



City of Thibodaux

NEWSLETTER



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NOVEMBER CALENDAR ART

Emmie Albares

6th Grade

Bayou Community Academy



Message from the Mayor

“As the qualifying period ended for the upcoming November 8th primary elections in our area and statewide, ballots were set for elections which will determine who will represent us here locally and in Washington D.C.

The individuals elected will have a crucial role in determining policy and laws which will shape our city, parish, state and country during the next few years.”

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



Hometown Hero Banners



The 2022 Hometown Hero Banners are being displayed early November for the second time this year for Veterans Day. As a reminder, the deadline for accepting new applications is March 10, 2023, or until all spots are taken for the 2023 program. For questions call Donna Thibodaux with Parks & Recreation at (985) 493-8757. For the application – guidelines packet and to view all of our Hometown Heroes click the link for details.

[HOMETOWN HEROES BANNER PROGRAM - The City of Thibodaux, Louisiana](#)

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

CITY OF THIBODAUX EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

LORI CORTEZ
•
POLICE DEPARTMENT
•
ADMINISTRATIVE
ASSISTANT



Lori has worked for the City of Thibodaux's Police Department for 31 years. As an administrative assistant for the Thibodaux Police Department, she typically works on following tasks: daily time keeping, off-duty detail, which consists of creating new jobs for vendors and job postings of officers interested in working a detail, and corrects Louisiana Incident Based Reporting (LIBRS) errors in the LEDS system as well as submits monthly reports of crimes states that occur in the City.

FUN FACTS:

- BORN AND RAISED IN KRAEMER
- MARRIED FOR 32 YEARS
- HAS TWO CHILDREN
- MEMBER OF THE BAYOU BOEUF FIRE DEPARTMENT

INTERESTS:

- CROSS-STITCHING
- SPENDING TIME WITH FAMILY
- PARTICIPATING IN THE HAUNTS & HORRORS IN DA PARK

BIGGEST ACHIEVEMENT TO DATE:

- BEATING BREAST CANCER

“What makes my job rewarding is being able to work closely with my amazing co-workers as well as provide information for the Thibodaux Police Department to apply for and receive grants. Receiving my LIBRS certification was one of my proudest moments while working for the Thibodaux Police Department.

--- Lori

Parks and Recreation

Christmas in the Park

We have many volunteers sharing their time and talents with the community for Christmas in the Park, therefore we're excited to release our activity calendar!

Applications are still being accepted to reserve TREC trees, sites for scene decorating and sponsorship. We have limited availability, so don't hesitate!

Call April Courteaux @ (985) 446-7235 or Donna Thibodaux (985) 493-8757 at Parks & Recreation for questions or click the link for more details.

[Christmas In The Park! - Parks and Recreation - The City of Thibodaux, Louisiana.](#)

DECEMBER 2022 **Parks & Recreation's Christmas in the Park**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
 Dec 1st Decorating must be completed by 11/30/22	Nightly in December 6pm - 9pm	Nov. 29th Decorations & Light Test @ 5:45pm	Nov. 30th	1 TOPS of La. Caroling	2 TOPS of La. Characters around the Tree 6pm Train Rides 6pm - 8:45pm \$3 per person	3 TOPS of La. Story Time 6pm Train Rides 6pm - 8:45pm \$3 per person
4 Thib. Chamber Parade starts @ 2:30pm & ends at Park w/Santa Refreshments by Thib. Family Church	5 TOPS of La. Caroling 6pm	6 TOPS of La. Candy Canes Handout 6pm	7 TOPS of La. True Story of Christmas 6pm	8 TOPS of La. The Clausen - Photo Opt. 6pm	9 TOPS of La. Caroling 6pm	10 Bayou Comm. Academy's Drama Club Skits 6pm
11 Bayou Comm. Band Concert 3pm	12 TOPS of La. Toy Drive Giveaway 6pm	13 TOPS of La. Cajun Christmas Skit to Tops 6pm	14 TOPS of La. Promotional Gifts Giveaway 6pm 1st Baptist Church Goodies Giveaway 6pm	15 TOPS of La. Caroling	16 Broadway on the Bayou Skits 6pm Train Rides 6pm - 8:45pm \$3 per person	17 Train Rides 6pm - 8:45pm \$3 per person
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31



*Activity Schedule Subject to Change - Weather Permitting *

Giveaways are First Come Basis as Supplies Last. Calendar Updated as of 10/21/22



2023 Paddle Bayou Lafourche & St. Patrick's Day on the Bayou

Calling all estuary and bayou-lovin' people - BTNEP's Paddle Bayou Lafourche and Friends of Bayou Lafourche's St. Patrick's Day on the Bayou is returning for another jam packed day of paddling the bayou, great cuisine and drinks, cardboard boat races, live music, kids activities, and most importantly, a day to take in the one-of-a-kind beauty of Bayou Lafourche.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, March 18th, 2023 and stay tuned for more details to come.

To be the first to know about registration and other updates, please sign up for our mailing list at: <http://eepurl.com/glwwRz>

Live music!
Nonc Nu & Da Wild Motous

Big Boy's

MAIN STREET COOK-OFF

Friday
NOV. 11, 2022

Downtown Thibodaux

4:00-11:00 PM
\$10.00 admission

Presented by

THIBODAUX
MAIN STREET, INC.

