

## circuit spotlight

### HOMETOWN DJ Joe Gauthreaux Spins for Mardi Gras at Oz

by Jason Warner

New Orleans born-and-bred DJ Joe Gauthreaux has made a name for himself on the international level, weaving his tribal, EDM, progressive house and commercial vocal anthems at gay clubs all over the world. Inspired by DJs Chus and Peter Rauhofer and Brazilian producers like Mauro Mozart, Enrry, and Rogerio Lima, Gauthreaux says his goal is to keep his sound fresh and the floor's momentum pumping. "The worst thing a DJ can do is get stuck in a certain sound for too long," he says. "Music is constantly changing and evolving. If you don't change with it, you'll get left behind. Joe Gauthreaux spins for Mardi Gras at Oz Sunday, March 2.

**Welcome back home, Joe! How are you handling the cold winter months in New York City?**

I absolutely hate it! I had a feeling this winter would be bad because the last couple have been relatively mild, but I didn't think it'd be this cold. The only time I see the sun is when I travel somewhere that hasn't succumbed to the polar



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### Get your One Mighty Grove on!

Johnny Chisholm's ONE MIGHTY WEEKEND of afternoon pool and late-night dance parties is the undisputed signature event series of the gay party holiday at Walt Disney World in Orlando, Florida. The weekend is packed with internationally top-rated DJs and entertainment. This year, in addition to your seasoned favorites, One Mighty Weekend is introducing several new DJ talents. Mark your calendar now for the Thursday through Sunday, June 5-8, extravagant party weekend.

The Buena Vista Palace, located inside the Walt Disney Resort, continues to reign supreme as the splendid host hotel and home of the highly anticipated daily afternoon Reunion Pool Parties. These parties are known to feature the hottest bodies and most lively and animated dance music. This year's "fun in the sun" provides you an incredible line-up of fantastic DJs you've come to expect from One Mighty Weekend — including 2013 Best Up-and-Coming DJ of Year from the Just Circuit Awards, DJ Shane Stiel on Friday, June 6. DJ Lydia Sanz of Barcelona gets the pool and the balls bouncing at noon for the Saturday Reunion Pool Party. This house and techno specialist is joining OMW in conjunction with Circuit Festival. DJ Phil B. returns Sunday to One Mighty Weekend to wrap up the Reunion Pool Parties with his unique stylings.

Your night-time entertainment kicks off Thursday, June 5 with *IGNITE!* DJ/Producer Wayne G (UK) begins the night with his eclectic mix of styles

followed by the ever-popular DJ Roland Belmares. Downtown Disney's House of Blues, hosts the event which starts at 9pm.

Always a high point of the weekend, the Magic Journey's after parties will once again be held at Arabian Nights. This year's DJ lineup can only be described with two words: Fantastic and Incredible. Take notice: These parties will begin at 11pm each night — earlier than past years.

Friday, you will be introduced to Montreal, Canada's DJ/Producer Alain Jackinsky, who, with his unique sound, brings a unique freshness to the DJ scene. Your Magic Journey then continues with the Brazilian flare of DJ/Producer Gustavo Scorpio of Rio de Janeiro. Saturday's Magic Journey begins and ends with Miami-based Grammy Award Nominated, DJ/Pro-

ducers Rosabel; comprised of DJ/Producer Ralphie Rosario and DJ/Producer Abel Aguilera, these two dance chart topping DJs will take control of the dance floor all night long. DJ Dani Toro of Barcelona opens the final Magic



Magic Journeys

Journeys on Sunday night. As the night heats up, world renowned DJ/Producer Joe Gauthreaux of New York sets fire to the dance floor until well after sunrise. Shuttle service will be available from the Buena Vista Palace to Arabian Nights each night of Magic Journeys.

"It is perhaps with a touch of sadness that we must announce the end of an era: One Mighty Weekend 2014 is the last time Magic Journeys will be held at Arabian Nights. Arabian Nights is closing so don't miss your chance to experience the 'Last Dance' at Magic Journeys at this classic location. We'll bring you an exciting new venue for Magic Journeys in 2015."

