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Brea Celebrates 1975 - 76

A Lot to Cheer In The Bicentennial Year!

Sound Financial Management Keeps Brea On Right Track

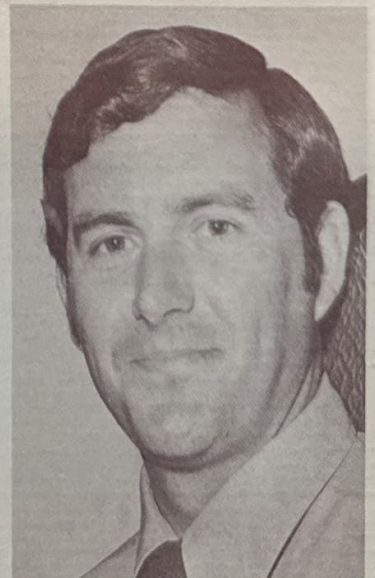
In a time of economic uncertainty for municipal governments, Brea has lowered its property tax rate between 1966 and 1974 from \$1.53 to \$1.44; last year, 1975, again lowered the rate from \$1.44 to \$1.43 (per \$100 AV); increased its total assessed valuation from \$82,374,620 in 1974 to \$94,664,760 in 1975; has doubled the amount of revenues generated from building

permits from \$13,361,292 in 1974 to \$29,616,489 in 1975; and has sold \$8,000,000 worth of redevelopment notes for capital improvements without a tax rate increase. The best part about this trend is that all projections indicate that this financial condition will perpetuate itself and reach a level of accomplishment not previously achieved. 1976 will truly be Brea's year.

New Police Chief is Brea Product

Brea has a new Chief of Police but the face is that of an old friend. Donald L. Forkus was selected to head the Police Department after a statewide search and an intensive interview process. Chief Forkus is a lifetime Brean, a graduate of California State University Fullerton, married to wife Karon and they have three children.

*DONALD L. FORKUS,
NEW BRE
POLICE CHIEF*



What's Going On Over There? Oh, That's Our Brea Mall!

It is just the Brea Mall right now; however, when the construction of the entire area has been completed, the Brea Mall with four department stores and 100 plus shops, adjacent financial center, and Brea Plaza altogether will be the regional hub of commercial activity for the surrounding communities. The Regional Center is scheduled to open in August, 1977.



BREA MALL, REGIONAL SHOPPING CENTER

How Many Communities adopt a Ship?

Well not many. This is just one example of the innovative ways the Community has brought cultural and educational advantages to our City schools. Brea adopted the "Sun Princess" in order to augment the regular elementary school curriculum. The exchange has exposed students to navigation, ship operations, and foreign cultures.



Mayor MacKain, Brea elementary students
and "Sun Princess" captain

Brea Knows Unemployment Hurts

With a record high unemployment rate in Orange County, Brea has done a great deal to offset the adverse effects it has had to the City by using the available State and Federal resources and by maintaining an aggressive program of prime job development.

Thirty-five (35) people were employed through temporary Federal funding made possible by the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act of 1973.

Brea also has an on-going concern for youth and senior citizens employment. The Youth Employment Service has placed more than 300 young people in its year and a half of existence. Older Americans Employment funded by Orange County revenue sharing money has been another successful program employing 22 senior citizens to date.

Brea Is For People

Our community encourages private social service organizations and clubs to administer to the physical and emotional needs of our residents of all ages.

For further information regarding the various human services available ranging from Meals on Wheels to Youth Employment Service, contact the information and referral number 529-4951, extension 62. A special information and referral booklet is also available on request.



Mildred Bernard, Older Americans Employment Program

City Elections

On March 2, elections will take place in Brea for three City Council seats. Two present Council members (Mr. Cooper and Mr. Gaede) are running for re-election unopposed. A third seat was vacated by Mayor Leonard MacKain's announcement that he would not seek re-election to the Council. Three candidates (Mr. Buttner, Mr. Gambina and Mr. Vazzana) and one write-in candidate (Mr. J. Markham) are competing for this position.

There Are Parks . . . And Then There Are PARKS

Have we got a park for you!

There is Ted Craig—125 acres of rambling walkways featuring picnic areas and ball parks near completion.

Carbon Canyon Regional Park, located on Carbon Canyon Road, is currently a 60-acre facility with a four-acre lake, picnic area, archery range, model airplane flying facility and tennis courts. Expansion of the park is progressing.

The Junior High Park, which was recently landscaped, has ball fields and night lighting.

Let us not neglect to mention our pre-existing Arovista Park with baseball and football fields, picnicking and playground facilities. A new Gazebo for concerts, public use and enjoyment will soon enhance our City Hall Park.

