

Radm. McManes Outlines for ASPA Functions of the On-Site Survey Team

The purpose of an On-Site Survey team is to survey and appraise, and to make comparisons with other Naval activities doing similar work, rather than to snoop and find fault, was the point Rear Admiral K. M. McManes emphasized in a talk to members of the China Lake chapter of the American Society for Public Administration last week.

TID Schedules 'Open House' For Monday

An "Open House" will be held by the Technical Information Department for Station employees and their guests next Monday, April 28, from 4 to 6:30 p.m.

Under Department Head K. H. Robinson, TID conducts a wide variety of technical information activities at China Lake and Pasadena. Most of the department's China Lake activities are carried on at the TID building, southwest corner of Knox and Bland, and in several parts of the Michelson Lab.

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League Awards...

(Continued from Page 1) ally from Dr. McLean's original conception. Even less publicized was Dr. McLean's dogged perseverance in the face of initial resistance to his idea.

The two awards for which Capt. Chenault and Dr. McLean have been nominated are among the five new Navy League awards announced for this year. These awards are to be made annually to military and civilian personnel who have made outstanding contributions to the high standards, development, progress and combat-readiness of the Navy and to increased public appreciation of the importance of seapower to the United States.

Youth Center...

(Continued from Page 1) Membership cards will be issued at the center starting Saturday, May 3. No one will be allowed in the center or snack bar after May 11 without a membership card, but cards will be issued at all times for those who wish to join.

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New Snack Bar Hours At Golf Course Listed

Starting tomorrow, Saturday, April 26, the Snack Bar at the China Lake Golf Course will operate an increased number of hours, according to an announcement from Navy Exchange Officer, LCdr. S. L. Travers.

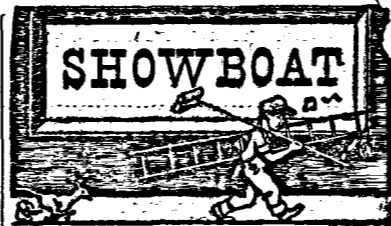
Commissary Store Closes for Inventory

The Commissary Store will be closed for inventory beginning next Tuesday noon, April 29, until Thursday, May 1, at 10 a.m.

What's Doing IN RECREATION

By Jean Cone, Recreation Director

The opening of the bullfight season starts on May 18 in Tijuana. The rising popularity of this sport is indicated by this being the longest season in the history of Baja California. There will be 21 corridas between May 18 and mid-October.



With the exception of transportation costs, the trip will be \$27.00 which includes the following: two nights at the Rosarito Beach Hotel (on the Pacific 15 miles south of Tijuana), breakfast, lunch, cocktail-dinner party with entertainment and dancing, bullfight, horse racing, dog racing, and Jal Alal games. If you'd like to go but do not care to see the bullfight, the cost is \$21.50.

If you would like to join this group, call Victor Casados, Spanish Class Instructor, Ext. 71636, or the Special Services Office, Ext. 71791. The reservation deadline will be Friday, May 2. Only twenty rooms have been reserved so you are urged to turn in your money as soon as possible to confirm your reservation.

Adult Station Dance
The next Adult Station dance will be on May 23. The famous Ray Herbeck and his band will play. This will be an 8 piece band plus the lovely vocalist, Lorraine Benson. More details will be coming. In the meantime, be sure and save the 23rd for a wonderful evening of dancing at the Community Center.

Tennis Club Tournament
The annual spring tennis tournament of the Tennis Club will be held during the month of May. There will be men's singles, men's doubles, women's singles, and any other option for which there are enough entrants. Interested person should contact Tom Atchison, 718-84522 or Ed Ashburn, Ext. 77863. Entrance fees are 80 cents for club members and \$1.50 for non-members. Closing date for entering will be the 2nd of May.

Film Society
On April 30 and May 1 "Caroline Chertif" will be shown in the Anchor Film Society Series at the Anchorage at 8 p.m. Martine Carol stars in this French film which concerns the centuries-old Bastille and sixteen-year-old Caroline.

The running time for this movie is 115 minutes.

Synopsis of Slated Space Films Given

Starting today, the Space Technology films shown weekly at the Station Theatre on Friday afternoons during the scheduled 17-week series will start at 1 p.m. instead of 2 p.m. as announced in last week's Rocketeer. This change is necessary since the films have been running as long as three hours. A synopsis of today's showing was given last week.

Russ Dance Troupe
The Moiseyev Dance Company from Moscow is the first dance attraction to visit the United States under the recently signed cultural exchange program between the United States and the Russian Government. They have won international acclaim for their diversified repertoire on regional dances of the various nationalities living in the Soviet Union.

