

# LAKESIDE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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ALL THE NEWS THAT'S NEW

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## President's Message

by Barbara Whitlock

Since my last paragraph, the Olde Church building has seen a breakfast, a craft show, a quilt show, three weddings, a tea, plus meetings of various clubs and organizations in the community. A busy time for the "faithful few" who set-up, clean-up, close, bake and serve!

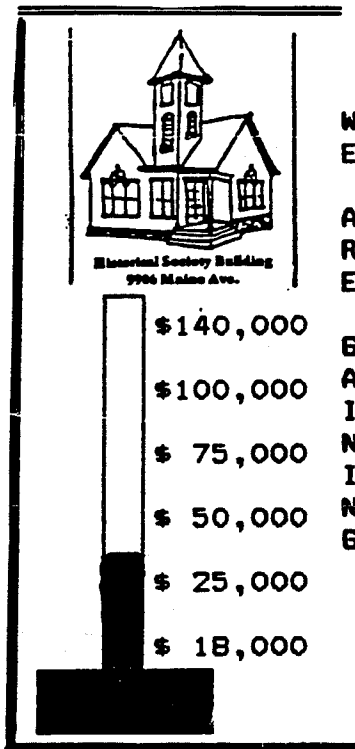
The bus trip was great! We learned lots about Coronado and the Del. Virginia is planning another trip you won't want to miss it! See you at the BBQ?

## FUND RAISERS GALORE!

Elaine Brack, Treasurer

So many of you have been putting together great ideas for raising the money needed to purchase the Olde Community Church. This past month we had a Western Breakfast and Craft Show, the luncheon in conjunction with the Woman's Club Quilt Show and the "Mystery Bus Tour". If you missed attending some of these activities, you missed a great time and fellowship. There are planned, three more fun activities before things close down for the summer. One being Lakeside Historical Society Bar-B-Que on May 22nd. This is an opportunity to bring your entire family for a great fun filled afternoon. Second, the Orange Blossom Gala on June 11th and the third is another super bur tour. Every activity planned has generated a lot of money for the "Building Fund" Again this month, I will be depositing around 1,000. into the fund from all the activities.

**SO, GIVE YOURSELF A HAND FOR A JOB WELL DONE  
..... LOOK AT THE THERMOMETER .....**



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## SISTERS TO CELEBRATE

You all come! 3 Oldies - But Goodies!  
Sisters - Eileen Kouns Carender, Lucille Kouns Landis, and In-Law, Edna Swink Kouns will celebrate their 80th birthdays on JUNE 12, 2 pm in the Old'e Community Church. No gifts please.....

## TO ALL MY FRIENDS AND LOYAL CUSTOMERS

We have retired after 44 years in business, 25 of those in Lakeside. Ray had a new shoulder put in last January and due to the extensive problems involved, his arm and hand was effected. The store has been closed for 3 months while he went thru therapy. however, it became evident that many more months was needed to bring his arm and hand back to normal.

So, after much thought, we decided it was time to retire. We were sorry to retire on such notice but it could not be helped. We want to thank our very many loyal customers and friends of the last 25 years. It was a pleasure doing business with you.

We have a Post Office Box noe in Lakeside, # 2353.

Sincerely. Ray and Claire Goetz

**THANKS TO Lee Bost** for donations of time, talent, and total support of our Historical Society over the years.

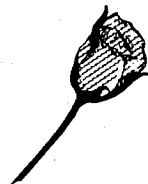
## JUNE BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Cindy Pickles 1st.
- 1 Hilliker's Egg Ranch 39th.
- 1 Charles Kouns
- 1 Anna Stephenson
- 1 F.J. Woods
- 1 Quality Electrical Systems 9th.
- 3 Chole Addison
- 3 Terrell Bigelow
- 4 Tom Johnson
- 5 Jeanne Ramstead
- 5 Sharon Hall
- 7 Al Allison
- 7 Lowell Zornes
- 8 Eileen Kouns Carender
- 8 Lucille Kouns Landis
- 9 Gene Anderson
- 9 Joy Farris Wray
- 11 Margaret Lyons Bright
- 11 Marcella Rice
- 11 Betty Wilkinson
- 12 Stan Anderson
- 14 Vivian Bass
- 14 Virginia McGuinness
- 15 Mary Butterfield
- 15 Edna Swink Kouns
- 15 Florence Woods
- 15 Sue Southworth
- 16 Henry Herms Jr.
- 17 Richard Held
- 19 Margaret Jamieson
- 20 Anne Wrquhart
- 21 Roy Brown
- 21 Margaret Helt
- 22 Lisa Anderson Smith
- 23 Leon Herzog
- 24 Peggy Kuhner
- 24 Bell Markle
- 26 Dorothy Campbell
- 26 John Slater
- 27 Nancy Martin Fassler
- 28 Carole Torelli
- 29 Genevive Layman
- 29 Grace Wilkinson Wright

