 1940.

Later she attended Cal State Los Angeles, where she earned master's degree in special education in 1961.

She taught school in several districts, including Whittier City and East Whittier, between 1940-1978.

She married general contractor Carl Gustaf Johanson in 1947. He was born in Sweden and served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. Both became very active in Whittier community affairs.

Over the years, the Johansons were active members of numerous Swedish-American organizations, receiving many awards, including a Gold Medal from King Carl XVI of Sweden in 1980 for promoting Swedish-American relations.

Elna Sue was the founder and president of the Swedish American Historical Association of California as well as founder and officer of several Nordic lodges.

The Johansons were among the first to recognize the value of Whittier railroad station to its present location on Greenleaf Avenue, where it serves as an attractive historic site and city transportation center.

She was one of the founders of the Whittier Historical Society and chairwoman of its preservation committee, out of which grew the "Save the Depot" committee.

She was a past president (1982) of the League of Women Voters and as a member of the American Association of University Women became the recipient of the coveted "Las Distinguidas Award."

She ran for the Whittier City Council in 1982 and 1986, served on the Whittier Historical Commission (1971-76), was a director on the board of the Hodges Foundation for the Whittier Library, chaired the Pio Pico Mansion committee for 10 years until 1983, was a member of the Whittier Guild of Children's Hospital for 25 years, served as a member of the Hathaway Ranch Museum Society board, receiving the Hathaway "Gerty Award," and published the Favorite Recipes of Hannah Nixon.

A member of Republican Women's clubs of Whittier and Las Vegas, she was also a Friend of the Nixon Library and Birthplace.

She had numerous other memberships and affiliations.

Elna Sue Johanson was preceded in death by her husband in 1978. She is survived by son Charles Gustaf Johanson, an international banking consultant...
The Whittier Bruin Club
and
the Governmental Relations Program
of
the UCLA Alumni Association
cordially invite you to attend

AN EVENING WITH STATE SENATOR FRANK HILL

Wednesday, October 28, 1992
7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Friendly Hills Country Club
8500 South Villa Verde Drive
Whittier

Coffee and Dessert will be served.

Please call (310) 206-0625 with affirmative responses only.

Free parking available

Please RSVP by October 23

Ms. Watson,

I am writing this in response to the very generous scholarship I received from you and your organization. I was honored to be one of the candidates for the $1000 award, and I was even more delighted to be the recipient of it. It really meant a great deal to me to receive this award because it represented a culmination of all the effort and hard work I have invested in school and activities these past four years. Once again, I would like to express my deepest gratitude for the scholarship and the recognition. Sincerely,

Cynthia Wellington
Whittier Municipal Court Judgeship to be settled at polls

By Anne LaJeunesse
Staff Writer

WHITTIER — After what could be one of the shortest campaigns in recent years, two Whittier legal experts will face off at the polls Tuesday, vying for a Whittier Municipal Court judgeship.

Although his appointment secretary said for the past six months that Gov. Pete Wilson intended to appoint a judge to fill that bench opening, the decision was made Tuesday to allow it to go to election, according to city’s office representative James Lee.

Attorney James F. Rusch, of Hacienda Heights, and Commissioner Yvonne T. Sanchez, of Whittier, who has essentially been doing the work of a Whittier Municipal Court judge since she was appointed to that position by her judicial peers in 1986, each want the job which carries an annual salary of $90,880.

The Los Angeles County Bar Association Committee on Judicial Evaluation rated Sanchez, 36, well-qualified for the position, and rated Rusch, 52, qualified.

To be rated “well-qualified,” a candidate must have professional ability, experience, competence, integrity and temperament indicative of superior fitness to perform the judicial function with a high degree of skill and effectiveness, according to L.A. County Bar Association representative Jerry Greenberg.

A “qualified” candidate must possess the same attributes, but have a “temperament indicative of fitness to perform judicial functions satisfactorily,” Greenberg said.

“I think that I have proved my ability in this particular type of work — being a judge is just a name change for the same job I’m doing now, I’m already doing what a judge does,” Sanchez said.

“I think I’m good at making quick decisions, I’m unbiased and I really like this job,” she said.

James Rusch

Rusch, a trial attorney and vice president of the Stearns, Gross, Moore & Rusch law firm, retired from the Whittier Police Department where he had served as an officer for 11 years, to practice law.

In the past nearly 20 years, Rusch says, he has honed experience as a prosecutor and defense attorney as well as developed a specialty in family law, making him the best choice for judge.

“I believe I represent pretty good vision and balance, and I offer a very mature approach to the bench,” said Rusch, who is married with four children.

Rusch said he is no stranger to the bench, having served as a volunteer judge in Whittier, Downey and Huntington Park municipal courts and as a mediator on various panels.

“I think we need judges who remember that taxpayers are paying for a full day’s work, not four or five hours a day,” said Rusch.

“Courtroom doors should open at 8:45 a.m. and court should start at 9 a.m.,” he said. “To go into a courtroom for something that should take five minutes and ends up taking two hours, that’s just not fair to anybody. People are treated like they’re an inconvenience.”
California: Running on Empty for Too Long

Bipartisan budget plan merits the governor's attention

Leadership talks on the state budget have been stalled for nearly three weeks, but now two self-described "backbenchers" have seized the initiative.

Republican Sen. Frank Hill of Whittier and Democratic Assemblyman Phillip Isenberg of Sacramento got together late this week and came up with a bipartisan plan that at least might get things moving again. It provides for no new taxes, does not roll over debt into other fiscal years and isn't loaded with one-time accounting gimmicks.

The plan proposed by Hill and Isenberg, who actually are influential members of their respective parties, also would resolve the major sticking point between the Republican governor and the Democratic-controlled Assembly—cuts in school funding. Gov. Pete Wilson has insisted that a cut of $2.3 billion will be necessary; Assembly Democrats have been willing to go for only $955 million.

The Hill-Isenberg plan would cut schools funding by $1.1 billion. That's admittedly a huge reduction, especially at a time when enrollment is up by 200,000. But when there's a $10.7-billion gap to bridge in the state budget, schools must take a severe hit along with other government services. One thing is sure: This year, almost nothing will escape the cutbacks.

The Hill-Isenberg plan would ease the schools' cut by forgoing a planned $504-million reserve, taking $300 million from local redevelopment agencies and capturing $300 million or more by authorizing speedier processing of disputed tax settlements.

It also would incorporate many of the deep reductions in local govern-
ment and health and welfare programs that have already been adopt-
ed by a joint Assembly-Senate conference committee on the budget.

Wilson's initial reaction to the new proposal appears to be positive. Because it incorporates so much of what he has said he wants, it could well prove to be a test of whether he is serious about resolving the budgetary dilemma. There are some in his own party who wonder aloud whether he is taking a hard line mainly to try to undo the political damage he suffered last year—especially among fellow Republicans—when he agreed to raise taxes to balance the 1991-92 budget. Others suggest that Wilson believes that a continued fiscal crisis might help win passage of his welfare initiative on the November ballot—although he strongly denies this.

The Hill-Isenberg proposal will of course be subjected to close scrutiny, and doubtless many will find things to criticize. Los Angeles officials, for example, fear that taking money from redevelopment agencies or otherwise reducing the city's funding could hinder efforts to rebuild after the riots.

Even if key parts of the Hill-Isenberg proposal never become part of a final budget, Wilson and legislative leaders can use the plan as a much-needed catalyst to restart serious negotiations, which were virtually abandoned after the July 1 deadline elapsed without a budget.

Meanwhile, the IOUs being used to pay the state's bills until a budget is adopted have been piling up, and the state's bond rating is suffering.

The protracted deadlock cannot go on. California has been running out of empty for too long.
Dear Mr. Hanson,

I would like to thank you and the other members of the Whittier
Union Club for choosing me to receive a prestigious Alumni
Scholarship. I am looking forward to beginning my studies at
UCLA this fall quarter.

At the moment, I hope to earn a degree in philosophy,
and perhaps to pursue a career in law afterwards. In the
future, I shall look forward to joining the Whittier Union Club
if I remain in the area. Once again, thank you for your support
of my academic development.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

Stuart de Camorco
Capps celebrate anniversary with whirlwind of activities

Robert H. (Bob) and Joyce Capps began their 50th anniversary celebration with friends Ted and Muriel Horstman of Los Angeles and with a visit to St. Barnabas Episcopal Church in Eagle Rock, where they were married April 18, 1942.

Their son Steven Capps and wife Donna of Huntington beach hosted a dinner party at El Cholo restaurant April 18. The family met for luncheon the next day at the Westchester home of son Paul Capps and wife Helen to greet new grandson Jeffrey David Capps, born April 5, 1982. The Capps’ daughter Marilyn and husband John Mullen live in Bellingham, Wash. The Capps have five grandchildren.

An afternoon of nostalgia and dinner at Lascari’s was shared April 24 with Joyce’s sister Bee and her husband Jim Burgner of Covina.

Ted and Fran Schaefers of Whittier held a garden party April 25 which was attended by 20 members of the Friendly Hills Dancers. A highlight of the evening was a spin through the streets of Whittier in a 1931 Auburn Phaeton owned by John and Linda Mallett.

Bob and Joyce are Los Angeles natives and were classmates at Eagle Rock High School. During World War II, Bob served in the U.S. Coast Guard on a patrol frigate in the Pacific.

He graduated from UCLA with a degree in accounting and became a certified public accountant. He retired from Hammermill Paper Co. in 1984.

Joyce and Bob Capps

Joyce graduated from Woodbury College and worked as a secretary. During World War II, she worked in Alameda for Pacific Bridge Company and as secretary to the officer-in-charge of a Navy Materiel Redistribution Center.

The Capps were active parents in Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts and both received honorary life membership in Mar Vista P.T.A. Bob served as president of Alhambra Toastmasters 34 and as president of the Friendly Hills Property Owners Association. Joyce was president of San Mateo Newcomers Club and Friendly Hills Woman’s Club.

Their favorite activities have been traveling, ballroom dancing, swimming and skiing.
Guide for caregivers

Elna Sue Johanson, left, past president of the American Association of University Women, and Mariam Locke, president, show off their new resource book for the Whittier area, "Caregiving For Adults." A video, "You Are Not Alone," is also available. Call Johanson at 693-2512 for information about either resource guide.
Judge for Yourself

Yvonne Sanchez is the most qualified

The Los Angeles County Bar Association thoroughly investigated the backgrounds and experience of the candidates for Whittier Municipal Court. They determined that only one of the Candidates—Commissioner Yvonne T. Sanchez—deserved the highest possible rating "Well Qualified."

Yvonne Sanchez:
- Committed to protecting victims' rights
- Determined to protect the safety of our senior citizens
- Resolved to punish those who commit domestic violence

Experience
- Commissioner, Whittier Municipal Court since 1998
- Presided over hundreds of trials
- Member California Judges Association
- Bachelor of Arts, Pitzer College in Claremont
- Graduated from UCLA School of Law

Roots in Our Community
- Lifetime resident of our community
- Graduate of Montebello High School
- Boardmember, Soroptimist International of Whittier
- Boardmember, Whittier Cultural Arts Foundation
- Mentor, Whittier High School Cardinal Computer Academy

Vote For Commissioner

Yvonne T. Sanchez

Whittier Municipal Court
Tuesday, June 2

The only well qualified candidate
Revvin' Up the Revenues

Today's students are driven to distraction by overheated registration fees. But thanks to a new law, they'll soon be getting a needed lift.

