



# Le Bon Mot...

## La Gazette de l'Ecole Bilingue

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Pour la semaine de 01 à 05 mars, 2010

### Les Dates

2/27 Ecole Bilingue Parents' « Mixer »

**3/1 FETE MEETING 8:45AM/6PM AT GP**

3/11 APPEL Meeting- 6pm

3/15 Fees and Registration packages due

**3/20 Fête Française!!**

4/2 Teacher Work Day- NO SCHOOL

**3/3 - 3/10 Tournées French Film Festival**

4/5-4/9 Spring Break- NO SCHOOL

### Fees and Registration package due on March 15

Registration package 2010-2011 is now available on our website [www.ebnola.com](http://www.ebnola.com).

A complete registration package (one per child) and fees are due March 15, 2010.

We will not accept incomplete packages.

Also be reminded that fees are non-refundable and must be paid in full by March 15, 2010.

Any payments received after March 15th are considered late and will be assessed a 10% late fee.

### Ecole Bilingue Parents' Mixer on 2/27 from 6-9 PM

Please come and enjoy a casual evening of meeting and chatting with fellow Ecole Bilingue de la Nouvelle Orleans parents at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sulaiman at 24 Castle Pines Drive, New Orleans 70131.

Hors d'oeuvres and drinks will be served.

In order to allow parents to mingle freely, please leave children at home.

### Tournées Film Festival

**When:** March 3,4,6,8,9, and 10th

**Where:** Tulane University: Freeman Auditorium in the Woldenberg Art Center

**Price:** \$5.00 for children, students, and senior citizens  
\$8.00 for adults

**Contact** Kathryn LeMieux at 837-0128, or by email [kklemieux@cox.net](mailto:kklemieux@cox.net).

### Tournées Film Festival Con't:

Tulane University's French Department, Newcomb College Center for Research on Women, and Ecole Bilingue de la Nouvelle-Orléans are proud to announce they will be hosting the 2010 Tournées Film Festival in New Orleans.

It will be held on the campus of Newcomb College at the Freeman Auditorium in the Woldenberg Art Center.

All films will be in French with English subtitles.

The auditorium holds 200 people. Seating will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Tickets may be purchased at the theatre prior to show times.

#### **March 3**

9:00am Azur et Asmar

children 5yrs--adult

11:00am Azur et Asmar

perfect for all ages

1:00 am Azur et Asmar

#### **March 4**

9:00am Azur et Asmar

10:45am Comme un Juif en France Part 1 high school to adult

12:00pm Break for lunch

1:00pm Comme un Juif en France Part 2

6:00pm Les Plages D' Agnès

adult

8:00pm L' Ivresse Du Pouvoir

high school to adult

#### **March 6**

9:00am Azur et Asmar children

5yrs--adult

11:00am Les Plages D' Agnès

adult

1:30pm La Graine et le Mulet

adult

4:30pm L' Ivresse Du Pouvoir

high school to adult

5:30pm Wine and Cheese Reception

7:00pm Un Conte de Noël

adult

#### **March 8**

9:00am Azur et Asmar

children 5yrs-adult

11:00am Azur et Asmar

perfect for all ages

1:00pm Azur et Asmar

4:30pm La Graine et le Mulet

adult

7:15pm Un Conte de Noel

adult

#### **March 9**

9:00am Azur et Asmar

children 5yrs-adult

11:00am Azur et Asmar

perfect for all ages

### Fete 2010 needs your help:

We are scheduling **two work days** to get Gen Pershing in good shape for Fete. Saturday, **March 6th and Saturday March 13.**

There will be general clean up, painting of the bathrooms and potentially power washing and sealing the floor.