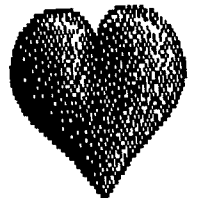


## ACHES & PAINS DEPT.

We heard Eleanor Conoy (a Pt. Loma member) had a kidney removed several months ago and is now starting to recuperate. Glad to hear THAT news!



## JUNE ANNIVERSARIES



- 1 47th Jean & Ray Offord
- 2 48th Dolores & Frederick Gruner
- 4 51st Rosemary Nelson & Clyde Srickler
- 5 1st Richelle & Mark Anderson
- 5 40th Dixie Carender & Ken Lansdowne
- 7 58th Eileen Kouns & Dane Carender
- 9 50th Elouise & Leland Barker
- 10 50th Betty Russ Wilkinson
- 12 12th Elaine Strong & Chuck Brack
- 12 37th Nancy & Russell Kanady
- 12 49th Aalene Head & Dale Savage
- 14 36th Bee & Richard Besancon
- 15 38th Alice Webb & Lane Johnson
- 16 35th Sarah & Gene Whitlow
- 20 35th Sally & Kenneth Merrill
- 20 2nd Claudia Hall & John Taylor
- 21 36th Patsy & Edd Hannibal
- 22 48th Martha Conley & Clyde Atkinson
- 22 50th Clarabell & Charlies Cray
- 23 49th Janet & Julian Conant
- 24 28th Margatet Lyons & Don Bright
- 24 6th Terri Anderson & Kyle VanDE Graaff
- 28 41st Velmalynn Kanady & Art Magill
- 29 47th Elaine & James Laws
- 30 33rd Sharon & George Hall
- 30 4th Jeannine & Tom Johnson

## OBITUARY

**MARGARET JOHNSON HOFFMAN** - Margaret & Ben Johnson will be remembered by many of you old timers. Ben was employed by Hazard Construction Co. Margaret worked in the office at Lakeside School District, and also worked at Cecil's Restaurant. They built the house on Lemon Crest where Gertrude Davis now resides. Margaret was born Aug. 18, 1917 in South Dakota. She met Ben when she came to Lakeside and they were married April 23, 1938. They had 20 children who attended school in the County and they moved to Southerlinm Or. where they lived until Ben's death in 1988. In October, 1989. Margaret married Ted Hoffman. In Nov., 1993, they made a trip to NM. to spend Thanksgiving with Margaret's daughter and family. On Nov. 30, 1993, they headed for home, the car slid on an icy road into the path of a semi truck, and both Margaret and her husband were killed almost instantly. Margaret's survivors include her daughter, Donna Dickie, of Dodge Center, MN. and a son Gary Johnson of Grass Valley, CA.

