



From the President...

It is with a heavy heart that I am announcing the closing of the Golden Triangle Chapter of the Cajun French Music Association.

We, as many other chapters, have seen a decline in our membership over the past few years to the level that we do not have enough paying members to adhere to the chapter guidelines as outlined in the charter. On December 1, 2017 the majority of members present voted to close our chapter.

Many of our members endured great loss from hurricane Harvey. On a personal note, my business and my home both were flooded and we are still working on repairs. The hurricane hit 4 months ago. So many in our area are still living in camping trailers or apartments instead of their homes they have occupied for many years.

Our chapter has also lost several of our members to poor health and even death. Many of our members just cant get around like they used to.

I've been a member of this chapter since it's beginning in 1991. My heart is breaking. However, my love of my Cajun culture and Cajun music is everlasting.

God bless each and everyone of our members. Prayers ascending for you all.

*Jerry Bellot*

From the Vice President...

I would like to thank each member of our chapter, both past and present, for their contribution to our chapter.

This was not an easy decision for us to make; we discussed every possible option we could think of. We had to look at the whole picture and how our chapter, as well as so many others, are losing members at an alarming rate.

*Donnie Dunk*