The Municipal Plunge is another of our City facilities which provides an endless source of summer enjoyment for community youth. The pool has undergone major renovation during the past year and will be completed in time for the start of our summer recreation programs in mid-June.

Population—"Wise"

The recent census survey taken this month revealed that Brea's population is currently 21,182, up from the 1970 figure of 18,447. The number of dwelling units is also up from 5,461 in 1970 to 7,543 in 1976. If you were not contacted during the census, please call 529-4951 as soon as possible to be included in this census updating.

City Council By-Line

Brea is growing for the better, but we do not want to lose the special home town spirit that has always characterized this community. We can retain this feeling as long as we have communications with you.

Brea is "our" community and we on the Council are here to represent your views. We would like to extend an invitation to you to attend our City Council meetings held every first and third Tuesday of the month.

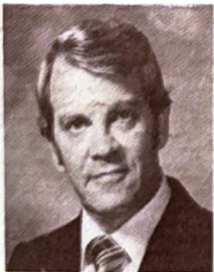
We are representing you so we need your input.

Brea Celebrates 200 Years of Nation's Freedom

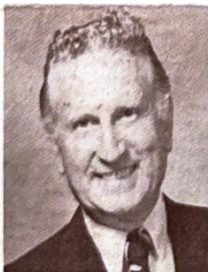
As 1975 commenced our Nation's 200th year anniversary celebration, Brea formed a Bicentennial Committee to serve as a clearing house for Community sponsored events. The goal is to facilitate a year of commemorative activities to best highlight our nation's history. Should you care to take part in the upcoming events, contact La Veta Daetweiler, 529-2322, or Frank Schweitzer, 529-2566.

Bicentennial Calendar

April 3 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.	Home and Garden Tour Brea Women's Club
April 3 3 p.m.	Bicentennial Symphony Concert Rio Hondo Symphony Orchestra Brea-Olinda High School Auditorium
May 1	U.S. Armed Forces Bicentennial Caravan Display
May 1	Bonanza Days Parade Brea Chamber of Commerce
June 5 7:30 p.m.	Kitchen Band Concert City Hall Park
July 3 12:00 noon	Bicentennial Family Picnic Arovista Park
July 3	Bicentennial Family Picnic Arovista Park
July 3	Bicentennial Street Dance (for adults) St. Angela Church
July 4 12:00 noon	Sounds of Freedom
July 4 Evening	Fireworks Spectacular Brea Firemen's Association



*Don Fox
Mayor Pro Tem*



*Sam Cooper
Councilman*



*Rex Gaede
Councilman*



*Carol Weddle
Councilman*



*Leonard MacKain
Mayor*

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FOR WHOM THE BELL TOLLS — Students at Brea-Olinda High School will present this half-size replica of the Liberty Bell to the city of Brea during an Independence Day fireworks show at the school's stadium. Frank Schweitzer, co-chairman of the Brea bicentennial commission, displays the wooden mold for the bell at top left. At top right, Schweitzer and Aubrey Shafer Jr., owner of McGraw and Son Founders, Brea, prepare for the casting of the bell. The completed product is examined at right by Shafer and Andy Saavedra, the shop superintendent.



RIO HONDO SYMPHONY TO PLAY BICENTENNIAL CONCERT

Bicentennial Concert Sponsored in Brea

BREA — The City of Brea's Bicentennial Committee is sponsoring a bicentennial concert to be held on April 3, at 3 p.m. at Brea-Olinda High School Auditorium, 803 East Birch Street.

The outstanding Rio Hondo Symphony Orchestra

will perform a medley of arrangements including "The Royal Fireworks Suite," "Concerto," "Fugue and Chorale on Yankee Doodle," "Mississippi Suite" and "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

Admission is free to the general public; no tickets necessary. Doors will open at 2:30 p.m.

The Rio Hondo Symphony is in its 43rd season as a community symphony orchestra. It was originally known as

the Whittier Symphony.

Members of the orchestra who live in the north county area are Marjorie Greek, Brea; Stephanie Ives and David Turovsky, La Habra; Linda Owen and Brian Furlong, Placentia; Vic

Sagerquist, Fullerton; Richard Cruz and Lou Anne Barth, Fullerton College faculty.

Further information regarding the concert is available from the Community Services Department, City of Brea, 529-4951, Ext. 25.

Daetweiler, Schweitzer Coordinate Bicentennial

BREA — Heading up Brea's Bicentennial Committee are Laveta Daetweiler and Frank Schweitzer, who are in charge of coordinating the many events and activities planned for the coming year.

"At a time in history when society is concerned with so many problems, we have been given a unique opportunity to reaffirm our patriotic and

faith in our country, and a chance to focus on those principles and objectives set forth by our forefathers who made our nation great," Mrs. Daetweiler emphasized.