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### MAY '94 BIRTHDAYS

- 1 ROSE EMBERLY SMITH
- 2 FARRIE ANN NICHOLS
- 3 PENELOPE ANDERSON
- 3 SHIRLEY BREAD
- 3 COMFORT OLSEN
- 6 BOBBIE BOSLEY
- 6 ED GROBAREK
- 6 MERLIN WHARTON
- 7 LELA MUSE BOARD
- 9 ROSE COLLINS
- 9 LEOLA HERMS
- 10 PRUELLA HOLDEN
- 10 MARGUERITE SHERMAN
- 11 BRIAN PRENDERGAST
- 11 ADA ANN FITCH STEWART
- 11 ESTELLA BROWN SOMMERVILLE
- 12 PHYLLIS MILLER ISOM
- 15 VAUGNIE SWEARENGIN
- 15 CARL LONGLEY
- 16 PATRICIA ELLWOOD
- 18 JOE PIGNATELLI
- 21 BILL PINKARD
- 22 HAROLD DARNELL
- 24 MARY WOLIN
- 25 JOAN KOUNS
- 25 NANCY BARKDULL SWANSON
- 26 LEX BOSWELL
- 27 CHRISTINE SHERMAN HERZOG
- 27 McDONALD'S OF LAKESIDE - 3 YRS.
- 27 CHARLES McGUINNESS
- 29 PATRICIA DESMOND PIERCE
- 29 JOSEPHINE SAVAGE
- 29 LARRY TAYLOR
- 30 ERNIE AMES
- 30 LUCILLE KERNS HAINLINE
- 31 JAMES SCHILLER



I DON'T REMEMBER EVER SEEING A NOSE SO PRETTY - THAT IT LOOKED GOOD IN SOMEBODY ELSE'S BUSINESS

### MAY '94 ANNIVERSARIES

- 3 1st NANCY MARTIN & MARK FASSLER
- 3 41st BETTY BOLE & FRITZ HARTUNG
- 11 3rd JUSTINE & FREDERICK PROGNER
- 12 27th CAMILLE BARKER & RON NIELSEN
- 15 1st JULIE & DEVIN BIGELOW
- 19 15th RUTH & LEROY FOSTER
- 20 23rd LA DONNA & GERALD ROETHLER
- 22 46th SHIRLEY ANN & BILL CILESKI
- 23 57th LEOLA & HENRY HERMS Sr.
- 24 51st ROSE & MAXWELL COLLINS
- 24 53rd MARJORIE KEPHART & EVERETT LINDEM
- 24 35th BETTY & ROD MC MILLEN
- 26 1st CAROLYNN & WALT HAMILTON

HAVE WE "BLUNDERED" WITH YOUR BIRTHDAY OR ANNIVERSARY? NOTIFY ANY LHS VOLUNTEER SO WE CAN CORRECT FUTURE ISSUES.

OUR KITCHEN CAN USE  
A KIND GIFT OF  
CREAM & SUGAR PACKAGES

**Signs...  
Remember 'Em?**

HE HAD THE RING  
HE HAD THE FLAT  
BUT SHE FELT HIS CHIN  
AND THAT  
WAS THAT!  
BURMA-SHAVE

Orchids to GENE & SARAH WHITLOW for the new landscaping at their Chevron Station (Channel Road & Woodside Avenue)

### A NEW QUILT

Many people have asked about another quilt with names and dates. Now one is being planned. The design is different as it will be made to commemorate the centennial of the "Olde Lakeside Community Church" in February 1996.

This quilt will be lighter weight so we can display it at various functions. The central design will be of the church with the names and dates around it. So hurry and get your name on this one. It may be your last chance. All funds will go into the building fund.

To have your name on this quilt - send you name and the year you came to Lakeside along with a check for \$25.00. If you want your child's name under yours it will be \$10.00 for each child. Don't miss out. Mail the information to:

LAKESIDE HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
P.O. BOX 1423  
LAKESIDE, CA 92040

"Remains to be Seen," 1994 annual conference of the California Historical Society and the California Council for the Promotion of History, will be held at the Red Lion Hotel in S.D. from Sept. 15 to 18. Call (415) 567-1848 or write to:

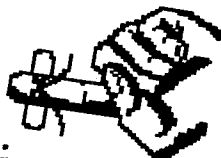
CHS, Annual Conference, 2099 Pacific Ave., San Francisco, CA 94109.

"Whats going On? "  
I'll tell ya .



# Calendar of Events

- APRIL**
- 16 Western Days Breakfast \$3.50 at the Olde Church, 7am to 11. CRAFT SHOW in and around the Olde Church.
  - 17/18 Western Days Rodeo
  - 22 LHS Board Meeting
  - 25 General LHS Meeting.
  - 26 Mystery History Bus Trip \$12.50 Board Bus in parking lot of Community Center 8:15am. 443-0368 or 561-1886 for reservation.

