

CASA CORNER



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CASA

Court Appointed Special Advocates
FOR CHILDREN

UP COMING COURT DATES

Tuesday, May 25th- St. Martin

Wednesday, May 26th- Iberia

Monday, June 14th- Iberia

Friday, June 18th- St. Mary

Wednesday, June 23rd- Iberia

Thursday, June 24th- St. Martin

BIRTHDAYS!!

Terry Magar May 4th

Terri Thompson-June 7th

Leah Cowie- June 18th

Message from The Executive Director

I would like to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of our volunteers. All the way from our Board of Directors to our Advocates. You guys are the backbone of this organization and we, here in the office, can not do what we do without all of the hard work and dedication that you give.

THANK YOU!

As we go through a few more growing pains, I just want to reinforce that we are all in this together. Each of us are doing our part to help a very worthy cause. I never want us to lose focus of why we do what we do. We are here to help protect and better the lives of children by giving them each a voice. We have an amazing team that I am very proud of.

Keep up the great work and know that I have an open-door policy. I am available whenever you need ANYTHING, day or night.

Amanda



CASA OF THE MONTH- May **NEXT BOARD MEETING**

Breonn Tucker

Breonn was sworn in just 7 short months ago. She has undertaken a family of 5 girls in 3 separate placements. She has maintained monthly visits and contact with all parties involved. She has had to advocate extra hard for 1 of these children in particular and she has done so with compassion and professionalism. We are lucky to have her on our CASA Team.

Breonn States " I became a volunteer because I wanted to make a difference in a positive way and help the youth in our community who are in foster care. I enjoy working with children and being a CASA!

I have been a sales associate at Allains Jewelry for the past 9 years. I own a small clothing company called Bayou Native where my business partner and I design and sell Louisiana themed clothing, hats and totes! I also enjoy painting, traveling and spending time with friends and family."



Tuesday June 8th at 5:30 pm in the Court House Annex Conference room

CONTINUING EDUCATION

*LCWTA is a great source for continuing education credits

*June 24th 3-5pm Youth Transition Planning webinar

CHILDREN WITH BIRTHDAYS IN JUNE & JULY

Lakondra- 2 children with Birthdays

Breonn- 1 child with a Birthday

Cat -1 child with Birthday

Tasha -1 child with a Birthday

Kathy - 1 child with Birthday

PLEASE CONTACT the office about your party in a bag.

FRIENDLY REMINDER

We are required to send out satisfaction survey's. Please begin capturing the Foster Parent/caretaker's email address

CASA OF THE MONTH- JUNE

Alee Khambounleuang

Alee "Alley" Khambounleuang joined the CASA family just 7 short months ago and she has made a huge impact in the life of her CASA child in that short amount of time. She has maintained monthly contact with her child as well as all associated parties. She has also made sure that her contact logs and reports were submitted in a timely fashion. We are lucky to have you on our CASA Team!

Alee states "I am a Mom, Volunteer, Accountant / Finance, & Community Advocate. I am a First Generation American born and raised in Iberia Parish. I attended Coteau Elementary, Anderson Middle, Westgate, & Centenary College. I am married with 1 child. I joined CASA because I wanted to learn and serve my community. Being a helper and Supporting change."

