



Big Easy Fleur De Lis Parkinson's Support Group

July 27, 2015

Meeting Agenda

BIG EASY WELCOME, Baudry Greeting and Stretch !

INTRODUCTIONS, BIRTHDAYS:

Please turn in your "New Member Profile" to **Connie Cambre**.

Old Business:

* Advisory Group/2015 Reports:

Fred– Treasurer Report -

Marie - Refreshments

Paul Perry –liaison: *LA WALKS for Parkinson's*

Toni Farmer – 50/50 Raffle

* **WALK 2015 Report – how many received an email re: WALK ?**

* **Pennington Parkinson's Conference July 18th - once again, mixed reviews.**

I have been asked to serve on the Planning Committee for next year's Pennington Conference – with their decreasing budget, this will be a Challenging year. It is important to me to hear the feedback of those of you that attended, or heard any reports. Please share with me your critique as well as your positive remarks.

New Business:

* **Advocating to Newly Diagnosed PWP through their Doctors – our "Parkie Pack"**

* **P-Dance Class** - now forming at **BAUDRY THERAPY** rich@baudrytherapy.com

* **9th Annual Ochsner PD symposium is now open for registration! To register for September 12th 8:30am- 3:00pm at the Brent House Conference Center, please follow this link:**

<http://www.ochsner.org/services/neurosciences/parkinsons-disease-symposium/>

There is only room for 200 and it fills up fast!

* **MACY'S Shop for a Cause** - For our fourth year, Big Easy Parkinson's Support Group will be selling Macy's Savings passes for \$5.00 each. Our Group will keep 100% of the sales price of the pass. They are good at **any Macy's**. They are only good in-store. Each pass purchased will allow buyer to receive 30% off purchases **all day on August 29th, 2015**, and each pass will be placed in a drawing for a \$500.00 Macy's Shopping Gift Certificate !

* **ROCK STEADY BOXING** - coming to your town? Call Melissa if interested. She will be opening a gym in the area of most interest ! Melissa Cantrell-985-801-9074

* **Readi-Steady Anti-Tremor Hand Orthotic**

{custom Glove– created in Baton Rouge} www.facebook.com/TheNeuroMedicalCenter

* **BRAIN BANK – GOOGLE ONE NEAR YOU !!!**

* **Join our Comedy Hour Group for an outing you will love! Jodi Borrrello**

OUR GUEST SPEAKER: **Dr. Joe Griffith - Audiology exams & lecture / Caption Call phones Carved Watermelon Display !**

Aug. 31st **Jane Levine – Life Line Ice Cream Social !**

Sept. 28th **Wellness Center: Lauren Fremin - Exercise & Dance / Olivia Brant - Nutrition**

October 26th **Dr. David Houghton PD today Carved Pumpkin Display**

November 30th "Rep Day" Two new and useful drugs for PD will be demonstrated and described by our very own reps, Betty Randle {Abbvie} - Duopa & Lisa Bryant {U.S. World Meds} - Apokyn

ADVOCATING FOR PARKINSON'S AWARENESS IS UP TO EACH OF US

Wear your Bracelets * Wear your PINS