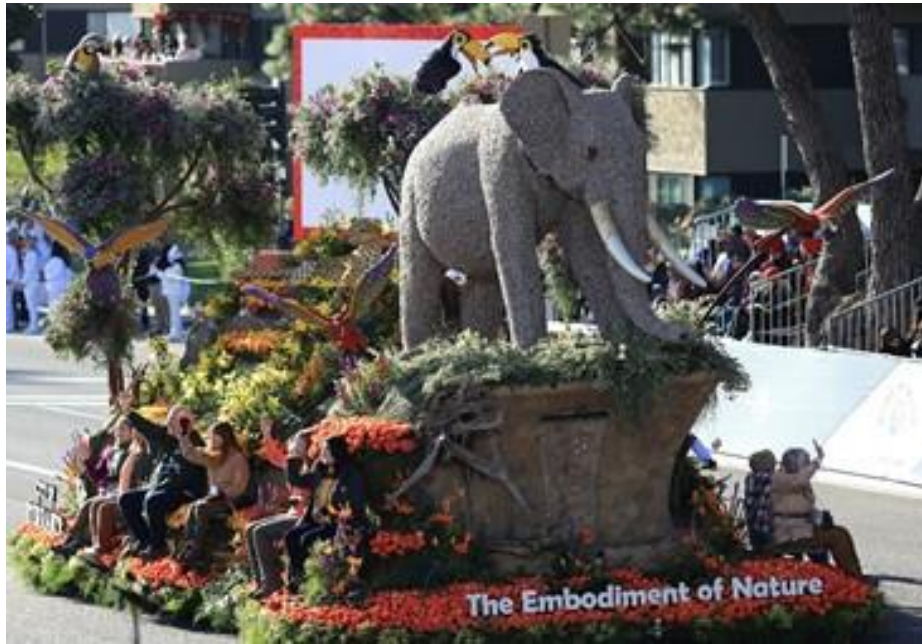




Torrance Rose Float Association

April 2022 Newsletter



Winner of the Princess Trophy

President's Message

Hello Everyone,

This month the board and membership would like to pay tribute to a volunteer and special friend of the Torrance Rose Float Association, Ms. Rosemary Walters. Rosemary passed away last month a few weeks short of her 100th birthday. In 2019 she was interviewed by KTLA and ABC at the Fiesta Parade site as she was decorating our float as she did every year with much joy and enthusiasm. She was ninety-seven years old at the time. Rosemary was an inspiration to all and will be deeply missed.



The design concept for our 2023 float was chosen in March by the Board of Directors and Tim Estes of Fiesta Parade floats. We will be meeting with the City Council's Citizens Enrichment and Development Committee later this month to review our choice. Fiesta Parade Floats is currently working on the final design to be presented to the full City Council for final approval. Once approved the contest winner will be announced. We are extremely excited and are gearing up to create another award-winning float.

There are eight seats on our float for riders, one of which is for our design contest winner. If riding on our city float in the Tournament of Roses parade is on your bucket list this is your opportunity. Please don't hesitate and reserve your seat now! Request forms may be found on the Torrance Rose Float website at torranceroselfloat.org.

Please be sure to check out our website for our current events, including Restaurants for Roses. Wishing everyone a wonderful spring filled with good health. We look forward to seeing you all soon.

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Celebration Dinner, April 9

Please join us on April 9th as we continue our tradition of celebrating our winning float as well as the decorators and supporters who have been with us throughout the 2021-2022 season.

TRFA will begin their fundraising for the 2023 float at the dinner with Opportunity Baskets, Rose Garden Gift Cards, a Silent Auction and a delicious buffet provided by SNAX.

Visit our website to purchase tickets:
torrancerosefloat.org

We look forward to seeing you on April 9th!



Dine and Donate with Restaurants for Roses

Mark your calendar and dine with our participating restaurants to help raise funds for the 2023 float.

Check out the locations and dates below.


You will find the flyers to participate on our website as well as at the back of this newsletter.

Thanks for your support!

- March 30: California Pizza Kitchen
- April 13: Panera Bread
- April 27: Lazy Dog

We're adding more restaurants on a regular basis so visit the website often for additional placed to dine and help raise funds!





->> Panera <<-
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TORRANCE ROSE FLOAT ASSOCIATION


WHERE 1511 Hawthorne Boulevard, Redondo Beach, CA 90278

WHEN Wed, Apr 13th **FROM** 4:00pm - 8:00pm


Order online at panerabread.com and enter code **PRFUND** at checkout.
You can also bring this flyer or show a digital version to the cashier when ordering at the cafe to ensure your organization gets a portion of the proceeds.




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In Cafe

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Lazy DOG
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FUNDRAISER

Torrance Rose Float Association

Invites you to join them in a
virtual fundraiser

by ordering a meal online from Lazy Dog.
Just visit Lazydogrestaurants.com, select the participating location noted below, enter the coupon code at the bottom, and 15% of your total bill will be donated back to the organization. Want to dine in? Print this flyer and give it to your server.

Here's when, how and where to order from so the organization gets credit for your order:

date: April 27, 2022

time: All day

location: Lazy Dog Restaurant + Bar

3525 West Carson Street

Torrance, CA 90503

coupon code

(so we can track it)

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Love to Garden? Our Flower Power Fundraiser is back!

Everything from seed packets to plant an herb garden to lovely perennials; there's sure to be something for everyone.



Shop right from the TRFA website and help us reach our goal of raising \$5,000 by May 1st.

Go to torranceroselfloat.org to view the catalog and flex your Flower Power!



Our funding from the City is uncertain at this point. If you know of any businesses or other potential donors we can contact, please let us know. All fundraising ideas are welcome!



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