The One Mighty Weekend Welcome Center at The Buena Vista Palace first opens at 10am Thursday, and then at 10am each day throughout the weekend. It's your one stop to purchase daily tickets or weekend passes and gather information about the events.

There are limited rooms still available at the Buena Vista Palace, so

vortex.

**Do you miss living in New Orleans?**

Sometimes I do. I miss living in the French Quarter and knowing my neighbors and all of the people at Oz. When you work at a club every week, it almost makes you feel like you have a real job.

**Has moving to NYC helped your career?**

Most of my gigs are on the east coast, so it's made travel so much easier. Plus I'm working on my own music these days and there are so many talented people here that I get to collaborate with.

**We're obsessed with your podcast remix shows. What artists are you working with these days?**

First, thank you for downloading my podcast. I really appreciate that. Right now I'm focusing on writing my own material more than remixing other people's work. That's been a really exciting thing that's happened over the past year. But I have a new remix coming out by an up-and-coming artist Aiden Leslie called "Nobody Said." It's a pumping peak hour big room mix.

**Lucky for us, you have remained a staple at Oz nightclub for many years. What keeps you coming back?**

Well, of course, I love the crowds in New Orleans as they're always crazy and fun. But it's my relationship with Oz owner Johnny Chisholm that keeps me there. I've worked for him since 1996. That's almost 20 years! We've been through thick and thin together and it's something I wouldn't trade for anything.

**As you know, Mardi Gras weekend is one of the biggest festivals in New Orleans. Will you be in the parade?**

You never know, I am pretty low on beads right now!

**Where can we catch you hanging out?**

The great thing about Mardi Gras is there are so many parties, you never know where you'll end up. It's all really fun. I haven't been in a few years so I'm really excited.

**Any other big parties lined up in the next few months?**

I'm pretty busy these days. I have my residency at Viva in New York City, Winter Party in Miami, and Arabian Nights for Gay Disney. I also have some big gigs in Bangkok, Sydney, Zurich and Mexico City lined up later in the year. So yeah, lots going on. Makes me really happy.

