

Happy Birthday

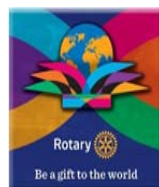
AUGUST

Brigid Himel	1-Aug	Steve Richard	25-Aug
Sylvia Hebert	1-Aug	Craig Webre	26-Aug
Stephen Ledet	4-Aug	Terri Naquin	29-Aug
Aaron Tregre	4-Aug	Matthew Block	30-Aug
Ken Chadwick	11-Aug	Kristine Russell	30-Aug
Tommy Marsh	15-Aug	Kelly Guin	30-Aug
Lisa Hebert	15-Aug	Laynie Barrilleaux	31-Aug
John Dupont	15-Aug	Darlene Rodrigue	31-Aug
Cindy Hochstetler	15-Aug	Skye LaJaunie	31-Aug
E.A. Angelloz	16-Aug		
Mark DeLaune	16-Aug		
Mary Anne Bouterie	19-Aug		
Shane Guin	20-Aug		
Donna Waguespack	20-Aug		
Mollie Jones	21-Aug		
Jared LaJaunie	24-Aug		



If your Birthday is celebrated in August, please join your fellow Birthday Rotarians at the Birthday Table!

Notes:



LE POISSON ROUGE ROTARY CLUB OF THIBODAU

Club 2635, Chartered 1936
Meeting Tuesdays at Noon
Envie Restaurant

www.thibodauxrotary.org



Pres - Bobby Marcello

THE FOUR WAY TEST

- 1.) Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2.) Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3.) **Will** it build **GOOD WILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4.) **Will** it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Legislative Update



*Jerome Dee Richard
John Kennedy*

The guest speaker for the August 11 Rotary Meeting was Representative Jerome “Dee” Richard. Representative Richard is a native and resident of Thibodaux. He has represented District 55 which encompasses Lafourche Parish since 2008.

Rep. Richard provided a “2015 Regular Session of the Louisiana Legislature” update. Discussions included the FY 2015-2016 Budgetary Shortfall. The Budget began with a \$1.6B Budgetary Shortfall. In years past, the state has relied on non-recurring revenues which didn’t materialize this year, resulting in a \$1B shortfall. There was also a \$300M revenue decline in the amount of money the state takes in

due to a reduction in oil and gas prices. Rising Cost and expenses resulted in a \$300M increase in the “continuation budget” of the state. Absent raising revenue, higher education and healthcare would have been hit hardest.

Rep. Richard reviewed several revenue adjustments including the following:

- *HB 629 Reduces Certain Income and Corporate Franchise Tax Credits and Incentives by 28% (34.2M)
- *HB 624 Reduces Certain Corporate Exclusions and Deductions by 28% (\$121M)
- *HB 635 Reduces Certain Rebate Program Incentives by 20% and Limits Enterprise Zones (\$9.4M)
- *HCR 8 Suspends Utility Tax by

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Rotary 2015 “Be A Gift To The World”

1Cent (\$107M)
 *HB 805 Reduces Inventory Tax Refunds by 25% (\$130M)
 *HB 218 Eliminates NOL Carry-Backs (\$29M)
 *HB 549 Reduces Severance Tax Credits (\$0M)
 *HB 402 Rids Out of State Income Tax Credits (\$34M)
 *HB 779 Changes Solar Tax Credits (\$19M)
 *HB 833 and HB 445 Impose Additional Auto Title Fees
 *HB 555 Tries to Capture Online Sales Taxes
 *Revenue adjustments in Motion Pictures and cigarettes
 State Treasurer, John Kennedy, was also present and spoke about potential savings from cutting consulting contracts by 10%.



2 more AWESOME Rotarians are needed to write for the Bulletin. Contact Janice Tregre!

The Lafourche Arc Board of Directors, including Rotarians George Stack, Rick Bouterie, Jim Danos, and Jimmy Peltier were recognized at the August 11 meeting. They presented a fact sheet regarding Act 291. Since 2007 Lafourche Arc has experienced a 27% reduction in operating revenues. Upon voter approval, Act No 291 would create a Lafourche Arc Taxing District which would include all of Lafourche Parish with the exception of Ward 10. This concept is not unique as there are other neighboring districts currently formed and operating For more information contact Lester Adams, Executive Director at 985-447-6214.



FUNDRAISER!
 Don't forget to sign up when you sign in!

Area Clubs for Meeting Makeup's		
Town	Day/Time	Location
Houma	Wed/Noon	Quality Inn
Houma Sunrise	Tue/7:30 AM	Cannata's Cafe
Houma-Terre	Thur/Noon	Quality Inn
Patterson	Wed/6:30 PM.	Harbor Seafood Inn
Grand Isle	Wed/7:00 PM.	Community Center
Donaldsonville	Thur/Noon	Café Lafourche
Lockport	Thur/Noon	C'est Cajun Catering
Morgan City	Thur/Noon	Petroleum Club
Golden Meadow	Thur/7:00 PM	P.J.'s Fed Pond
EarlyAct Club	1st/3rd Tue/7:55 AM	St Charles Elem.
NSU Rotaract	2nd&4th Thurs 4:30 PM	LeBijou

Upcoming Speakers

August 25—Bobby Marcello
 President's Choice

Sept 1—Mike Hayes, District Governor
 Rotary District Governor's Visit

Sept 8—Tommy Harold
 Nicholls State Volleyball

Carroll Falcon - For guests speaker request send to cjfalcon67@gmail.com

THIBODAUX ROTARY CLUB MEMBERSHIP AUGUST 2015

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