

October 2024



# Etchings

2024-2025 Society Officers

President - Bonnie Theard Vice President - Keely Stockman  
Treasurer - Glenn Plauche Recording Secretary - Stephanie Prunty  
Corresponding Secretary - Darrell Redler

## Francine Cancels the September Meeting

Bonnie Theard had the foresight to cancel the September meeting when Francine was still a tropical storm and forecasted to impact areas to the west of the New Orleans area. As it turned out, we got a lot more than we anticipated, and the meeting would have been quite impossible to be held. I for one hope everyone made out okay for this storm.

I'm sure we are all looking forward to our next meeting. This month's newsletter is shorter due to the lack of the usual reminiscences of the last meeting. However, we have some information to share regarding upcoming events, as well as much of the same tidbits from September since the October meeting will essentially be a delayed version of September's meeting, including the program, show-and-tell, and refreshments list for those who assumed they were off the hook 😊. Looking forward to seeing everyone on the 9<sup>th</sup>!



## Updates on the Holiday Raffle and Auction

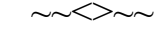
Thank you to all who donated items for the holiday raffle which will be held on the night of the Holiday Banquet (details below in the Calendar of Events). Donations are still needed, however, for the auction in November. High-quality glass or fine china items will be accepted at the October 9<sup>th</sup> meeting, the last chance we'll have to collect these items. Please identify the item and manufacturer. Thanks again for all the donations!



## September Birthdays

Best wishes to everybody with a September birthday, including:  
Desiree Miller (9/1), Fran Swan (9/6), Keely Stockman (9/14),  
René Redler (9/17), Buddy LeBell (9/19), and Kay Caruso (9/23).

## Meeting Reminder



Wednesday

**Oct. 9, 2024**

**Cocktail Hour**

**Meeting begins 7:00pm**  
**Doors open 6:30pm**

## Program:

**Cordials and Ashtrays**

Presented by  
**Jane Stacy**

## Show & Tell:

**Bring your favorite drinking glass**

**Refreshments will be available!**

**Appetizers:**  
Desiree Miller, Al & Genny Melillo  
**Main Item:** Jane Stacy  
**Sweets:** Carol McCarty, June Leopold, & Marty Goldstein  
**Drinks:** Pat Lalinger

**Door Prize 5 raffle tickets**

**50/50 or a Raffle for a "glass prize"**

**Library is available.**

**Angels' Place donations in basket to be passed around.**

## 2024-25 Rosters

**The new rosters are printed and will be distributed at the meeting.**

### October Library Display

The club is displaying vintage items in the birthstone color of each month at the Jefferson Parish East Bank Regional Library on West Napoleon Ave. in Metairie. The October display features pieces resembling opal and tourmaline. Thanks as always to Glenn and Bonnie for setting up the display, which also provides library patrons with information about the items as well as information about the CCDGS through the use of QR codes that instantly connect users to our website and/or Facebook page.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Oct. 11-13 (Fri., Sat., Sun.):** Semi-Annual Antique Fair & Yard Sale at the Washington Old Schoolhouse Antique Mall & Cafe, 123 S. Church St., Washington, LA. 40,000 square feet of antiques, collectibles, and other vintage items. ([oldschoolhouseantiquemall.com](http://oldschoolhouseantiquemall.com))

**Oct. 19 (Sat.):** 11am-3pm: Home Tour, Ron and Gloria Broadbent, 3113 S. Eugene St., Baton Rouge, LA. \$10 per person, light refreshments.

**Oct. 26-27 (Sat. and Sun.):** Slidell Olde Town Street Fair, 1952 First St., Slidell, LA, to include antiques, crafts, and food. ([slidellstreetfair.com](http://slidellstreetfair.com))

**Nov. 13 (Wed.) 7 pm:** Monthly Meeting with Silent Auction featuring a wide variety of vintage glass; also with Program (Antique Mixers by Darrell Redler) and Show & Tell (vintage kitchen gadgets).

**Dec. 10 (Tue.) 6 pm:** Cocktails, 6:30 pm followed by our Holiday Banquet and Raffle, Porter & Luke's, 1517 Metairie Rd. \$46 per person including tax and gratuities.