"A three-pronged celebration is being planned for the coming year," she explained: "To honor the past (Heritage). Celebrate the present (Festival) and Look to the future (Horizon). The

citizens of Brea can make this possible through commitment, involvement and dedication," she added.

Some of the activities and projects planned for the Bicentennial year in Brea include the gazebo in the park, the 1776 tree project, the enactment of the Don Gaspar de Portola Trek, Brea Birthday Party, wagon train visit, U.S. Armed Forces caravan visit, youth involvement day, Bicentennial Sunday, 1976 Fourth of July family picnic and fireworks display and the sound of freedom.

The committee is also planning to carry out the continuation of the oral history tapes, a Bicentennial symphony concert, dedication of the High Park, Bicentennial gardens, merchants display, historical presentation for the district, festival of art, American heritage and display, essay competition of the Libby, and the Bicentennial Concert at the Park.

"We hope the entire community will get the spirit involved and join us in celebrating for a Happy Birthday to the people of Brea," Daetweiler concluded.

JULY 1, 1976

Jeweler Has Eye For July 4

By DAVE TAYLOR
News Tribune Writer

BREA — Everybody seems to be joining into the Bicentennial spirit — the closer the 200th Anniversary of the Declaration comes into view. It is Sunday, July 4.

Nobody in Brea may have a closer tie to independence, aside from Mrs. LaVeta Daetweiler, a descendant of

the Adams family and Revolutionary War heroine Molly Pitcher, than Jack Semless, local jeweler, who comes from Philadelphia, where the American eagle was hatched.

The Semless store at 118 S. Brea Blvd., has a window-full of Bicentennial oriented items including a Civil War discharge, "fire marks" dating

to Benjamin Franklin's time, ancient lead soldiers and glasses which could have been worn by Franklin himself.

Also are some of Semless's wife's collection of 50,000 post cards, which celebrate Independence Day, with appropriate pictures and messages, just like for Christmas, Easter, Thanksgiving or other occasions.

"We had a combination antique and jewelry store in Philadelphia, which was condemned in 1952," said Semless the other day. This was done, he added to make room for Independence Hall Mall.

The "fire marks" were allowed to be taken from the building, each of which was either protected by a fire association paid for by the landlord and-or occupant, or he had to provide his own protection.



News Tribune Photo

ANTIQUE GLASSES USED BY BREAN JACK SEMLESS TO PEER AT CIVIL WAR DISCHARGE Paper And Spectacles Plus 'Fire Marks' Are Part of

Along the Boulevard



By DAVE TAYLOR

Property prices have gone up four times since Don McBride started selling real estate in Brea, back in 1956, he told fellow Rotarians recently.

His first subdivision was the one behind the Brea-Olinda High School. At that time three bedroom homes sold for \$10,000 with \$295 down. A four-bedroom home sold for \$11,000. And a larger four-bedroom home with family room was priced at \$11,850.

Now the houses are worth \$40,000, he remarked. They're only a couple of blocks away from Brea Mall regional shopping center.

(At one time the homes were in the path of the east-west freeway, which has since, for all practical purposes, been abandoned.)

McBride said it "is a real luxury" for young couples to afford a house today.

The most inexpensive home in Brea is \$35,000.

He suggested those who are interested in large scale projects such as apartments should do it as a group investment with professionals who know management techniques.

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Thursday, July 1, 1976

The POST

Fireworks Salute to Cap Brea Bicentennial Event

BREA — In salute to America's Bicentennial a "God Bless America" 200-shell aerial salute will complete the Independence Day fireworks show at Brea-Olinda High School Stadium.

It is sponsored by the Brea Firemen's Association.

Gates open at 7 p.m., the preshow starts at 7:30 p.m., the fireworks show at 9 p.m. and finale at 10:10 p.m.

Special guests will be the mayor of Lagos de Moreno, Jorge Sanroman

and his entourage. Lagos de Moreno, in Jalisco, Mexico, is Brea's Sister City.

Among the 10 set pieces (frames) to be presented is a pyrotechnic recreation of the Neil Armstrong moon walk, including a recording of the first moon landing, obtained from the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center in Houston, Tex.

In order, the set pieces are: American Flag, Mayflower the Pilgrim ship, Paul Revere's ride, the Liberty Bell, President

Washington and Lincoln, "Shot Heard 'Round the World", Covered Wagon, Statue of Liberty, Battle of Iwo Jima and the Moon Walk.

Preshow festivities include the all-church chorale composed of members from the Brea Baptist Church, Brea Congregational Church and United Methodist Church; the Paul Zen Quartet with Frances Alva; clowns; "Uncle Sam" (Jeff Winters), speech contest award presentations and door prizes.