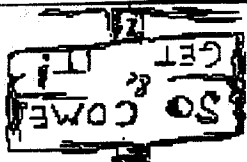


- MAY**
- 1 Presbyterian Women's Assn. Mother Daughter Tea - 2pm.
  - 7 Spring Home Tour by the El Cajon Historical Society. Call 444-3800 for tickets.
  - 8 Mother's Day
  - 22 Range Rider Roundup B-B-Q See notice in newsletter
  - 11 Orange Blossom Gala - Luncheon & Fashion Show. 12:30 Olde Community Church. 561-1886 for res.
  - 19 Father's Day



LEON & CHRIS HERZOG  
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ADMIT ONE  
TO THE  
RANGE RIDER ROUNDUP B-B-Q  
BENEFIT  
OLDE COMMUNITY CHURCH  
SUNDAY, MAY 22, 1994



WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

TERI BRANDON  
MICHAEL BRANDON  
JULIE WALKER  
Life Member #248 GERALDINE DE LAMARTER  
Life Member #249 ELEANOR SHAW  
Life Member #250 BOB HELT  
Life Member #251 MARGARET HELT

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RECYCLED  
ONE TIME I WAS IMAGINING THAT I WAS A NEWSPAPER,  
NOBODY READ ME. I HAD TO SIT ON A BENCH.  
I WAS SAD. THE GARBAGE TRUCK CAME. THEY THREW ME  
IN THE COMPACTOR. I GOT SMASHED. I WAS VERY,  
VERY SAD. THE TRUCK WENT TO THE RECYCLING CENTER  
AND THEY RECYCLED ME.  
THEN I WAS A BOOK.

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## Western Days Parade

Ron & Barbara Kelly did a great Job narrating the Western Days Parade. All could hear loud & Clear. He mentioned the Lakeside Historical Society many times. Thank you Ron & Barbara Kelly.

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### THANKS - - - to Larry & Jean Taylor.

When a call went out that the H.S. could use a T.V. and a V.C.R., two of our newer Life Members responded immediately. They delivered a Zenith TV and Tronix VCR. We can now show our 1913 Tapes which, were filmed in Lakeside as well as others.

Many thanks to Jean & Larry Taylor

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### LHS NEWS

We have a 'SUNSHINE GAL' who sends our regards to those members in the aches & pain dep't. Contact Eileen Carender 443-1439 to report illness.

**Cakes needed** for the BBQ.. May 22. Bake your favorite cake in a 9x13 pan and come & enjoy. How about some new volunteers!

**Refugee Resettlement Program** is in need of reasonably good condition household items, such as appliances, clocks, radios, etc. Call Terry Clark -287-9454 for more information and/or pick up.

A great afternoon at the Olde Community Church on JUNE 11th. 1994 with a 2 pm Luncheon and Fashion Show. All this for only 10.00 per person. Get your tickets early because there is limited seating. Tickets are available now in the LHS Store.

**Dead Line for the Next Newsletter** is June 10th.

### Lakeside Historical Store... New items in the Gift Shop



White Nylon Jackets with Logo	\$20.00
Straw Cowboy hats	2.50
More Blue Birds	3.00
Tote Bags with Logo	8.50
Rocket Nut Cracker (All Steel)	10.99
(Cracks Pecans, Walnuts, Filberts. Brazil etc. Does a super job.)	



## CALENDAR of COMING EVENTS

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May 22 - Barbecue Leon & Chris Herzog's 9989 Bon Vue Dr. El Cajon, 92021 LHS 561-1886

June 11 - Luncheon and Fashion Show

June 12 - Sister's Birthday Party, 2 pm, Olde Church

June 27 - Regular meeting

July 22 - Demo of Removal Designer Sequins. Details will be announced.

SEP. 10 - 2nd. Annual Street Dance. LHS will serve refreshments in the Church Garden.

SEP. 22 - 2nd. Annual Golf Tournament Willow Brook.

SEP. 26 - Regular Meeting.

OCT. 23 - HOME TOWN REUNION.

OCT. 24 - Regular Meeting.

NOV. 28 - Regular Meeting.

DEC. 14 - Pot Luck - Installation.

