

City of Thibodaux



2022



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# OCTOBER CALENDAR ART

Karsen Ockmond 7<sup>th</sup> Grade MAX Charter

## Message from the Mayor

"Well, it's back to school time again. Most believe that this is a very stressful time for our kids who wanted the summer vacation to last forever, but for many parents, this is also a very challenging and stressful time of the year.

It is also the time of the year when traffic around schools, both pedestrian and vehicular, will increase during take-in and dismissal times.

To read more, click HERE.



#### ATTENTION CITY OF THIBODAUX AND LAFOURCHE PARISH EMPLOYEES:

ETHIC'S TRAINING IS SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2022, AT 2:00 PM AND HELD AT THE WARREN J. HARANG MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM. FOR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT KELLY CHIGHIZOLA AT 985-446-7278 OR <u>kchighizola@ci thibodaux la.us</u>.

#### **Hometown Hero Banners**



Be on the lookout early next month for our 2022 Hometown Hero Banners going up on Canal Boulevard for a second display period to honor our servicemen and women for Veterans Day.

Many thanks go out to everyone that has participated thus far. We truly appreciate all the positive feedback received on the program and the beautiful banners.

As a reminder, applications are currently being accepted for our 2023 program. For the application – guidelines packet and to view all the Hometown Heroes click here: <u>HOMETOWN HEROES</u> <u>BANNER PROGRAM</u> - The City of Thibodaux, Louisiana

For any questions call Donna Thibodaux with Parks & Recreation at (985) 493-8757.

# CITY OF THIBODAUX EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

MONIQUE REULET PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT SECRETARY



Monique has worked for the City of Thibodaux's Public Works Department for 6 months and previously worked with the TREC Summer Camp during college. As a secretary for the City of Thibodaux's Public Works Department, she typically works on following tasks: inputting work orders, processes permit applications, and schedules inspections for many projects going on around the City. Currently, Monique is working on familiarizing herself with the zoning ordinances for the City of Thibodaux.

#### **EDUCATION**

- GRADUATE OF E.D. WHITE CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL AND NICHOLLS STATE UNIVERSITY
- EARNED A MASTER'S DEGREE IN EARLY YEARS EDUCATION IN LONDON FUN FACTS:
  - BORN AND RAISED IN THIBODAUX
  - YOUNGEST OF 3 CHILDREN AND AUNT TO TWO NEPHEWS

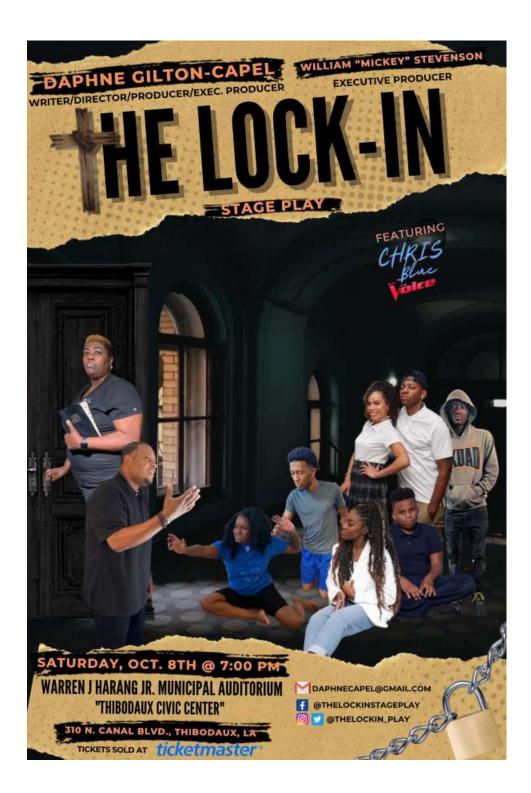
INTERESTS:

- SPENDING TIME WITH HER NEPHEWS
- TRAVELING
- READING

"The most rewarding thing about working for the City of Thibodaux is helping the residents, contractors, and my co-workers. The first time I was able to help a resident with a project they were working on at their property was very rewarding, because I was able to help them solve their problems and make them feel better during a stressful time.

--- Monique

# WARREN J. HARANG MUNICIPAL AUDITORIUM: UPCOMING EVENTS







# **VACCINATION CLINIC**

An annual flu vaccine is your best protection. And it's free. What are you waiting for?

WHEN: Thursday, Oct. 27, 2022 1:30 - 6:30 pm WHERE: Warren J. Harang Jr. Municipal Auditorium 310 N. Canal Blvd., Thibodaux, LA 70301

No out of pocket cost – regardless of insurance Vaccines available include:

- Flu
- COVID-19 primary series and bivalent boosters
- Monkeypox

No appointment needed

Fight the flu

Bring your private insurance, Medicaid or Medicare card

Wear short or loosefitting sleeves



Oct 9, 2022 5:00PM- Til

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# City of Thibodaux Parks and Recreation Youth Teams: Ages (9-12) & (13-17)

Registration available for teams: Doubles/CO-ED First 8 teams per each age group Double Elimination Fee \$20 per team

To register, please contact the Recreation Department at 985-446-7235 or acourteaux@ci.thibodaux.la.us



# 2:00pm - 4:00 pm

Drive thru Event Only

151 Peltier Park Drive Thibodaux La 70301

Front Parking Lot next to the park entrance.