Introducing by State Senator Frank Hill '76, the law allows alumni and friends of the University to purchase specially designed UCLA license plates at $50 above regular auto registration fees. The plates will incorporate the University's Bruin mascot and official blue and gold colors; proceeds from the sale of the plates will fund need-based scholarships for deserving UCLA students.

"Given the economic crunch the state and University are facing, this offers us a way to help offset the cost of rising registration fees," says Ralph Ochoa '63, J.D. '69, president of the Alumni Association.

While other California public schools may also qualify, UCLA will be the first school in the state to have a plate. Production will begin as soon as there are 5,000 orders; the Alumni Association is now taking reservations.

"I feel confident that we will reach the 5,000-order goal," says John Kobara '78, executive director of the Alumni Association. "I think our members are the kind of people who care about the University and understand the financial burdens students face."

Alumni and friends who are interested in reserving a license plate can do so by filling out the form on page 65 and returning it to Bruin License Plates, UCLA Alumni Association, 405 Hilgard Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90024-1397, or sending it by FAX to (310) 825-8678.
Ashe named US of the Year
12 prominent Bruin alumni, honored at June 12 ceremony

You’re invited to the 48th annual UCLA Alumni Awards for Excellence ceremony on Saturday, June 12 at 8 p.m. in Royce Hall. Bill Walton ’74, sports announcer and past Bruin basketball great, will be master of ceremonies. Arthur Ashe ’66 will be honored posthumously as Alumnus of the Year.

The ceremony will have a new and improved look this year. The first night ceremony since the ’60s, it will include an interactive, audio-visual set, sure to enliven the presentation of awards. Following the event, refreshments will be served. Seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis.

In addition to Ashe, nine other alumni will be honored. Jackie Joyner-Kersee ’86, multiple Olympic medalist; Lourdes Baird ’73, JD ’76, U.S. Federal Judge; Thomas Everhart ’55, president of California Institute of Technology; and Robert Glenn Ketchum ’70, renowned artist and photographer will accept awards in the area of professional achievement.

Ray Bartlett ’44, long-time volunteer in many community organizations, and Sheila James Kuehl ’62, managing director of the Southern California Women’s Law Center, will be honored with Community Service Awards. Rand Schrader ’69, JD ’72, LA Municipal Court judge and gay rights activist will be honored with a Special Recognition Award.

Frank Hill ’76, California state senator, and Benjamin Cayetano ’68, lieutenant governor of Hawaii, will be recognized for public service.

Two important friends of UCLA will be honored in the University Service category. Peter Guber, renowned producer, will be recognized for his 18 years of teaching in the School of Theater, Film, & Television, and, Jean Stone, a UCLA philanthropist, will be recognized for some 30 years of university service.

In addition to the recognition of UCLA alumni and friends, four outstanding seniors, three outstanding graduate students, and five distinguished teachers will be honored. Chancellor Charles Young will present the five Harriet and Charles Luckman Distinguished Teaching Awards, which carry a $6,000 honorarium each.

For more information about the event, call the Alumni and Student Programs office at (310) 206-0523.
Nurse wins national recognition

WHITTIER

Every year, the American Cancer Society chooses one nurse from hospital workers across the country to recognize as an outstanding caregiver and an exceptionally dedicated professional.

This year's award has gone to Whittier's Margaret Terrones, a 62-year-old assistant nurse manager at County-USC Medical Center. She is a Haviland Avenue resident and a 17-year veteran nurse who says she has always felt the need to help people.

She was nominated by her colleagues for her work with the national "Look Good - Feel Good" program, which helps cancer patients cope with and feel better about their illness. Three years ago, Terrones began offering the program in Spanish for the first time.

Nationally, she was selected for the award from 123 other nurses nominated nationwide.

"The award was a total shock to me," Terrones said. "I didn't even know I had been nominated," she added.

"This honor means that you represent your colleagues across the country who give compassionate, caring service to individuals with cancer on a daily basis," wrote Terri Ades, director of nursing programs for the Cancer Society, in a letter notifying Terrones of the honor.

The Cancer Society flew Terrones and her husband to Atlanta to receive the award and a $1,500 check. They were the honored guests at a reception dinner June 4 and at a formal meeting of the Cancer Society's national board of directors on June 5.

Terrones became a nurse at the age of 45 after raising four daughters and a son with her husband, Ricardo, a retired hospital administrator.

— MICHAEL UTLEY
Jason Green
Saxophone Soloist

Jason Green, 22-year-old saxophonist from Whittier, placed first in the woodwinds and brass category of the 25th Annual Young Artists Competition. Currently he is attending UCLA where he is studying for his bachelor's degree in music.

Green, who showed an aptitude for music at an early age, gained recognition in the music field while attending Whittier High School. The talented saxophonist performed in numerous honor bands. In his junior year he reached first chair in the All-State Honor Band of the California Band Directors' Association.

As a result of his entrance audition at UCLA, Green won the Gil Rodin Memorial Scholarship. Currently he is studying with Gary Gray. He has also studied with Jim Roeter, Joe Stone and Mike Vasconcel. In May he will perform as a soloist with the UCLA Symphony Orchestra.

The aspiring young musician is the son of professional musicians. His father, Donald Green, plays the trumpet with the Los Angeles Philharmonic while his mother, Jane Green, is a freelance oboist who occasionally plays with the Rio Hondo Symphony.
FRANK HILL '76

Whether the subject be the state budget or higher education, Frank Hill has distinguished himself through his service in Sacramento. Elected to the State Assembly in 1982, he moved to the State Senate in 1990 as that body's youngest member.

A member of the Ways and Means Committee of the Assembly and Assembly Republican Caucus Liaison to the Governor, Hill influences key government issues. After the 1987 Whittier earthquake, he was instrumental in authoring a new law to protect California homeowners with affordable insurance.

In the State Senate, Hill was appointed Vice Chairman of the Budget and Fiscal Review Committee and has been tapped by the Governor to carry the presently pending welfare reform package. He is strongly in favor of welfare programs as a method of breaking the welfare cycle.

Frank Hill has served as honorary Vice Chairman and Southern California Chairman for the campaign to make English California's official language. He also sponsors the English Language Acquisition Pilot Program to help students acquire fluency in the English language.

Hill is a staunch supporter of higher education in general, the University of California in particular, and his attention to higher education is exemplified by the California Collegiate License Plate Bill, developed in close cooperation with the Alumni Association. The revenue from these plates will be used to provide need-based scholarships for California students.

PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD

Presented by
Harriette Williams '52, M.A. '56, Ed.D. '73
Vice President
The UCLA Alumni Association

This award, inaugurated in 1982, is presented to outstanding individuals in the UCLA family who are singled out for their records of service as public servants or government officials. This honor is bestowed upon those whose work is heroic in the public sector or government.

Frank Hill

PUBLIC SERVICE
Above and Beyond...

On the mainland, Frank Hill '76
has distinguished himself in both the California State Assembly and Senate. Hill is vice chair of the Budget and Fiscal Review Committee and is deeply involved with the state's welfare reform package. He has served as honorary vice chair for the Proposition 63 campaign to make English the official language of California and is sponsor of the English Language Acquisition Pilot Program, which will help students acquire fluency in English. Hill has been instrumental in the design of the bipartisan budget plan and a staunch supporter of higher education. He was a sponsor of the California Collegiate Plate Bill, developed in close cooperation with the UCLA Alumni Association, which will provide need-based scholarship funds for California colleges.

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Whittier Bruins
Summer party. Bob and Joyce Capp's home, 6 p.m. Call Mary Hanson (310) 695-2769.

Whittier

UCLA Alumni Association honors Frank Hill tonight

State Sen. Frank Hill, R-Whittier, will be honored for public service tonight at the UCLA Alumni Association's 48th annual Alumni Awards for Excellence Ceremony. The event honoring 25 UCLA graduates will be held at 8 p.m. in Royce Hall at UCLA. Hill, who is a member of the Whittier Bruin Club, graduated in 1976.
A return to bicycling proves an uphill experience

I got my bike fixed.
Probably nobody cares except Sam Guyan and me. Sam's been after me to get out there and do some bicycling for about 10 years. She's probably Whittier's best-known bicycling enthusiast and community activist.

My family bought me a nice 10-speed 12 years ago. I put four or five days of solid riding on it, then parked it on its kickstand in my garage expecting to use it frequently. I didn't.

I brought the bike with me when I came to Whittier in 1989. After some more years, the rubber oxidized or something and got grainy looking. It became sort of an art object at my place rather than something one actually rides. If my life had more of a profit motive, I would have taken it to one of those upscale art auctions and sold it for $3 million or so.

MY VOW TO MYSELF continued to be that someday I would get it to a bike shop, get some new tires and get on the road again.

Three weeks ago, in a spate of doing things I'd put off, I finally stuck the old bike in the trunk of my car and drove it to a shop to put it back in riding condition.

I was so enthused that I didn't take my car to pick up the bike. Since it was fixed, I decided to ride it the four blocks back home, up a slight grade.

As I pumped the bike up the slight grade, it came back to me why I really hadn't been riding for almost 12 years. I don't like bikes with gears. I can never find the easy gear. When I was a kid, I had a one-speed bike and it was easy.

VOLUNTEERS EVOLVE

Forty-four years ago, Eleanor Fricke of Whittier, began a long association with Children's Hospital in Los Angeles.

Her son, Steven, was a year old. He couldn't keep food down because he was born with a narrow esophagus.

The problem manifested itself in something with a terrible name — "projectile vomiting."

That's almost too descriptive. It was also life-threatening for Fricke's son.

Through years of treatment at Children's Hospital in conjunction with years of special care at home, Steven's unpromising beginning turned into a very productive, worthwhile and active life.

He and his two brothers all became Eagle Scouts; he was graduated from La Serra High School and Cal Poly Pomona. Now 45, Steven owns his own business and is a serious SCUBA diver. He left last week to go diving in the Virgin Islands.

This is how some charitable organizations such as Children's Hospital get their best volunteers.

As a result of her own experience, Fricke sincerely believes that Children's Hospital is a place where miracles such as her son's happen on a regular basis. That's how I met her this week.

She was promoting publicity for Whittier Guild of Children's Hospital's big annual fund-raiser. It will be a $50-a-plate fashion show luncheon, "In Tune With Fashion," Oct. 30 at the Whittier Hilton.

The Whittier Guild for the Los Angeles hospital is 48-years-old and Fricke has been one of its most active volunteers for the past 33 years.

Why did I tell you this? It's just one of the thousands of little stories that go with people who bring in news releases to promote events and causes of their favorite organizations.

ARTIST HEARD FROM

In a recent column, I talked about the local scenes that artist Bob Bates painted for fences erected around Uptown vacant lots after the 1987 earthquake.

I was told that Bates received only $45 each of 11 paintings, so that's what I reported.

Bates called to report that he actually received $400 each for the first two paintings and $325 each for rest.

A WORD TO HATE

The word horrific has emerged as a journalistic favorite. Lately, horrific crops up more often in news stories. It's usually used properly. It's defined as something that causes a feeling of horror.

I hate it. It sounds like a Madison Avenue buzz word that ought to be sung by Ray Charles or be on a poster promoting a Godzilla movie. It's too trite and cute to be equated with real horror.

Horrific seems like a hybrid made by grafting horror and terrific together.

Did you know that terrific can mean wonderful or frightening? Also, did you know that experiencing something horrific can cause horripilation — hair to stand on end from fear?

