



MYSTIC KREWE OF AQUARIUS

September 2005

Krewe's News

2005 USO Show

Plans are well underway for the 2005 USO Show, the Krewe's largest fundraiser. The big show will be held Saturday, November 5, at the Balinese Room, and Johnny Lidstone reports 23 confirmed acts with a few still in the planning stages. The show's raffle will be shopping sprees at Wal-mart and Academy. As usual, the Krewe's famous "candy girls" will sell snacks at the show. Tickets are \$10 per person, and are already being sold and distributed. Business card size advertising in the show program is available for \$15. Pat Collier is in charge of ticket sales (938-1410); Ron Dyda is in charge of the raffles; and Fran Grabiell will handle programs and program advertisements.

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Annual Brisket Sale

The Krewe's Annual Brisket Sale will be held on Saturday, October 29, at the KOA Float Barn. Fully cooked briskets will be sold for \$30 each, and brisket plates will be sold for \$6. Whole briskets must be pre-ordered through John Berend, chair of the event (935-3547). This has always been a fun and profitable event. Last year, we sold over 90 briskets, and we hope to top the record, this year. Goes without saying, we need volunteers and helpers to come out and support the cooking team.

Upcoming Events

- Krewe Meeting 9/22
- Krewe Meeting 10/13
- Krewe Meeting 10/27
- Brisket Sale 10/29
- USO Show 11/5



2005 Mardi Gras Poster Contest

Stephaine Blasé, KOA Mardi Gras poster contest chair, is accepting art for the 2005 poster contest. If you are interested in entering the contest and would like more information, please contact her at (409) 744-1981.



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We're on the web: www.Krewe-of-Aquarius.com

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Carla Pronio

Jonathan Wester



Mardi Gras Party & Basket

Thanks to Veronica and Keith Henries for a good time on August 13. Krewe members and guests were treated to a dance with a party basket given away. The basket was stocked full of wine and spirits and other Mardi Gras things. "Wild about Texas" played and donated \$100 to our Krewe. Thanks to Peggy and Laura Manhart, as well, for their kind donation.

Trolley Party

Krewe members who attended this year's Trolley Party will tell you what a great time they had. Some 90 plus Krewe members and guests spent three hours parading the streets of Galveston throwing beads. All the stops along the way proved to be great hosts and a lot of fun. Thanks to Rhonda Sykes and Solita Walker who chaired the fun party.

KOA Meetings Moved to KC Hall Club Room

Krewe meetings have been moved into the club room at the KC Hall (1912 Winnie). Krewe members voted to move our meetings into the smaller room. Smoking is banned during the meetings, but people may smoke in the club room before and afterwards.