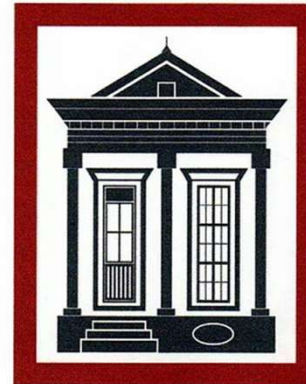


Old Arabi
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Association Meeting

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AGENDA

1. Welcome & Pledge
 2. Guest Speaker – Jamie Richardson, Executive Director of the Community Center of St. Bernard
 3. Lundi Gras Celebration – A Great Success!
 4. Spring Sippin' in the Sunset Series – March 30 & May 25
 5. Member Discussion – Potential Millage for Old Arabi Safety/Security Initiatives – Led by Ray Lauga, OANA Board Member
 6. 2023-25 OANA Board Nominations & Election Reminder (May 17)
 7. News & Notables – Around the Neighborhood
 8. News & Notables – Members' Celebrations
 9. Announcements & New Member Introductions
 10. Door Prize
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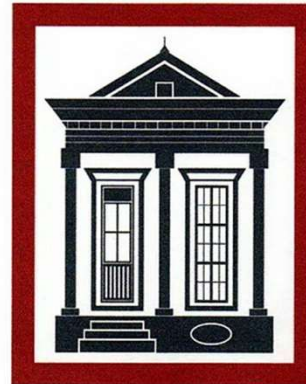
Guest Speaker

Jamie Richardson,

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Community Center Updates

- Total families served in 2022
 - Weekly student totals for Backpack Program
 - Fundraising efforts in 2022
 - Successful takeover of Blues Brews & BBQ Festival
 - Became a new host site for Girls on the Run Nola
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Community Center Runs the CCC

SATURDAY, APRIL 08, 2023

JOIN OUR TEAM

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Community Center & the CCC – Will Run For Food



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RUN 4 IT TEAM

**RUN, WALK
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SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 2023
START AT 08:00 AM | CAESERS SUPERDOME

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TEAM MEMBER PERKS, PRIZES, RAFFLES, AND FUN!

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER, VISIT

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Contact:
Jamie Richardson
Jamie@ccofstb.com

Scan to register
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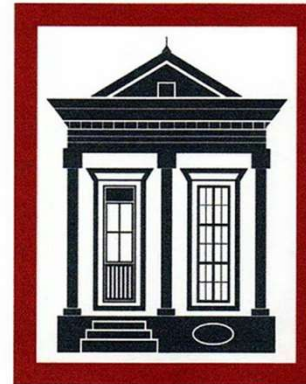
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WE NEED HELP WITH:

- Assist with Recruiting Team Members and Fundraising
- Race Day Assistance with access to the FREE AFTERPARTY!
- Volunteer Perks

Lundi Gras
Celebration
Feb 20, 2023

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OANA & St. Claude Heights Celebrate Lundi Gras



Photos by Tony Peralta

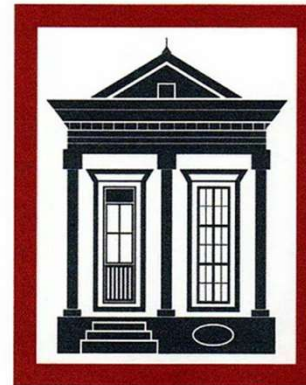
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2023 OANA

Upcoming Events

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Sippin' in the Sunset - Spring 2023 Series



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SIPPIN' IN THE SUNSET

SPRING 2023 SERIES

MARCH 30TH	-	KENNY KERTH JASS
MAY 25TH	-	CYPRESS POP TRIO

- Enjoy live music while shopping from local art & craft vendors.
- Dine on amazing local foods or take some goodies home.
- Sip on a wide selection of wine, sangria, or beer for charity.