Bang Up Bicentennial Planned For Brea Residents

Touching off the Bicentennial activities in Brea was a raffle held by its Senior Citizens for a beautiful handmade Bicentennial quilt. Made by the Seniors, the quilt was won by Terry Phillips, grand-daughter of a Senior Citizen.

GAZEBO

A week-end-long celebration will take place Saturday and Sunday, July 3 and 4, starting with Dedication of the new "Gazebo" in City Hall Park. This gazebo, a lovely addition to the park, will be a gift from the Soroptomist Club, who worked very hard on various fund-raiding projects so that the Gazebo might be built.



WILL THIS PIG RUN.....June and Danny Pruett try to decide if this little piggy will run fast for the greased pig race during Brea's Festivities for the Fourth.

PICNIC

Immediately following the Gazebo Dedication, the Family Bicentennial picnic will start. This old-fashioned picnic is for EVERYONE in the entire community and will run from 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m. It is sponsored by the city of Brea with co-operation from all the local churches, PTAs and civic groups. The entire afternoon will be filled with entertainment and games, contests for adults as well as children.

Among the activities will be a corn-shucking contest (corn donated by Alpha Beta, salt and butter by Safeway), a watermelon eating contest (melons donated by Albertson's) and a greased pig chase (pig from local FFA student, local FFA student, winner gets to keep the pig). Many prize trophies have been donated by Semless' Jewelers and are

engraved for the lucky winners.

Pack a picnic lunch and c'mon down to Arovista Park for all the fun. As you can see by the schedule, there's something for everyone!

DANCE

After spending the afternoon at Arovista Park, enjoying all the Bicentennial Picnic activities, drop the kids off at home, and get yourself ready for the street dance which starts at 9:00 p.m. in St. Angela's Catholic Church parking lot. There will be good music to dance to and lots of food and beverages on sale.

Tickets are being sold (\$1.25 per person) in advance and can be obtained from any of the Brea service groups or parishioners of the church. So shine up those dancing shoes and kick up your heels 'til 1:30 a.m.

BELLS

If you planned to sleep very late on Sunday, July 4, forget it!! There's Church services, remember? Then at 12:00 noon you will hear Freedom Sounds when all the church bells will ring in commemoration of America's 200 year celebration.

A brass casted replica of the Liberty Bell has been purchased by the Brea Bicentennial Committee and will be presented to the city soon.

FIREWORKS

You better catch a quick nap in the afternoon so you're ready for the Outstanding Fireworks Program at Brea Olinda High School Stadium Sunday evening, July 4. Gates open at 7:00 p.m. with the Preshow Festivities starting at 7:30. There will be clowns, and a musical presentation by the All-Church Chorale.

Entertainment also includes a group from Cal State Fullerton, The Paul Zen Quartet and Francis Alva. Shortly before 9:00, Savings Bonds for \$25 each will be given out. The first 3 Bonds will go to the Bicentennial Speech Contest winners and will be given by the Brea Firemen's Association and winners will be chosen from numbers on entry tickets.

By 9:00 LOOK OUT!! The fireworks you'll see will dazzle your eyes and your heart. Captain Richard Francesconi and his crew from the Brea Fire Department have quite a show in store. It will include ten set pieces (American Flag, Mayflower Ship, Paul Revere, Liberty Bell, Washington and Lincoln Busts, Covered Wagon, Statue of Liberty, Hiroshima, Moon Landing, Crossing Comets Finale). In-between each of the sets, 15 - 20 aerial shells will be fired.

At intermission, three more bonds will be given away by the Fireman's Association - two \$50 bonds and one \$100 bond. The finale set will consist of a 200 shell salute to America. Tickets are \$1.50 per person and are on sale now at City Hall, Chamber of Commerce, Fire Station #1 (Berry St.), Fire Station #4 (Olinda Village), 7-11 store on Lambert Rd.



OFF TO THE FOURTH OF JULY PICNIC.....Uncle Sam (Jack Winter) is ready to help Rachel Morgan with her basket as Brea residents get ready for their really big Fourth of July Bicentennial Picnic.

JULY 30, 1926

HILGENFELD AND ROLLINS

Funeral Directors

Brea and Fullerton

No business or profession has climbed higher or more carefully up the commercial ladder and no business has come to be reckoned as more of a modern necessity, than has the masterly service rendered by the present day mortician. And in the personality of the men who conduct modern day funeral homes one will find, summed up tersely, all the finer attributes of life at its best.

A few of these principles that may be mentioned and which are very highly developed in this profession, are kindness, tact, diplomacy, warm human sympathy and a constant desire and endeavor to render a far higher plane of service than that ordinarily demanded by the majority of commercial institutions.

