CFMA FESTIVALS – 2017

* ***29TH ANNUAL LE CAJUN AWARDS & MUSIC FESTIVAL***
AUGUST 17TH, 18TH, & 19TH, 2017 - RAYNE CIVIC CENTER, RAYNE, LA

* **ACADIANA CHARTER CHAPTER**
APRIL 29, 2017 – 10 A.M. – 4 P.M.
NORTHWEST COMMUNITY CENTER – EUNICE, LOUISIANA

BATON ROUGE CHAPTER
www.batonrougecajundance.com
(CHECK OUR WEB SITE FOR DATES AND LOCATION OF DANCES)
"BAL de NOEL" Dec. 10, 2016 HELD AT UTC HALL, 11175 FLORIDA BLVD, BATON ROUGE, LA

* **LAKE CHARLES CHAPTER**
JULY 14, 15, & 16, 2017 – BURTON COLISEUM
LAKE CHARLES, LOUISIANA

* **CHAPITRE DE LAFAYETTE**
16TH ANNUAL "TRIBUTE TO CAJUN MUSICIANS FESTIVAL" – LA POUSSIERE, BREAUX BRIDGE, LA
SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2017 – 10:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
www.chapitredelafayette.wix.com/cfma

* **"BAYOU CAJUN" CHAPTER**
FESTIVAL DU BAYOU – JUNE 3, 2017 – EVERGREEN CAJUN CENTER, HOUMA, LA

HOUSTON HERITAGE CHAPTER
APRIL 23, 2016 – 7:00 P.M. – 11:00 P.M. * Entertainment by La Recolte**
KC HALL – 607 E. WHITNEY ST. – HOUSTON, TX 77022

GOLDEN TRIANGLE CHAPTER
SATURDAY FESTIVAL JUNE 25, 2016 10:00 A.M. TILL
KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL IN PORT ACRES, TX

* **DE FA TRAS CHAPTER**
ANHALT CAJUN FESTIVAL – SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 2017 - 11:00 AM – 9:00 PM

* **"LES CADIENS du TECHE" CHAPTER**
SEPTEMBER 16, 2017 - 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM
La Louisiane Banquet Hall 5509 Highway 14, New Iberia, LA.

* **GULF COAST CHAPTER**
9th ANNUAL FALL CAJUN FOOD & DANCE FESTIVAL – OCTOBER 28, 2017 (10:00 – 6:00 P.M.)
VFW HALL HWY 87 – ORANGE, TEXAS

* **DENOTES 2017 DATES**

President's Corner

THANK YOU TO ALL THE CFMA MEMBERS

Your continued support for the Cajun culture is needed more now than ever. As we prepare for the Le Cajun 2017, there is a lot to do getting the Music, Hall of Fame, Plaque awards and the French Speaking contest all under way. Please make every effort to sell the Accordion raffle tickets that you will soon be receiving in the mail. The March board meeting is one of our most important meetings, so please contact your National Board representative for more information. I look forward to all members of every chapter to help with the success of this annual event. Ask your chapter officers how you can participate. We're all counting on everyone.
Remember those who have gone and love one another.

Sincerely,
Helen Pulnik

I really enjoyed the "Bal de Noel" hosted by the Baton Rouge Chapter in December and am looking forward to the many upcoming 2017 Chapter festivals. Spring has sprung and it is now time to put on those dancing shoes and enjoy some Cajun dancing!

Your 2016-2017 CFMA Miss Le Cajun,
Maggie Bergeron