

## PEOPLE PROGRAM SUMMER NEWSLETTER



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#### UNITY FOR THE HOMELESS RAFFLE

We have chosen UNITY FOR THE HOMELESS as the recipient of our charitable giving for the summer session, and we have just 5 weeks to raffle a wonderful child's Adirondack chair to raise money for it. (Undecorated now, the chair will be decorated by artist-member Lynn Dave. See Tallulah's chair as an example.) Unity for the Homeless is a local organization, and the money we raise through our raffle will purchase "start up kits" for persons moving into a household. These kits can include basic goods—forks, spoons, dishes for one, a coffee maker, mop, broom, dust pan, bucket, waste basket, etc. Think about the power of "the kindness of strangers" and the effect it has had in your life, and take a chance on this great gift for a child.

Just \$2.00 per chance or 3 chances for \$5.00. Our drive for Lantern Light in the spring netted over 1,600 items. Let's continue to show our gratitude for our blessings by being generous with others.



**AYO SCOTT—NEW SHOW AT THE MCKENNA MUSEUM, 2003 CARONDELET ST., FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 6-9 PM. FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC. (AYO IS THE SON OF PEOPLE PROGRAM MEMBER ANNA RITA AND THE LATE JOHN T. SCOTT.)**



**THANKS!!**

**REACHEL MAYEUR &**

**SUSAN MCCLAIN**—for adding special visual appeal to the main campus  
**DELORES HEGLAR**—for registration and scheduling assistance  
**BRITTNEY HUNER**—volunteering to serve as receptionist this summer



#### HEALTH REPRINTS

In addition to picking up the weekly newsletter this summer, please pick up one of our health reprints. This week's is entitled "Top Senior & Boomer Blogs & Websites" offered from [www.seniorsforliving.com](http://www.seniorsforliving.com). Topics include travel, caregiving, health & wellness, elder law, and technology. We still have some copies from last week, too. That article is entitled "Aerobic Exercise May Improve Memory in Seniors."



**T AND POLO SHIRTS ARE HERE!**

Those who ordered shirts at sale prices can pick them up at the front desk today. If you are interested in placing an order for fall, let us know.



**PRICE REDUCED FOR THE CARIBBEAN CRUISE WITH PEOPLE PROGRAM**

Calling all cruiser lovers! Come with us to Cozumel, Grand Cayman, and Jamaica January 7-14, 2012. We sail on the beautiful VOYAGER OF THE SEAS (Royal Caribbean) and—you won't believe this—the *price has gone down!!!* When has that ever happened?? Interior \$795; Ocean View \$950; Balcony \$1115. (Price is per person based on double occupancy and includes all taxes, gratuities, and trip insurance.) All arrangements have been made through Vacations at Sea, a company that treats us like royalty. Please join us!



**ANTHONY HUNTER WASHINGTON, grandson of Paul & Althea— WELCOME!!**



**REUSE-RECYCLE-REDUCE CONSUMPTION**

“To take steps now to strengthen, heal and renew the face of Earth” is one of the 4 “generous promises” made by the Congregation of St. Joseph. We at People Program are taking steps to make that promise a part of our daily lives; won't you join us?

1. *Recycle and buy minimally packed goods.*
2. *Wash clothes in cold or warm water.*
3. *Install low-flow shower heads.*
4. *Run the dishwasher only when full.*
5. *Replace standard bulbs with fluorescent ones.*
6. *Reduce air leaks around windows and doors.*
7. *Replace old appliances with energy-efficient ones.*
8. *Walk, bike, carpool or use public transportation whenever possible.*
9. *Adjust your thermostat—lower in winter, higher in summer.*
10. *Encourage your friends and family to do the same.*

**MASTER GARDENERS NEED 8 OZ. JARS (OR SMALLER) WITH LIDS**

**FOR PROJECT. Either glass or plastic will do. Drop them off in the box in the lobby. Here is a chance to recycle!!**



**HAVE A LAUGH!!!!**

A businessman attending a banquet was surprised to see that the old man taking coats at the door gave no checks in return.

“He has a great memory,” a fellow diner explained. “He’s been doing this for years and prides himself on never having made a mistake.”

After the banquet, as the businessman was leaving, the old man gave him his coat. “How do you know this one is mine?” the businessman asked.

“I don’t sir,” the old man replied.

“Then why did you give it to me?”

“Because you gave it to me, sir. ☺

A second grader came home from school and said to her grandmother, “Grandma, guess what? We learned how to make babies today!” The grandmother, more than a bit surprised, tried to stay cool. “That’s interesting,” she replied. “And how do you make babies?”

“Simple!” replied the second grader. “Change the ‘y’ to ‘i’ and add ‘es.’” ☺