That the Hilgenfeld-Rollins Funeral Home is one which embodies the clearly exemplified factors as outlined above is shown by the fact that this institution is recognized over this section as representing one of the most modernly fitted establishments of its kind. Hilgenfeld-Rollins work has always been of such a character as to invariably cause favorable comment.



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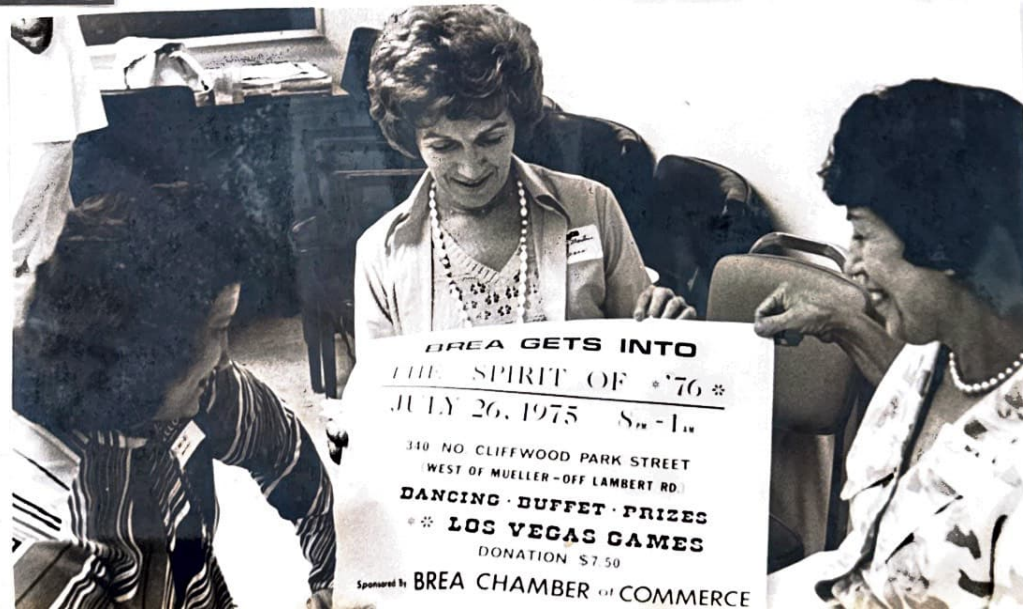
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GIFT FROM LAGOS DELEGATION



JULY 1967



BICENTENNIAL WINDOW DISPLAY
SEMLESS JEWELERS ?



(Register Photo)

LAUREL SCHOOLERS WITH BREAS LIBERTY BELL
Alice Pattison, Mike Brewer and Darren Durbin

GIFT TO BREAS

Bicentennial Bell Tours Classrooms

By WAYNE ARONSEN
Register Staff Writer

BREA - This city has come out of the bicentennial "binge" with something that will last - a half-size replica of the Liberty Bell.

The bell has begun a tour of Brea's seven schools with Laurel Elementary as its first stop.

Brea's student population of about 5,000 chipped in \$500 toward the bell's casting.

The 250-pound bronze bell was donated to the city during the celebrations last July 4th but had since been collecting dust in storage at a local Masonic temple.

The city has no place to put it until a new city complex - still in the planning stage - is built.

The Brea Masonic Lodge, a contributor to the bell's \$2,000 tab, thought it best that the bell be aired somewhere, so Ken Reed, a lodge member and principal of Laurel School initiated the tour.

McGraw Foundry in Brea cast the bell with part owner, Phil Campbell contributing his time and skills. Campbell's partner, Aubrey Shafer, figures the bell's value at \$5,000, considering that it is one of a kind and that pattern making took five weeks and actual casting was another week of work all applied to the one bell.

Any additional bells would reduce the value of the original.

In case you're wondering, the crack was hand cut with sabre saw.



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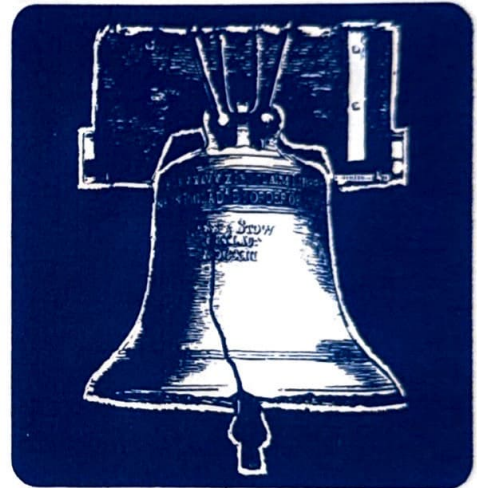
LET FREEDOM RING

WE ARE THROWING A BIRTHDAY PARTY AND YOU ARE INVITED!!!