All treat bags and buckets will be pre-packaged. Please call to reserve your treats!

To reserve your child's treat bucket or if you are interested in volunteering, please contact the Recreation Office at (985)446-7235 acourteaux@ci.thibodaux.la.us

# Two Weekend Event!!

#### CITY OF THIBODAUX PARKS & RECREATION PRESENTS:

# Haunts and Horror in Da Park

DARE TO ENTER THE PARK AFTER DARK \$5 ADVANCE TICKETS \$7 ADMISSION AT THE DOOR

PELTIER PARK RECREATION CENTER DOORS OPEN 6:30PM - 10:30PM 151 PELTIER PARK DRIVE THIBODAUX LA 70301 PH: 985-446-7235



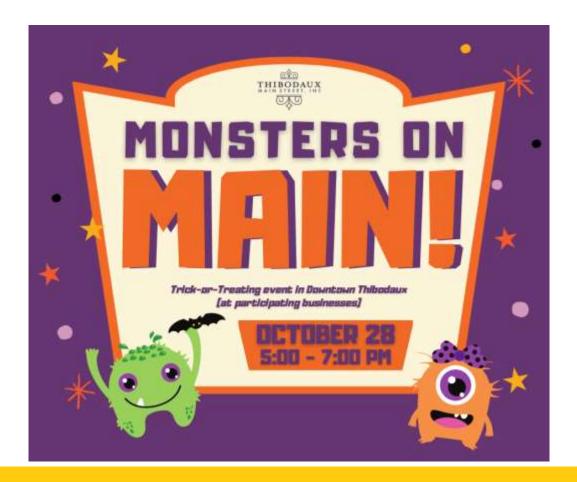
#### KAYAK & PADDLE BOARD RENTALS NOW AVAILABLE

#### BAYOU LAFOURCHE NOW HAS KAYAKS AND STAND UP PADDLE PADDLE BOARDS (SUPS) AT THE NICHOLLS BAYOU-SIDE PARK AVAILABLE TO RENT. SINGLE KAYAKS, PADDLE BOARDS, AND A TANDEM KAYAK ARE AVAILABLE FOR 2-HOUR, 4-HOUR, OR FULL-DAY INCREMENTS.

STEP 1 - VISIT GEAUX PADDLE TO RESERVE AND PAY FOR YOUR BOAT OF CHOICE (*RENTAL INCLUDES BOAT. PADDLE, & LIFE JACKET*).

STEP 2 - YOU WILL RECEIVE A CODE TO UNLOCK YOUR SELECTED BOAT ON THE RACK. STEP 3 - ENJOY YOUR PADDLE & RETURN YOUR BOAT TO THE RACK.





# SAVE the DATE

# **City Council Meeting**

Tuesday, October 4, 2022 at 5:00 PM

# Planning and Zoning Meeting

Wednesday, October 5, 2022 at 5:00 PM

## **Columbus** Day

Monday, October 10, 2022

## **Historic District Commission Meeting**

Thursday, October 13, 2022 at 4:00 PM

## National Boss's Day

Monday, October 17, 2022

## **City Council Meeting**

Tuesday, October 18, 2022 at 5:00 PM

### **Board of Adjustments Meeting**

Wednesday, October 26, 2022 at 5:30 PM

## Haunted House at Peltier Park

Friday, October 21, 2022 and Saturday, October 22, 2022

Friday, October 28, 2022 and Saturday, October 29, 2022

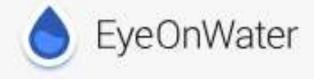
## Halloween

Monday, October 31, 2022



# "Every leaf speaks bliss to me, fluttering from the autumn tree."

Emily Bronte



Do you want the ability to track your water usage for your home? Do you want to be notified of a possible water leak at your residence?

City of Thibodaux residents have the ability to do these things by registering and creating an "Eye On Water" account!

To Create an Account online, click <u>HERE</u>.

To Sign Up using an App on your mobile device, click <u>HERE</u>.

#### **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 - Electronic Utility Bills

The City of Thibodaux now offers its citizens the option to electronically receive their utility bill. All that is needed is for the customer to submit their e-mail address to the Utility Collection or Utility Billing office. You will receive a PDF from incode top@ci.thibodaux.la.us of your utility bill every month. No more waiting for the post office. If you would like to sign up, please contact the Utility Collection office at (985) 446-7204 or the Utility Billing office at (985) 446-7230.

#### City of Thibodaux Utility Payment Options

City of Thibodaux utility customers can set up their accounts for direct payments. Please view the <u>DIRECT PAYMENT GUIDE</u> for more information. Then print the <u>DIRECT PAYMENT</u> <u>AUTHORIZATION FORM</u>, 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 <u>HERE</u> 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 <u>HERE</u> for more information.

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

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