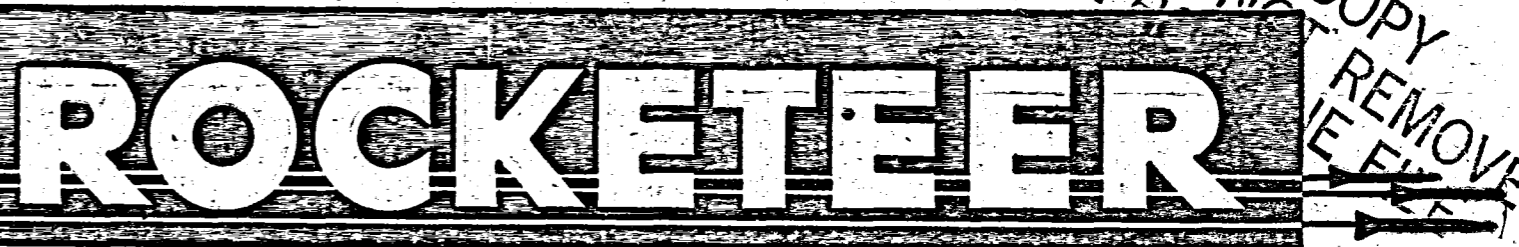
Home Ec Students Slate Fashion Show

Next Tuesday, April 29, one hundred girls will model everything from Bermuda shorts to smart summer outfits at the annual Burroughs High School Fashion Show sponsored by the home economics department.

Churchmen to Meet

The Men's Fellowship of the NOTS Community Church will meet Monday, April 28, at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish House, 71 Hussey.

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Jussi Bjoerling Cancels Concert; Harpsichordist Slated April 29

Jussi Bjoerling, the celebrated Swedish tenor who was to have appeared in the final concert of the NOTS Civic Concert Association 1957-58 series on May 1, has been forced to cancel his tour due to a serious illness. His cancellation is a disappointment to the many concert-goers who had hoped to hear what has been called the "greatest voice since Caruso."

NOTS Participates In Dedication of Bakersfield Airport

NOTS-developed aircraft weapons from the Naval Air Facility will highlight the two-day Airport Days Celebration in Bakersfield, April 26-27, at dedication activities of Meadows Field, formerly known as the Kern County Airport No. 1.

Weapons featured at the display will be Sidewinder, Zuni, and Mighty Mouse. In addition, NAJ aircraft to be displayed will be the Douglas F4D Skyray, the Douglas AD5 Skyraider, and the North American FJ4 Fury.

School Educator Speaks Here On High School Bond Proposal

Critical problems in the growth of the Kern County Union High School and Junior College District, and in particular those that confront Burroughs High School, were discussed by District Superintendent T. L. McCuen at three local meetings last Wednesday.

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Wildflower Show Begins Tomorrow

Something new has been added for the visitors to the 14th annual Wildflower Show this Saturday and Sunday at the Community Center. It will be background music which will be almost continuous throughout the show.

Organ music by Catherine Marcus will officially open the doors at 1 p.m. on Saturday for the host of expected visitors to the annual event which is sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary of the Commissioned Officers Club.

Daylight Saving Starts Sunday

At 1 a.m. Sunday, April 27, daylight saving time, known officially as Pacific Daylight Time (PDT) comes again to California.

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Capt. Chenault, Dr. McLean Nominated For Two Top Navy League Awards

Station Commander Capt. W. W. Hollister has announced that the Station has nominated Captain Frederick A. Chenault, Station Executive Officer, and Dr. Wm. B. McLean, Station Technical Director, for two Navy League awards.

Capt. Chenault has been recommended for the Navy League's John Paul Jones Award which is given in recognition for an outstanding contribution to the high standards of leadership traditional in the Navy.

The following factors were cited in the recommendation of Capt. Chenault for the award:

"He has discharged his duties, with consistent success, in an enlarged Executive Officer position where decisions in unprecedented situations are commonplace.

The honors that have already been bestowed upon him have not diminished the significance of his achievement. It is apparent to everyone that the development and production of Sidewinder was a brilliant team effort. What is less apparent is the fact that the final product, an engineering marvel of technical beauty and sophisticated capability, does not differ materially from that which he has met with and developed here.

The RAFT Club, New Station Youth Center To Hold Formal Opening Next Friday

The formal opening of the long-awaited youth center at NOTS, the RAFT (Recreation and Fun Time) Club, has been set for next Friday, May 2. An open house for invited adult guests will be held from 7 to 8:30 p.m. followed by entertainment and dancing for all future members of the center.

