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## City of Thibodaux Newsletter

March 20, 2008

Greetings!

*A weekly insight into the offices and departments of city government.*

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### OFFICE OF THE MAYOR



On Monday, Wesley Gravois, a senior at E. D. White, was the Mayor for A Day. He along with other local students participated in the Mayor's staff meeting, City Council meeting then took part in the daily duties with their Department Head. The Mayor, Thibodaux City Council and Department Heads who took part in the program would like to thank the students who shared the day with them.

Here is a list of the students:

MAYOR-Wesley Gravois  
 HARANG AUDITORIUM-Carli Marcello  
 FINANCE DIRECTOR-Jenny Lirette  
 RECREATION DIRECTOR-Abby Theriot  
 CHIEF OF POLICE-Ashley Weber

### HAPPY EASTER



Mayor Caillouet, Thibodaux City Council, and all employees of the City of Thibodaux would like to wish everyone a Safe and Happy Easter!

The City of Thibodaux Office will close on Friday, March 21, 2008 for Good Friday. Please use the night deposit in front of City Hall for payments.

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PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR-Adam Roth  
 PARKS DIRECTOR-Emily Boudreaux  
 CITY COUNCIL ADM.-Bridget Mire  
 COUNCILMAN "A"-Sarah Waguespack  
 COUNCILMAN "B"-Olivia Ockmond  
 CITY CLERK-Amanda Lasserre  
 CITY MARSHALL-Blakey Fields  
 CITY JUDGE-Jamine Matthews  
 FIRE CHIEF-Catherine Roszelie  
 CITY ATTORNEY-Katie Benoit  
 COUNCILMAN "C"-Julie Ho  
 COUNCILMAN "D"-Kelsie Larousse  
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## RECREATION



### *Let's Play Ball!!!!*

Join our mailing list!

#### **Baseball and Softball League**

Registration will start on Monday, March 24 until April 26 at **Peltier Park** Monday-Friday from 8:00-4:00 and Saturday, April 19 and Saturday April 26 from 9:00-NOON. For more information call 446-7235.

#### **Swimming Lessons**

Registration will be starting Wednesday, March 26 until May 30 at **Peltier Park** Monday-Friday from 8:00- 4:00 and Saturday, April 19 and Saturday April 26 from 9:00-NOON.

For more information call 446-7235.

Registration will start soon!!!

TREC-UP-one of our newest recreational programs offered to people with disabilities as well as to people without.

Registration is taking place now until April 11 for:

Adult Men's Basketball  
 Adult Co-Ed Volleyball  
 Youth Co-Ed Volleyball (NEW)

Have you taken a look at TREC's website? You can download a copy of the 2008 Recreation Department brochure.

[Click for more information and to download a brochure](#)



The Mayor and Department Heads took a tour of the John Deere Thibodaux facility. We were very impressed with the makings of all the equipment at John Deere Thibodaux.

[Click for more pictures](#)

## THIBODAUX POLICE DEPARTMENT

### *Looking for a Career?*

Thibodaux Police Department is looking for Officers to join the force!!!  
For more information call 985-446-5021 and speak to Brian Rhodes.



## JUBILEE 2008: ART'S ALIVE

The Thibodaux Chamber of Commerce will host a business card exchange, co-sponsored by the Lorio Foundation, in conjunction with the Art's Alive Show.

The event will be held on

**Thursday, April 10 from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on West 3rd Street between St. Philip and St. Louis.**

Interested artists and authors may contact Dana Clement at 985-448-5852 or Joyce Benoit at 985-448-1474.



## HELP YOUR NEIGHBOR



In an effort to assist those who have made Thibodaux what it is today, the City of Thibodaux has established the Help Your Neighbor Customer Assistance Program. The program will assist seniors in Thibodaux and disabled residents who cannot afford to pay their city utility bills. With the help of generous individuals, we can help our neighbors and make a difference in the lives of those in need in our community.

