

PEOPLE PROGRAM NEWSLETTER

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Volunteer Spotlight

People Program's blessings are indeed abundant! And acting instructor Lance Nichols is one of them. A native New Orleanian, Lance majored in drama at U.N.O., and then headed for sunny opportunities in Los Angeles where he spent 24 years polishing his television personalities on various sitcoms. His first TV appearance was on "The Dating Game" where he was "the chosen one" for a special time with a contestant. Lance started TV acting on "Gimme a Break" which led to appearances on 70 different televised shows. In 2002 Lance returned to New Orleans to pursue the opportunities of "Hollywood

South". His connection to People Program came from his wife, Zardis, who sang with the Ed Lewis Quintet at the Lakeshore Open House and Gala. She was impressed by the facility and suggested that Lance use it for workshops and that he teach an acting course in the fall. Lance believes that acting presents an opportunity to "play my childhood games as an adult and get paid handsomely for it." This week Lance will be returning to the set of the exceedingly popular New Orleans series "Treme" where he plays dentist, Dr. Larry Williams. Thank you, Lance, for shining such a bright light onto People Program's stage.

FALL FESTIVAL WEEK-END

Start off the week-end on Friday, November 5 with a 6 PM performance of "Shades of Praise" at Holy Spirit, followed by a fun filled cocktail party with baked brie and other unique appetizers. Shop the silent auction for

great bargains and get inspired by the art display of People Program members **Get your tickets (\$25) at any campus.**



FALL FESTIVAL WEEK-END

Continue the celebration on Saturday, November 6, at our "Bountiful Boutique" at the Lakeshore campus, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Free admission. In addition to raffles, 50-50, and a Parade of Prizes, you will be able to purchase handmade items for gift giving. (FYI: There will be no half price sale this year.) We're serving grilled burgers and dogs, and the Sweet Shop will offer donated baked goods. **All volunteer "bakers" are asked to bring their goodies to the main campus on Thursday or Friday. Signed volunteers should make sure that they know their "assignment" for Saturday.**



**PEOPLE PROGRAM
PIN/PENDANT OR
MAGNET AVAILABLE**

Lizano's Glass Haus has created a striking three dimensional replica of our logo in glass. Available as a pin/pendant or magnet, it is a lovely and unique adornment. See your campus director for purchase. (\$20)



CAMPUS NEWS:

Lakeshore: A representative from Humana will be speaking about the upcoming changes to medicare and their impact on Wednesday, Nov 10 at 12:15 p.m. in the computer lab. Don't miss this important information session.

Metairie: *The Humana representative will be present for the Gumbo Pot class at 11 a.m. and will be speaking on the changes to medicare. All choices concerning medicare must be made by December 31.*

West Bank: Be sure to get your tickets for the Art Affair on 11/5 and volunteer to help with the many tasks which need to be accomplished.



PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Barbara May
Elizabeth Poole
Barbara Carter
Jane Deas
Cecilia Nadeau
Beverly Manschot
Martha Craft
Johnny Helmstetter
Delores Leyva

Mah Jong News

Diane Schleifstein will be taking orders for 2011 mah jong cards\$7 for regular size, \$8 for large size. Group orders enable People Program to earn a rebate on each card. This year the rebate was enough to purchase a new mah jong set. Make checks payable to DianeJan. 24 deadline.



**Screen Printing Demo at
David's Art Center....**

Tuesday, Nov. 16, 6 to 8 p.m.
Bring a T-shirt and learn different techniques.
Registration Fee: \$15



LAUGH WITH US!!

Catholic Shampoo

While shopping in a food store, two nuns happened to pass by the beer cooler. One nun said to the other, "Wouldn't a nice cool beer or two taste wonderful on a hot summer evening?"

The second nun answered, "Indeed it would, Sister, but I wouldn't feel comfortable buying beer as I am certain that it would cause a scene at the check-out counter." "I can handle that without a problem," she replied as she picked up a six-pack and headed for the check-out. The cashier had a surprised look on his face when the two nuns arrived with a six-pack of beer. "We use this beer for washing our hair," the nun said. "A shampoo of sorts, if you will."

Without blinking an eye, the cashier reached under the counter and pulled out a package of pretzel sticks and placed them in the bag with the beer. He then looked the nun straight in the eye, smiled and said, "The curlers are on the house."

(Thanks, Jane Dassey)