The Brea Firemen's Association and the City of Brea are sponsoring a salute to America. It is the Bicentennial Fireworks Spectacular which will include pre-show entertainment, 10 major set pieces and hundreds of firework aerial shells. During the show, a shell equalling the largest shell in Southern California (12") will be fired to symbolize "the shot heard 'round the world."

The Fireworks Spectacular will be a colorful and historic tribute to our country filled with music and merriment, door prizes and dedications, people and more people. We hope you will be able to join us for the best and biggest fireworks show around.

Tickets are now on sale for \$1.50 at City Hall, Fire Stations No. 1 and No. 4, the Chamber of Commerce, and the Brea 7-11 Store. No tickets will be sold at the door.



"Pass and stow. Let liberty ring throughout the land."

A replica of the historic Liberty Bell will be donated to the City on the 4th of July at the Bicentennial Fireworks Spectacular. The project was spearheaded by the Bicentennial Committee and substantially financed by the students at Brea-Olinda High School. It will be on display in City Hall and plans are made for its permanent location in the proposed civic and cultural center.



THE BOX LUNCH BRIGADE

It's free, fun and fantastic! It's the BREA BICENTENNIAL PICNIC to be held on Saturday, July 3 from 12:00 noon to 6:00 p.m. in Arovista Park.

The activities range from watermelon eating and pig chasing contests to performances by a barber shop quartet and the rock group "Prism." Other performances will include the Kitchen Band, Sweet Adelines, a ragtime variety group, BOHS Drill Team, and members of the BOHS Chamber Choir. Specialty acts will include a minstrel show and a

comedy Hawaiian act. Mayor's Speech Contest winners will give their award-winning speeches based on the theme "Great Moments in American History."

The event is designed to be a casual block party where you BYOBL (Bring Your Own Box Lunch). You might even want to check with your favorite local fast food chain and purchase a mini (or maxi) lunch box special. Whether you decide to eat or not, or can stay 10 minutes or all day, we hope you will join us for this Brea neighborhood get-together.



PRESIDENT GEORGE WASHINGTON
(1732-99)

General Washington, Commander of the Revolutionary Army and the nation's first President, will be honored at the Fireworks Spectacular along with other American patriots who have made this country great.

A GIFT THAT KEEPS ON LIVING

Have you absolutely exhausted all your gift ideas for Dad, Mom, Aunt Edna and Uncle Sam? Well then, why don't you seriously consider giving a tree to the City in their name. The City of Brea has initiated a program whereby residents can donate a tree to be planted in one of our city parks for \$25.00.

The donor will receive a parchment certificate to present to the honored person, and that person's name will be entered in the official City Gift Trees Ledger as a matter of public record. For more information, call City Hall: 529-4951, extension 40.

SISTERHOOD IS POWERFUL!!

Did you know that Brea has a Sister City in Mexico? It's Lagos de Moreno! We have participated in the National Sister Cities Program since 1967 when Leo West was appointed the first Chairman of that committee.

Our community has found this cultural exchange to be a rewarding experience for all who have participated in the program.

On the eve of our Bicentennial celebration, the Mayor of Lagos de Moreno, Jorge Sanro-



man and party will arrive in Brea to help us celebrate our Nation's Birthday. They will join with the members of the City Council and host families to attend the many events we have scheduled for the holiday.

The group will be arriving on July 2 and their anticipated departure date is July 6. They will attend the Gazebo Dedication, the Bicentennial Picnic and the Fireworks Spectacular where a special presentation will be made to them at that time.



A GAZEBO... AHHHH...

On July 3, 1976, at 11:00 a.m., the Soroptimist International Club of Brea will join with the City to publicly dedicate the recently constructed Gazebo in the City Hall Park. The public is invited to attend.

Margery Paul, President of the Soroptimist Club, will present the City Council with a check for \$3,500 at the dedication. The Soroptimists conceived the civic gazebo for a Bicentennial project and then collaborated with the City and the Brea-Olinda High School Regional Occupation Program to construct it.

The Gazebo has a touch of nostalgia for

long-time Brea residents who remember the City Hall Park foundation. The wrought iron railing which now surrounds the Gazebo once enclosed the fountain and the lightning rod which embellishes the roof once stood atop City Hall.

The Gazebo, which stands in the lovely location overlooking the City Hall Park grounds and rose garden, is backed by the historic Brea Plunge which offers hours of summer recreational aquatic fun for people of all ages. The Gazebo will house summer concerts in the park and numerous other civic events.