[Click here for more information](#)

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

***Are you looking for a Job???***

- Radio Dispatchers
- Police Officers
- Crossing Guards
  - Electricians
  - Equipment Operators



[Click to download your application](#)

## COMMUNITY EVENTS



*Community Events*

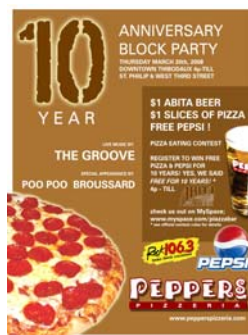
**Did you know you can submit your upcoming event to our community calendar?**

**Click below and submit your information.**

[Click to submit your event](#)

### **Peppers 10th Anniversary Block Party**

Today, March 20th, Peppers celebrates 10 years of business with a Block Party on St. Philip Street and W. 3rd Street from 4:00 p.m. until. Live entertainment provided by The Groove and Poo-Poo Broussard. The public is welcome.



### **Bayou Community Band Spring Season**

#### **Rehearsal Dates:**

March 27th

April 10th and 24th

May 8th

All rehearsals will be held on Thursday evenings from 7:00pm-9:00pm at Lindsley Hall at Nicholls State University. For more information contact Ted Hoffmann at 447- 4050

### **2008-16th Annual Eric T. Andolsek Memorial Bass Tournament**

The tournament will be held at Bob's Bayou Marina on Saturday, March 29 For more information contact Andy Andolsek at 985-447-3826.



### ***A Benefit 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament***

**for Myron Wright**

Saturday, March 22  
 Stopher Gym, Nicholls  
 10:00am-til

\$10.00 a person or \$30.00 per team For sign up or questions, contact Ryan 413-1183 or Brad 414-0379. **All proceeds assist Myron Wright to go to Project Walk Institute for Spinal Cord Injury Recovery.**

**Southern Music Fest**

Saturday, April 5  
 9:00am-11:30pm

Warren J. Harang, Jr. Municipal Auditorium

Tickets on sale at Learning Connection, Hofman's Store or purchase online at [www.southernmusicfest.com](http://www.southernmusicfest.com)

**Ladybug Tea**

Saturday, April 12  
 12:30pm-2:00pm

St. Joseph Life Center

\$10.00 donation per person For more information contact Kristie Currie at 446- 9525 or any Thibodaux Service League Member.

**American Red Cross Fundraiser**

11th Annual Spring Bunch Gala  
 Sunday, March 30 @ 10:30am

Cotillion Ballroom, NSU Tickets are available by calling 985-447-3229.

**Relay for Life**

The American Cancer Society's Relay For Life is an overnight event that unites community members against cancer. The event is a family event that raises money in the fight against cancer. On Friday, April 4, from 6:00pm-6:00am at Nicholls State University.

The public is invited. To learn more about how you can form a team to participate in the event, please call Mae Hitt, 2008 Chair, at 985-537-8350 or [mhitt@ochsner.org](mailto:mhitt@ochsner.org).

**Spring Garden Tour**

April 13 from 1:00pm until 4:00pm  
 four local homes within the community  
 Tickets \$10.00

For more information call Betty Hebert at 447- 2124.

**Save the Date!****"Preserving for the Future"****2008 Louisiana Preservation Conference**

Come join Preservation Professionals, Architects, Main Street Managers, Historic District Commissioners and others that are interested in

preserving the historic places and cultural heritage of Louisiana. The conference will be held on April 23-25 in Thibodaux at Envie Restaurant. To register for this conference call 225-344-6001 or visit the website at [www.lthp.org](http://www.lthp.org).

### ***Red on Fridays!!!!***

Join the City of Thibodaux by wearing **Red** on Fridays until our **Troops Come Home!!!**



***Visit the City of Thibodaux Photo Gallery for picture from events***

[Click for the photo gallery](#)



#### **Cajun Country Music**

Sit down with local musicians and tap your toes to some live Cajun music. Bring your instrument and join in or just sit back and enjoy the tunes at the Wetlands Acadian Cultural Center on Monday evenings starting at 5:30pm, 314 St. Mary Street, Thibodaux.

**Boat Tours of Bayou Lafourche** Cruise into Louisiana's past on a boat tour of Bayou Lafourche with a National Park Service ranger. Locally known as "the longest street in the world" in honor of the towns and homes along its

banks, Bayou Lafourche once served as a major thoroughfare in watery south Louisiana. Call 985-448-1375 for reservations and information. Group tours are also available by arrangement. Cruises leave from the Wetlands Acadian Cultural Center dock at 314 St. Mary Street in Thibodaux



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