

DeRidder Arts Calendar

April 2024



Art Reception

Friday, April 19

The RealArt DeRidder Gallery will host the art of students from Newton County, Texas during the month of April. A public reception will be held **from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, April 19**. The gallery is located at 108 West 1st Street in downtown DeRidder.

Third Saturday Bluegrass Jam

Saturday, April 20

The "Third Saturday Bluegrass Jam" will be held at **Noon on Saturday, April 20** at the Beauregard Museum, 120 South Washington Ave., downtown DeRidder. Free to play and to listen. Old-time, acoustic music only. *This jam will be during the Louisiana Doll Festival in downtown DeRidder. Come to enjoy the festival and the jam. (The jam will still be located inside the museum, however.)*

DHS presents "Anastasia"

April 20-21

The DeRidder High School Drama Club will present, "Anastasia The Musical (Youth Edition), in free public performances **April 20-21 (Saturday at 6 p.m. and Sunday at 3 p.m.)** at the DeRidder High School Auditorium, 723 O'Neal Street.

Beauregard Courtesy's "Spring Sing"

Thursday, April 25

The Rotary Club of DeRidder presents, "Beauregard Courtesy's Spring Sing," from **5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday, April 25** at the Amerisafe Pavilion. Enjoy this free concert in downtown DeRidder. Free food and drink.

Southwest Jazz Concert

Friday, April 26

Southwest Jazz will hold their "Radio Call In Concert" at **7 p.m. Friday, April 26** at the Wooten Theater, 102 East 1st Street, downtown DeRidder. This is a free concert. If your name is called, you get to select your favorite song from the playlist. Concessions and donations will benefit Impromptu Players.

Williamson Branch Bluegrass Concert

Saturday, April 27

Bluegrass band Williamson Branch will perform at **6 p.m. Saturday, April 27** at the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, 3261 Hwy. 171 South, in DeRidder. A love offering will be taken. This band was the International Bluegrass Music Association's Momentum Vocalist of the Year winner.

SAVE THE DATE:

Impromptu Players' May Show

The Impromptu Players will present "A Bad Day for Wolf" during dates in May (May 3, 4, 5, 10 and 11.) Look for ticket information at impromptuplayers.com.

Summer Camps

The Impromptu Players will hold auditions for its Summer Camps from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, April 21 at the theater. Registration will be Sunday, April 28 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. These camps are for children completing 4th grade and up. Camp 1 will be June 17-22, and Camp 2 is July 8-13. Look for more information on the "Impromptu Players" Facebook page.

ALSO:

RAD Artists Exhibit in Leesville

Selected artists from the RealArt DeRidder Gallery are exhibiting their art at Gallery One Elleven in downtown Leesville through Saturday, April 27. This exhibit is sponsored by State Rep. Charles "Chuck" Owen.