But who would use a word like that?
FIFTEENTH ANNUAL DONOR RECOGNITION LUNCHEON

Sunday, October 25, 1992
James West Alumni Center
It's all for the children

Whittier Guild of Children’s Hospital of Los Angeles will hold its annual fashion show luncheon Oct. 20 at the Whittier Hilton. “In Tune With Fashion” will feature fashions by Roberta. Reservations are $38. Call Jan Maples, (310) 693-6432 or Robin De La Pena, (310) 693-5803.

Fashion show chairwomen, from left, Stephanie Alexander, Jan Maples and Eleanor Fricke are caught here preparing one of the centerpieces.

Children’s Hospital of Los Angeles (CHLA) has been named one of the four best pediatric facilities in the country. The 331-bed hospital has more than 30 out-patient clinics, 20,000 patient visits and 61,000 emergency room visits each year.

Yasuda-Terrones

Carol Ritsuko Yasuda of San Mateo and Richard Michael Terrones of Berkeley have announced their engagement.

An April wedding is planned at Spectrum Gallery in San Francisco.

Yasuda is the daughter of Chico and Yvonne Yasuda of Pacifica.

Terrones is the son of Margaret and Ricardo Terrones of Whittier.

Yasuda graduated from South San Francisco High School and San Francisco State University. She is a cargo agent for Japan Airlines.

Terrones graduated from Whittier High School and UC Berkeley. He is an architect for Sinclair Associates.
**Great teacher to be missed**

It was once said, “She can teach a rock to read.”

Elna Sue Johanson has many talents, but her teaching abilities shine far above the rest. Elna has a wonderful rapport with children. Her teaching abilities are not limited to children. She also teaches adults to read. Elna makes learning fun, and not all teachers have acquired this much-needed skill.

It is with great sadness that I bid a fond farewell to Elna Sue Johanson. On behalf of the city of Whittier and your devoted students, we wish you happiness and success in your future endeavors.

**Peggy and Corry Herricks**

LA MIRADA

*Editor's note: Johanson is moving to Las Vegas, Nev.*
honored as 'Good Scout'

Joe Corey of Whittier will be honored Thursday by the Rio Hondo District of the Boy Scouts of America for his volunteer work.

Men of the event and Schnabel will serve as master of ceremonies.

For more information, call Jim McCarthy at the Rio Hondo BSA office, (213) 413-4400, Ext. 221.

Valerie Marrs can be reached at (213) 539-0355, Ext. 3025, or by e-mail at valerie.marrs@gun.com.

Sanchez elected municipal court judge

Larry S. Knoop was elected municipal court judge for 1994, succeeding Attorney M. Sanchez, a board member of the Whittier Cultural Arts Foundation and a former deputy public defender. Knoop is a board member of the Whittier Cultural Arts Foundation and a former deputy public defender. Knoop is also a member of the Whittier Board of Education and the Whittier Chamber of Commerce.
Mr. Ricardo Terrones
6329 Haviland Avenue
Whittier, CA 90601-4629

Dear Mr. Terrones:

It is truly an honor to receive the Whittier Bruin Club Scholarship Award. Thank you for your trust and generosity. As an incoming freshman, it is comforting to know that I am welcomed and believed in. I will try my best to live up to your expectations of me during my stay at UCLA. This award has made me realize how much support and encouragement my community has given me; I will remember to return the goodwill. Please forward my appreciation to the other club members. Thank you again.

Sincerely,

Jane S. Der

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Local students get scholarships from Bruin Club

Doantran Tran and Jason Wong are recipients of the Whittier Bruin Club Scholarships, club Scholarship Chairman Ricardo Terrones has announced.

Tran, a graduate of Warren High School in Downey, is a pre-biology major with an emphasis in medicine. His honors and school and community activities include Gold Star Exam high honors in chemistry and U.S. history. National Science Olympiad, M. Staff Scholarship, Mu Alpha Theta Math Club, Key Club and California Scholarship Federation.

Jason Wong, a graduate of Alhambra High School in Monterey Park is also majoring in medicine. His awards and activities include: Award of Merit, Junior Civitan. Golden State exam honors in algebra and geometry, varsity basketball, and Future Business Leaders of America.

The Whittier Bruin Club, now celebrating 40 years, is open to UCLA alumni and friends. It annually donates $2,000 toward the university's scholarship program. For information, call President Mary E. Hanson at 695-2769.

From staff reports

Whittier Daily News

Bruin Club plans brunch

Friendly Hills Country Club will again be the location of the annual Whittier Bruin Club brunch at noon Sunday. Following brunch, member and friends will attend the O.J. Simpson Symphony concert in Whittier High School Auditorium. 4-2-93

Open to all UCLA alumni and supporters, the club's primary purpose is its scholarship program, 695-2769.

Whittier Daily News

Club Notes

Whittier Bruin Club

An evening with Senator Frank Hill will be presented by Whittier Bruin Club and UCLA Alumni Association Governmental Relations Program, 7-9 p.m. Oct. 28, at Friendly Hills Country Club, 6500 S. Villa Verde Drive.

Hill will discuss the state budget, higher education and priorities for local community and state. An active member of the Whittier Bruin Club, he has been a strong proponent of higher education and authored legislation creating an alternative funding that evolved into the finally approved budget.

Coffee and dessert will be served at the meeting. The club is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. For more information, call President Mary E. Hanson, 695-2769.

Whittier — The Bruin Club will hold its annual end-of-summer potluck party from 1 to 3 p.m. Sept. 11 at Betty Bragg's Monarch Beach home.

Ricardo Terrones is president during Whittier Bruin Club's 46th year. The club is open to all alumni and friends of UCLA. For information, call Mary Hanson, 695-2769.

FANS Daily News

Shot at bowl berth fires up backers

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deeper.

"What attracted me to USC was that they were the first college I ever saw with a black quarterback," he said, referring to Rodney Peete, now with the NFL Detroit Lions.

Mary Hanson doesn't give a damn about football, but the 1946 UCLA graduate still becomes a woman possessed during Trojan games.

"There's just something about UCLA that gets into your blood," said Hanson, president of the Whittier UCLA Bruin Club. "It's one of those deep-seated rivalries where you don't use much sense sometimes."

Hilton Green's blood flows Trojan red, not Bruin blue.

Green, a Pasadena resident and movie producer whose credits include "Ice Candy" and "Psychos" and movies and "Enchino Man," has attended virtually every USC home football game since before World War II.

"I grew up with USC, I went here, my wife went there, my four kids all went there," said reen, 63, who also was student manager of the football team.

West Covina City Councilman Ben Wong got hooked on Trojan football his freshman year when USC squeezed out several last-minute victories including a 14-12 game over UCLA for a Rose Bowl berth.

"The next thing I knew, I was out on the field running around like a crazy person," recalled Wong, 42, who hasn't missed a home game since 1959. "I really just had some amazing experiences in watching Trojan football."
Absolutely delighted
to bring...

Thank You
Awards committee chairs announced

The annual UCLA Alumni Awards for Excellence will take place on Saturday, May 21, at 4 p.m. in Royce Hall. The following people will volunteer many hours between now and then.

Community Service Committee. Denise Bengston-Rainier ’80. As a consultant, Denise focuses on evaluating market opportunities for high-technology instruments. She has been a part of Commencement Open House and cochair of her 10-year reunion.

Outstanding Graduate Student Committee. Yvonne Sanchez JD ’80. The assistant presiding judge of Whittier Municipal Court, Yvonne also is on the Whittier Cultural Arts Foundation Board and is an officer of the Board of Soroptimists, a service club. Yvonne has served for four years on the Alumni Awards committees and is active in the Whittier Bruin Club.

Outstanding Senior Committee. Prof. Beverly Robinson ’74. is associate professor of theater, world arts, culture, and folklore, in addition to being chair of master’s program in African area studies. Beverly has served on awards committees and been an Alumni Asso-
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“A hundred years from now it will not matter what my bank account was, the sort of house I lived in or the kind of car I drove... but the world may be different because I was important in the life of a child.”
CLASS NOTES

Are You a Member?
Did you know that being an alum- nu or alumna of UCLA does not automatically make you a member of the UCLA Alumni Association? For just $40 a year, you can receive all the benefits of membership. You can make use of any of our new career benefits, get USAir discounts, attend sporting events for free...the list goes on and on.

To find out more about membership, call (310) 825-ALUM. Outside the (213), (310), and (818) area codes, call (800) 825-ALUM. You may also fax a request to (310) 825-6876 or write to: Membership, James West Alumni Center, 405 Hilgard Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90024-1397.

Class of ’53 Marks 40 Years of Bruin Life
The Class of ’53 will have a special homecoming this year, as members come back to campus to mark the 40th anniversary of their graduation on Oct. 29 and 30.

Enjoy a reception at the James West Alumni Center, a guided tour of campus, and a special Class of ’53 barbecue at the Rose Bowl just before the Homecoming game against Arizona. For information, call (310) 206-0523.

The Numbers Never Lie
128
Alumni volunteers who phoned incoming UCLA students to welcome them to UCLA. Special thanks to Larry Siegel ’59 for putting the project together.

8,700
Sodas served during the two-day Commencement Open House hosted by the Alumni Assocications.

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Editor’s Note: Though we’re grateful for the tremendous mail-in response of biographic data sheets and alumni letters each issue, regretfully our pages just can’t hold them all. If we missed you, please forgive us; we’ll try to list you next time.

A Life Member of the UCLA Alumni Association
A Member of the UCLA Alumni Association

‘30s
Sidney W. Fox ’33, a professor at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, was credited in the latest Who’s Who with synthesis of life in the lab. As a student, Fox composed music for UCLA’s Campus Caper, a “tuneful musical review.”

Richard P. Daubenmire ’36 of Laguna Hills, CA was issued a patent (No. 5190260) for water heater tank support.

1938 REUNION Thea Chambers Clous ’38, a Spanish instructor for more than 10 years at Saddleback College, resides in Laguna Hills. R. Lloyd Duvall ’39 retired after 32 years of teaching in California and DOD Dependents Schools in Taiwan and Germany. He is enjoying a Bruin’s golden years in Jalisco, Mexico.

‘40s
Attention, Class of 1944: A reminder that 1994 is your 50th reunion! Please send all future correspondence for inclusion in Class Notes to your new class secretary: Fran Stewart-Ashley ’44, 11916 Brookhaven Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90094.

Ascher Wilk ’40, a Los Angeles CPA, was named an honorary member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Before his retirement, he was principal of the firm Ascher Wilk, CPA. Mladin Zarubica ’40 is featured in a book titled For God, Country, and Coca-Cola, written by Mark Pendergast. The former head of European operations for the Coca-Cola Company in the 40s, Zarubica is CEO of Zarubica Co. in Los Angeles. Bruce Cassidy ’42 of Stamford, CT was elected secretary of the North American Region of the International Association of Crime Writers held in Giron, Spain last July. His most recent mystery was the best-selling Murder Game in 1991.

Alice A. Stahliner Wheaton ’42 of Fullerton, CA is the president of Professional Secretaries International for the North County Chapter.

Eleanor Kilgo Philips ’43 taught in China for two years after retiring as project director for the L.A. Unified School District. She now lives in Tarzana, CA and gives lectures on China.

Dick Burt and his son Duke Burtglen ’84 of Los Angeles recently sold their interest in the Standard Nickel-Chromium Plating Company, for which Dick was president and Duke, vice president.

Mary Redding Hanson ’45 is vice chair of the Whittier City Cultural Arts Commission and president of the Whittier Bruin Club.

