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SAVE THE DATE

WINE TASTING
SATURDAY, APRIL 27TH
3 PM TO 5 PM



We will have an adult wine tasting social to show appreciation for our association members and to help grow our membership. All wine and cheese will be donated; therefore, it will be a free event for association members. Anyone who has not joined the association prior to the event may pay their annual \$50 dues at the door.

The tasting will be held at the home of Tamy and Bobby Rispoli, 502 Southdown Drive. There will be more information in the April newsletter.

We are planning for a large turnout to enjoy a fun afternoon with our neighbors.

MAGNOLIA FOREST FREE LIBRARY

There is a new Little Free Library in our Magnolia Forest neighborhood. Residents are encouraged to visit the library, which is located at the corner of Nottoway and Morgan Bluff Road.

Visitors can take a book to read or leave a book for others to enjoy. All books should be returned once finished, or at minimum, replaced with another book. The library is open to all residents of all ages - there are books for toddlers, children, teens, and adults. There is a mixture of genres to choose from, and new books will be swapped in each month.

According to Allison Winkler, the neighborhood coordinator for the Little Free Library, it is a nonprofit organization that inspires a love of reading, builds communities, and sparks creativity by fostering neighborhood book exchanges around the world. There are over 75,000 Little Free Libraries worldwide, but this library is the first in Pearl River.

WASTE MANAGEMENT

If you haven't signed up yet there is still time for you to get the **\$18.00** per month rate. This is a special rate offered to Magnolia Forest residents for over 90% participation. As a reminder, Waste Management currently does two garbage pick-ups and one recycle pick-up per week. In addition to a 24/7 customer care center, they are also offering us a once a year roll-off container for residents to utilize for bulk trash.

If you would like to become a Waste Management customer, please contact **Pete Giuffria**, board president, by phone or email. Pete's information is always located in the left hand column, first page of each newsletter.

Please do not call Waste Management directly. The Board is tracking the number of residents switching to Waste Management.

LITTER ON MILITARY ROAD

There appears to be a lack of trash pick-up on Military Road, especially in the area beginning at Davis Landing and coming north. Because of this, I wrote an email to the Parish and requested that they take a look at that area. I got a response back implying that there was a trash pick-up the week before. If this was correct, someone was having a bad day and missed half of it.

If you drive by this area and also feel that it needs to be monitored more closely, it may also help if you notify the parish of your concern. To do so, send an email to Rick More, remore@stpov.org (Environmental Services Director). It may also be helpful if you would cc a copy to Pat Brister, askpat@stpgov.org (Parish President).

Congratulations to Kadie and Lillie Sheffield for being part of the **Water Warriors**. The Water Warriors are constructing an underwater remote operated vehicle (ROV) to compete with others in Dauphin, Alabama. Their vehicle will be required to complete many tasks and will be in competition against several other teams. This Northshore group is part of the Slidell Christian Home Educators Fellowship.

Kadie and Lillie are the daughters of David and Tracy Sheffield, all Magnolia Forest residents.

TIME TO GET THOSE GARDENS IN SHAPE

The selection of the first Garden of the Month winners by the Magnolia Forest Garden Club for the 2019 year will be announced in the next newsletter.

Did you know that members of our garden club have been recognized by major garden club organizations, and that the club as a whole has been recognized at the national level on more than one occasion? There are also members of the garden club who are master gardeners and may be able to assist you in becoming the next Garden of the Month winner.

If you feel that a member of the garden club may be able to answer a question for you, please contact **Betty Rose**, Garden Club President.

Betty's contact information is listed on the front page of each newsletter.

The above is a good reason to **Save the Date** for the **Magnolia Forest Garden Club Home Flower Show**. Your invitation is below. (This event is open to the general public by invitation only.)



YOU ARE INVITED TO

Magnolia Forest Garden Club

Standard Flower Show

March 28, 2019

1:30-4:00 PM

132 Lindsey Lane

Slidell, LA 70461

Come and Cruise the Mississippi with us!

A NGC Flower Show

The Association has 126 members

Anderson P & J	Clatterbuck N & K	Gallacher P & D	Johnson E & L	Pecot J & L	Sims M
Baker P	Cooney M & T	Gerace J & J	Johnston F	Pham P	Smith C & L
Barbaro J and Kaehrle W	Crouch H & J	Gernon E	Kelly M & R	Piazza K	Solar R & S
Barrelle B & J	Cusimano N & E	Goodson F & M	Knowles C & L	Piekarski C & D	Srinivas D & R
Benson A & L	Dawson C & M	Griffith S	Konda D & T	Pizzolato C	Stanton J & F
Bentson E	Deris B & L	Griswold J	Landry P & L	Pousson D & J	Sullivan D & D
Berdine B	DeRouen M	Gunderson S & S	Leake J & K	Prendergast B & B	Tomsic A & J
Birmingham M & A	Dier J & J	Gust L	LeBlanc R & H	Raffo C & N	Trascher D & Foy M
Bernard J & L	DiMeglio N	Habbab T	Loggin K	Ramirez G & L	Trippe M & M
Black N & M	Dugas C & C	Hague S & S	Loupe C & C	Rao P & C	Ulrich S
Bonnett G & L	Dupuy G & A	Harper C & C	Maehler K & D	Richier C & M	Verges N & B
Boos M & B	Farley M & S	Harrison J	Marquand A & S	Rispoli T & B	Vernon B & K
Brandon R & J	Fickle C	Hasperue P & C	Mayeux L	Rose J & B	Vogt F
Braun J & L	Finnin A & M	Hebert A & D	McDowell K & D	Round C & J	Voiselle R
Brooks J & J	Fisher N & J	Hedrick B	McGee L & S	Rullman E & D	Wallace B & R
Burgueno E & B	Follette M	Heisser R	McInerney J & O	Rushon W & D	Wilbourn J & C
Campo L & M	Foster B	Herman M	Meltz B	Ryan P & D	Wilcox R & B
Cannon M & L	Fouert J	Hodge C	Morton F & G	Ryan T & M	Wilson J & J
Carrigan G & C	Frichter G & G	Holley T & A	Nelson R & C	Saladino M & G	Wingrave D & D
Catanese M & J	Frischhertz R & G	Houser M	Onstad F	Sanders G	Winkler A & D
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Sat: 8:00am - 2:30pm

Sun: Closed

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