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**NEXT MEETING** 

**SEPTEMBER 30, 2017** 

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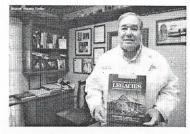
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Dr. Christopher E. CENAC, Sr., was our guest speaker last month. He talked about his three books on the history of Terrebonne Parish. If you have family in Terrebonne Parish you will want to get these books: Eyes of an Eagle; Livestock, Brands and Marks - 1822-1946 Pioneer Family, and his current book Legacies, Hard Scrabble to Hallelujah.

#### **GUEST SPEAKER**

Lacey TRAHAN-MOATE, our recording secretary, will speak on her DNA results from 23&Me and compare the difference between her DNA results from ancestry.com. She will discuss how DNA can assist genealogists with their research.

#### **OCTOBER EVENTS**

October  $13^{th} - 15^{th}$  – Voices of the Wetlands. You are welcome to join us in the wetlands of Terrebonne Parish at 5403 West Park, Houma, LA, 70364. STAY AND CAMP – Sign up for camping and safely stay all night and enjoy the late night jam sessions that have become the talk of the area. See the website for more information: <a href="http://www.voiceofthewetlands.org">http://www.voiceofthewetlands.org</a>.

October  $21^{st} - 22^{nd}$  – Rougarou Festival in Downtown Houma. A fun, spooky, family-friendly festival that celebrates the folklore from the bayous of the area. There will be live music, carnival

rides, a parade, and so much more. All proceeds go to the South LA Wetlands Discovery Center, a non-profit organization. Go to the website for more info: <a href="http://rougaroufest.org/fest-info/">http://rougaroufest.org/fest-info/</a>.

#### **GENEALOGY PROGRAMS**

Finding Your Roots with Henry Louis Gates, Jr. season four premiers Tuesday, October 3, 2017 on your local PBS at 8/7c.

#### **FUTURE BOOKS**

We are working on our next Book of Charts (Vol. #5). If you were unable to send us your charts for Volume 4, now is your chance. Submit your 5 generation to <a href="mailto:tgshouma@gmail.com">tgshouma@gmail.com</a> or mail to P.O. Box 20295, Houma, LA 70361. Make sure to put your name on the bottom of the chart. If YOU don't preserve your family's history, who will?

# WE WANT TOTHANK EVERYONE WHO BROUGHT TREATS AND/OR DOOR PRIZES. YOUR HOSPITALITY IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

#### WISH BOOK LIST

It is not too early to give your family your wish book list. We have attached the book list with this newsletter for you to highlight the books you want and give the list to your family.

#### ADDRESS CORRECTION

When you move please give us your new address. We will not forward any returned mail. Contact Jess BERGERON at <a href="mailto:jessndot@bellsouth.net">jessndot@bellsouth.net</a> or mail it to TGS P. O. Box 20295, Houma, LA 70361-0295 or you can give it to Jess at the meeting.

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2017 MEETING SCHEDULE

DATE	LOCATION	ROOM/FLOOR	BOARD	GENERAL
9/30/2017	Main Branch	Large - 1st floor	11:00 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
10/28/2017	Main Branch	Multimedia - 2nd	11:00 a.m.	1:00 p.m.
	No n	neeting in November		
12/9/2017	Main Branch	Large - 1st floor		12:00 p.m.

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