

PEOPLE PROGRAM WINTER/SPRING NEWSLETTER



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Welcome to a new addition to the People Program staff, **Deanne Gourgues**, who will be assisting Lynn Crean in administrative duties on Tuesdays and Thursdays on the Lakeshore Campus. We are so happy to have her!

Spring Semester Schedule:

Mardi Gras Break: Mon., Feb 16 – Fri., Feb. 20

Spring Gala: UNO, Sunday, March 15, noon to 3 p.m.

Easter Break: Mon., March 30 – Fri., April 3

Westbank Showcase: Friday, May 8

Lakeshore Showcase: Friday, May 15

Lakeshore students and teachers can pick up name tags in the hall on the left of the foyer. This helps us to get to know each other.



Big plans are already underway for the largest fundraiser of the year. **“All Jazzed Up”, our champagne brunch, is scheduled for Sunday, March 15 from noon to 3 p.m. at the University of New Orleans Grand Ballroom. Bobby Cure and the Poppa Stoppa Band will once again be entertaining us as we sip mimosas from noon to one. Our buffet will be better than ever and space will be NO problem. Our goal is to have 300 tickets sold since this room is gigantic! (Tickets still \$55) Tickets go on sale Monday, Feb. 2. Door prizes will be chosen from all ticket stubs the day of the event.**

We need everyone’s help in **securing auction items**, and you can get copies of our donation letter on each campus. Just make sure that all lines are filled on the second page. If you frequent a restaurant, or have been loyal to any retail outlet or hotel, this is fertile ground for gift cards, etc.

The deadline for auction items, is Monday, March 9. No other donations can be accepted after this date.



Westbank Lecture/Booksigning Wednesday, March 4, 2015 1 p.m.

Ronald J. Drez – The War of 1812, Conflict and Deception: The British Attempt to Seize New Orleans and Nullify the Louisiana Purchase

Ronald Drez is a decorated combat veteran of the Vietnam War and a former Captain of the Marines. He is an award-winning, best-selling author and commander. He is President of Stephen Ambrose Historical Tours having served both as a friend and associate of the distinguished, late historian. Please join us for a stimulating lecture and discussion. This event

is open to all People Program participants and to the public.



Kudos to **Pat Ward** for planning and implementing the recent Caribbean cruise. All attendees raved about the fabulous time that was had.

Thanks to Sandra McKendall who generously donated a color photo of the People Program participants which is now on the Lakeshore Campus bulletin board for all to see.

People Program has acquired complimentary copies of "Give Us This Day", a practical approach to daily prayer, prayer for morning and evening and prayers and readings for daily mass. Produced by Liturgical Press, this booklet is available on both campuses.

A representative from **LakeLawn** Metairie will be on the Lakeshore Campus on **Wednesday, February 11 at 2 p.m.** in the Conference Room. A discussion regarding end of life decisions will be very informative. Refreshments will be served. Look for a sign-up sheet at the front desk.



Please pray for.....

- Elizabeth Poole
- Alexandra Bourgeois
- Chris Carroll
- Anna Rita Williamson
- Doris Phillips
- John Matthew
- Ed Howell
- Margie Boe
- Shelley McClanahan
- Richard Beverly
- Jackie Juge
- Grace Harrison
- Lory Rummel
- Tay D'Amour
- Gaytana Adde
- Janet Peterson
- Anna Craig
- Cythnia Brenes
- James Adams
- Donald Rowan
- Linda Walker
- Patricia Hutton



In Memoriam

Florence Goldring
(Mother of Ellen Goldring)



Smile Lines

They call it a family tree because if you look long enough you'll always find some sap in it.

It's so cold that cows are giving their milk by the scoop.

A politician woke up after surgery and asked the nurses, "Why are all the blinds drawn?" "There's just a big fire across the street. We didn't want you to wake up and think the operation had been a failure."

Education can get you what really matters in today's world: an assigned parking space.

I met the number one laxative salesman in the country the other day. But he's really just a regular guy.

A diner at an exorbitantly expensive restaurant asked the waiter, "What's the catch of the day?" "You are," the waiter replied.

Thanks to Ray Knutsen

2/4 Bobby Cure