

# NEWSLETTER

## MARCH 2022



## BBBS NEWS & UPDATES



# WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH



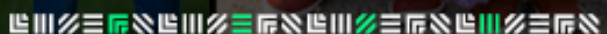
March is **Women's History Month!** We're calling on all our Big Sisters and Little Sisters to tell us what your favorite thing is about your match! Email Christie at [choward@acadianabigs.com](mailto:choward@acadianabigs.com) to share your story!



**Big Brothers Big Sisters.**



## WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH



# HAPPY **MATCH** ANNIVERSARY to our March Matches!

## THREE YEARS

Bria & Shante

## TWO YEARS

Abigail & Danielle  
Blake & Stuart

## ONE YEAR

Mikayla & Kaizly  
Madison & Cy'Niya  
Ross & Jacob  
Lena & Armani

Our annual **Big Draft** campaign kicked off on February 14th! If you know someone who would make a great Big Brother or Big Sister, point them to register for a Big Draft Party at [acadianabigs.com/bigdraft](https://acadianabigs.com/bigdraft). Help us spread the word by sharing our posts on social media.

(Big Draft Parties are intended for Bigs & potential Bigs. Littles cannot attend.)



**THE BIG DRAFT 2022**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16TH @ 5:30 PM**  
Legends South: 6772 Johnston St. Lafayette, LA

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9TH @ 5:30 PM**  
Legends Scott: 108 Apollo Rd. Scott, LA

**WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23RD @ 5:30 PM**  
Legends Bertrand: 215 Bertrand Dr. Lafayette, LA

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6TH @ 5:30 PM**  
Legends Pinhook: 3439 W Pinhook Rd. Lafayette, LA

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20TH @ 5:30 PM**  
Legends Johnston: 4559 Johnston St. Lafayette, LA

[ACADIANABIGS.COM/BIGDRAFT](https://acadianabigs.com/bigdraft)

INSPIRE CHANGE 





Big Brothers Big Sisters will be receiving proceeds from this year's Zydeco Marathon! If you would like to volunteer with your Little or your family/ friends, please contact [Choward@acadianabigs.com](mailto:Choward@acadianabigs.com)!



**COURSE VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**  
**MARCH 13, 2022 | LAFAYETTE, LOUISIANA**



Course Volunteers will cheer on runners along the Zydeco Marathon Course while pointing them in the right direction! This is our most important volunteer job!

Volunteers will receive a Volunteer T-shirt & refreshments!

**WHEN:** Sunday, March 13th, 2022 at 6:00 AM  
**WHERE:** Check-in at Parc International: 200 Garfield St. Lafayette, LA 70501

Contact Christie Howard at [christie@zydecomarathon.com](mailto:christie@zydecomarathon.com) or sign up at [www.zydecomarathon.com](http://www.zydecomarathon.com)



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**Big Brothers  
Big Sisters.**  
OF ACADIANA

**MARCH 12-13, 2022 | 5K & KIDS 1 MILE | 26.2 MILES | 13.1 MILES | HALF & FULL RELAY**







# ACTIVITY IDEAS



## LAFAYETTE HOLI FESTIVAL IS BACK!

Lafayette Holi Festival is a celebration of Holi dedicated to the City of Lafayette, LA. It is organized by the Acadiana Indian Association.

<http://www.lafayetteholi.org/>



## FESTIVALS ACADIENS ET CREOLES

Enjoy the free music or Explore the shops! You can also sign-up to volunteer!

<https://www.festivalsacadiens.com/>



## SHADOWS ON THE TECHE

The Shadows-on-the-Teche Fair will take place in the Shadows gardens on Saturday, March 5 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Vendors from around Louisiana will display and sell their original work. A variety of hand-crafted products will be available for sale, as well as desserts, food, and beverages. [MORE INFO HERE](#)



## LET'S MAKE ART!

Hillard Art Museum! Work with a local teaching artist to create an artwork inspired by the museum's current exhibitions. Art activities are designed for ages 4 and up. Children must be accompanied by an adult. Participation is free with admission.

[SEE MORE DETAILS HERE!](#)





# COMMUNITY INFO & RESOURCES

## DEBRIS DROP

MARCH 5, 2022 · 8AM - 12PM

### TWO DROP-OFF LOCATIONS:

Brown Park

1234 E. Pont Des Mouton Rd.

Robicheaux Center

1919 Eraste Landry Rd.

*RESIDENTS OF CITY OF LAFAYETTE &  
UNINCORPORATED AREAS ONLY*



## Wellness Wednesday<sup>with</sup>



POSITIVE CHOICES



Counseling Services, Inc.

Your Mental Health Matters

**Every Wednesday**  
**8pm-9pm CST**







Do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions, concerns or requests!



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