Formerly housing the Station chapel, the building has been converted into a pleasant recreation facility with a lounge, snack bar, music room, store rooms, rest rooms, and an office. A volleyball and badminton court is being provided outside the building.

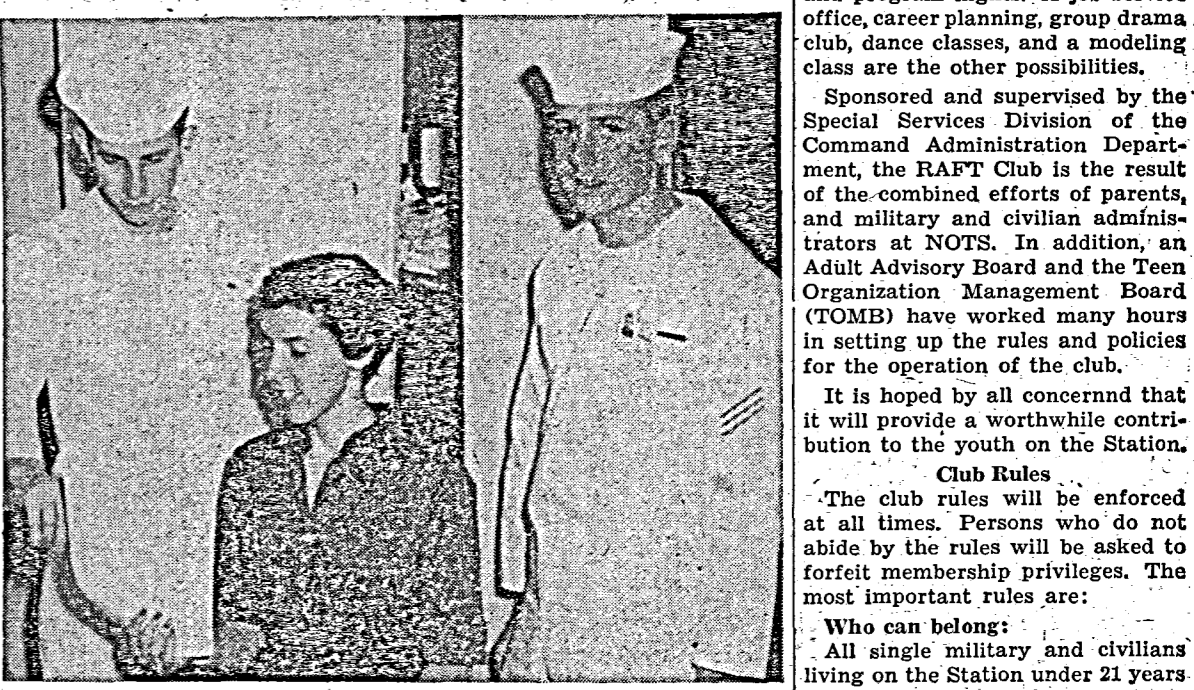
The lounge will be equipped with ping-pong tables, game tables and a reading nook. Adjoining the attractive snack bar which will offer a varied menu, will be a juke box. The music room is located upstairs.

Many special activities are planned for the center such as dances, guest stars, "splash" parties, trips, hayrack rides and shows. Also, there will be chess, cribbage and bridge instructions, checker and ping-pong tournaments, hobby experts, slides, travel movies, special music and program nights. A job service office, career planning, group drama club, dance classes, and a modeling class are the other possibilities.

Sponsored and supervised by the Special Services Division of the Command Administration Department, the RAFT Club is the result of the combined efforts of parents, and military and civilian administrators at NOTS. In addition, an Adult Advisory Board and the Teen Organization Management Board (TOMB) have worked many hours in setting up the rules and policies for the operation of the club.

It is hoped by all concerned that it will provide a worthwhile contribution to the youth on the Station.

Club Rules
The club rules will be enforced at all times. Persons who do not abide by the rules will be asked to forfeit membership privileges. The most important rules are:
Who can belong:
All single military and civilians living on the Station under 21 years old.
All students of Burroughs High School.
Guests will be invited on special occasions.
How to join:
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'NAME THE CENTER' WINNER—Mike Michaelson, AKS, VX-5, chairman of the contest committee (left) and Patsy Westfall, chairman of the Teen Organization Management Board hold the winning entry designating the new youth center as the RAFT (Recreation and Fun Time) Club. Winner (right) is C. L. "Chuck" Riddle, FN, NOTS, who will receive his \$10 award on opening night, May 2.

