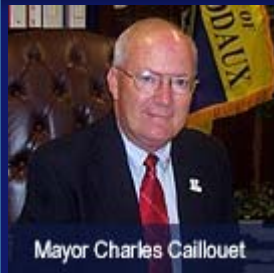


April 1, 2010



Mayor Charles Caillouet

# City of Thibodaux

Dear Luci,

## City Offices Will Be Closed Friday, April 2, 2010 in Observance of the Holiday

Personally and on behalf of the Thibodaux City Council and all City of Thibodaux Employees, Have a Happy Easter!

~ Mayor Charles Caillouet



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### \*\*SPECIAL ALERT\*\*

**West 2nd from Canal Blvd. to St. Philip is NOW a One-Way.**

**Traffic shall move WEST from Canal Boulevard to St. Philip Street**



### Quick Links

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### Project Spotlight



## Featured Project

**Now Available!**

**Online Utility Bill Payment!**

Join Our Mailing List!

"Recent upgrades to the city's Wide Area Network (WAN) and other technological advances is enabling the city to become more efficient. The convenience of E-Commerce services such as the online utility bill payment option will make our lives much easier."

~Mayor Charles Caillouet

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### Mayors Youth Advisory Group



### The 2009-2010 Mayor's Youth Advisory Group Had Final Meeting on Thursday, March 25, 2010.

Seniors Sean Zeringue (*pictured above, left*) and Hannah-Marie Avantis (*pictured above right*) were presented with plaques to commemorate their participation.

The 2010-2011 group, selected by school administrators and consisting of four students from E.D. White and four students from Thibodaux High will begin meeting again in early Fall.

### Employee of the Month



### Congratulations Detective Ricky Ross!

[Detective Ross](#) is the city's Employee of the Month for **March**.

April's Employee of the Month will be named on April 14th.

### Has a City Employee Gone Above and Beyond To Assist You? If So, You Can Nominate Him or Her to Be Our Next Employee of the Month.

To nominate someone, contact Delilah Duplantis at [dduplantis@ci.thibodaux.la.us](mailto:dduplantis@ci.thibodaux.la.us) or call 985-446-7206

### Cleanest City Contest

### Judging Thibodaux



The Thibodaux Garden Club and Mayor Caillouet (*pictured right*) await the Cleanest City Contest Judges.

Thibodaux was judged on Tuesday, March 27.  
Results are pending.

### Report Street Light Outages



Mayor Caillouet and Entergy request assistance in identifying streetlight outages in the city. If you would like to report a streetlight outage, contact Entergy Corporation at 1-800-ENTERGY (1-800-368-3749).

### Senior Mayor

The City of Thibodaux has a program called "**Senior Mayor for a Day**" where we invite a Thibodaux senior citizen to serve as Senior Mayor for the Day. The program encourages positive communication between the city's senior residents and the city's leadership team.



Pictured with Mayor Caillouet; [Dru and John Bailey](#). The Baileys were the city's first couple to serve as Senior Mayors on March 2nd.

Mr. Earl (E.J.) Rhodes is scheduled to serve as our next Senior Mayor on April 6, 2010.

If you would like to nominate our next Senior Mayor, contact Luci Sposito at [lsposito@ci.thibodaux.la.us](mailto:lsposito@ci.thibodaux.la.us) or 985-448-5852. Nominee must be 65 years or older and live in the city limits.

### Do You Tweet?

## Mayor Caillouet is on Twitter!

If you would like to follow the Mayor, search for Mayor Caillouet on Twitter!

### "Team Thibodaux"



## This week's "Team Thibodaux"

Employee Spotlight

**Larry Hebert**

**Position:**

Building and Vehicle Maintenance Supervisor

**Department:** Public Works

**Years employed with the city:** 9 years

**What do you enjoy most about working for the city?** I have enjoyed coming to work everyday for the past nine years. I enjoy the challenge of repairing equipment that has broken. I try to get everything up and running as quickly as possible.

**What changes (if any) have you seen occur in the city over the months/years?** There have been so many positive changes such as VCH/SP road, the 4-lane in front of Wal-Mart, improvements at the airport, the progress at Andolsek Park, and the improvements at the Adley Landry Water Reservoir.

I have lived in Thibodaux for most of my life and I am impressed with the progress made in the city in recent years.

## Recreation Department

### City of Thibodaux Seeks Summer Employees

View [Press Release](#)



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### [Register](#) for TREC Summer Camp Now!

For more information on Thibodaux Recreation programs, call 985-446-7235 or [recreation@ci.thibodaux.la.us](mailto:recreation@ci.thibodaux.la.us)



(Pictured left: Ron Alcorn,  
Thibodaux Recreation Director)

## TREC UP (Thibodaux Recreation Unified Program)



## The 2nd Annual TREC UP Easter Egg Hunt and Party was Held This Morning (April 1) in Peltier Park

The event was enjoyed by over 80 participants!



