



December 2016

December Association News

Louisiana Notary Association

Upcoming Events

December 6

Bayou Region Shop Talk

Location: Lin's Chinese Buffet, 404 N. Canal Blvd, Ste 1, Thibodaux, LA 70301

Time: 6:30 pm

Guest Speaker: Annette M. Fontana, Lafourche Parish Clerk of Court

For more information contact:

Clorissa Caillouet

ccaillouet@bellsouth.net

December 8

St. Tammany Shop Talk

Location: Zea's Rotisserie & Grill

Time: 6:30 pm

Topic: Round table open discussion and planning session for suggested speakers and topics for the upcoming year

For more information contact:

Lauren Ducote

laurenmducote@att.net

December 19

Baton Rouge Shop Talk

Location: Zea's in Towne Center

Time: 6:30 pm

Topic: Our December Shop Talk will be a Christmas dinner with gift exchange and we will also be recapping the discussions of the November Annual Membership Meeting. If you will be participating in the gift exchange, please keep gift value at \$10 and gender nonspecific.

For more information contact:

Brandi Miller

bmiller.notary@gmail.com

December 22

Acadiana Shop Talk

Location: Hub City Diner

Time: 6:30 pm

Topic: Our December Shop Talk will be a Christmas dinner with gift exchange. If you will be participating in the gift exchange, please keep gift value at a limit of \$20 and gender nonspecific.

For more information contact:

Lisa Nassour

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**Northeast Shop Talk Date and Location TBD

**The Lake Charles, DeRidder and New Orleans Shop Talks will not be meeting in December.



It's Membership Renewal Time!

Dues Renewals for the 2017 Calendar year are being sent out and have been uploaded to your online account at www.lna.org. To avoid missing out on great LNA benefits, simply return your membership renewal, with payment, using the pre-addressed return envelope or by renewing online!

The new LNA Website makes online dues renewals easy! See the 4 simple steps below:

1. Log into your personal account (*see instructions below*)
2. Click into your account

3. Click the **RENEW NOW** button on the left side of the page.
4. Add the renewal to your cart and check out!

It's as simple as that and should take no longer than a few minutes!! *If you need to change your Membership Type please contact the office before making payment.*

Also, please make sure to take a look at your account information including your address, email, and phone number, preferences for the Find a Notary Search and Signed and Sealed delivery, and make sure that all information is up to date. If anything needs to be updated please click on the edit button on the right hand side of each box and save once completed.

Please contact the LNA office by phone at 225-927-7001 or by email at office@lna.org if you have any questions

How to Activate your LNA Account

The Louisiana Notary Association recently updated to a new website! With the update, your old account login has been reset. Please follow the directions below to "activate" your account and log in:

1. Click the Sign in button towards the top of your browser.
2. Click "Forgot Username"
3. Type in the email address that is associated with your LNA Account (hint: the email address that this was sent to)
4. Click submit and then visit your email account to find the link to create a unique password for your account.
5. Enjoy the new website!

Join the Find a Notary Search!

The Find a Notary Search has also been updated, make sure to check it out by clicking [HERE!](#) One membership benefit of the LNA is having the option to be included in this search. If you would like your business or personal information included please follow the directions below.

1. Visit your account by clicking "Hi, (your name)"
2. Select the preferences tab
3. Select the pencil edit button
4. Click the check box next to include me in the Find a Notary Public Search.
5. Finally, Save your response!

*(**Please note: If you previous elected to be included in the find a notary search on the old website, you were not automatically included on the updated version on the new website. Also, the find a notary search is updated every few days, so if you elect to be included and do not see your name yet, please check back in a few days.)*

Signed and Sealed Publication Notice

There will be no Signed and Sealed this quarter due to the flooding event in southeast Louisiana. The Publication Committee working diligently and are hoping to release the next issue in January of 2017.

They've Done it Again!



The Louisiana Notary Association has once again partnered with West to offer you savings on the 2017 Louisiana Civil Code Books. All LNA members pay only \$199 for the set. That's over 50% off the original price! So, make sure to pay your 2017 dues today to take advantage of this great offer. Civil Code Books can be purchased directly from the New LNA Website [HERE](#) or if you need to send in a check you can click [HERE](#) for the order form.

*Price includes tax, shipping and handling

The LNA Notary Survival Kit

This is one desk reference you can't do without. Developed to meet the needs of newly commissioned notaries, this 500+ page auxiliary reference is an indispensable tool for even the most experienced notaries. Updated to reflect rule changes, this one book contains everything notaries need to set up shop, including the template-based forms and background information from state and federal agencies that is critical to completing transactions every notary is called upon to execute, including vehicle transfers, titled movable transfers, vital records registry and more. In addition, the kit features:

- Up-to-date statewide contact list for government agencies, recording clerks, Parish maps, recorders and municipal courts
- Secretary of State forms and resources
- Complete Notary Public
- The most requested articles from Signed & Sealed.

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