



Women's Council
OF GREATER BATON ROUGE

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Women's Week Brings New Members



The excitement of the Women's Week Kickoff Luncheon and the flurry of activities convinced many women to join the Women's Council. We are pleased to report that the following 29 women became new members August 12 to October 5, 2010.

Student: Cassandra Roy, Dionne Badon, Alejandra Saez

Individual: Dee Burnell, Charlene Bertrand, Lori Tucker, Kathleen Chadick, Elinor Craven, Mary Ann Maher, Phi Truong, Sylvia Wolber, Emily Hubbard, Sharilyn Livingston, Nell Allbritton, Bridgette Hardy, Angela Lewis, Shonda Henderson, Susan Butler, Carmen Spooner

Small Business: Denise Palmisano with Empowering Potential; Meredith Eicher Partner with Phoenix Consulting Group; Brigette Major with BAM Accounting Solutions; Reshay Evans with Destination Travel Agency; Shonda Boudet with Always Best Care Senior Services; Dee Mather-Muenzler with Re/Max First; Maria Dunmars with Be Fruitful

Non-Profit: Pollie Johnson, Rep for Resurrection Life Family Ministries/ Glory House

Corporate: Victoria Leet with RBC Insurance; Leslie Matlock with Business First Bank

Welcome all and we look forward to getting to know you.

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Visit the Website Photo Gallery



Did you know that WCGBR website has a PHOTO GALLERY which has over thirty folders containing event pictures that date back to 2006?

Event folders for 2010 contain pictures of the Officer and Board Induction, Race for the Cure, Silver Magnolia Tea, "Tea for Two" Open House, and Patrons Reception. The area has been

recently updated with pictures from various Women's Week Activities, the Women's Week Luncheon and Speaker's Dinner. You can view these pictures individually, download those you would like to keep onto your computer or print the ones you like!

You can reach the Photo Gallery by clicking on the "Photos" tab at the top of the website main page or you can go to <http://www.wcgbr.com/photos/igallery.asp>

For more information or to submit pictures of an event, contact Mary Jacob at mjacob53@cox.net or call 753-4226.

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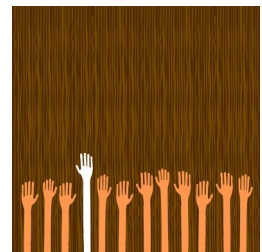
**Recipes needed for
cookbook!
WCGBR Wants Your
Recipes!!**

Women's Council of Greater Baton Rouge is in the process of putting together a cookbook fundraiser. In order for this idea to succeed, we need recipes. Please feel free to submit your personal recipes

to us and we will publish them!
We are looking for a variety of recipes including appetizers, main dishes, desserts and drinks.
You can submit your recipe two ways:
By email:
wcgbrcookbook@yahoo.com

By mail:
P. O. Box 14123, Baton Rouge, LA 70898

If you're interested in joining our committee, call Eilleen Thompson at (225) 218-0075.



Like to help us out???
We'd love to have you!

New Fax Number for Women's Council

As we continue to grow we, continue to change. Kristina Shapiro is going to retire her fax machine, which is what we have been using for several years. And so we are switching to our own fax number - (225) 663-8886 - with Ring Central.

There are some specific "rules" that need to be followed for the fax to work.

Incoming Faxes:

- 1) People must use the 225 area code when faxing us anything even if they are faxing from Baton Rouge.
- 2) You might hear a voice greeting when you dial our fax number, but that's OK, it will fax your info.
- 3) Incoming faxes are routed to ext. 0, which is our general info number. A member of the Women's Council will receive an e-mail notification and forward to the appropriate person.

There are a few "rules" associated with outgoing faxes as well. Any Women's Council member whose position within the Council requires using this feature of our Ring Central Account will receive training.

Women's Council Member in the News



From Left: Past WCGBR President, Cookie Tuminello and Linda Allred

Platinum Records magazine printed an article by Women's Council member, Linda Allred. Her article, "The 8 Habits of Highly Miserable and Unhealthy People" appeared in the August issue of Platinum Records. You can read it on-line [here](#).

Member Events

Ladies! If you like to sing...

The Baton Rouge Chorus of Sweet Adelines performs during the holidays in various nursing homes and retirement centers around Baton Rouge. We learn about seven or eight Christmas songs, wear sparkly costumes, mix in some humorous dialog and audience participation, and then take our act on the road for most of the Tuesday and Thursday nights in December. We will begin rehearsals for the Christmas Chorus on Tuesday, October 19th. We'll rehearse every Tuesday night from 6:30pm- 9:00pm at Trinity Lutheran Church 10925 Florida Blvd. If you like to sing and can carry a tune, we'd love to have you join us this season! If you'd like more information (or an encouraging word), feel free to email Kristina at kristina@shapiroandshapiro.com or call her at 928-4193. You might also like to check out our website: www.batonrougechorus.org Come have fun with us on the 19th! Please feel free to share this invitation with other ladies that you know who might be interested.

Join the WC Bowling Team for

Bowl for Hope

The Women's Council is organizing a team to bowl Sunday, October 30th from 1PM to 3PM at Circle for Bowl for Hope, a benefit for member organization, Boys Hope Girls Hope. The cost is \$30 for shoes, 2 hours of bowling, an event t-shirt, and lots of fun. Spouses, boyfriends, and significant others welcome! To join, email Erica at emalone@bhgh.org or call 225-346-5095.

If you or your organization has an event coming up that you'd like to announce, contact Erica Malone at bookbooglar@yahoo.com.

Habitat for Humanity Women Build

WC will be seeking volunteers to help build a home for a woman and her family. We would like to see WC put together a "TEAM" to help do this and think it would be a fun and good experience. Check the website for more information— www.wcgb.com.

Women's Council Upcoming Meetings

In order to accommodate women who are unable to participate in our regular luncheon meetings, the Women's Council has planned two meetings during the month of October. Our regular monthly meeting, scheduled for October 14 at 11:30a.m., will recognize and encourage new membership. A second membership meeting "Women's Council After Hours" will be held on October 28 at 6:00p.m. in conjunction with MarketPlace. MarketPlace, which features topics of interest to Women's Council entrepreneurs, is held monthly at the St. Paul Lutheran Church on the corner of Tara Blvd and Old Hammond Highway.

The Women's Council is also planning a **Meet and Greet** to be held November 11. Members are asked to bring a side dish. Please check the [website](#) for details.