

## PEOPLE PROGRAM SUMMER NEWSLETTER

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### CONGRATULATIONS

#### PEOPLE PROGRAM

**PARTICIPANTS** excel in so many areas of our community. For example, *Dr. Everett J. Williams* has been named a recipient of the 2010 Pope John Paul II Award and will be honored in October. *Jackie Elliott* has been named a Paul Harris Fellow by the Metairie Rotary Club for her good deeds, and Mike Rihner, Joyce and Sidney's son, performed with The Glacier Symphony in Montana. His composition "Peace Park," inspired by the beauty of Glacier National Park, was performed last week. Aren't you glad to be associated with such talented people?

#### LIFELONG LEARNING

Be sure to read this week's health handout from *Aging Well*. "Making lifelong learning part of the later years fosters a sense of personal empowerment and increased self-esteem. It ensures continued growth and intellectual stimulation, leading to a more fulfilling,

enjoyable, and enriched lifestyle. **YOU** are doing just that as a member of People Program.



#### CONGRATULATIONS TO MARCEY FERTEL!!

Marcey won the wonderful Mah Jongg set donated by Winston Falgout. Thanks to all who supported the raffle. We raised more than \$125.



#### THANK YOU!!

Eight high school and college students, along with two adult volunteers from Peace

Lutheran Church in Arvada, Colorado, spent Friday, July 16 at People Program, weeding, spreading mulch, trimming shrubs, and finding out for themselves a little more about New Orleans, its inhabitants, and People Program. We are so grateful to them for their work on our behalf.



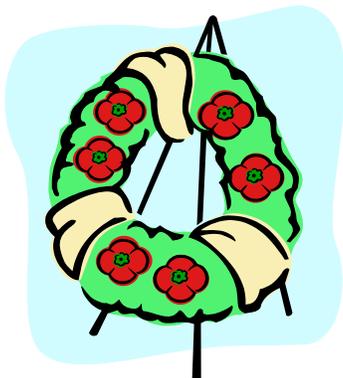
#### MEET THE ARTISTS AT NOMA

W., August 4—Woodworker Peg Martinez, 6-8 P.M.  
W., August 11- Curator Judith Bonner of the Historic New Orleans Collection will host "Women Artists in Louisiana: 1965-2010," 6-7:30 P.M. (Judith is the person who escorted us through the Woodward exhibit earlier in

the year.) Remember that NOMA is free to all on Wednesdays.

### **REGISTRATION HIATUS**

After today, registration for the fall semester will cease until August 12, when late registration begins on all 3 campuses. Call your friends to remind them. You can check which classes have waiting lists by going on line to our website -- [www.peopleprogram.org](http://www.peopleprogram.org) .



### **IN MEMORIAM**

Althea Rita Cambas Roberson,  
Patti Ravain's mom



### **PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

Shirley Oster  
Marilyn Turner

Catherine Authement  
Cora O'Dell  
Martinel Fleury  
Jean Bordelon

*All living things affected by the oil spill.*

*Our brothers and sisters in Haiti, 6 months after the earthquake*



*And you think your dog is smart!!*

A man went to visit a friend and was amazed to find him playing chess with his dog. He watched the game in astonishment for a while. "I can hardly believe my eyes!" he exclaimed. "That's the smartest dog I've ever seen."

"Nah, he's not so smart," the friend replied. "I've beaten him three games out of five."

*Those wonderful husbands...*

Rose accompanied her husband Tom to his annual checkup. While Tom was getting dressed, the doctor came out and said to Rose, "I don't like the way he looks." "Neither do I, she said. "But he's handy around the house."

**A husband and wife were watching a TV soap opera, and he became irritated by the way his wife was taking it to heart. "How can you sit there and cry about the made-up troubles of people you've never even met?" he demanded.**

**"The same way you can jump up and scream when some guy you've never met scores a touchdown," she replied.**

*The parakeet & the cat*

A couple is dressed and ready to go out for the evening. They phone for a cab, turn on a night light, cover their pet parakeet and put the cat out in the back yard.

The taxi arrives, and they open the front door to leave.

Suddenly the cat they put out scoots back into the house.

They don't want the cat shut in there because she always tries to eat the bird. The wife goes out to the taxi while the husband goes back in. The cat runs upstairs, with the man in hot pursuit.

The wife doesn't want the driver to know the house will be empty. She explains to the taxi driver that her husband will be out soon. "He's just going upstairs to say goodbye to my mother."

A few minutes later the husband gets into the cab.

"Sorry I took so long," he says, as they drive away. "Stupid hag was hiding under the bed. Had to poke her with a coat hanger to get her to come out! Then I had to wrap her in a blanket to keep her from scratching me. But it worked. I hauled her fat butt downstairs and threw her out into the back yard!