



Torrance Rose Float Association

February 2020

**Our Garden of Hope and
Dreams
Princess Trophy**



President's Message

February kicks off the beginning of bringing our 2021 float to reality. We are so excited to see the design concepts that our high school students submitted for the design of our 2021 float. We received entries from North, South, Torrance, and West high schools this year. We are hoping to be able to announce the winner in early March. So, stay tuned.

To make our 2021 float a reality we will need all your help. We are asking our generous donors and fans to continue to participate in our fundraising goals to cover TRFA's expenses related to building the float, food for our decorators and bus rides for our decorators. We have these expenses above what the city provides for the float. Volunteers are needed to help with all sorts of tasks including fundraising, coordinating, city events, and social media to name a few. To learn more contact us at info@torrancerosefloat.org.

Dr. Robert B. Miller as President and Chairman of the Board for the 2021 Pasadena Tournament of Roses Association announced "**Dream. Believe. Achieve**" as the Pasadena Tournament of Roses theme, celebrating education's ability to open doors, open minds and

change lives. "Education paves the path to success with a world of opportunities achieved through knowledge, compassion and determination. Education is the great equalizer."

Valentine's Day is rapidly approaching and is a great time to remember that special someone with a rose vial. Remember to check out the save the date each month since we are resuming our Restaurants for Roses. On February 12th we will be at IHOP. I hope to see you there.

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Calendar of Events

RESTAURANTS FOR ROSES

2-12-20 IHOP

2-26-20 Chili's

3-11-20 BJ's

3-25-20 Panera Bread



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RESTAURANTS FOR ROSES

Join us on February 12, 2020
All Day.



Torrance Crossroads Shopping Center
24631 Crenshaw Blvd., Unit D
TORRANCE, CA 90505-5358

Bring this flyer and IHOP will donate 20% to
Torrance Rose Float Association

RESTAURANT **BJ's** BREWHOUSE

— JOIN US FOR —
**A DELICIOUS WAY TO
RAISE MONEY!**

Date: March 11, 2020 - Wednesday **Time:** 11:00 AM to 10:00 PM

At this BJ's location:
3525 W Carson Street Suite 168
Torrance, CA 90503
310-802-6440

Enjoy delicious food in a fun atmosphere along with your family
and friends while earning funds in support of:

Torrance Rose Float Association

With each flyer presented during this **FUNDRAISING EVENT**, BJ's will donate
20% OF FOOD AND SOFT BEVERAGE SALES to the designated organization!

Valid for dine in or take out. Not valid toward alcoholic beverages or Happy Hour specials. Please do not
distribute flyers on-site during the event. Digital or printed flyer must be presented to the server.



**GOOD EATS
FOR A GOOD CAUSE**

15% OF YOUR TICKET WILL
BE DONATED TO



TORRANCE ROSE FLOAT ASSOCIATION
WHEN YOU PRESENT THIS FLYER WHILE ORDERING.



**TORRANCE ROSE FLOAT ASSOCIATION
TORRANCE ROSE FLOAT ASSOCIATION NIGHT
FEBRUARY 26, 2020
FROM 11:00AM TO 11:00PM**

**CHILI'S Torrance - 21835 Hawthorne Blvd., Torrance, CA 90503
310-792-9012**

Mention or show the Give Back Event Flyer with each check to receive credit for the sale. Sale cannot be included in donation amount
with flyer. Offer only valid on the date and location stated above. Donations will not be given on sales made prior to or past this date.



HELP SUPPORT

**TORRANCE ROSE FLOAT
ASSOCIATION**

WHERE 2733 Pacific Coast Highway, Torrance, CA 90505

WHEN Wed, Mar 25th

FROM 4:00pm - 8:00pm

Bring this flyer or show an electronic version to the cashier
when you place your order and we'll donate a portion of the
proceeds from your purchase.*

Ordering Online? Try Rapid Pick-Up.

Enter "PRFUND" as your Promo Code to have a portion of your proceeds donated to your
organization.

Learn more at FundraisingPaneraBread.com

*Gift card purchases, catering, kiosks and third party delivery orders are excluded and will not count toward the event.
Rapid Pick-Up and Delivery only where available.

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Our float riders in the limo early on parade morning ready to go! Patti LeGrelus, Thomas LeGrelus and Scott Uyeda.



Gregory Walborn, Eleah Kang, Pamela Kenoyer, Gregory Taylor, Debra Taylor and Patti LeGrelus.

Robin Gee interviewing contest winner, Eleah Kang



Fish in the pond and our turtle "Bijin". Kim Grubbs submitted the winning entry in the "Name the Turtle Contest". Bijin means beauty.

97-year-old decorator, Rosemary Walters, was interviewed by ABC, NBC, and Fox. We have our own celebrity!



"This was my first year helping out with the Rose Float. What an amazing group of devoted helpers, many who have helped for years. Everyone should do it at least once and I guarantee you'll volunteer again. Thank you, City of Torrance for allowing me to help with a winning float. Cheryl McCluney"

How can you find out about TRFA events?

- TRFA Facebook Group
- Newsletter (available on TRFA website)
- Torrance Events Calendar
- City of Torrance eNewsletter
- Daily Breeze Events Calendar

AmazonSmile and TRFA!

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>

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Twitter: @RoseFloat

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



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