Please contact Todd Leavitt at 377-6095 or [tsleavitt@gmail.com](mailto:tsleavitt@gmail.com) if you are able to volunteer for either day. Merci

### Fete 2010 News:

You, your neighbors, family, friends or friends of friends can participate in the 2010 Fête Française. Ecole Bilingue, in cooperation with Hopper's Wines & Spirits has established an **Adopt-A-Case program** whereby you can purchase a case of George Duboeuf-Cuvee Blanc and donate it to the school for the Fête. Ric Hopper of Hopper's Wines & Spirits has arranged an outstanding price of \$60.00 a case. **That's just \$5.00 a bottle!!**

**For more information regarding this program, please contact Erin Ribka: [peribka@mac.com](mailto:peribka@mac.com) or 504-256-0714**

### FETE FRANCAISE NEEDS MARDI GRAS TRINKETS

Please, oh please, turn in your Mardi Gras **toys and trinkets** for our Fête prize supply. We need **BEAUCOUP!!!!!!** Please turn in sacks to Adeline at Perrier or put near the bar at General Pershing. Merci.

### Tuition Raffle Tickets on sale now!

Tickets are \$100 each for a chance to win tuition for one child for the 2010-2011 school year at Ecole Bilingue. You may purchase these tickets at the General Pershing or Perrier campuses during office hours.

### March Birthday's

#### **General Pershing:**

Dakota 3/8  
Beau 3/8  
Matthew 3/13  
Sylvie 3/24  
Kathryn 3/8  
Audrey 3/9  
Madden 3/28  
Adeline 3/3  
William 3/24  
Martha 3/31  
Vivienne 3/31

#### **Perrier:**

William 3/11  
Andrew 3/13  
Olivia 3/16  
Grant 3/5  
Addie 3/26  
Olive 3/23

### Spring Camp 2010

#### **JOIN US AT THE CIRCUS!**

**Join us April 5th-9th for a full immersion French CIRCUS ARTS CAMP**

**This Spring break, kids 2-12yrs old will enjoy a FULL WEEK of basic acrobatics, juggling, hoops tricks, arts and crafts, stage design, face painting, balloon crafts, music and more!**

**Classes are taught by experienced francophone Circus Arts teachers.**

**Hours: 8:00am-4:00pm after care available until 5:30**

**Tuition: Regular hours \$249- with aftercare \$289**

**Please supply a bag lunch. Snacks will be provided.**

**Children must be potty trained to attend.**

Campers under 5 years old will be invited to nap, so please bring a blanket and whatever else will help your camper feel more comfortable during nap time.

CAMP WILL BE HELD AT ECOLE BILINGUE'S PERRIER CAMPUS @ 5818 PERRIER ST.

Please contact Yelena Brookshire with questions and to register phone: 504.344.1661 or [ybrookshire@gmail.com](mailto:ybrookshire@gmail.com) Registration forms and tuition can be submitted to the front office at Ecole Bilingue.

### Community Events:

Loyola's College of Law and the Environmental Law Society are bringing Richard Louv to campus. Louv's book "Last Child in the Woods" sends a powerful and important message about the important connection between humans and nature. It is an absolute must read for anyone with children!

### Thank you:

Thank you to Josh Barbee (Mario's Dad) for his help with maintenance at the Perrier Campus.

Thank you to all parents who donated their Mardi Gras beads and a big thank you to Donna Lindsey who collected them and who is going to sell them as a fundraiser for our Lego League team.

### Summer Camp 2010

This year Lango New Orleans will partner with Ecole Bilingue to offer 8 full weeks of a **Full Immersion French, Spanish and Mandarin-Chinese International Adventure Camp!**

At Camp Lango potty trained kids 2.5-12 years old have a SUMMERTIME BLAST trekking the globe as they gain fluency in French, Spanish and Mandarin-Chinese!

Please contact us at [ybrookshire@gmail.com](mailto:ybrookshire@gmail.com) with questions and to register.

Each week at Camp Lango is a new adventure comprised of a combination of Themes and Destinations. Each week ends with a camp-wide celebration for parents, family and friends including an International Circus Festival, Olympic Games, World's Fair, and so much more!