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Don't forget the Birthday party for Eileen, Lucille, & Edna, 6-12-94 at 2 pm in Olde Church.

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Wouldn't it be nice if we could offer a volunteer limited "TAXI SERVICE" for our members who are in dire need of transportation occasionally? Any volunteers with a dependable car??

FIRST Mystery History 1/2 Day Bus Trip  
WAS A GREAT SUCCESS & ASKING FOR MORE - - -  
We even made a few dollars!

Inspite of the slow start in ticket sales, many came thru the last few days so that we made our quota of 31 just to meet expenses.

Everyone was on time and waiting - a few car owners were asked to please move their cars around the corner to the Lakeshore side - we didn't want to interfere with parking facilities of the Community Center.

The bus arrived right on time - VIRGINIA met with the driver, JUAN, - the trippers boarded promptly - a moment of anxiety when we saw the driver looking at the Thomas Brothers - RAY WHITLOCK offered his know-how to the driver - JUAN took control and we were on our way as scheduled.

After we settled down on the freeway - VIRGINIA tried the mike with some difficulty - and at last we were told the Mystery History trip was to CORONADO. On the way we had questions about San Diego County - the trippers did very well - particularly ESTHER THOMAS, she seemed to know all the answers.

When crossing the Coronado Bridge we stopped the trivia questions - JUAN pulled the bus right up to the curb and the clock by the hotel convention center - our docent, NANCY COBB, was waiting - many disembarked for the restrooms before we started the tour.

Now all was turned over to NANCY - this gal is nothing less than TERRIFIC! History, humor & gossip just expounded from this lady as she guided JUAN around the streets of Coronado finishing at the same spot we started. The trippers followed NANCY into the hotel where they heard information about the lobby, crown room, court yard and let's not forget the ghost stories!

We bid NANCY farewell - trippers had only a few minutes on their own before boarding the bus at 11:00 A.M. - All were prompt, no stragglers - we returned to Lakeside in good time for some to have their lunch in the Community Center. A good time was had by all and all looking forward to the next Mystery History 1/2 Day Bus Trip - perhaps July - exactly when - at this time - is a Mystery!

For those who did not go this time - and after they hear how terrific it was from those that did - we will be happy to repeat the performance - providing we get a minimum of 31 trippers. Call VIRGINIA 443-0368 or 561-1886 or mention you are interested to any LHS Member. All monies go into the Building Fund.

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## LAKESIDE PHOTO CONTEST

What a beautiful opportunity to get everyone in Lakeside involved in a community sponsored event. Just think of the potential, not only would adult photo buffs get a chance to display their talents but Lakeside school children would learn about photography, and explore and appreciate their community in a new and wonderful way.

The contest would have four separate categories and three age groups. There would be a category for Nature and Landscapes, Relics of the Past (historical buildings and sites), A Western Theme (Rodeo/cowboy) and Lakeside and its People (everyday people).

There would be a special showing of old photos from Lakeside's past on special loan, withstanding a written liability release.

All photographs must be taken in Lakeside and only by Lakeside residents.

The contest would result in a weekend long event/showing held either at the Old Church or at the Community Center. A small entrance fee would be charged (\$3 per adult and \$1 per child 3-14). All non-winning photos would be picked up after the last show date, with winning photos to be returned at a later date.

Sponsors would be obtained to provide funding for expenses, such as advertising, flyers, equipment rentals, prize donations, cleanup, etc.

This event would be a fund raiser for the historical society, with a portion going to some worthwhile charity, such as a wildlife preservation fund, preferably for Lindo lake.

John and Lance at the Lakeside Gallery showed interest and offered to assist in the preparation of a press release.

A committee would be established to handle all the details.

Judges would be chosen from the community. They get the exciting job of sifting through all the entries and choosing 1st, 2nd, 3rd and honorable mention for each of the categories and age groups.

All entries would be displayed (good taste withstanding). Each entry must be at least 8x10 inches.

Wouldn't it be great if the winning photographs could be published in the Daily Californian and the 1995 Lakeside Calendar?

Doesn't all this seem exciting! A new event for Lakeside! And a fund raiser to boot! So, lets get started!

Contact: Sandie McClain 561-7333

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NEW MEMBERS