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BONJOUR,

Our club members crawfish boil was enjoyed by all who attended at the VFW in Toomey, La. Next year it will be held at the Niblitt's Bluff Park and will be held in April. We are already working on dates so we can secure the Pavilion for next year. We attended the Bayou Cajuns Chapter Festival, it is always in Houma, La. and had a great time, as always. Thank you Bayou Cajuns for a great day. Our Jr. Queen Kaylee Chesson played with Rachael Wilson and the Cajun Express and also the Twitter band. Our own Debbie Sattler won a prize in the raffle, too bad we didn't get a picture of the surprised look on her face!!

It is always good to be able to attend the festivals and enjoy the good times we have. Throughout the years we have been blessed with wonderful friends who become family. That's what it's all about, that's the Cajun way!! Promoting our traditions, culture, food, language, music and culture is a part of the way of life. Let's all continue to support the CFMA by attending the Chapter festivals.

We have already started working on our festival in October. Bands are booked, flyers are being made, menus are being planned and we will need all the help we can get. Paula Fontenot will be the Chairperson for the festival.

Nominations will start at the July meeting. Elections will be held at the September meeting.

Rusty Benoit
President

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We were honored to have at our June meeting, the scholarship recipients and their parents. From Nederland High School Makaela Sattler daughter of Tony and Melissa Sattler. Orange Community Christian School was Cierra Cezar, daughter of LaDonna Breaux of Orange.

Our deepest condolences go out to John Badeaux in the loss of his wife Gail and to Paula Fontenot, and her mother Linda, in loss of her father, James Powers. They have been such a big part of the Gulf Coast Cajuns and will be greatly missed.

Happy Birthday & Happy Anniversary to all who celebrated birthdays & anniversaries.

Be sure to tune in and listen to
CAJUN EXPRESS WITH DANA & KRISSY MELANCON
105.3 FM 6:00 am -10:00 am Sunday Mornings
KOGT 1600 AM Janet Johnson on Saturday morning.
Be sure to visit the many historical sites in Orange, Texas.

LARRY'S FRENCH MARKET - GROVES, TEXAS
www.cajunsoundsinternetradio.com

We want to welcome our new members and will be looking forward to seeing everyone at our next meeting July 8th.

GULF COAST CAJUNS CFMA MEETING, 2ND FRIDAY OF EACH MONTH at 6:30p.m.
VFW HALL on HWY 87 North, Orange, Texas.
Come join us, you don't have to be a Cajun to have a great time with us!