A WORD OF THANKS

The City of Brea wishes to publicly thank the many devoted community participants who have worked so diligently to make the Brea Bicentennial celebration a truly historical and meaningful event. To name just a few, we thank LaVeta Daetweiler, Frank Schweitzer, Mary Quandt, Carol Wolfert, Vivian Weddle, Mr. & Mrs. Ray Hudson, Jiggs Eastman, Jim Stafford, Judy Bress, Jack Winters, Leonard Davis, Gail Chiotti, Rev. McFadden, Kathryn Citizen, Barbara Vasquez, Dick Francesconi, Dick Dorr, Jack Lehman, Tom Christian, Mary Wolfsberger, and many, many more.

BICENTENNIAL CALENDAR

11:00 a.m. July 3
Gazebo Dedication

12:00 noon July 3
Bicentennial Picnic

7:00 p.m. — 10:30 p.m. July 4
Brea Fireworks Spectacular

CITY NOTES...

...by a unanimous vote the City Council has resolved to put the issue of the directly elected Mayor in the hands of Brea residents. It will appear on the November 2, 1976 General Election ballot.

...Dial-A-Ride is now operating in Brea. For 50c you may ride within the Cities of Brea and La Habra. Seniors ride for 25c. For service call: (714) 992-5130 or (213) 694-3723.

SOUNDS OF FREEDOM...church bells, civil defense, police, and fire sirens will be sounded in celebration across the country at 12 noon July 4, 1976. We would say, "Don't miss this event" but you won't be able to anyway.

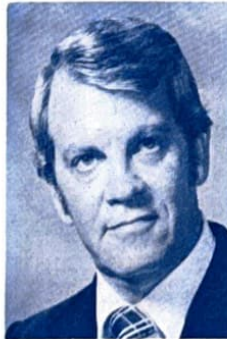
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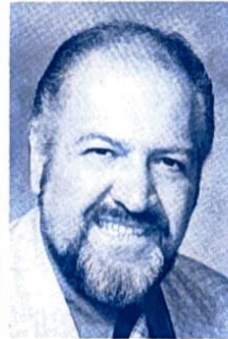
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CAROL WEDDLE
Mayor

*Wishing you and your family
a happy Fourth of July!*

**SPIRIT OF
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representatives of local business
bemoaned federal directives
which compel them to come up
with Emergency Escape Plans.

However when the complaints
died down the businessmen con-
ceded the regulations would
have to be complied with and
supported the PMP recom-
mendation for a Commuter
Computed survey.

Survey packets will now be
distributed to all companies ex-
pressing an interest in the car
pool program.

Each firm will be responsible
for disseminating the surveys
to their employees. By going
through the employer the PMP
committee hopes to get a high
response rate from workers.

Several of the complaints con-
cerned this method of
distribution, however.

"Why is it always up to the
employer to get these things
done?" asked one industry
representative. "We're trying to
put people to work and we have
a long line of people with
surveys like these. Let the
government subsidize the traffic
it needs car pools."

Most of the persons asking
the companies for information
are from the county, state and
federal governments. Congress
has passed a bill requiring all
industries with 250 or more
parking spaces to formulate
emergency plans and the
counties are coordinating the ef-
fort.

The government wants these
companies to have a scheme
to reduce the number of cars
on the road should major snow
alerts or similar emergencies
occur in the future.

Cities can either come up with
a parking management plan,
enforce federal Environmental
Protection Agency rules or
submit to a review of building
codes by the federal
government.

"We may not like the idea
of having to implement these
programs," said Woody La
Valle of F.M.C. Corporation.
"But the only way we are going
to get anything done is through
cooperation."

City Supports County On Health Plan

BREA — The City Council
Tuesday agreed to endorse the
County of Orange's health plan.

incentives for cooperative

Daetweiler, Schweitzer Coordinate Bicentennial

BREA — Heading up Brea's
Bicentennial Committee are
Lavela Daetweiler and Frank
Schweitzer, who are in charge
of coordinating the many events
and activities planned for the
coming year.

"At a time in history when
society is concerned with so
many problems, we have been
given a unique opportunity to
reaffirm our patriotic and

faith in our country, and a
chance to focus on those
principles and objectives set
forth by our forefathers who
made our nation great," Mrs.
Daetweiler emphasized.

"A three-pronged celebration
is being planned for the coming
year," she explained: "To honor
the past (Heritage), celebrate
the present (Festival) and look
to the future (Horizon). The

citizens of Brea can make this
possible through commitment,
involvement and dedication,"
she added.

Some of the activities and
projects planned for the
Bicentennial year in Brea
include the gazebo in the park,
the 1,776 tree project, the re-
enactment of the Don Gaspar
de Portola Trek Brea's
Birthday Party, wagon train
visit, U.S. Armed Forces
caravan visit, youth
involvement day, Bicentennial
Sunday, 1776 Fourth of July
family picnic and fireworks
display and the sounds of
freedom.