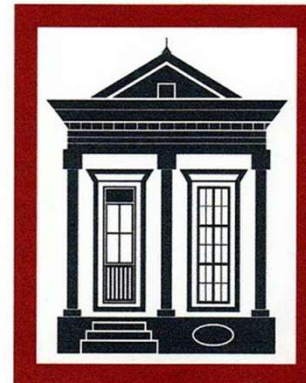
Drink sales benefit the Old Arabi Neighborhood Association, a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving & promoting the area through community outreach. **NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINKS PLEASE.**

6 - 9PM - THE AYCOCK BARN - 409 AYCOCK ST - OLD ARABI

Member Speaker

Ray Lauga
OANA Board Member

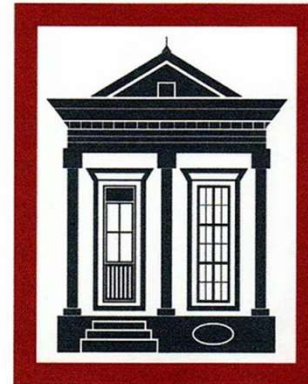
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2023 OANA Board Elections

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OANA Board Elections – May 2023

- All OANA board positions are open for election/re-election in May 2023.
 - Board positions are 2 year terms and consist of:
 - Executive Officers – President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer
 - Board of Directors – between 3-5 positions must be filled
 - Election voting is open to all Active Members of OANA with dues current as of April 30, 2023.
 - Any Active Member with dues current as of April 30, 2023 is eligible to run for OANA Board.
 - Nominations are now open and must be received in writing by April 30, 2023. Nomination forms are available at check in desk tonight.
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OANA Board Elections – May 2023

If you are interested in serving on the OANA board or would like to see the board in action, please join us at the next board meeting:

April 6th at 5pm

Meetings are held at the Barrios Real Estate Group office (1100 Friscoville).

OANA Executive Officer Duties

President

- Preside over all board meetings and general meetings
- Appoint committee chairs
- Publicly represent the association
- Ensure that the association stays in conformance with bylaws
- Review association finances quarterly with VP and Treasurer

Vice-President

- Attend monthly board meetings
 - Serve in the absence of the President
 - Ensure that the association stays in conformance with bylaws
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OANA Executive Officer Duties

Treasurer

- Attend monthly board meetings
- Collect dues and other income and make authorized distributions
- Maintain records of all transactions (basic Quickbooks)
- Maintain a list of all members and dues payments
- Present a financial report at board meetings

Secretary

- Attend monthly board meetings
 - Record and publish minutes for all board and general meetings
 - Maintain all organization records (except financials)
 - Read all correspondence/mail at board meetings
 - Handle all correspondence for the association with President's approval
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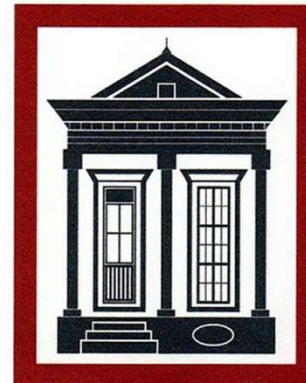
OANA Board of Directors Duties

Board Members

- Attend monthly board meetings
 - Take an active part in establishing association policies and activities
 - Actively chair and/or serve on association committees
 - Assist the officers of the association
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Neighborhood News & Notables

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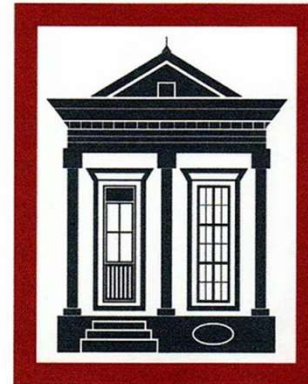
Neighborhood Happenings

- Carlos Brazilian Corner, the new Brazilian restaurant in Arabi Plaza is getting close to opening day (hopefully next week)!
- The Community Center is hosting a Chamber After 5 event on Thursday March 23rd from 5:30-6:30pm. All are welcome.
- [ART] CONSCIOUS is hosting an Art Market at the St. Claude Arts Park on Saturday March 18th from 4-8pm.
- Be on the lookout for Plants for the People provided by the Meraux Foundation! Weekly giveaways are posted on facebook and plants are staged on the side of the Community Center.



