

Golden Opportunity

Monthly Newsletter

January 2011



Happy New Year!

**Thursday, January 13 – “SHIPP”
2011 Medicare Updates (9:30a –
11:00a)** ▪ Vicki Dufrene ▪ Monroe
Hall (Near Southport Café)

**Friday, January 14 – Lunch Bunch
“Dickie Brennan’s” Restaurant
(11:30a)** ▪ 10:45 a.m. departure from
Brent House Atrium ▪ **\$5p.p. (Bus
fee) ▪ \$25 plus tax & tip** (3-Course)
prix fixed menu (*paid to restaurant*)

**Monday, January 17 – Hornet’s
Game 12:30 p.m.** Depart from Brent
House \$42.50 ▪ **Party 1:00 p.m. –
2:00 p.m.** GO Hornets – Golden
Opportunity has teamed up with the NBA
“Hornet’s Team” to offer our members a
“Party” with the Hornet’s & “Press Box
Seating” which includes private restroom
facilities and bus transportation.

Ticket / Party \$37.50 + Bus \$5 = \$42.50.
Each game below includes a hot dog,
popcorn, drinks and cake. Ticket price is
based on 20. Please make checks payable to
Ochsner Health System. To take your own
transportation subtract \$5 from ticket price.

**Wednesday, January 20 –
Breakfast with Angela Group
Meeting (10:00a)** ▪ **Monroe Hall
(Near Southport Café – 1st Floor
Hospital)**

**Thursday, January 27 – “Day at
the Races” Trip** ▪ 11:00a departure
(Brent House Atrium) ▪ “Choice of:
Corned Beef and Cabbage: *corned
beef with cabbage and boiled potatoes.* ▪
Blackened Catfish with Creole Sauce
over Rice ▪ *Each served with tossed
salad, coffee, iced tea, soft drink and
dessert.*” \$36 (per person) includes bus
fee. ▪ Please make checks payable to
Ochsner Health System.

Monday, January 31 – Pot Luck ▪
11:30a ▪ Clinic Board Room (1st Flr)
– Next to Chapel ▪ Bring your
favorite dish.

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Membership Renewals & Cards: Have you checked your card lately? \$10 for Renewals per Year. If your membership with GO has lapsed 2-years or more you will be required to "rejoin" the program at the existing membership rate of \$25 (member) and \$40 (member & spouse). If you do not renew your membership you will NOT be allowed to register/participate in any events and/or trips if your membership is not up-to-date.

If you have registered for a upcoming trip (*i.e. Savannah*) and your membership is not in GOOD standing your seat will be given to a member who is (active & in good standing with his/her membership) and your check will be placed on hold until your membership has been reinstated. This policy also includes (lunch bunch, local trips, \$5 per visit BENEFIT with Elmwood Fitness Center etc).

It is unfair to those members who has faithfully renewed their membership each year to not have an opportunity to participate in events/trips when (expired members) has taken the available seats! These events/trips are coordinated for active members. Please "check" your membership card/expiration to be certain you are in "Good standing" with the program. I would like to encourage each you to check your membership card on a monthly basis and/or make a note on your calendar as to when your membership is up for renewal.

Misplaced Cards: A replacement card will be a \$5 fee.

2011 Upcoming Activities:

- Feb: Stennis Space Center
- Mar: Audubon Pilgrimage (St. Francisville)
- Apr: Governor's Mansion & Shaw Center

** More information to come on the events above.*

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"Broadway Across America"
March 15, 2011 – West Side Story -
\$57.50 - (includes Bus Fee)

GO Hornet's
Wednesday, February 23, 2011 – 7pm
Ticket / Party \$37.50 + Bus \$5 = \$42.50. Each game below includes a hot dog, popcorn, drinks and cake. Ticket price is based on 20. Please make checks payable to Ochsner Health System. To take your own transportation subtract \$5 from ticket price.

Savannah, Jekyll Island & Beaufort
7-Days ~\$499 *
PER PERSON, DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
* Please add \$150 for Single Occupancy
(Sun - Sat) March 27 - April 2, 2011

INCREDIBLE PRICE INCLUDES:

- Motorcoach transportation
- 6 nights lodging including 4 consecutive nights in the Savannah area
- 10 meals: 6 breakfasts and 4 dinners
- Tour of charming Savannah, including a visit to a historic and famous home
- Tour of gorgeous Beaufort, SC, "Queen of the Carolina Sea Islands" ...plus a visit to Parris Island
- Tour of amazing Jekyll & St. Simon's Island – see how America's early millionaires lived and played!
- and much more

Please make checks payable to Diamond Tours!

Deposit: \$75
(Due upon reservation)
*Final Payment – 1/19/2011