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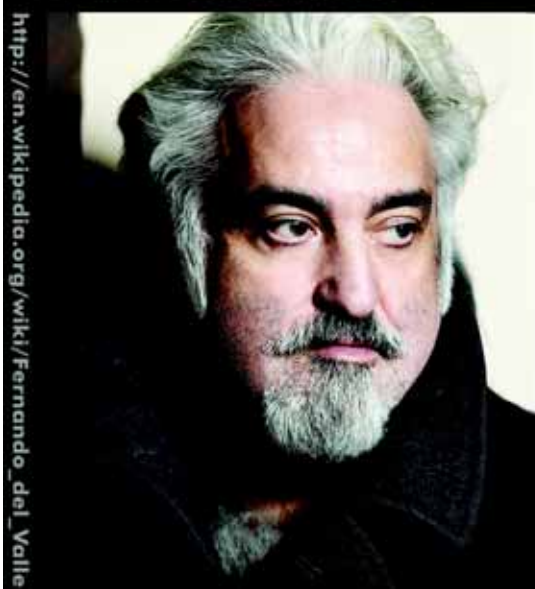
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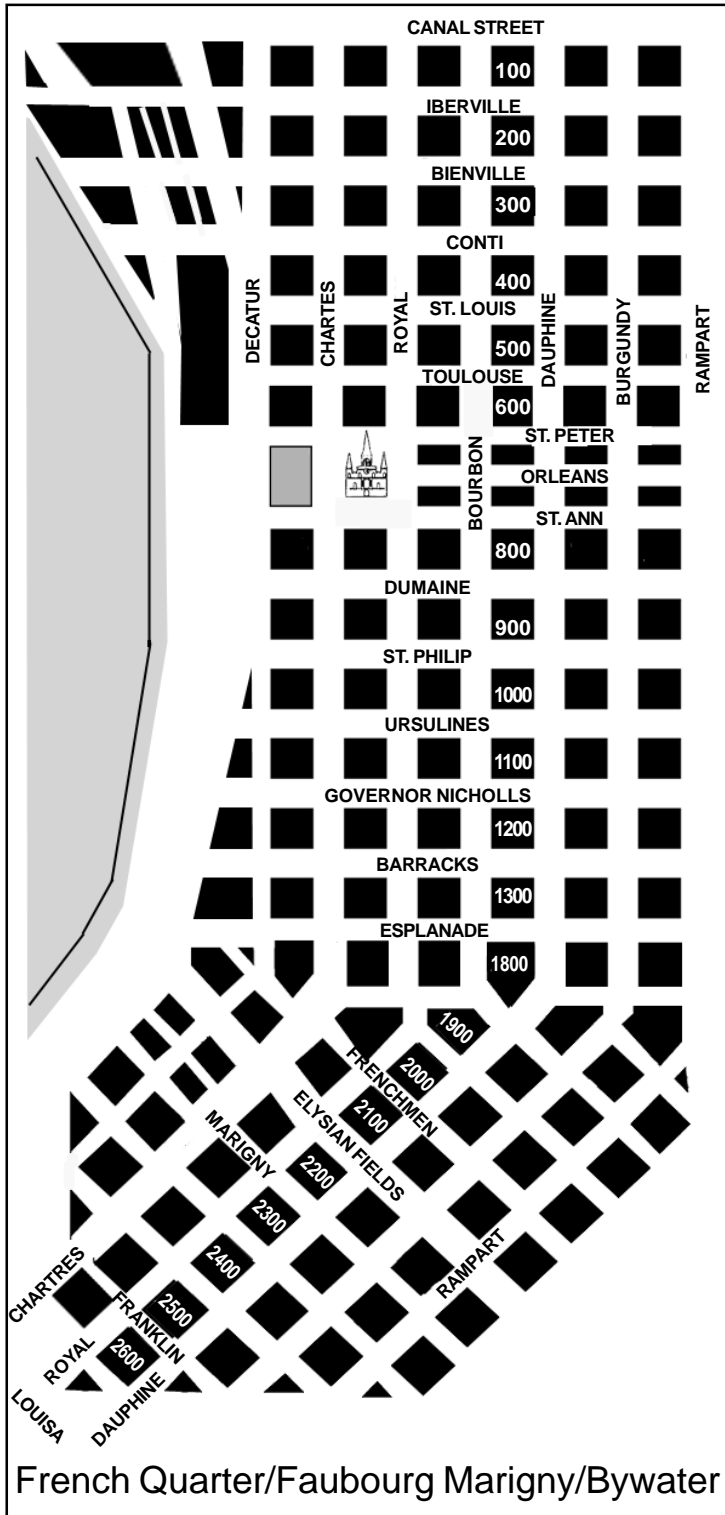
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**GULF COAST BEARS & LEATHER ASSOCIATION**, [b-bobs.com/gcbla.htm](http://b-bobs.com/gcbla.htm)

**THE SOUTHERN RENEGADES**, a Levi/Leather Club, [southernrenegades.com](http://southernrenegades.com)

**Pensacola, FL [850]**  
APPETITE FOR LIFE, INC., provides 2 nutritionally balanced meals a day-lunch & dinner, for some 60 men, women and children living with HIV/AIDS, 1842 West Cervantes St.; Mail: P.O. Box 308, 32592-0308; 470.9111, Fax: 470.0201, [gappensacola.com/appforlife](http://gappensacola.com/appforlife)

**GULF COAST TIDE, INC.**  
[www.GulfCoastTIDE.org](http://www.GulfCoastTIDE.org); [info@GulfCoastTIDE.org](mailto:info@GulfCoastTIDE.org)

**Alexandria, LA [318]**  
CLASS [Central Louisiana AIDS Support Services], 103 Bolton Ave., 71301; 1.800.444.7993, 442.1010, FAX: 443.5216

**Baton Rouge, LA [225]**  
**AIDSLaw of Louisiana**, 4560 North Boulevard, Suite 118, 302.5968, [AIDSLAW.org](http://AIDSLAW.org)

**HAART (HIV/AIDS Alliance for Region Two)**, 4550 North Blvd., #250, 927.1269, Fax: 927.7367, [haartinc.org](http://haartinc.org), [haartinc@aol.com](mailto:haartinc@aol.com)