### Parks Department



### Have you noticed the beautification teams working in the city?

The Parks Department did a wonderful job preparing the city for the Cleanest City Contest, which took place on Tuesday, March 27th. We anxiously await the results!

*(Pictured above: Kelly Shipp, Thibodaux Parks Director)*

## Habitat for Humanity's 1st Annual "Home Run" & Jambalaya Cook-Off

**Where:** Peltier Park  
**When:** Saturday, April 17th  
**Time:** 2:00 pm

View [Brochure](#)

### Warren J. Harang, Jr. Municipal Auditorium



### Walking Hours

Monday - Friday  
 6:00 am - 6:00 pm

View All Upcoming [Events](#)

### Community Events

**Featured Event:** American Cancer society's [Relay for Life](#)

## The Following Are Just a Few Upcoming Events

**April 1:** April Fool's Day  
**April 2:** City Holiday: City Offices Closed  
**April 4:** Easter  
**April 6:** City Council Meeting  
**April 9:** American Cancer Society's [Relay for Life](#)  
**April 14:** Planning & Zoning Meeting  
**April 17:** Beauty [Pageant](#)

View Details on All [Upcoming Events](#)



### Thibodaux Trivia - This Week's Question

**Question:** Many of you know "Where Yesterday Welcomes Tomorrow" is Thibodaux's "slogan." Can you name the originator of this, now famous, line?

Trivia Winner's Name Will Appear in the Next Newsletter and  
 On the Warren J. Harang, Jr. Municipal Auditorium  
 Marquee

Send response to Luci Sposito at [lsposito@ci.thibodaux.la.us](mailto:lsposito@ci.thibodaux.la.us)

### Thibodaux Trivia - Last Week's Question & Answer

**Question:** What Hurricane Passed Through Thibodaux  
 (and all of Southeast Louisiana) in 1965?

**Answer:** According to the 2009 Storm Survival Guide, "**Hurricane Betsy** came ashore at Grand Isle as a Category 3 Storm, packing winds in excess of 100 mph with gusts up to 160 mph. The accompanying 10 foot storm surge caused New Orleans to suffer its worst flooding in decades. Damages throughout Southeast Louisiana totaled \$1.4 billion and 81 lives were lost."

**Congratulations (again) to Tommy Toups who was the first of Many,  
 MANY people to answer correctly!**

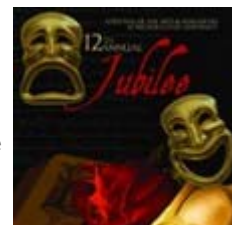
Thanks to ALL Participants and Special Thanks To Those That Shared  
 Their "Betsy Memories."

**FYI: This is Tommy's second week (in a row) to win the  
 Thibodaux Trivia Contest!**

### Nicholls State University

## 12th Annual Jubilee: A Festival of the Arts and Humanities

The Jubilee is held every spring to raise the level of awareness in the arts and humanities for the Nicholls community and the southeast



region of Louisiana.

For More [Information](#)

### Thibodaux Chamber of Commerce

#### Quick Books for Beginners

**April 14, 2010: A workshop presented by the Thibodaux Chamber of Commerce and the Louisiana Small Business Development Center**

For more information, visit [www.thibodauxchamber.com](http://www.thibodauxchamber.com) or call 985-446-1187

### Lafourche Mayors' Committee on Disability Issues



#### Lafourche Mayors' Committee on Disability Issues (LMCDI) Hosts Trivia Night!

Saturday, June 26, 2010  
Warren J. Harang Jr. Municipal Auditorium

View More [Information](#)

### Quote of the Week

Weeds are flowers too, once you get to know them.

~~ A. A. Milne

### Lafourche Animal Shelter



#### Ready to adopt a pet?

Maybe the Lafourche Parish Animal Shelter has the pet for you!

934 Hwy 3185

985-446-3532

Shelter Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Saturday, appointments before 12:00

#### Adoption Fees

Male Cat \$15.00

Female Cat \$25.00

Male Dog \$30.00

Female Dog \$35.00



Lafourche Parish Animal Shelter is looking for volunteers, ages 15 or older. Please come by the shelter to fill out an application and discuss different job duties.

**Thibodaux Main Street****Easter Egg Hunt****March 29 - April 4**

If you spend \$50 or more at participating retailers, you get the chance to hunt for a downtown Easter egg containing gift cards and coupons.

**Main Street Farmers Market Scheduled to Open  
on  
Saturday, April 17, 2010**

For more information, contact Joyce Benoit at 985-448-1474

If you have any questions about this newsletter or the City of Thibodaux, feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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