Ruth Hscher Graham ’45 of Beverly Hills writes that her son Randall, the winemaker of the family-owned Bonny Doon Vineyard, had an asteroid named in his honor by the discoverer of the asteroid, Dr. Edward Bowell.

Donald W. Pritchard ’46, M.S. ’48, Ph.D. ’52 of Severna Park, MD was inducted into the National Academy of Engineering in Washington, D.C. for his contributions to understanding the hydrodynamics of estuaries and coastal waters and innovative applications of benefit to the environment and society.

Margaret Reed Wood ’46 and Raymond F. Wood Ph.D. ’50 recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. They were married at St. Paul’s Church in Westwood in 1943.

Jerome B. Borak ’48, a CPA from Beverly Hills, was named an honorary member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. He is president of Borak Financial Corporation.

Frank Krauth ’49, professor emeritus at the University of Colorado, received the Ralph Coats Roe Medal of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers for his significant contributions toward a better public appreciation of the engineer’s worth to contemporary soci-
Bragging rights, bowl berts fire up USC, UCLA fans

Storied rivalry all in fun — more or less

By Ian Gregor
Staff Writer

IT'S not like Marsha and Ray Andersen take their USC football seriously.

Sure, they once stuffed a mannequin dressed as a Bruin in a casket. Sure, they placed that casket on the front lawn of some friends who had attended UCLA. And sure, Marsha makes her UCLA friends sit outside at her annual postgame dinner when the Bruins are victorious.

But it's all in fun.

"We're pretty good spirits about it," said Marsha, vice president of public relations at Whittier's Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital and a 1978 USC grad.

"The games are so exciting because the students are so excited about it," added Ray, a Presbyterian Hospital doctor who got his medical degree from USC and played football there.

As the seconds tick down to the kickoff of today's big game, which will decide a Rose Bowl berth and a year's worth of Los Angeles bragging rights, fans from both colleges are singing their team's praises with the fervor of Jimmy Swaggart at a revival meeting.

And as occasionally happens in the world of sports, fans are selectively choosing facts to support their predictions of doom for the other side.

USC buffs are ignoring history, which shows that USC leads the 63-game rivalry, 34-21-7. When a Rose Bowl appearance is on the line, USC is 21-10-2.

The Trojans are 2 1/4-point favorites today.

JUST HOURS AWAY from the game to decide who

and Marsha Andersen show off the colors of their

THE MATCHUP AT A GLANCE

TODAY'S 63rd contest between UCLA's Bruins and USC's Trojans will decide which team represents the Pac-10 Conference in the Rose Bowl on New Year's Day. Kickoff at the Coliseum is scheduled at 12:30 p.m.

Television: KABC-Channel 7.
Radio: KNX-AM 1070, KMPC-AM 710.

Both teams feeling confident $1
Game secondary for one UCLA player $1

For their part, USC fans shrug off UCLA's victories in the last two contests — including a breathtaking 38-37 squeaker last year. They also scoff at the teams' positions in the Associated Press college football poll, which ranks UCLA 16th and USC 22nd.

"All I can tell you is USC is going to win," said Neal Bryant, Jr., 32, a partner in a Duarte engineering firm and 1966 USC graduate.

Bryant, who has been going to USC games religiously for the past 11 years, plans to scream at the Coliseum today.

To reach the author care of The Whittier

"I am extremely grateful for my scholarship."

2009 Whittier Good Scout of the Year Award

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Helping hand for Bruins

Club observes 40 years of supporting UCLA

By Adriana Chavira
Staff Writer

WHITTIER — A blue and gold banner sporting a brown bear hung from the front porch.

All the cars parked nearby sported UCLA alumni license-plate frames. Tables were adorned with blue and gold flowers.

It could mean only one thing: Bruins were gathering in Whittier.

New and founding members of the Whittier Bruin Club, an alumni association for graduates and friends of University of California, Los Angeles, celebrated its 40th anniversary Sunday with a dinner at home of member Mary Hanson.

Betty Jane and Hale Wegener founded the Whittier group back in 1954 when the UCLA alumni director approached them about forming a local Bruin club.

"We thought it would be nice to have a Bruin club in Whittier," said Hale Wegener, Class of 1942.

The club had 70 members back then and has since ballooned to 80 members. About half of the members attended the celebration.

The Whittier Bruin Club is one of many regional alumni associations for the university, which is celebrating its 75th anniversary this year, said Burt Harris, administrative associate of alumni affairs at UCLA.

"We have in excess of 100 clubs in the U.S. and several overseas," Harris said. Since its inception, the local group has raised more than $40,000 in scholarships for Whittier-area students enrolling at UCLA.

When the club first started, members attended meetings every other month. Now they get together at least three times a year for social gatherings and volunteer work, such as collecting bags of cosmetics for the Women's Children Crisis Shelter in Whittier, said Hanson, Class of 1945 and hostess of the party.

One reason the Whittier club has lasted 40 years is that the group meets at members' homes and they all feel close to each other, members said.

"It is such a happy group," said Harriet Flor, a 1941 alumna. "It is phenomenal how many of us are still together."

President Ricardo Terrones has been a member of the Whittier group for about seven years.

"I'm a staunch Bruin and a read about the club so I decided to join," said Terrones. "I am very involved with UCLA and it is great to localize the alumni association."

Pico Rivera resident Henrietta Winkler is a relatively new member.

"I am a Bruin. I graduated from UCLA and I felt I should do something for my university," said Winkler, who received her music degree 40 years ago.
Founders of Bruin Club to be honored Sept. 11

Celebrating its 40th anniversary, Whittier Bruin Club, one of UCLA's oldest alumni organizations, will honor founders Hale and Betty Jane Wegener and charter members Spurgeon and Millye Finney, Carol and Eleanor Frickie, and Bob and Frances Young at 6 p.m., Sept. 11 at the home of Charles and Mary Hanson. For information, call 695-2789.
A BIRTHDAY PARTY was held to observe the 10th anniversary of the Whittier Bruin Club. Among those attending were Doug Kinsey, executive director of the Alumni Assn. from the University of California at Los Angeles, Mrs. Bill Brown, Bruin Club president, Mrs. Spurgeon Finney, and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Wegener, founders of the club and hosts. — (Daily News photo)
LOCAL CLUB Notes

Bruins to party 1-6-93

Whittier Bruins Club President Ricardo Terrones has announced the club's holiday party will be held at 5:30 p.m., Sunday at the home of Larry and Betty Bragg.

Open to friends and alumni of UCLA, the club recently celebrated its 40th anniversary. For party or club information, call Vice President Mary Hanson, 695-2769.

BETTY JANE WEGENER

Dear Mary,

The snapshot I took at the party as well as a copy of the newspaper clipping are enclosed.

I think you did a great job on the 40th Celebration — everyone had a good time — and thanks to Chuck, too!

Sincerely,

B. J.

Regan, Mary Hanson, Joe Cren, Betty Bragg,
Mark Mackintosh, Chuck Hanson
23 August 1999

Dear Mary:

Thanks very much for the annual report information—we'll look forward to receiving the rest of the information from Bob and Ricardo.

Certificates have been prepared to recognize & honor the volunteers with forty years of service to your club.

I especially want to thank you for your lovely invitation to the Whittier Bruins' 40th anniversary celebration. While I am very sorry that I can't attend, the alumni association will be represented by Julie Bedler. I know it will be a wonderful event.

Please accept my personal congratulations and thanks to you for all you do for the Whittier club.
Roses and rhapsody

Violinist Lou Anne Barth, left, visits Hale and Betty Jane Wegener at their Friendly Hills home, one of the four stops to be featured April 30 in the Rio Hondo Symphony Guild’s eighth annual Whittier Garden Tour. $15 donation. For information and tickets, call (310) 698-7489, 698-8710 or 698-8956.

CLUBNotes

Whittier Bruin Club Installs new officers

Whittier Bruin Club has selected the following as officers for the current club year:

President Ricardo Terrones,
Vice President Kathleen Hunt,
Secretary Eleanor Fricke, and
Treasurer Bob Kelly. Committee chairs are Michael Wick, scholarship; Margaret Terrones, social; and Mary Hanson, Bruin Bulletin and publicity.

Members and friends will join other Bruins in Laughlin, Nev., Sept. 9, to view the UCLA-Brigham Young University game on wide-screen TV in a private banquet room at Riverside Hotel and Casino.

Celebrating its 41st year, Whittier Bruin Club is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. For activities information, call (310) 695-2769.
Bids for Kids

FROM THE CHAIRMAN...

It has been a great pleasure serving as Chairman of the High Society Auction for the second year. Again, on behalf of the Board of Directors and staff of the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier, let me take this opportunity to thank you for your presence and your participation in the 1994 High Society Auction, "A Magical Evening". Our theme is quite fitting this year, "A Magical Evening", since our President of the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier is Jack Rockwell; a.k.a., "The Magic Man".

Your participation is a valuable asset to our Club and the funds raised are not funds for the organization, but funds for children of our community. If you are like me, giving is a means of a reward to yourself, and allows you to give back to your community what the community has given to you.

We all have a heart for giving and the desire to give, and we do it because it makes us feel better. So, please join with me and the Board in making this another great event for the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier.

I want to thank the auction committee for their tremendous assistance and support in providing this event this evening. And, do remember, your support will provide a "Positive Influence on the Kids in Whittier".

Joe F. Corey
Board Member
Chairman, 1994
High Society Auction Committee

FACTS ABOUT OUR CHAIRMAN...

The Boys & Girls Club of Whittier is fortunate to have Joe serve as our Chairman for the second year. Joe joined our Club back in September, 1989, and has served and helped on the High Society Auction committee, the Building committee, the Citizens Advisory committee, Executive committee and Christmas committee.

Joe was born in the Los Angeles area and attended Montebello High School, East Los Angeles College and graduated from UCLA in 1960 in Engineering. He served four years in the U.S. Navy, worked as a Systems and Electrical Engineer for a number of companies, and now has his own business in Property Management and Real Estate since 1973.

He is active in the community and serves on the Boards of the YMCA, Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital Foundation, American Red Cross, and the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier, and is a member of the Citizen Advisory Committee for Fred C. Nelles School for Boys. He is a Past President of the Whittier Host Lions, and a Past President of the Whittier Area Chamber of Commerce.

He lives in Whittier, has three sisters and one brother and his mother of 92 years still lives in her own home in Montebello.

The Board of Directors and the Boys & Girls Club of Whittier are both proud and fortunate to have Joe Corey as a member of our Club.
club events

CHALLENGING THE FUTURE

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Dear Ricardo,

We truly appreciated your donation of hygiene items.

Thank You! Thank You! Thank You!

Women's and Children's Crisis Shelter
The Korfs: lives intertwined in their love of the theater

For several decades, Lee and Jean Korf took their drama classes from Rio Hondo and Cerritos colleges to the Edinburgh Drama Festival in Scotland.

Last December, Smithsonian magazine carried an article about the festival that included an interview with the Korfs.

"Taking plays to Edinburgh was a financial failure," they explained to the interviewer, "but it gave our colleges real prestige. Of course, participating in one of the greatest drama festivals in the world was invaluable to the students."

The name Korf has stood for drama for years in Whittier and Norwalk. Jean Korf began her career at Whittier High School as stage manager in the '50s. She later taught and directed plays at California High School and at night taught at the new Rio Hondo College drama department. Many years and awards later, the drama department was turned over to another Korf, their son, Bill.

Since her retirement from Rio Hondo in 1990, Jean has directed at Louisiana State University and Barr's Playhouse in New York City, and spent seven weeks in Poland directing "Steel Magnolias" at Bialystok Municipal Theatre.

