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Boogie Kings Newsletter June 2012

“BENEFIT NEAR LAFAYETTE, LA.”

On Sunday, June 10th we played the last two hours of a benefit for a lady who is in the 5th stage of renal failure and waiting for a kidney transplant. The benefit was a huge success. They raised thousands of dollars for the lady. The band sounded great. We got a lot of complements. All in all, it was a “win win” outcome.

“BOOGIE KINGS AND LEROUX”

We're playing in Marksville, Louisiana, at the Paragon Casino on Tuesday, July 3rd for a show that includes us and LeRoux (New Orleans Ladies). This is gonna be a blast. The show starts at 8:00. **NOTICE A TIME CHANGE FOR PERFORMANCES.** The Director of Entertainment at Paragon has decided that **LeRoux** will start the show at 8:00 PM. **The Boogie Kings** will start around 9:30 PM. This would be a great way for you and yours to celebrate the 4th of July by starting on the 3rd, listening to some outstanding music, and continuing on the 4th. The director of entertainment told me that a lot of great bands will play on the 4th. Get there on the 3rd; attend our show; get a room; and wake up to much more on the 4th. Maybe you should get your room in advance 😊. Sounds like a plan to me.

“GRETNA HERITAGE FESTIVAL”

The Gretna Heritage Festival located in Historic Downtown Gretna, Louisiana will be from October 5th to October 7th, 2012. The Boogie Kings, along with LeRoux, will play on Friday, October 5th. I don't have all the details right now, but will get then to you as soon as I do.

As you know, The Boogie King Members are:

Doug Ardoin, Bert Miller, Christopher John, Bill Leblanc, Ozzie Hart, Bryan Leger, W. J. (Dub) Dugas, Jim Darnell, Sid Janise, Earl Taylor, and our honorary manager John, Lapin, Bertrand. Also, we are always happy to have Tommy Richard play guitar with us occasionally.

Rene' Theall has been a great source of information for us. Her contacts seem to be limitless. She is authorized to accept gigs for us. Details of which will have to be forwarded to me or Bert Miller for final negotiations, and for preparing a contract.

Don't forget, you can buy Boogie King merchandise from Rene'. Her web site is: www.boogiekings.com or you can call her at 337-258-3834.

Well, that's it for now. If I forgot something, I'll send the info later.

Hope to see all of you at all our gigs.

Thanks,

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