CHABERT INSURANCE
AGENCY, LLC

SAVE *the* **DATE**

All Saints' Day

Tuesday, November 1, 2022

City Council Meeting

Tuesday, November 1, 2022 at 5:00 PM

Planning and Zoning Meeting

Wednesday, November 2, 2022 at 5:00 PM

Daylight Savings Time Ends

Sunday, November 6, 2022

Civil Service Meeting

Tuesday, November 8, 2022 at 4:30 PM

Veterans Day

Friday, November 11, 2022

City Offices Closed

Big Boy's Main Street Cook-Off

Friday, November 11, 2022

Thibodeauxville Fall Festival

Saturday, November 12, 2022

City Council Meeting

Tuesday, November 15, 2022 at 5:00 PM

Board of Adjustments Meeting

Wednesday, November 16, 2022 at 5:30 PM

Thanksgiving Holiday

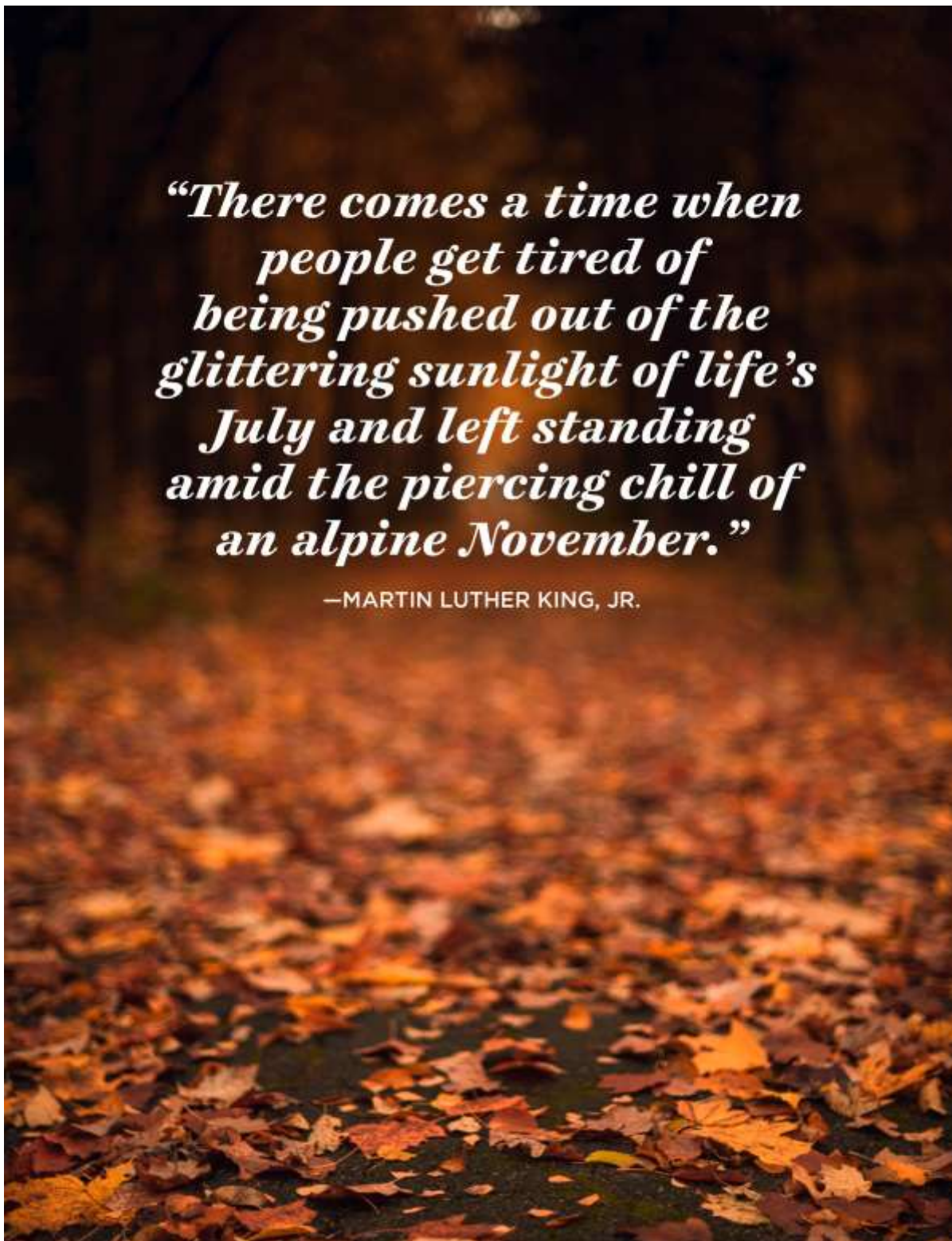
Thursday, November 24, 2022, and Friday, November 25, 2022

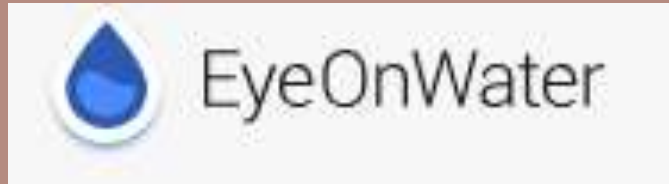
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QUOTE ME

*“There comes a time when
people get tired of
being pushed out of the
glittering sunlight of life’s
July and left standing
amid the piercing chill of
an alpine November.”*

—MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.





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 [HERE](#).

To Sign Up using an App on your mobile device, 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 - 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 **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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