Including their annual trip to Edinburgh, where they see two or three plays a day, and their season tickets at the Mark Taper and Ahmanson in Los Angeles, Jean figures the Korfs see at least 90 plays a year.

Many people spend their one lifetime doing work they hate, living for retirement. What a difference when we find the work we love early in life.

Late in World War II, Jean and a UCLA college friend were driving up the coast when they picked up a serviceman.

"In those days, picking up a serviceman was the patriotic thing to do," Korf said. "Of course, it didn't hurt anything that I discovered he was carrying a movie script under his arm that he had written."

During that drive, the couple-to-be soon learned how much they had in common. After their marriage, they worked for their theater degrees at UCLA and raised three children. Today, the Korf family has seven theater degrees from UCLA.

In 1990, Jean flew home from her directing job in Louisiana and went directly to the Wray Theater at Rio Hondo College, eager to see a play her son directed. She found a farewell party that she will never forget.

At least 300 people filled the seats, mostly former students. They were working in theater all over the country and had come to thank and honor their director, teacher, and mentor.

"There are so many professionals in the theater," Korf said. "Although most of my students wanted to be actors, I encouraged them to try these other areas. I knew the ones who really wanted to be actors couldn't be stopped anyway."

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1986

Hospital stay prompts funding of scholarship

WHITTIER — Eleanor Frickel, a longtime member of the Friendly Hills Women's Club, has established a new scholarship program for Rio Hondo College students after a recent stay at Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital in Whittier, where she was cared for by the college's nursing students.

The first recipients of the $250 scholarships are nursing students Erin McBride and Deborah Russell, who were honored at a recent Women's Club luncheon.

Frickel helped fund the initial awards and the Women's Club supplemented her gift and has committed to funding in future years. For more information about the college's nursing program, call (662) 362-3021, Ext. 3421.
THEATER ARTS TEACHER AND PLAYWRIGHT Jean Korf sits in the bay window of a coffee shop in Whittier.

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GREANDDAUGHTER Scarlet Lucak ties the ribbon used in the ribbon cutting around the neck of her grandmother Elna Sue Johanson, who started the Save Our Depot committee 16 years ago.

THE WHITTIER BRUIN CLUB will hold its annual holiday party at 1 p.m. Sunday at the home of Rose Mary and Bill Yetter. This event is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. For more information, call (562) 947-3190. -&- The Bruin Club -&- Dec 2007
Couple’s labor of love pays off for arts

By E. Lookea Smith
STAFF WRITER

For several years, the central interest Betty Jane Wegener, 76, and her husband, Hale, 81, has been to bring public art to Whittier. In keeping with that purpose, Betty Jane helped found the Whittier Cultural Arts Commission with Suzanne Ota, who briefly was director of human resources in Whittier.

“The city was giving the foundation no money when I came on the commission,” Betty Jane said. She shook her head and continued, “I wondered what I was doing on a commission that couldn't do anything. It was Suzanne Ota who had the know-how for our foundation to become a tax-free foundation.

“The two of us got together, and I organized public meetings to get people interested. For three years, we have been working to bring the arts to more prominence in Whittier.

“The city has finally legislated a surcharge for the arts on new construction of a certain value.” Obviously pleased, Betty Jane announced, “We're about to have our first piece of public art at The Quad.”

Before they retired together, Betty Jane had her own interior design business for many years and Hale was a business man. They are both graduates of UCLA and founders of the Whittier Bruins Club.

“My main interest has always been homemaking and gardening,” Betty Jane said. The Wegener house and garden certainly give exquisite proof of that statement.

In fact, their English-style garden has been used several times as a stop on the Rio Hondo Symphony’s annual fund-raising garden tour.

ARTS AND CULTURE DEVOTEES Hale and Betty Jane Wegener are joined by Rio Hondo Symphony violinist Lou Anne Barth in the English garden at their Whittier home.

A recent guided tour of the 150 pieces of art in public places in Brea awakened the Wegeners to a startling lack in Whittier.

“All we have in Whittier are two statues,” Betty Jane said, indignantly. “John Greenleaf Whittier in Central Park and the Barefoot Boy by City Hall. Whittier deserves better.”

The foundation is also determined to keep music, art and literature alive and part of the school curriculum, in spite of deep cuts in school budgets.

“The foundation contributes to the Music Enrichment Program for elementary school children in the Whittier and East Whittier school districts,” Hale elaborated. “Our program includes visits to all 4th and 5th-grade classrooms by music classes from the Rio Hondo Symphony, who familiarize students with instruments and the orchestral music performed by the symphony.

“The foundation pays for trips for high school students to museums such as the Los Angeles County Museum and the Huntington Library.

“The teachers are excited about it, and we hope to stir up the community to support the arts in Whittier.”

Hale is treasurer of the Whittier Cultural Arts Foundation and a staunch supporter of their goals. No matter how great the Wegeners’ love of art, they cannot accomplish much without community support.

Direct inquiries to: Whittier Cultural Arts Foundation, P.O. Box 90602, or call (310) 945-8210.

LOCAL FRIEDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1995
Elna Sue Johanson could

WHEN she was a small child, Elna Sue Johanson moved with her parents to Whittier. She grew up and attended school here, founded the Whittier Historical Society, saved the Bailey House and tried to save the Whittier Theater, and is now struggling to find a home for the train depot — important because it was the first stop for Whittier's early settlers.

Johanson taught elementary school for 25 years. Realizing that high school teachers made more money, she added another degree to her resume and taught high school for the next 26 years.

During the 15 years since her retirement, she has conducted Johanson Education Services, her own tutoring business in her home. She is listed in the Yellow Pages, but acquires most of her clients by word of mouth.

The teaching money was necessary to pay off huge hospital expenses incurred by her husband's last illness 15 years ago. Renting rooms in her Friendly Hills home to college students helped her pay bills until she could sell it and move to her present location.

Most of Johanson's pupils

TEACHING has been Elna Sue Johanson's mission, saving Whittier history has been her hobby.

“"They relax when they understand that I will never demand of them what they can't do. Once that pressure is removed, they learn rapidly," she explained.

Some of her pupils are adults who don't want anyone to know they can't read.

"You can't imagine how it feels to have a grown man

LOCAL

CLUB Notes

UCLA alumni club plans end-of-summer party

Members and friends of Whittier Bruin Club will attend an end-of-summer party at the home of Bob and Ginger Juneman Sunday, 6 p.m.

Celebrating its 41st year as one of the nation's oldest UCLA alumni clubs, Whittier Bruin Club annually donates to the university's scholarship fund.

For information, call Mary Hanson, (310) 696-2769.

Club NOTES

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1995-06-20
FLOR - John Flor, of Whittier, died August 16, 1985, in La Habra, CA. He was 76. Born December 23, 1918. He is survived by wife Harriet E. Flor of Whittier; son, Lawrence Allen Flor of Santa Ana; son, Dr. Douglas John Flor of Yorba Linda; two granddaughters. Service, Saturday, September 2 at 10:30 AM at Mc Auley & Wallace Funnelon Mortuary. Burial will be private.

**CLUBNotes**

Whittier Bruin Club installs new officers

Whittier Bruin Club has selected the following as officers for the current club year:
- President Ricardo Terrones,
- Vice President Kathleen Hunt,
- Secretary Eleanor Fricke, and
- Treasurer Bob Kelly.

Committee chairs are Michael Wick, scholarship; Margaret Terrones, social, and Mary Hanson, Bruin Bulletin and publicity.

Members and friends will join other Bruins in Laughlin, Nev., Sept. 9, to view the UCLA-Brigham Young University game on wide-screen TV in a private banquet room at Riverside Hotel and Casino.

Celebrating its 41st year, Whittier Bruin Club is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. For activities information, call (310) 895-2789.

View of presidents

Carlos Rodriguez, Ed and Gloria Gomez of Whittier, and Joe and Bea Saragusa of East L.A., take the Whittier Daily News to South Dakota to visit Mount Rushmore.
Bruin Club brunch today

WHITTIER — Bruin Club will hold its annual brunch at 11:30 a.m. today at Hacienda Golf Club in La Habra Heights.

Celebrating its 43rd year, the club donates $1,500 to the University of California at Los Angeles Scholarship Fund. The club is open to friends and alumni of UCLA. For information, call Mary Hanson, (562) 698-2769.

Whittier area resident Young dead at 80

Robert Wilke Young, an active member of the Whittier community, died on June 7 at his home in La Habra. He was 80. A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m. Wednesday at Hillcrest Congregational Church, 200 West Road, La Habra Heights.

Young was born on Jan. 6, 1918 in San Francisco and had lived in Southern California since 1920. A veteran of World War II, he was commended by the Navy after saving fellow shipmates when their ship was sunk by a kamikaze in the South Pacific. An architect and general contractor in the Whittier area for 48 years, Young was involved in many community activities.

Young is survived by his wife of 55 years, Fran Young of La Habra; daughter and son-in-law Connie and Jim Thompson of Placentia; daughter Betsy Robin Young of Placentia; son and daughter-in-law Gary and Joanne Young of Encinitas; and six grandchildren.

Memorial donations have been suggested to Whittier Area Literacy Council, 6556 S. Greenleaf Ave., Whittier, Calif. 90601, or Gold Shield of UCLA, P.O. Box 94-493, Los Angeles, Calif. 90073.
Whittier — Summer activities for the UCLA Whittier Bruin Club will conclude with group attendance at Whittier Night at the Hollywood Bowl on Sept. 6, followed by an end-of-summer party, which will be held from 1 to 5 p.m. Sept. 14 at the Monarch Beach home of social chairwoman Betty Bragg.

Scholarship chairman Michael Wick announced that the Whittier club recently donated $1,500 to the UCLA Scholarship Fund.

Celebrating its 44th year as one of the university's oldest support organizations, Whittier Bruin Club is open to all graduates and friends of UCLA.

For information, call Membership Chairman Joe Corey, (562) 695-8597.

PLACENTIA LIBRARY FOUNDATION
411 East Chapman Avenue
Placentia, CA 92870-6198

Jim Dinsmore
Honored By Surprise 80th Birthday Benefit

A very special Placentia Library Foundation Benefit event was held on December 28, 1997 when Library Board President Peggy Dinsmore and the entire Dinsmore family hosted a surprise 80th birthday party for Jim.

Approximately 100 guests attended the festivities which included testimonials from family and colleagues.

Jim was presented with a special painting of the Avenger Torpedo Bomber that he flew as a Marine Aviator in World War II.
UCLA Bruin Club awards scholarships

WHITTIER — Bruin Club 1996 University of California at Los Angeles scholarship awards have been won by Daniel Jeong, Lena Kasahara and Jennifer Park, announced scholarship chairman Michael Wick.

Jeong, a pre-biology major, is a volunteer at the Cerritos Senior Center and is a math and science tutor.

Kasahara, a physical sciences major, has earned awards in biology, English and American literature, geometry, algebra II, trigonometry, anatomy and physiology, leadership and service.

Park, an American literature major, is an intern for the L.A. Clippers.

The club, open to all alumni and friends of UCLA, donates $1,500 annually to the university's scholarship fund. For information, call Mary Hanson, (562) 695-2769.

UCLA annual alumni party set

WHITTIER — The Whittier Bruins Alumni Club is conducting its annual "Post-Holiday" party from 4 to 7 p.m. Saturday at the home of Rasha Schodlbauer, 6016 Painter Ave. Featured speaker is Joe Corey, who will talk about the Whittier Boys & Girls Club. The group annually donates to the university's scholarship fund. For information or reservations, call 562-693-4913.

