

James Picayune

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to 2 and 2:30 to 3:30 Sat. Free.

Rabies Vaccinations — Schwegmann's, 8001 Airline Highway. The Jefferson Parish mobile rabies unit will be in the supermarket's parking lot, 1 to 4 Sat.

Archdiocesan Charity Ball — New Orleans Hilton, Grand Salon. Featured entertainers at the annual fund-raising event of Associated Catholic Charities will be singers Sergio Franchi and Dany Valery and Herb Tassin and His Orchestra, 6:30 to midnight Sat (including cocktails, dinner, dancing and the show). For ticket information call 897-2255.

NOCCA Festival — Contemporary Arts Center, 900 Camp St. The New Orleans Center for Creative Arts, the public high school for artistically gifted students, holds its annual festival of the performing and visual arts, 7 to 10 Sat.

Poetry Reading — Maple Leaf Bar, 8316 Oak St. Poets Arden Allen, Mark Bristow, Jack McNaughton and Meika Bristow read from their works, 2:30 Sun. Free.

Crete Lecture — New Orleans Museum of Art, City Park. Dr. Kenneth Kitchell of the LSU department of classics discusses the culture of the island of Crete in the period following the Minoans, in a speech presented by the New Orleans Society of the Archaeological Institute of America and the Greek consulate, 3 Sun. By admission.

Memorial Service — Mt. Zion Methodist Church, 2700 Louisiana Ave. The Police Brutality Committee, in conjunction with Mt. Zion Church, holds a memorial service "for victims of police brutality and other crimes," 4:30 Sun.

Autographing Party — Faubourg Marigny Bookstore, 600 Frenchmen St. Thelma Toole, the mother of the late Pulitzer Prize-winning author of "A Confederacy of Dunces," John Kennedy Toole, will autograph copies of both the hardback and the just-published paperback editions of the book, 5 to 7 Sun.

Sierra Club — St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, 8019 Zimple St. (at Carrollton). The environmental group presents a talk by Anne-Marie Orłowski of the Audubon Park Zoo on "Injured Bird Rehabilitation" and a film on "Cycling Safety Tips," 7:30 Sun.

"Meet the Coach" Luncheon — New Orleans Hilton, Grand Salon. New Saints coach "Bum" Phillips is the honoree at a luncheon benefiting Children's Hospital, 12:30 Mon (cocktails at 11:30 a.m.). Tickets at Ticketmaster outlets.

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