



City of Thibodaux

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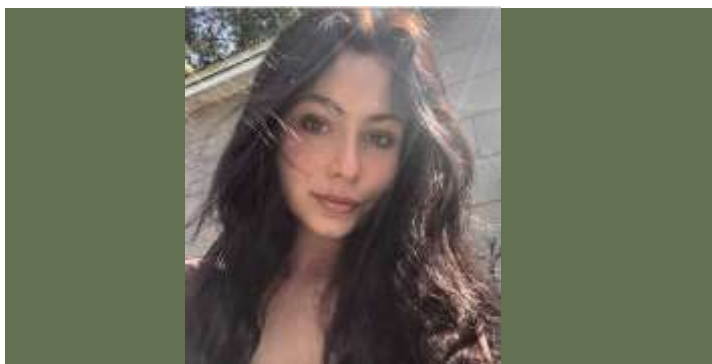
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SEPTEMBER CALENDAR ART

Millie Moody

Age 16

Daughter of Robin Moody

Message from the Mayor

“In January we were longing for warm weather and now we are longing for an end to the dog days of Summer.

Well, we have wrapped up our summer recreation programs and school has taken in. I am pleased to say that our programs were a big success and that Mother Nature cooperated with us for the most part.”

To read more, click [HERE](#).



City Council Chambers Handicap Access

In order to assist with handicap access to all public meetings held in City Council Chambers, the City has established a phone line in the meeting room. If assistance is needed for entry to the building for a public meeting, please call (985) 324-6600, and someone will be available to help you.



City of Thibodaux - Emergency Preparedness

For more information on weather alerts, resources, documents, or COVID-19 updates, please visit the Emergency Preparedness page on the City of Thibodaux’s website [HERE](#). For a copy of the City of Thibodaux’s “Hurricane Preparation Worksheet,” please click [HERE](#). This worksheet is a great reference for residents, businesses, and organizations to use when tracking a storm.

For any questions, please contact Jacques Thibodeaux at JacquesT@ci.thibodaux.la.us.

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EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



Brenda Pearson

Finance Department

Senior Accounting Specialist

Born a military “brat” in Nurnberg, Germany, Brenda moved to Louisiana from Virginia in 1993 and has worked for the City of Thibodaux for 19 years.

When she is not at work, Brenda enjoys spending time with her family.

On a typical day, Brenda is tasked with processing and paying the City’s bills, assists with the annual budget (which is currently being worked on), and insurance renewals. She also assists in the other offices in the Finance Department when needed.

When asked to comment what is most rewarding about her job while working for the City of Thibodaux and what makes it worthwhile, Brenda said, “One of the most rewarding things about my job is my “second” family—the awesome co-workers and boss that I have.”

Brenda’s proudest moments working for the City of Thibodaux would be her career with the City. She started out as the Courier in 2002, earned her Associates Degree in Accountanting, promoted to Purchasing in 2008, and promoted to Senior Accounting Specialist in 2020.

Brenda noted her biggest achievement to date, which is a personal one, is being able to raise my daughter to become an independent, strong woman.

Parks and Recreation



CHRISTMAS in the PARK 2021 preparations are in the works for another magical holiday experience! Applications to reserve a TREC tree for decorating or a site to display a scene for the 2nd Annual Christmas in the Park are NOW being accepted.

For more information and to fill out an application, please click [HERE](#).

City of Thibodaux Seeking Landlords for Section 8 Program

The City of Thibodaux is seeking out Landlords in the City of Thibodaux that would have available rental units and be interested in becoming a Landlord on the Section 8 Program.

For more information contact Janice Landry at CDBG@ci.thibodaux.la.us or call 985-446-7217.

Catholic Charities Assistance to Thibodaux Residents during COVID-19

Any City of Thibodaux residents who are having trouble paying utilities, rent and/or mortgage due to COVID-19 can fill out an online application with Catholic Charities for assistance.

Please visit <https://www.htdiocese.org/individual-and-family-assistance> to submit an application or call 985-876-0490 if no online access is available.

Free Bus Vouchers

The City of Thibodaux's Department of Housing and Community Development announces that it is currently issuing Free Bus Vouchers to Low-Moderate Income Residents. All interested individuals must provide picture ID, proof of residency, and proof of income of all household members. Eligible residents can receive 3 free, all day bus passes each week. This program is being funded by the 2020 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG). For more information, please call 985-446-7217 or visit the office at 112 St. Mary Street in Thibodaux.

SAVE the DATE

Grandparents Day

Sunday, September 12, 2021

First Day of Autumn

Wednesday, September 22, 2021



BY ALL THESE
lovely tokens
SEPTEMBER
days are here,
WITH SUMMER'S BEST
of weather
AND AUTUMN'S
best of cheer.



helen hunt jackson

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City of Thibodaux Utility Payment Options

City of Thibodaux utility customers can set up their accounts for direct payments. Please view the [DIRECT PAYMENT GUIDE](#) for more information. Then print the [DIRECT PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION FORM](#), fill out, and return either by mail (310 West 2nd Street P.O. Box 5418 Thibodaux LA, 70302) or drop box location (City Hall or Thibodaux Police Department). Also, utility customers can make payments online by visiting <https://www.municipalonlinepayments.com/thibodauxla> and setting up their account.

Street Light Outages

Click [HERE](#) to report a street light outage, or contact Entergy at 1-800-368-3749.

Natural Gas or Water Leak

If you suspect a natural gas or water leak **AFTER** normal working hours (7:00 AM - 4:00 PM), please call 985-446-5021 and the City of Thibodaux Gas and Water Division will be dispatched and respond immediately to investigate the emergency. Click [HERE](#) for more information.

For questions or comments regarding this newsletter or for the City of Thibodaux, contact:

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