Officers announced for Bruin Club

WHITTIER — New officers for Whittier Bruin Club have been announced by Nominating Committee Chairman Ricardo Terrones, as follows:

President Kathleen Hunt, Vice President Ricardo Terrones, Secretary Eleanor Fricke, and Treasurer Bob Kelly.

Committee chairs are Joe Corey, membership; Betty Brag, social; Michael Wick, scholarship, and Mary Hanson, publicity. Board members are Hale and Betty Jane Wegener, Fran and Bob Young, Rosemary Kimble and Margaret Terrones.

Celebrating its 43rd year, the organization donates $1,500 annually to the UCIA Scholarship Fund.

The club is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. For more information, call Mary Hanson, (562) 695-2769.

Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital Board of Directors Announces New Officers

Effective October 1, 2009, Drew Sones has taken the helm as Chair of the Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital (PIH) Board of Directors, a group comprised of physicians as well as business and community leaders who meet monthly to help guide the policies of the hospital.

Mr. Sones is the owner and president of Drew Sones Consulting, a company that provides expertise in all areas of solid waste management. Mr. Sones has a bacher of degree in psychology from the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) and is a graduate of the Management of Health Care Institutions Program at California State University Long Beach, the Public Sector Labor Management Relations Program at UCLA, and the Executive Management Program at the UCLA Anderson School of Management. His civic involvement includes membership in the Whittier Host Lions Club, acting as current Troop Committee Chair, Boy Scout Troop 841 of Whittier, membership in the Uptown Whittier Association, and as a member at the California High School Culinary Academy. Mr. Sones has been a resident of Whittier for 34 years.
Whittier Bruin Club selects officer slate

WHITTIER — Kathleen Hunt will serve a second term as president of the Whittier UCLA Bruin Club. Other officers for the new year are Vice President Ricardo Terrones, Secretary Eleanor Fricke and Treasurer Bob Kelly.

Committees will be headed by Joe Corey, membership; Mike Wick, scholarship; Rosemary Kinble and Margaret Terrones, social; and Mary Hanson, publicity and Bruin Bulletin editor.

Whittier Bruin Club donates $1,500 annually to the UCLA scholarship fund. Membership is open to all alumni and friends of UCLA. For information, call Mary Hanson, (562) 695-2769.

Women Give to UCLA

Seeing the need for a program for women, Hankin helped establish Women and Philanthropy, an organization dedicated to involving women in leadership and philanthropic support of UCLA. W&P also educates women about investment and estate planning.

When giving through W&P, women may choose which academic department or area receives their gift. Hankin directed her W&P gift to Anderson's Annual Fund, joining a select group of women whose names are engraved on seat plaques in Ronald Hall.

In 1996, after 16 years at UCLA, Hankin accepted a position as vice president and CFO of Whittier College. Recently she co-authored Financial Management for Nonprofit Organizations (Wiley & Sons, 1998).

Proving that her heart is still with UCLA, Hankin remains active in W&P. “Be proud to be a donor,” says Hankin to her fellow alumnae, “and set an example for other women.”

For more information about Women and Philanthropy, call (310) 794-2399. For information about a seat plaque in Ronald Hall, call (310) 216-0619.

Club Notes

Bruin Club’s annual brunch to be Sunday

WHITTIER — Bruin Club will hold its annual brunch at 11 a.m. Sunday at the Whittier Hilton, 7652 Greenleaf Ave. Following brunch, the group will attend the Rio Hondo Symphony’s young artist concert in Whittier High School auditorium.

Club scholarship chairman Michael Wick has announced the group recently donated $2,000 to the UCLA scholarship fund. Open to all UCLA alumni and friends, Whittier Bruin Club is celebrating its 45th year with Kathleen Hunt as the current president. For information, call Mary E. Hanson, (562) 695-2768.
The Whittier Bruins Club

Requests the Honor of Your Presence at Their

“Spring Patio Party”

Date: Sunday, May 3, 1998

Time: 2:00pm to 6:00pm

Place: Home of Rosemary Kimble
8249 Calmosa Avenue
Whittier, CA 90602

Cost: $10.00 per Person - Net profits to benefit the “UCLA Alumni Scholarship Fund”

Please bring the following (according to your last name):

A - J: Salad K - R: Side Dish S - Z: Dessert

RSVP by April 30th to: Rosemary Kimble, (562) 696-2494, or Margaret Terrones, (909) 337-7010
AROUND WHITTIER

Bruin Club plans annual barbecue

WHITTIER — The Whittier Bruin Club will hold its annual barbecue at 1 p.m. Sunday at the home of Drew and Susan Sones in Whittier. The club is open to all friends and alumni of UCLA. For more information, call (562) 695-2769.

MORE THAN HOME ECONOMICS: Susan Sones, above, a teacher with California High's Culinary Academy, works with a student at the Whittier campus. Students Mario Hernandez and Sarah Popescu, left, make a baguette. The Culinary Academy is one of several career academies at the school. The Whittier Union High School District will get five more career academies in the 2008-09 school year.

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O N C A M P U S

RECOMMENDED READING:

Jo Ann Hanlin, vice president for finance and administration, is one of the co-authors of Financial Management for Nonprofit Organizations (1998, John Wiley & Sons), a cash management and investment handbook for nonprofit managers. Designed to help managers from diverse backgrounds learn to manage their organizations' money, the book addresses the needs of nonprofits ranging from community organizations to major cultural and educational institutions.

Club NOTES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1998

Club NOTES

Bruin Club's Fall Fling set for Saturday

WHITTIER — Kathleen Hunt, president of Whittier Bruin Club, announced the organization's annual Fall Fling will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the home of Bob and Ginger Bunemann.

Open to all UCLA alumni and friends, the local club is now celebrating its 43rd year. The group yearly donates $1,500 to the UCLA Scholarship Fund. For information, call Mary F. Hanson, (562) 695-2769.

November 1998

Club events

Whittier Bruins Club • Jan.10 • Annual Holiday Party, Honolulu Terrace, 5:30 p.m. Contact Mary Hanson (562) 695-2769.

UCLA supporters invited to party

WHITTIER — The Whittier Bruin Club will hold its annual holiday party at 5:30 p.m. Sunday at the Whittier home of Charles and Mary Hanson.

Open to all UCLA alumni and supporters, the club's primary purpose is its scholarship program. For information, call (562) 695-2769.

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UCLA Bruin Alumni Club to host annual brunch

The UCLA Bruin Alumni Club will be having its annual champagne brunch at 11:30 a.m. Sunday at the home of Charles and Mary Hanson, 1408 E. Honolulu Terrace, Whittier.

The club is open to all alumni and friends of UCLA. Actress, model and community volunteer Risha Schollbauer will be the guest speaker.

To make reservations for the brunch or for more information, call (562) 695-2769.
Bake until Golden

Cal High's health, culinary academies earn top honors

By Tracy Garcia Staff Writer

WHITTIER — Students in the health and culinary arts academies are based at California High School, but their education includes focused career training from instructors in the Tri-Cities Regional Occupational Program and weekly work experience at Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital.

And now, the efforts of those three agencies are being hailed by the California School Boards Association, which has given its prestigious Golden Bell Award to Cal High for its health and culinary academies.

"The strength of the partnership lies in the commitment that the district, California High, Tri-Cities ROP and PIH have to the community and future of the students they serve," said Susan Sones, lead teacher of Cal High's Hospitality House/Culinary Arts Academy.

It does more than train students, Sones said — "it moves students toward further education and employment."
In Loving Memory of
ROBERT BOWEN KELLY
Born in San Diego. Dad spent his early years there before going to college at UCLA. There he met his wife, Mary Blahnik. After graduating with his BS and MS in Geology in 1941, he worked for Conoco Oil and eventually settled in Whittier in 1951 after doing field geology in the Whittier Hills. When Conoco moved out of Los Angeles in 1963, Dad opted to stay in Whittier where he began a second career as a real estate broker. He was active in various organizations including President of the Whittier Bruin Club, the UCLA Scholarship Committee, and President of the Whittier Board of Realtors. He is survived by his wife of 67 years Mary, son Thomas of Santa Cruz and daughter Patricia of Garden Grove. Proud Grandpa of grandson Jared, and granddaughters Brynn and Alyss. Dad had a positive attitude throughout his life and put up a brave fight against his battle with lymphoma. He was loved and respected by all who knew him. A kind a giving man, devoted husband, father and grandfather, he is missed more than words could ever express. A Celebration of his Life will be held at the East Whittier Women's Club on Saturday, November 14th at noon.

Club NOTES

FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 1999

Bruin Club announces lineup of officers
WHITNEY — Ricardo Terrones will be president of Whittier Bruin Club for the new year, with Kathleen Hunt as vice president. Other officers are Secretary Eleanor Frick and Treasurer Bob Kelly. Michael Wick is scholarship chairman, and Mary Hanson is publicity and Bruin Bulletin editor.

Celebrating 45 years, the Bruin Club is open to all UCLA alumni and friends. The club recently donated $2,000 to the university's scholarship fund. For information, call Mary Hanson, (562) 696-2769.

Around WHITTIER

Bermudez appointed to medical board
NORWALK — City Councilman Rudy Bermudez has been appointed to the Medical Board of California, a 19-member panel responsible for the enforcement of the disciplinary and criminal provisions of the Medical Practice Act.

Bermudez, who was appointed by Assembly Speaker Antonio Villaraigosa, is a parole agent with the state Corrections Department and oversees a community access correctional re-entry facility program that manages inmate services like medical care, rehabilitation and release programs for adult offenders.
as President 1987 - 1994
Whittier Bruin Club
in appreciation of her dedicated service to the

Mary Hansen

Honors

The UCLA Alumni Association
Community leader Finney dies at 91

J. Spurgeon Finney, community leader and retired corporate financial executive, died Sunday at Whittier Hospital Medical Center. He was 91.

A funeral service will be held in Hillside Chapel, Gate 17, Rose Hills Memorial Park at 1 p.m. Thursday. A reception will follow.

Finney was born June 7, 1907, in Omaha, Neb., to Charles and Ora Jean Stephenson Finney. He earned a B.A. degree from UCLA in 1930 and graduated from the university’s executive program in 1939.

His career began in accounting at The Texas Company in Los Angeles where he worked from 1930 to 1937. He was an office manager at The Ediphone Company in Los Angeles, followed by assistant chief accountant at MGM Studios in Culver City from 1938 to 1945. He was financial vice president for Bell Brand Foods Inc. in Santa Fe Springs from 1946 to 1970 and corporate secretary-treasurer at Tom Sawyer Foods Inc. in Vernon from 1957 to 1959.

Finney held the Fellow of the College honor at Rio Hondo Community College in 1976. His civic board positions included the Santa Fe Springs Industrial League, serving as president in 1958; Santa Fe Springs Chamber of Commerce, serving as director from 1958 to 1959; the city Personnel Board in Whittier from 1964 to 1966; Friendly Hills Property Owners Assoc., serving as president in 1965-66; Rio Hondo College Board of Trustees from 1968 to 1977, serving as president from 1974 to 1975; Emeritus Association of Rio Hondo College, president 1987-88; Whittier Area School Trustees Association, president in 1972; Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital, director-vice chairman from 1977 to 1987 and director emeritus since 1987, and Interhealth Corp. of Whittier from 1983 to 1986, director emeritus since 1988.