**GBLSU [Gays, Bisexuals, Lesbians & Supporters United]**, [glsapres@unix.snc.lsu.edu](mailto:glsapres@unix.snc.lsu.edu), Kristy Price, President, 388.5160

**KREWE OF APOLLO / BATON ROUGE**, PO Box 3591, 70821; [kreweapollobr.org](http://kreweapollobr.org)

**KREWE OF DIVAS**, [kreweofdivas.com](http://kreweofdivas.com), 343.0380

**LAMBDA GROUP**, 2937 Greenwood Dr., PO Box 82775, 70884-2775, 907.3665, [www.lambdabr.org](http://www.lambdabr.org), [info@lambdabr.org](mailto:info@lambdabr.org)

**METROPOLITAN COMMUNITY CHURCH OF BATON ROUGE**, 7747 Tom Drive, 70806, Worship Sunday, 11am, Bible Study Wednesday, 7pm, 225.248.0404, [mccbr.org](http://mccbr.org)

**PFLAG Baton Rouge**, President Harold Truax, 225.218.8320

**Lafayette, LA [337]**  
ACADIANA CARES [Concern for AIDS Relief, Education, and Support], PO Box 386, Lafayette, LA 70502; 203 W. 3rd St., 70501; 233.2437, FAX: 235.4178; 800.354.2437

**KREWE OF APOLLO / LAFAYETTE**, PO Box 53251, 70505

**PFLAG/LAFAYETTE**, PO Box 31078, 70503

**ROYAL ORDER OF UNICORN**, PO Box 3985, 70502

**Monroe, LA [318]**  
GO CARE 2121 Justice, 71201, 325.1092

**New Orleans, LA [504]**  
ACLU and ACLU Foundation of Louisiana, P.O. Box 56157, New Orleans, LA 70156, 504.522.0628 x25, Fax: 888.537.0384, [laaclu.org](http://laaclu.org)

**AIDS HOTLINE**, 821.6050 in New Orleans, 1.800.99.AIDS[2437]-9 toll free statewide

**AIDSLaw of Louisiana**, 3801 Canal St., Suite 331, 568.1631, [AIDSLAW.org](http://AIDSLAW.org)

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**, 838.3399

**BELLE REVE NEW ORLEANS**, AIDS Residence for Families, PO Box 3305, 70177; 945.9455

**BROTHERHOOD, INC.**, To decrease the spread of AIDS and HIV among African Americans, 1661 Canal St., Suite 3230, 70112; 566.7955

**COMMUNITY ACTION NETWORK**, a project of the NO/AIDS Task Force which works with the gay community to implement HIV prevention activities, 507 Frenchmen St., 945.4000, [noaidstaskforce.com](http://noaidstaskforce.com)

**COPS 8 (Citizens' Organization for Police Support in the 8th District)**, 840 N. Rampart St., #51, 70116; 588.COPS (2677), [cops8.org](http://cops8.org)

**FOOD FOR FRIENDS**, 944.6028

**FORUM FOR EQUALITY**, 336 Lafayette, Suite 200, 70130; 947.2981, [ForumForEquality.COM](http://ForumForEquality.COM)

**FRIDAY NIGHT BEFORE MARDI GRAS (FNBMG)**, PO Box 791376, New Orleans, LA 70179-1376; 733.3311, [fridaynightbeforemardigras.com](http://fridaynightbeforemardigras.com), [fnbmg@cox.net](mailto:fnbmg@cox.net)

**GAY APPRECIATION AWARDS**, 828-A Bourbon St., 70116-3137; 522.8049; [AmbushMag.COM/GAA](http://AmbushMag.COM/GAA)

**GAY COUNSELING LINE**, 833.1500

**GAY EASTER PARADE**, 828-A Bourbon St., 70116-3137, 504.522.8049, [info@gayeasterparade.com](mailto:info@gayeasterparade.com), [GayEasterParade.COM](http://GayEasterParade.COM)

**GAY MARDI GRAS**, 828-A Bourbon St., 70116-3137, 504.522.8049, [GayMardiGras.COM](http://GayMardiGras.COM)

**GAY NEW ORLEANS**, 828-A Bourbon St., 70116-3137, 504.522.8049, [GayNewOrleans.COM](http://GayNewOrleans.COM)

**HALLOWEEN IN NEW ORLEANS, INC.**, PO Box 52171, 70152-2171; [halloweenneworleans.com/ambush](http://halloweenneworleans.com/ambush)

