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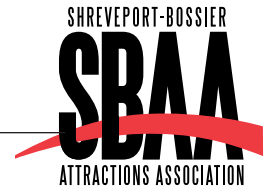


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# 2016 Board of Directors



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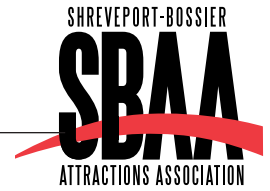
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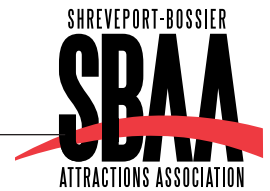
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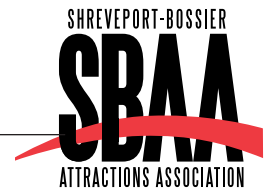
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## **Flying Heart Brewing**

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## **Heritage and Harvest Tour**

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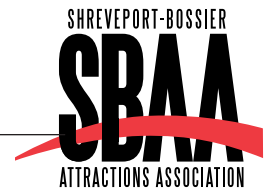
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## **Jubilee Zoo**

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## **Let The Good Times Roll Festival**

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## **Louisiana Boardwalk Outlets**

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## **Louisiana Redbud Festival**

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## **Louisiana State Exhibit Museum**

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## **Mahogany Ensemble Theatre**

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## **Marlene Yu Museum**

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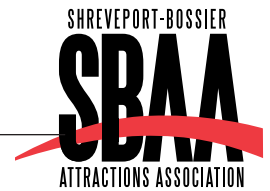
## **Meadows Museum of Art**

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## **Mooringsport Cypress Festival**

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## Shreveport Little Theatre

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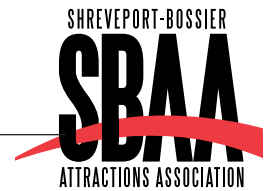
## Shreveport Metropolitan Ballet

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Heidi York Gerkin  
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## Shreveport Municipal Auditorium

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## **Shreveport Railroad Museum**

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## **Soumas Heritage Creole Creations**

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## **Southern University Museum of Art**

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## **Splash Kingdom Waterpark**

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## **State Fair of Louisiana**

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## **Stephens African American Museum**

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## **Sunflower Trail & Festival**

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## **Theatre of the Performing Arts of Shreveport**

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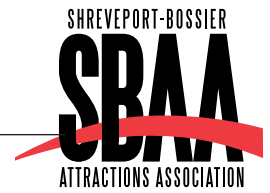
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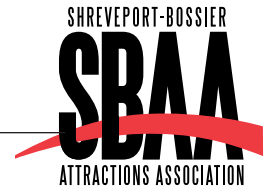
## **Walter B. Jacobs Memorial Nature Park**

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# Important 2016 Dates



## Shreveport-Bossier Attractions Association Seminars; 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**Monday, February 22**

**Monday, May 16**

**Monday, August 15**

**Monday, November 21**

## National Travel Tourism Week

**May 1-7, Be A Fan of Shreveport-Bossier**

## P.R.I.D.E. Awards

**May 5**

6 p.m. Reception

6:30 p.m. Awards

Sam's Town Hotel & Casino

315 Clyde Fant Pkwy., Shreveport, LA 71101

## Shreveport-Bossier Convention and Tourist Bureau Christmas Open House

**Friday, Dec. 2**

11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Downtown Shreveport Visitor Center

629 Spring St., Shreveport, LA 71101

## Hospitality Breakfasts - 8 a.m.

**Wednesday, January 6**

Ralph & Kacoo's Restaurant

1700 Old Minden Rd., Bossier City, LA 71111

**Wednesday, February 3**

Lewis Gifts & Biscotti's

5807 Youree Dr., Shreveport, LA 71105

**Wednesday, March 2**

Holiday Inn Shreveport Downtown

102 Lake St., Shreveport, LA 71101

**Wednesday, April 6**

Wyndham Garden Hotel

1419 E. 70th St., Shreveport, LA 71111

**Wednesday, June 1**

Harrah's Louisiana Downs

8000 E. Texas St., Bossier City, LA 71111

**Wednesday, July 6**

Ernest's Orleans Restaurant

1601 Spring St., Shreveport, LA 71101

**Wednesday, August 3**

Hilton Hotel Shreveport

104 Market St., Shreveport, LA 71101

**Wednesday, September 7**

Fairfield Place Bed & Breakfast Inn

2221 Fairfield Ave., Shreveport, LA 71104

**Wednesday, October 5**

State Fair of Louisiana

3701 Hudson St., Shreveport, LA 71109

**Wednesday, November 2**

Hilton Garden Inn/Homewood Suites by Hilton Shreveport-Bossier

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