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## **Boogie Kings Newsletter for Mid March 2012**

OK, here's the deal: My hip is getting so much better that we are starting to accept gigs.

### **“BOOGIE KING BASH”**

We are playing in Ville Platte, Louisiana on Friday, April 27<sup>th</sup> for the Louisiana Swamp Pop Museum. We will start at 7:00 ish and play until 11:00 ish. ☺ This is sponsored by the City, and will be at the Civic Center Don't know yet how much a ticket will cost, but when I do I'll let you know.

### **“BOOGIE KINGS AND LEROUX”**

We are playing in Marksville, Louisiana, at the Paragon Casino on Tuesday, July 3<sup>rd</sup> for a show that includes us and LeRoux (New Orleans Ladies). This is gonna be a blast. The show starts at 8:00. I'm gonna try to have the Boogie Kings start the entertainment (8:00). This would be a great way for you and yours to celebrate the 4<sup>th</sup> of July. The director of entertainment told me that a lot of great bands will play on the 4<sup>th</sup>. Get there on the 3<sup>rd</sup>; attend our show; get a room; and wake up to much more entertainment on the 4<sup>th</sup>. Maybe you should get your room in advance ☺. Sounds like a plan to me. I will give you more information as I get it – probable in the next newsletter.

As you know, The Boogie King Members are:

Doug Ardoin, Bert Miller, Allen Wayne, 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. He's invited to play this gig with us.

BTW, if you want a copy of Allen Wayne's new CD “Steppin' Out” You can buy one by going to: [www.allenwayne.net](http://www.allenwayne.net)

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](http://www.boogiekings.com) or you can call her at 337-258-3834.

Well, that's it for now.

Hope to see all of you at all our gigs.

Thanks,

The Boogie Kings [www.boogiekings.net](http://www.boogiekings.net)

Doug Ardoin