He was a member of the National Association of Accountants since 1949, serving as president of the Los Angeles chapter in 1960 and 1966. A member of Toreador Club, he was national director in 1961 and 1962. He was also a member of McLeod Society, Kappa Sigma, Whittier UCLA Bruin Club (president in 1957 and 1972), Lions Club and United Presbyterian Church.

Finney is survived by his wife of 67 years, Mildred; Elise Bostwick Finney of Whittier; daughters Carleen Topham of Whittier, Lynda Boling of La Verne and Mary Lou Phelps of Newport Beach; 14 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren. He was predeceased by his son James Finney.

— Doris McKinley

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Frank Decker, Jr., found of nearly 30 years was invested in being alive. But the love and joy of what he was doing he was invested in the theatre. The theatre was the true art of the man. For genera-

services held for noted professor Kort

Laid to Rest: Leonard "Jor" Kort

Carded College theatre director and long-time performer in the theatre was buried Nov. 17 at Astoria Cemetery. He died Oct. 28.

A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. A service was held Thursday at 2 p.m. at Carded College. Burial was at Astoria Cemetery. 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ELNA SUE JOHANSON

With much of our focus being on the Pio Pico Mansion, we thought it fitting to briefly recall the life of Elna Sue Johanson and her contributions to the preservation of the Mansion's and Whittier's history. Sue visits her hometown of seventy years (she now lives in Las Vegas) as often as she can, and her continued interest is always appreciated.

As a child, Sue, from her Pickering Avenue front porch, enjoyed the scent of orange blossoms from the outlying orchards and watched oil gushing from wells in Santa Fe Springs. Years later, as a fourth grade teacher, she taught the history, geography and diversity of her beloved California. By the end of World War II, she was distressed to see orange trees being replaced with housing tracts and multi-storied ranch mansions disappearing and forgotten with no appreciation. By the 1960s Sue’s focus on history and preservation led to spearheading that the Bailey House remain on its original site. By 1970 she worked with Nadine Hathaway and the late Catherine Phelan to establish a historical society, and by the late 1980s there were over 900 members. Recognizing that the Pio Pico Mansion was being neglected, Sue with a group from the Whittier Historical Society, formed a docent program in the 1970s. They researched Pio Pico’s years there, furnished it appropriately, held fiestas and other events open to the public and acted as docents until the State took over the program ten years later. She continued to have restoration goals and in time for the 1976 Bicentennial celebration Sue helped forge the Whittier Heritage Association for the purpose of purchasing and restoring the Bailey House. A further Johanson goal will be completed in the 1990s when the Southern Pacific Depot will be put on a permanent Greenleaf Avenue site and restored to its former glory.

Space does not allow us to relay all of Sue Johanson’s historical successes and detail all of her 35 year preservation efforts for Whittier, but we will be forever grateful for her farsightedness in recognizing the uniqueness of Whittier, and her reminding us of the importance of remembering its past.

*From an article by Virginia Matheny
Boltinghouse, prolific innovator, dies at 89

By Bill Bell
Correspondent

WHITTIER — While he lived a quiet life in East Whittier, Joseph C. Boltinghouse’s inventions have been credited with being “the world’s major deterrent to nuclear war.”

After a distinguished life highlighted by technological contributions to U.S. military superiority, Boltinghouse died July 29 following a heart attack. He was 89.

In 1955, he married Helen Linneos of Huntington Park, daughter of Greek parents who emigrated to the U.S. in 1908. She earned teaching and music degrees from UCLA and USC, sang in choirs at the Hollywood Bowl and with Roger Wagner’s chorale group and taught 31 years in the Montebello Unified School District.

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Besides his wife and son, Boltinghouse is also survived by his daughter-in-law, Debbie Boltinghouse; daughter and son-in-law, Susan and Jeff Cook and three grandchildren, as well as cousins, nieces and nephews.

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PIH names new board of directors

From Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital

WHITTIER — Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital has announced a new slate of officers for its board of directors.

Effective Oct. 1, Drew Sones will serve as chair of the board of directors. Serving with Sones will be Donald G. Alvarado as vice chair; Jane Dicus as secretary; and Kenton Woods as treasurer. The board of directors includes physicians and business and community leaders who meet each month to help guide the policies of PIH.

Sones is the president/owner of Drew Sones Consulting, a company that provides expertise in all areas of solid waste management. From 1971 to 2002, Sones was the assistant director of Sanitation, Solid Resources Management for the city of Los Angeles.

Sones has a bachelor's degree in psychology from UCLA and is a graduate of the Management of Health Care Institutions Program at Cal State Long Beach, the Public Sector Labor-Management Relations Program at UCLA, and the Executive Management Program at the UCLA Anderson School of Management.

Sones is a past board member of the Southern California Solid Waste Management Association and the Municipal Waste Management Association, United States Conference of Mayors, and the Southern California Waste

Placentia Library District Celebrates 30 Years of Service!

The Honorable Margaret V. (Peggy) Dinsmore

Placentia Library District Board of Trustees
1979 - 2004

Placentia Library District Board President
1989 - 1998

Placentia Library District Staff
1973 - 1978
Trustees decide not to appoint board successor

Voters to decide on Bermudez replacement

By Mike Sprague

NORWALK — Norwalk-La Mirada school trustees voted Monday to allow voters in November to decide who will fill a vacancy on the board rather than appointing a successor to Rudy Bermudez.

The vacancy was created when Bermudez was elected to the Norwalk City Council on March 2.

The board voted 3-2 not to make an appointment.

Board President Pauline Deal and trustees Ed Hengir and Pat Ruiz did not favor appointing someone. Board members Darryl Adams and Leonard Shryock favored having the board fill the vacancy.

Trustee Gabe Garcia, who was ill, was absent.

"We can wait," Ruiz said. "That's appropriate for this particular time. We have a conceptual board. We'll give the people the choice of who they want in there and meanwhile stimulate interest in who would like to run for the office."

Adams said he wanted the board to fill the vacancy because it's a good way of finding people who want to serve the district. He pointed to former La Mirada Councilmen Lou Piltz and Wayne Rew, former Norwalk Councilman Bernie Gallie, Norwalk Councilman Gordon Steenhagen and Whittier Councilman Janet Henke as people who have been appointed to various positions.

"We're asking people to be part of an organization," he said. "What we kind of said was, 'Thanks, but we don't need your help.'"

Adams said he might not have supported making an appointment if it could have been overturned and a special election required, thus costing the district money.

That happened five years ago when the board appointed David Cosper to fill a vacancy created when Jesse Lusara was elected to the Norwalk City Council.

That appointment was overturned when more than 500 signatures of voters were submitted. A special election was then held and Eliseo "Lee" Millen was elected instead.

But in this case, should an appointment have been overturned, the seat would have remained vacant until November when Bermudez's term expired, Adams said.

Toastmasters Club 602

Jim Dinsmore

Jim Dinsmore has been involved with Toastmasters for approximately 30 years. He has served in every office in the local club, and has held offices for Toastmasters International. Jim has been instrumental in starting other Toastmasters clubs, has been a mentor for hundreds of club members, and freely shares his knowledge and skills in order to help others learn and grow.
October 18, 1999

Mr. Ricardo Terrones
P.O. Box 1073
Twin Peaks, CA 92391-1073

Dear Mr. Terrones:

A great university needs outstanding students. In 1999, UCLA’s highly selective admissions process secured a group of wonderful scholars. Through our UCLA Alumni Association Scholarship Program, the scholarship funds you and other donors provided for the upcoming year will be awarded to approximately 360 remarkable students attending UCLA. These funds total nearly $700,000.

The 1999 recipients of the Whittier Bruin Club Scholarship are Lauren Smith, Alexis Witt and Sanjung Chiu.

I am enclosing information on your scholars. Each Alumni Scholar has been informed of the name, purpose, and source of the award they are receiving.

A reception in your honor will be held on Sunday afternoon, November 14th. At this reception, you will have the opportunity to meet the students listed above. An invitation, which includes the time and other details of the reception has been sent to you.

Your generous support of the UCLA Alumni Association Scholarship Program is greatly appreciated. On behalf of the entire UCLA community, thank you for your significant help in achieving the goal of attracting and supporting outstanding students.

Sincerely,

Harriette Williams ’52, Ed.D. ’73
Donor Relations Chair
Carol S. LeSauvage  
October 2008

Dear Mary,

Thank you for your card and your condolences mentioned in the Bruin Bulletin. I will not be able to attend BBQ because I have a dear friend visiting me this weekend.

In my absence, would you please share the following with my fellow Bruins on Sunday?

- Dear friends, as you may have heard, my beloved husband, David

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Sunday, July 19, 2009

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AROUND WHITTIER

WHITTIER

UCLA Bruin Alumni Club to host champagne brunch

The UCLA Bruin Alumni Club will hold its annual champagne brunch at 11:30 a.m. today at the home of Charles and Mary Hanson, 12408 E. Honolulu Terrace.

The club is open to all alumni and friends of UCLA.

For reservations to the brunch or for more information, call (562) 695-2769.
Celebrating the Honorable Margaret V. "Peggy" Dinsmore

Peggy Dinsmore served as an elected Trustee of the Placentia Library District from December 1979 to the present. Her term will end on December 3, 2004 after twenty-five years of service. Peggy served as President of the Library Board of Trustees from December 1989 to December 1998.

Peggy also worked at Placentia Library District as a Clerk from August 25, 1973 through June 15, 1978 when she was laid off as a result of the Proposition 13 staff reductions. She participated in the move from the Library on Bradford Avenue (now the Powell Building/Placentia Senior Center) to the current Library in the Placentia Civic Center in 1974.

In 1980, Peggy participated in a seminar on literacy at U.S.C. Under her leadership, Placentia Library District became one of the first California libraries to become a member and sponsor a chapter of Literacy Volunteers of America. Peggy served on the Board of Directors of LVA, Placentia from its founding until it was disbanded in 2000.

In 1984, Placentia Library District became an inaugural participant in the California Library Literacy Services. Peggy spoke on a panel at the California Library Association Conference promoting literacy programs in public libraries and also became the Literacy Chair of the California Association of Library Trustees and Commissioners, a position she held for eighteen years.

Peggy received a Rotary International Paul Harris Fellowship in her honor in 1998 in recognition of her leadership in providing literacy services through Placentia Library District. She also received the Board Member of the Year Award from the California Special Districts Association in 2001 in recognition of her leadership at Placentia Library District.

Please join the Placentia Library District Board of Trustees and Staff in thanking Peggy for her thirty years of service to Placentia Library!
**Club NOTES**

**Bruin Club to celebrate anniversary with party**

**WHITTIER** — The Whittier Bruin Club will hold its annual holiday party at 5 p.m. Sunday at Risha Schodlbauer’s home.

Celebrating its 50th anniversary, the club is one of the oldest continuing UCLA alumni clubs in the state. It is open to UCLA alumni and friends. The current president is Ricardo Terrones.

For more information, call (562) 695-5769.
Familiar faces on budget panels

By Mike Sprague

A Whittier-area assemblyman could find himself in a key spot in coming weeks as the Legislature gets down to the dirty business of slashing a projected budget deficit that Gov. Gray Davis has estimated at $21 billion, and possibly more.

Assemblyman Rudy Bermudez, D-Norwalk, has been named chairman of a budget subcommittee. He will convene a hearing on the state budget crisis at 1 p.m. Tuesday in Sacramento. The first order of business is a detailed review of billions in cuts being proposed by Davis.

