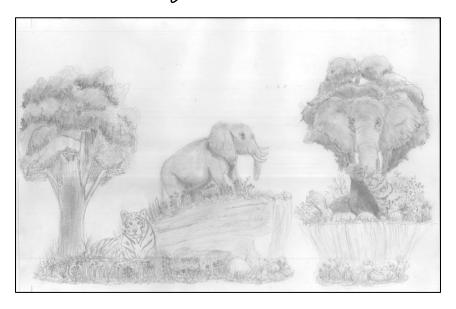


# Torrance Rose Float Association

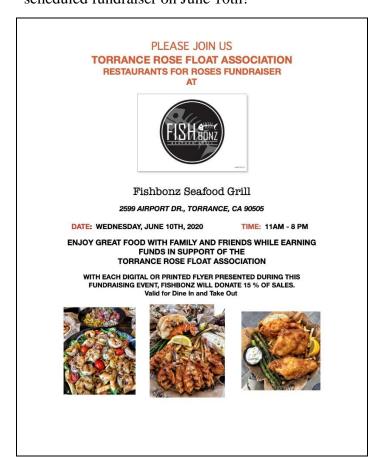
### June 2020



### President's Message

I hope that you and your family are doing well during this pandemic. When this settles down and we can connect, many of our conversations will be about what we did during this time, we have been thinking about what effect this situation will have on our float. At this point the Pasadena Tournament of Roses has not decided whether there will be a Rose Parade January 1st, 2021. The Pasadena Tournament of Roses has stated that due to the evolving nature of this situation, current and future restrictions on mass gatherings might require them to reassess whether there will be a parade or Rose Bowl game. We expect to know, based on the recommendations, restrictions, and decisions of our public officials, whether they will be able to host the 2021 Rose Parade in early July. Once we hear from Tournament, we will let you all know.

We are all looking forward to getting back to a level of normalcy in our daily lives, meanwhile I hope you are healthy and safe during these extraordinary times. We have been contacted by Fish Bonz and informed that they want to proceed with our previously scheduled fundraiser on June 10th!



Ragin Cajun Café has also informed us that they want to proceed with our previously scheduled fundraiser on June 24th!

#### Let the Good Times Roll !!

Join the Torrance Rose Float Association for a Restaurants for Roses fundraiser and some 'Down Home Louisiana Fun' at



### The Ragin Cajun Cafe

525 Pacific Coast Highway, Redondo Beach Wednesday, June 24, 2020 11 AM - 9 PM

Present this flyer (hard copy or digital) to your server and the Ragin Cajun will donate 20% of the cost of your meal to the Torrance Rose Float Association

See Ya'll There!

### A big thank you to both of these restaurants!!



#### **Restaurants for Roses**

Our local restaurants are opening back up. We will be checking with our scheduled restaurants to see who is still able to go forward with our fundraisers. We understand that not all of them may be in a position to hold fundraisers. We will let you know as we find out.

### **AMAZON SMILE AND TRFA!**

Staying at home and ordering things on line? Shopping on Amazon? You can support TRFA. Bookmark this link and all your eligible shopping will benefit Torrance Rose Float Association. It's that easy!

http://smile.amazon.com/ch/37-1647454



## HOW ABOUT A ROSE VIAL FOR ANNIVERSARIES OR GRADUATIONS?

Our Rose Vial chairman is waiting at home to get your order and send

out a card. She will send you a thank you and a business sized card that says "a Rose Vial will be placed on the 2021 float in honor of:". If you want to send special instructions, she can send the card directly to your recipient. A no contact COVID-19 gift!

#### **DONATIONS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!**

Rose Vials
Decorating week lunches
Bus ride for decorators
Bus ride for Float riders

Call us at 310-618-2425.

### If you normally pick up a print copy of the Newsletter at the following locations:

- City Hall
- City Hall Annex
- All 6 Torrance Libraries
- Bartlett Senior Center
- Tillman Senior Center

And need to have one mailed to you during this time please call our hot line and let us know. 310-618-2425



**Love Gardening?** 

If you love the Rose Parade, you also love flowers!

Our new fundraiser brings you quality flowers and plants for your Fall Garden along with supporting the Torrance Rose Float. Check out the selections!

### Order through our website torrancerosefloat.org



### We're all about flowers!



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### **TRFA Needs Your Help**

Supporting our float is a year-round endeavor. Here are some of the ways you can help.

- Community Outreach
- Fundraising
- Help with decorating week tasks
- Obtaining Donations
- Preserving Association History
- Computer entry
- Helping at events
- Newsletter
- Publicity
- Other

Email us your Name and Phone number and what you want to help out with to: info@torrancerosefloat.org or call us at 310-618-6825.



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