**HATE CRIMES NATIONAL HOTLINE**, 206.350.HATE (4283), National Domestic Violence Hotline at 800.799.SAFE (7233), Hate Crimes Hotline at the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights 800.552.6843

**KREWE OF AMON-RA**, PO Box 7033, Metairie, LA 70010, [KreweOfAmonRa.COM](http://KreweOfAmonRa.COM)

**KREWE OF ARMEINIUS**, PO Box 56638, New Orleans, LA 70156-6638, [kreweofarmeinius.org](http://kreweofarmeinius.org)

**KREWE OF MWINDO**, PO Box 51031, 70156; 913.5791, [KreweOfMwindo.ORG](http://KreweOfMwindo.ORG), [krewe@kreweofmwindo.org](mailto:krewe@kreweofmwindo.org)

**KREWE OF PETRONIUS**, 1701 Frenchmen St., New Orleans, LA. 70116 [KreweOfPetronius.ORG](http://KreweOfPetronius.ORG), [petronius1961@cox.net](mailto:petronius1961@cox.net)

**KREWE OF QUEENATEENAS / KING CAKE QUEEN ROYALTY CLUB**, 828-A Bourbon St., 70116-3137, 522.8049, [GayMardiGras.COM/KCCQ](http://GayMardiGras.COM/KCCQ)

**KREWE OF URSUS**, [kreweofursus@aol.com](mailto:kreweofursus@aol.com)

**LaCARP [Louisiana Community AIDS Research Program]**, 584.1971

**LA-LIFT, Social Club for Lesbians**, age 50+, who have fun together on weekends. E-mail: [armyvet20@webtv.net](mailto:armyvet20@webtv.net)

**LAMBDA CENTER**, 831 Elysian Fields Ave., 70117

**LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF NEW ORLEANS**, 234 Loyola, Suite 421, 70112; 581.9106

**LORDS OF LEATHER**, 1631 Elysian Fields, #161, 70117, [www.LordsOfLeather.com](http://www.LordsOfLeather.com)

**Metropolitan Community Church of New Orleans**, services at 10am, 6200 St Charles Ave., New Orleans, LA 70118; 504.270.1MCC [www.mccneworleans.org](http://www.mccneworleans.org)

**MCLNO HOP Clinic**, 136 S. Roman Street, 4th Floor, New Orleans, LA 70112; Appts.: 504.903.6959, [www.hopclinic.org](http://www.hopclinic.org)

**MYSTIC KREWE OF SATYRICON**, 2443 Halsey Ave., New Orleans, LA 70114, 504.906.7990 Todd J. Blauvelt / Secretary, [krewe\\_of\\_satyricon@gmail.com](mailto:krewe_of_satyricon@gmail.com), [MysticKreweOfSatyricon.COM](http://MysticKreweOfSatyricon.COM)

**NEW ORLEANS BEAR AND BEAR TRAPPER SOCIAL CLUB**, P.O. Box 57756, New Orleans, LA 70157-7756, 504.452.3564, [theneworleansbears.com](http://theneworleansbears.com)

**NEW ORLEANS GAY MEN'S CHORUS**, 322.7007, [nogmc.com](http://nogmc.com); [nogmc@aol.com](mailto:nogmc@aol.com)

**NEW ORLEANS JAZZ & HERITAGE FESTIVAL**, [nojazzfest.com](http://nojazzfest.com)

**NO/AIDS TASK FORCE**, 2601 Tulane Ave., Suite 500, 70119; 821.2601; [NOAIDSTaskForce.COM](http://NOAIDSTaskForce.COM)

**N'R Peace**, 3201 Gen. DeGaulle Dr., Suite 201, 70114, 364.1950

**PEOPLE OF SUBSTANCE, INC. (POS)**, 7210 Arbor Dr., 70126, 244.1920, [posnola.com](http://posnola.com)

**PFLAG/NO [Parents & Friends of Lesbians & Gays/ New Orleans]**, PO Box 15515, 70175; 895.3936, 392.0001, [pflagno.org](http://pflagno.org), [info@pflagno.org](mailto:info@pflagno.org)