**Session Dates:** Session 1: 6/7-6/18 Session 2: 6/21-7/2  
Session 3: 7/5-7/16 Session 4: 7/19-7/30

#### **Locations:**

Tots: campers 2.5-4 years old will camp at Ecole Bilingue Preschool campus located at 5818 Perrier St.  
Elementary age kids: Campers 5-12 will camp at Ecole Bilingue main campus located at 821 General Pershing St.

**Hours:** 8:30-3:30, before and aftercare available 7:30-5:30.

**Tuition:** \$429 per two week session. A 10% discount for the first ten families who register 10% discount for families camping with us the full 8 weeks.

**We look forward to camping with your little ones this summer!**

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TV5MONDE introduces *Première Classe*, a new interactive site, perfect for those wishing to learn French or compliment their elementary French course. Learning is approached through audiovisual exercises integrating grammar and pronunciation, building vocabulary through different topics as well as gaining cultural insights. The site has a customized introduction to get you started. Moreover, the site is free!

Sign up and have your *Première Classe!*

[www.tv5monde/premiereclasse](http://www.tv5monde/premiereclasse)



*Cricket Lapeyre*  
requests the pleasure of your company  
to meet *Rachel Riley* & view her *Fall - Winter 2010*  
clothing collection for infants, girls, boys and ladies

Thursday, March 4th, 9am - 4pm

5419 South Rocheblave  
New Orleans, LA 70125  
Tel: 504 - 861 4510

Receive 10% off your Entire Purchase\*

Rachel Riley will donate 10% of all sales to  
Ecole Bilingue de Nouvelle Orleans  
[www.ebnola.com](http://www.ebnola.com)

\*discount not applied to specials, shoes or shipping charges

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## Fete Update:

### Restaurants:

Cochon  
Herbsaint  
St. James Cheese Company  
Amanda's Paletas  
Taceaux Toceaux  
Les Deux Papas  
La Cote Brasserie  
Cafe Degas  
La Petite Grocery  
Patios  
Mr. Mudbug  
Theo's Pizza  
Crepe Nanou  
Crepe a la cart  
Louisiana Pizza Kitchen  
Martinique  
Il Posto  
Maurice's French Pastries  
Laurel Street Bakery  
Bee Sweet  
Boulangerie

### Beverages:

Lillet- unknown quantity (for our signature drink "Joie de Vivre" authored by Lil Lovell)  
Glazer's/Val Titus - Kronenbourg 6 kegs total  
Republic National Distributing Company - 15 cases sparkling wine  
Covington Brewhouse - Ponchartrain Pilsner and Bayou Bock (keg beer)  
Coyote Ugly - American beer  
Hopper's Wines and Spirits - Cuvee Blanc et Cuvee Rouge (25+ cases adopted)  
McAlister's Deli - 20 gal. iced tea  
Aquiana Springs - water filtration systems/stations (4-5)  
Riley Foods - Luzianne tea  
16 oz reusable cup sponsors: Lakeview Veterinary Hospital  
21 oz squirt top water bottles: St. James Cheese Company

### Top level of giving:

TV5Monde  
Coyote Ugly  
Jazz and Heritage Festival and Foundation, Inc.  
Royal Engineers and Consultants  
Bertucci-Ness Family  
Alliance Française of New Orleans  
French Consulate of New Orleans  
Cochon  
Herbsaint  
St. James Cheese Company  
Kronenbourg  
Holmes Family  
Haley Family

### Music Lineup:

Outside stage -  
EB orchestra  
EB children's chorus  
Zulu Connection  
Fuzzy and the shopping carts  
Gravity A  
Wazozo  
Feufollet  
Eric John Kaiser  
Tété

Inside Stage -  
Grimaldi Guignol  
Smiley the Clown  
Hazel and the Delta Ramblers  
Crescent City Gymnastics

Does this rock or what?!?!?