"I'm hoping to obtain direct information as to how the cuts will impact the citizens of California," Bermudez said in a telephone interview this week. "I want to hear what alternatives the stakeholders and residents have regarding the proposed budget cuts."

Meanwhile, another local lawmaker, Assemblyman Robert Pacheco, R-Industry, is a member of the budget subcommittee on health, which will hold a hearing Tuesday.

Bruins club to kick off Fall Brunch

LA HABRA HEIGHTS — The Whittier Bruins Club will hold its annual Fall Brunch and Potluck at the home of Bill and Rosemary Yetter on Sunday from noon to 3 p.m. Donations are $10 and will go to the UCLA scholarship fund.

For more information, call (562) 947-3190.

Bruin Club holiday party is Sunday

WHITTIER — The Whittier Bruin Club's holiday party will begin at 7 p.m. Sunday at Risha Shoddihaus's home.

In its 34th year, the club is open to UCLA alumni and friends and donates to the university's scholarship fund.

Michael Wick is the scholarship chairmen, Ricardo Terrones is president.

Call (562) 695-2709.
WHEN ... I filled my garden with rose bushes, her favorite flower. My mother was one of nine children, seven girls and two boys. She managed to give me the advantages she could not have — ballet, voice, piano lessons; a college education. She lived to be 82, smart, alert and loving to the end.

This picture was taken on Mother's Day 1972 by her first grandson after church on his first leave from the Army.

She was an inspiration — a good act to follow. I was lucky to have her. My dad was great, too.

Eleanor Everett Frieke, 81, Whittier
Josie "Joey" Everett, deceased

Josie Everett and daughter, Eleanor Everett Frieke.

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Club NOTES

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2000

Bruin Club to offer end-of-summer party

WHITTIER — The Whittier Bruin Club will give an end-of-summer party from 4 to 7 p.m. Oct. 1 at the home of Risha Schodlauer.

In its 46th year, the club is open to all interested UCLA alumni and friends. The group donates $2,000 annually to the university's scholarship fund.

For information, call Mary Hanson at (562) 685-2768.
MONDAY, JANUARY 7, 2002

A round our SCHOOLS

Schurr High School alum earns UCLA honor

MONTEBELLO — Schurr High School graduate Jilly Chang was named as one of two recipients of the Whittier Bruin Club's UCLA Alumni Scholarship Freshman 2001-2002 awards.

The other recipient is Erika Lopez, who graduated from Northview High School in Covina. The Whittier Bruin Club is celebrating its 49th anniversary and is open to all UCLA alumni and friends.

For more information, call (626) 885-2769.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2003

Club NOTES

Whittier Bruin Club plans barbecue

WHITTIER — The Whittier Bruin Club will hold a barbecue at 6:30 p.m. Sunday at Bob and Ginger Juneman's home. All UCLA alumni and friends are invited.

Ricardo Terrones is the club president during its 49th year.

For more information, call (562) 985-2769.

Whittier resident wins at pageant

WHITTIER — Risha Schodlbauer has been selected as the first runner-up at the regional preliminary event of the Ms. Senior California Pageant. She now qualifies for the state finals.

The pageant has been designed to showcase the talents and accomplishments of senior women as positive role models for the younger generation. All contestants are at least 60 years old.

During the two-day pageant, contestants are scored by a panel of judges during personal interviews, a statement of their philosophy of life, modeling of evening gowns and talent performances.
JOE COREY

Presently, and for the past 30 years, Joe has operated his own Property Management Company, called CAM (Condominium Association Management). His business expands the San Gabriel Valley and parts of Los Angeles Counties. His other business is J.F. Corey Real Estate and Management. He maintains a Broker license, Notary license and Contractors license.

Joe has been active in the community for many years, serving as Director and President of the Whittier Area Chamber of Commerce, 1986/87, and President of the Whittier Host Lions Club, 1986/87. He has served as Zone Chairman and as Central Regional Chairman as well as being involved in all the annual Lions Club Horseshows acting as Chairman for one year, judge escort, ringmaster and scriber. He has also been involved with the Whittier Lions Recycling Center and Sight for Kids Committee.

Joe is a past President and current board member for the Whittier Boys' and Girls' Club. He has emceed many functions and has been co-announcer for the Whittier Christmas Parade for close to 15 years.

Presently he is the treasurer of the Whittier YMCA Metropolitan. Also he has served on the Citizens Advisory Committee of the Fred C. Nelss School for Boys, the Board of Directors for the American Red Cross, Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital Foundation, Parking and Transportation Commission for the City of Whittier, the American Heart Association and the Whittier Rose Parade Float Committee.

Joe Corey sums up his feeling about being involved in his community with these words: “Being involved has been the highlight of my life. It has given me more than I ever imagined, including the many wonderful friends, feelings, and experiences that have been so rewarding to me.”

Last year’s recipients will chair the Good Scout Dinner. Sylvia Foltz and Nobby Schnabel (former SFS Fire Chief). Nobby will serve as the emcee for the evening. The Honorary Co-Chairs are Ruth and Ed Shannon, and Bob and Joan Woerthmann.

Everyone in the community is invited to attend the dinner. Contact Jim McCarthy at the scout office at 213-413-4400, ext. 221. Let’s all be there to honor these wonderful “Good Scouts!”

Doug Light of Award Elements and Gail Stier of Easter Seals exchange business cards before breakfast.
A Service of Memorial Celebrating the Life of
Eleanor Everett Fricke
January 26, 1919 - October 21, 2003

St. Matthias Episcopal Church
Whittier, California
Saturday, November 15, 2003
Congratulations
Peggy Dinsmore
California Special Districts Association
Board Member of the Year

Placentia Library Trustee Peggy Dinsmore, was honored as the California Special Districts Association's (CSDA's) 2001 Board Member of the Year at its Awards Banquet in Sacramento on September 20, 2001. Dinsmore was nominated by the Board of Directors of Placentia Library District for being a member and supporter of the Literacy Volunteers of America (LVA). LVA was sponsored by Placentia Library District from the time the local Chapter was organized in 1980 until it disbanded in 1997.

Peggy graduated from the first tutor training workshop and went on to tutor for two years. Her commitment to the program compelled her to serve on the LVA-Placentia Board of Directors for over fifteen years. While she held a full-time position at Pacific Security Bank and served on the Board of Trustees of Placentia Library District in various capacities, Peggy continued her one-on-one tutoring sessions two nights a week.

Peggy has also been a member of the California Association of Library Trustees and Commissioners (CALTAC), and served as the Library Chair of its Board of Directors for six years.

Placentia Library Literacy Services has been a leader in the fight against illiteracy in Orange County, and much of its success has been attributed to Peggy's contributions and support of the Library in general, and especially the Literacy Program. She has given generously of her time and energy participating in all Literacy functions.

Once again, congratulations Mrs. Dinsmore on being selected CSDA's 2001 Board Member of the Year.

Eleanor

By Valerie Marrs
Staff Writer

WHITTIER — Eleanor Fricke, a tireless supporter of the Los Angeles Children's Hospital of Los Angeles and a proud alumna of UCLA, after a five-year illness, passed away. Fricke, 84, was a four-time Emery Award winner and a 62-year resident of Whittier.

She was born Jan. 26, 1925, in Corpus Christi, Texas, and moved to Whittier in 1933. She entered UCLA in 1944 and then transferred to the University of Southern California, majoring in Spanish. She later served as a volunteer in the Los Angeles County Medical Center's Emergency Room.

According to her attorney, she was a dedicated volunteer at the hospital for over 50 years, and her contributions helped fund the construction of a new wing and the expansion of the hospital's facilities.

Bond funds at issue in district race

By Mike Sprague

La Mirada homes, Shryock said he is concerned about the bond measure that would affect residents in his district. He said he is especially concerned about the amount of money that would be raised and how it would be spent on district improvements.

Election results show that the bond measure was approved by a narrow margin, with 51% of the votes in favor. Some residents have expressed concerns about the impact of the bond measure on their property values, while others support the idea of improvements to the district.
Assemblyman Rudy Bermudez Hosts Toy Drive

Assemblyman Rudy Bermudez and his wife display some of the toys donated at his holiday toy drive and open house in December.

Mayor Pro Tem Owen Newcomer, Assemblyman Rudy Bermudez, Chamber President Sylvia Sutherland and Rio Honda College President Rose Marie Joyce celebrate the holidays during Assemblyman Bermudez' open house and toy drive.

WRHAP Fundraiser Huge Success

More than 400 people spent the night dancing, dining, and “gambling” the night away at the spectacular “WRHAP It Up” toy drive and Casino Night sponsored by Paloma and Friends Salon, Emerald City Floral Design, and Uptown Perfumes. The event featured gaming tables, live bands, salsa lessons and food and was organized to benefit the children of clients of the Whittier Rio Honda AIDS Project. The overall success of the evening will make this holiday memorable and joy-filled for all involved.

MAGNUSSON - Esther J. Magnusson passed away February 27th at Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital in Whittier after a prolonged illness. She was 77. Born in Beverly Hills to Harb and Murial Engstrom, Esther graduated from Beverly Hills High School, where she was Editor of the Yearbook and voted Most Likely to Succeed by her senior class. She then moved on to UCLA to study journalism. She joined the Alpha Phi sorority at UCLA and remained an active chapter member for decades. She was also an enthusiastic supporter of all things associated with UCLA and a lifelong Bruins fan.

Over the years, Esther devoted many hours in support of charitable organizations, including the Special Children’s League, the National Charity League and the Assistance League. She also was an associate of the Presbyterian Intercommunity Hospital Foundation. Esther was proceeded in death by her brother, Arthur Engstrom, and by a daughter, Martina Dunham.

Esther is survived by her loving husband, Gordon S. Magnusson: a daughter, Kathy Dunham: a son, Scott Dunham; two stepsons, Michael and Robert Magnusson: seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the City of Hope, 1500 E. Duarte Road, Duarte, CA. 91010.

Club Notes

Bruin Club’s barbecue party set Oct. 3

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Now celebrating its 50th anniversary, the club is one of the oldest UCLA Bruin clubs in California as it continues its support for the university’s scholarship fund.

For more information, call (662) 655-7989.

Club Notes

Bruin Club 7/21/06

schedules meeting

The Whittier Bruin Club, for UCLA alumni, will hold its annual champagne brunch at 11:30 a.m. July 30. For more information, call (626) 695-2769.
Ms. Rose Mary Kimble

and

Mr. William Phillips Yetter III

request the honor of your presence

at the Nuptial Mass as they are united

in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony

on Saturday, the fifteenth of March

two thousand and three

at half after nine o'clock in the morning

St. Bruno's Catholic Church

15740 Citrustree Road

Whittier, California
Master of Ceremonies
Featuring Vick Knight

Margaret V. "Peggy" Dimmmore
The Honorable

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277 East Alta Vista, Pacifica
Alta Vista Country Club

6:30 P.M.

Thursday, November 4, 2004

Chapters of Her Life

Peggy Dimmmore
Dear Ms. Mary Hanson,

I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to express my gratitude for the opportunity you have given me to serve as a volunteer member of the fundraising committee for the upcoming gala event.

Your words, along with the wonderful support you have shown towards our cause, have been truly inspiring. I am honored to be a part of such a dedicated team, and I promise to do my best to help in any way I can.

I want to assure you that I will work tirelessly to ensure the success of the gala event. Your confidence in my abilities is a great encouragement, and I am determined to make the best out of this opportunity.

Thank you once again for your support and your unwavering commitment to our mission. I look forward to working with you and the rest of the committee.

Sincerely,
[Your Name]