**PRIDE NEW ORLEANS CELEBRATION**, [NOLAPride.ORG](http://NOLAPride.ORG)

**PROJECT LAZARUS**, A Residence for PWAs, PO Box 3906, 70177-3906; 949.3609

**REGIONAL AIDS INTERFAITH NETWORK [RAIN]**, 523.3755

**RENEGADE BEARS OF LOUISIANA**, PO Box 3083, New Orleans, LA 70177; [renegadebearsloouisiana@gmail.com](mailto:renegadebearsloouisiana@gmail.com)

**GAY MARDI GRAS**, 828-A Bourbon St., 70116-3137, 504.522.8049, [GayMardiGras.COM](http://GayMardiGras.COM)

**GAY NEW ORLEANS**, 828-A Bourbon St., 70116-3137, 504.522.8049, [GayNewOrleans.COM](http://GayNewOrleans.COM)

**HALLOWEEN IN NEW ORLEANS, INC.**, PO Box 52171, 70152-2171; [halloweenneworleans.com/ambush](http://halloweenneworleans.com/ambush)

**HATE CRIMES NATIONAL HOTLINE**, 206.350.HATE (4283), National Domestic Violence Hotline at 800.799.SAFE (7233), Hate Crimes Hotline at the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights 800.552.6843

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**KREWE OF PETRONIUS**, 1701 Frenchmen St., New Orleans, LA. 70116 [KreweOfPetronius.ORG](http://KreweOfPetronius.ORG), [petronius1961@cox.net](mailto:petronius1961@cox.net)

**KREWE OF QUEENATEENAS / KING CAKE QUEEN ROYALTY CLUB**, 828-A Bourbon St., 70116-3137, 522.8049, [GayMardiGras.COM/KCCQ](http://GayMardiGras.COM/KCCQ)

Don S. Evans, Sr., 5837 De Bore Drive, New Orleans, Louisiana 70126, Phone 504.722.1694, Fax 504.286.5784

VOLLEYBALL NEW ORLEANS, PO Box 13306, 70185-3306; volleyballneworleans.com, postmaster@volleyballneworleans.com

**WILLIAM J. FANNING FOUNDATION [Buzzy's Boys & Girls]**, 2301 Chartres, 70117; 943.8929

#### Shreveport, LA [318]

PHILADELPHIA CENTER, PO Box 44454, 71134-4454; 222.6633

YWCA AIDS MINORITY COMMUNITY OUT-REACH, 700 Pierre Ave., 71103; 226.8717

## pets

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**DR. MIKE'S ANIMAL HOUSE**, 1120 N. Rampart, 523.4455

## pharmacy

#### Baton Rouge, LA [225]

**AVITA DRUGS SPECIALIZED PHARMACY**, free discrete delivery serving Louisiana, Mississippi & Texas. Certified pharmacists caring for HIV/AIDS, new-to-market & hard-to-find medications including Serostim. Local pharmacy that supports the LGBT community. [www.AvitaPharmacy.COM](http://www.AvitaPharmacy.COM).

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**MUMFREY'S PHARMACY**, 1021 W. Judge Perez Dr., Chalmette, LA 70043, 504.279.6312, [www.MumfreysPharmacy.COM](http://www.MumfreysPharmacy.COM). Supporting & serving the LGBT Community for over 20 years. Local pharmacy offering personalized family-like service, automatic refills & free metro wide confidential pickup & delivery. Also offering shipping for out-side our delivery area. When you call us you speak to a person, not a machine. See our ad.