The committee is also plan-
ning to carry out the con-
tinuation of the oral history
tapes, a Bicentennial symphony
concert, dedication of the Junior
High Park, Bicentennial
gardens, merchants window
display, historical slide
presentation for the school
district, festival of arts, Mex-
ican heritage and cultural
display, essay contest,
placement of the Liberty Bell
and the Bicentennial Concert in
the Park.

"We hope the entire com-
munity will get the spirit, get
involved and join us in our wish
for a Happy Birthday USA from
the people of Brea," Mrs.
Daetweiler concluded.

Chamber Supports Airport Election

BREA — The board of
directors of the Brea Chamber
of Commerce Wednesday
unanimously voted to support
proposed Assembly Bill 37 that
would require an election within
the area surrounding the pro-
posed Chino Hills Airport (a 7½
mile radius) be conducted on
whether the airport should be
constructed.

If the bill is passed the pro-
ponents would have to apply
to the Board of Supervisors who
would in turn conduct the
election.

Two sponsors of the legislation
are Orange County
Assemblymen John Briggs and
Bruce Nestande.

In other business the board
discussed the upcoming "Spirit
of '76 Night" scheduled for July
26, 8 p.m.-1 a.m. in the R.G.
Reeder Warehouse, 340 N. Cliff-
wood Park St.

Tom Battaglia reported that
around \$1,000 in prizes will be
awarded including eight major
prizes and 40 others valued at
\$10 and \$20. The committee is
also considering making one
award a trip to Las Vegas.

The evening will also include
a buffet and dancing.

Tickets are \$7.50 each and will
be available at the Chamber
of Commerce and most
businesses.

The board also received

seven categories of exhibits, a
chairmen for each category will
be appointed.

It was also reported that Fred
Silvia has taken over the
chairmanship of mixers and
luncheons replacing Ron
Benadom who is moving from
the area. The next mixer is
July 9 at Albertson's, on the
corner of Puente and Lambert
Road.

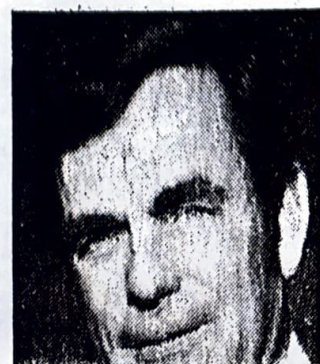
The board also agreed that
Pauline Finch be recommended
for appointment to the
Beautification Committee as the
chamber representative.

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Breans A Proud People

By
MAYOR LEONARD R.
MACKAIN
City of Brea

As we enter our Country's
Bicentennial Year, we in the
City of Brea are proud to have
been one of the first cities to
be sanctioned a Bicentennial
Community. Breans are
traditionally a proud people,
proud of their city, proud of
their State and proud of their
Country.





Andrea Hove of Creative Cakery is shown with bundt cakes.

Jack E. Hancock/Brea Progress

Creative Cakery helps

make life delicious

CAKERY

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"We ship nationwide, boxed and shrink-wrapped to make holiday gifts at Christmas and so forth. You just tell us which color or decorations you want us to include or we'll do the whole thing for you.

"The cakes are all frozen and we bake every day, so when they leave here they're fresh when they arrive. The entire cake can serve as a centerpiece for a table."

So, don't be too surprised if you're shopping for videos in the Brea Mall for that teen-ager of yours — looking for some group with a name like "Nerve Damage" or "Death Warmed Up" with volume that can make mahogany disintegrate — when somebody from Creative Cakery offers you one of their heart-shaped confections ... go for it!

It's their way of asking, "Any special event in your family that would be enhanced by one of our inventive creations?"

For those who like to have their cake and eat it too, Creative Cakery has two- or three-tiered cakes with four satellites, so just stand back and see if you can catch the "pillsburglar" (a person who can sneak frosting off a cake without a trace) before your words for a special workmate — "Working Together

Is A Piece of Cake" — are all gone.

Or, for the bashful husband who won't take a shower unless the goldfish are covered up, a cake with words that would make him want to absolutely die if those names only you can call him were all there for others to see in fluffy white frosting: "Lover Boy!" "Honeykins!" "Pooky!"

This, for the kind of guy who would take his girl to a drive-in movie and when she asked him if he'd like to get into the back seat, would say, "No, I'd rather stay up here with you."

The bundt cake flavors at Creative Cakery include chocolate chip, lemon and French vanilla and are only matched by the imaginative embellishments that any bride of the fast-waning 20th century would want to keep on the eve of the new millennium.

If there's one role in her life that Hove (her business card reads, "Warning: Not responsible for pig-out attacks!") would like to arrive at — no, not to manufacture a cake big enough for seven strippers to climb out of — it's that of "mother" herself.

"Neil and I have only been married for two years, but we're anxiously looking forward to being parents," Hove said.