Members' News & Notables

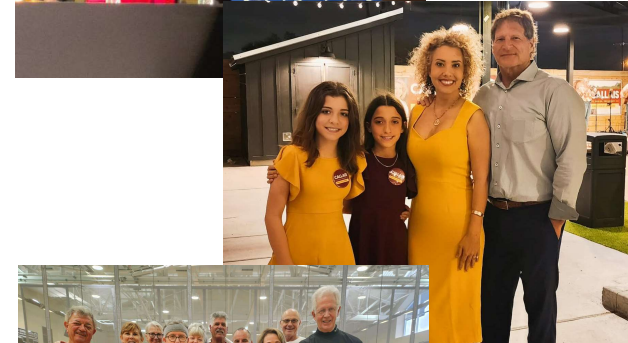
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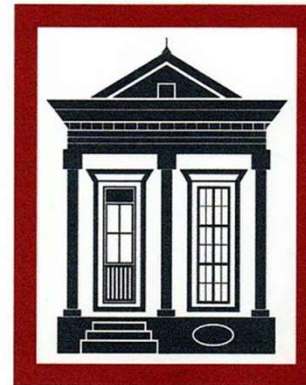
Congratulations

- To Katherine Lemoine, who was elected Vice-President of the Louisiana School Board Association, a state-wide organization.
- To Kerri Callais, who recently announced her campaign for St. Bernard Parish President.
- To all OANA members who participated in the first in-house pickleball tournament at Val Riess Gym. Shout-outs to Ronnie Evans and Sal and Patrice Cusimano for help organizing, Susan Green for expert scoring skills, and the Kim Janneck and Sydney Nunez cheer squad.
- Special congrats to Kathy Hall and Marie Cosse' who were gold medalists at the pickleball tournament.



Announcements & Introductions

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Something Wednesdays

<p>Something Wednesdays</p> <p><i>Why give up something for Lent when you can take part in something positive?</i></p>	<p><i>It's Something Wednesday, as in, "I have something Wednesday" a series of fun and engagig opportunities to be held in the Nunez Black Box Theatre</i></p>	<p>March 1</p> <p>Dance Fitness with Danielle</p>
<p>March 15</p> <p>YOGA with Sabrina</p>	<p>March 22</p> <p>Art & Painting with Sara</p>	<p>March 29</p> <p>SPRING Wreath Making with Danielle</p>
<p>April 5</p> <p>Karaoke Camp with Barry & Anne</p>	<p>Classes are from 6 to 7 pm and are presented by the Voices Foundation and funded via a grant by the Meraux Foundation.</p> <p>Reserve your place by email barrylemoine@gmail.com for more info call 504.301.8770</p>	<p>Space is limited, so sign up soon!</p> <p>Hope to see you for Something Wednesday at Nunez Community College's Black Box Theatre.</p>

Board/General Meeting Dates

Board Meetings

April 6
May 11
June 1
July 6
August 3

September 7
October 5
November 2
December 7

General Meetings

May 17
July 19
September 20
November 15

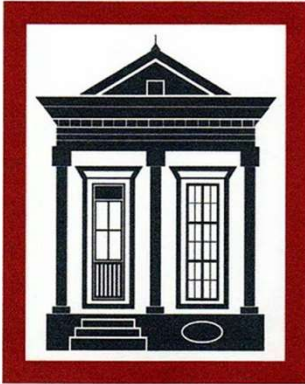
Upcoming Events - Save the Dates!

Sippin' in the Sunset - Aycock Barn - March 30 & May 25 6-9pm

Sugar Fest - Aycock Barn - Oct 14

Member Fall Social/Night Out Against Crime - Date in Oct TBA

Door Prizes



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Thanks for coming!

Next Board Meeting is April 6th!

Next General Meeting is May 17th!

- Elections
- Plant Swap
- Meet Your Constable Merritt Landry & Justice of the Peace Kevin Hoffman

Have a great night!!