## photography

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**Arthur Severio Photography**, 834 Chartres, New Orleans, LA 70116, 917.318.4300, [ArthurSeverio.COM](http://ArthurSeverio.COM)

**GRAHAM/STUDIO ONE NEW ORLEANS**, by appointment, [grahamstudioone.com](http://grahamstudioone.com)

## real estate

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**Latter & Blum INC/French Quarter, Steve Richards**, LGBT Realtor, 712 Orleans @ Royal, Cell: 504.258.1800, Office: 504.529.8140, Website: [www.SteveRichardsProperties.com](http://www.SteveRichardsProperties.com), Email: [SRichards@LatterBlum.com](mailto:SRichards@LatterBlum.com)

**LATTER & BLUM, Agent Brian M. Pawlowski**, [brianrealtor@aol.com](mailto:brianrealtor@aol.com), **Agent Stace McDonald**, [stacerealtor@aol.com](mailto:stacerealtor@aol.com), 840 Elysian Fields, 451.2495

## restaurants

#### Mandeville, LA [985]

**The Po-Boy Shack**, 1703 N. Causeway Blvd., 626.1303

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**Borracho @ Kajun's Pub**, 2256 St. Claude, 267.6108.

**Clover Grill**, 900 Bourbon St., 598.1010, [CloverGrill.COM](http://CloverGrill.COM)

**Country Club Restaurant**, 634 Louisa St., [TheCountryClubNewOrleans.COM](http://TheCountryClubNewOrleans.COM), 945.0742

**Deanie's Seafood**, French Quarter: 841 Iberville, 581.4141; Bucktown: 1713 Lake Ave., Metairie, 831.1316; [Deanies.COM](http://Deanies.COM)

**Fatoush Mediterranean Grill, Coffee House & Juice Bar**, 2372 St. Claude Ave., #130, [FatoushRestaurantNOLA.COM](http://FatoushRestaurantNOLA.COM), 504.371.5074

**Gene's Po-Boys**, 1040 Elysian Fields, 943.3861

**Krystal**, 116 Bourbon at Canal, 523.4030

**Mona Lisa Restaurant**, 1212 Royal St., 522.6746

**Orleans Grapevine Wine Bar & Bistro**, 720 Orleans

**Quartermaster: The Nellie Deli**, 1100 Bourbon St., 529.1416, [QuartermasterDeli.NET](http://QuartermasterDeli.NET)

**The Ruby Slipper**, 2001 Burgundy, 525.9355, [TheRubySlipperCafe.Net](http://TheRubySlipperCafe.Net)

## easter feature

### Todd Blauvelt & Stuart Nettles to lead 15th Gay Easter Parade as Easter Grand Marshals XV

The Gay Easter Parade Board of Directors is proud to announce the selection of Todd Blauvelt and Stuart Nettles as Easter Grand Marshals XV. Chosen for their outstanding contributions and support of the parade, the two men will lead the 15th Annual Official Gay Easter Parade Easter Sunday, April 20 at 4:30pm benefiting Food For Friends. The board of directors includes Rip and Marsha Naquin-Delain, Electra City and Tittie Toulouse, Darwin Reed and Opal Masters, Rona Conners, Tony Leggio and Steve Patrick. ([www.GayEasterParade.com](http://www.GayEasterParade.com))

The board met mid October to make the grand marshal selections and have set the events/fundraisers for 2014. The parade minus expenses benefits Food For Friends program of the NO/AIDS Task Force. Sponsored by **Ambush Mag**, the parade has raised over \$171,101 for charity the past 12 years.

The 4th Sponsorship Party will be hosted on Sunday, March 16th, 3-5pm, at Cutter's, 706 Franklin. This year it is under the direction of GEP Boards Steve Patrick and Darwin Reed.

6th Eggstravaganza hosted by GEP Boards Opal Masters and Darwin

Reed is set for Saturday, March 22nd, 7-10pm, at Michael's On The Park, 834 N. Rampart St.

13th Super Star-Studded Drag Extravaganza will be held Saturday, March 29th, 8-10pm, at Oz, 800 Bourbon Street. This event is under the direction of GEP Boards Rip and Marsha Naquin-Delain.

15th Purple Party Easter Grand Marshals Reception, hosted by the GEP Board of Directors will be held on Saturday, April 5th, 8-10pm, at The Double Play, 439 Dauphine St.

12th Spring Fever Extravaganza, under the direction of Electra City and

3pm. The Post-Parade Party following the end of the parade will feature an Easter buffet.

The parade showcases the fashion and creativity of the entire LGBT community with gentlemen in summer suits/tux with hats, and ladies in Easter suits/dresses with Easter hats.

Sponsorships are available at Presenting (\$2,500), Platinum (\$1,000), Gold (\$500), Silver (\$250), or Bronze (\$100) levels. For forms, visit [www.GayEasterParade.com/images/GEPSPonsorForm.pdf](http://www.GayEasterParade.com/images/GEPSPonsorForm.pdf).

Carriage, wagon, and trolley prices are not yet confirmed. As soon as they are, you will be able to get your parade form at [www.GayEasterParade.com](http://www.GayEasterParade.com).

#### EGM XV Todd Blauvelt:

A veteran of the United States Air Force Reserve and a 1982 graduate of the New Orleans Center for Creative Arts, Visual Arts department, Todd J. Blauvelt is a charter member of the Mystic Krewe of Satyricon. Through the years Todd has served on the krewe's board of directors as Ball Lieutenant, Function Lieutenant and Secretary as well as reigning as King Satyricon IV in 2006 and Queen Satyricon XI, Aida Cockswell, in 2013.

## retail/shopping

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**BOURBON PRIDE**, 909 Bourbon, 566.1570

**COK (Clothing or Kink!)**, 941 Elysian Fields, 945.9264

**HIT PARADE**, 741 Bourbon St., [Facebook.COM/HitParadeNOLA](http://Facebook.COM/HitParadeNOLA)

**MARY'S FRENCH QUARTER KITCHEN & BATH**, 732 N. Rampart, 529.4465

**QT PIE BOUTIQUE** - 241 Dauphine St., 581.6633

**RAB DAB CLOTHING AND GIFTS**, 918 Royal St., 525.6662

**SECOND SKIN LEATHER**, 521 St. Philip, 561.8167

**XXX SHOP EROTIC BOUTIQUE**, 1835 N. Rampart St., 232.3063, [www.XXXShopp.com](http://www.XXXShopp.com)

## spas

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**Club New Orleans**, 515 Toulouse, 581.2402, [www.the-clubs.com](http://www.the-clubs.com)

## theatres

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**CAFE ISTANBUL**, 2372 St. Claude Ave., #140, 504.974.0786, [CafeIstanbulNOLA.COM](http://CafeIstanbulNOLA.COM)

**JOY THEATER**, 1200 Canal St., 208.1180, [TheJoyTheater.com](http://TheJoyTheater.com)

**MAHALIA JACKSON THEATRE OF PERFORMING ARTS**, 801 N. Rampart, Armstrong Park, [mahaliajacksontheater.com](http://mahaliajacksontheater.com), 525.1052

**MID-CITY THEATRE**, 3240 Toulouse, 488.1460, [MidCityTheatre.COM](http://MidCityTheatre.COM)

**NEW ORLEANS FRINGE FESTIVAL**, [NOFringe.ORG](http://NOFringe.ORG)

#### Slidell, LA [985]

**CUTTING EDGE THEATER**, 742 Robert Blvd., 649.3727, [CuttingEdgeTheater.COM](http://CuttingEdgeTheater.COM)

## tours

#### New Orleans, LA [504]

**Gay New Orleans Walking Tour, Crescent City Tour Booking Agency**, 638 St. Ann St., 568.0717. follow Gay New Orleans Walking Tour @ [Facebook.COM](http://Facebook.COM)



Easter Grand Marshals XV Todd Blauvelt & Stuart Nettles (Photo by Darwin Reed)

Tittie Toulouse is set for Saturday, April 12th, with 7pm VIP Reception, and 8-10pm show and auction, at Carl Mack Presents, 535 Marigny St.

5th Bunnies in the Big Easy, under the direction of Tony Leggio and Rona Conners, is set for Good Friday, April 18th, 7-9:30pm, at Bourbon View, 501 Bourbon St.

This year both the Pre-Parade and Post-Parade parties will be hosted by Michael's On The Park, 834 N. Rampart. The Pre-Parade Party is set for

Todd is a 42 year resident of Algiers with roots in Stratford and Lordship, Connecticut and he attended O.P. Walker Sr. High.

Shortly after coming out publicly in 1988, he enrolled at the University of New Orleans in the department of Drama and Communications and soon became the Co-President of the Gay and Lesbian Alliance, as well as, Senator for the College of Liberal Arts. In his

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