



# Berwick Housing Authority

## NEWSLETTER

### February 2022

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Rent is due **February 10<sup>th</sup>** which is the eighth working day of the month. If you do not pay by **February 10<sup>th</sup>**, a \$10 late fee will be applied. If you signed a contract, your rent is due **February 15<sup>th</sup>**, but a late fee is still applied after the **10<sup>th</sup>**. The absolute last day to pay the rent is **February 20<sup>th</sup>**.



**Wednesday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>**

If the groundhog sees his shadow, there will be six more weeks of winter. If not, spring will come early.



**6 Tips for Preventing Cockroaches from Invading Your Home**

- 1. Seal the Entrances**-you can avoid an infestation by preventing the bugs from coming inside in the first place. Close gaps around windows and doors.
- 2. Go on Crumb Patrol**-food scraps, including tiny crumbs that you might not notice at a glance are calling cards for roaches. Wipe down counters, including under appliances, and sweep floors nightly. Prevent crumbs from spreading throughout the house by confining all eating to the kitchen or dining room.
- 3. Focus on the Kitchen**-be vigilant about cleaning up spills. Keep all-purpose cleaner and paper towels ready. Take out the garbage daily and wash dishes daily.
- 4. Store Food in Sealed Containers**-cockroaches can chew through cardboard or thin plastic, so transfer food to sealed solid containers.
- 5. Dry Up Moist Areas**-dripping faucets and leaky pipes attract roaches.
- 6. Declutter**-Clutter stands in the way of a clean home. Donate what you don't use regularly and enjoy the ease of cleaning without moving around rarely-used items.



### PARADE SCHEDULE

**Friday, Feb. 25<sup>th</sup>**

Krewe of Adonis, MC, 7:00 pm

**Saturday, Feb. 26<sup>th</sup>**

Krewe of Dionysius, Berwick,  
2:00 pm

**Sunday, Feb. 27<sup>th</sup>**

Krewe of Galatea, MC, 2:00 pm

**Monday, Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>**

Krewe of Armani, Patterson,  
2:00 pm

Krewe of Hera, MC, 7:00 pm  
**Tuesday, March 1<sup>st</sup>**

Krewe of Hephaestus, MC,  
2:00 pm

Siracusaville Parade,  
Siracusaville, 1:00 pm

### COVID-19

**Vaccination and Testing at St. Mary Parish Public Health Unit, 1200 David Drive, Morgan City.**

**Mondays-Fridays 8am-4:15pm in office, and Thursdays, 406 pm, drive-thru.**

**Appointments preferred, but walk-ups welcomed. Call 985-380-2441**



Be smart with your tax refund and pay two months of rent to avoid late fees, strikes and stress! This way you will always be a month ahead.



**WHEN YOU COME IN THE OFFICE**



**Ochsner St. Mary**

All ages

Monday-Friday  
9 am-12 pm

Walk-ins welcome at 1302 Lakewood Drive, Ste 101



**Sunday, February 13<sup>th</sup>**  
Los Angeles, CA



Reminder to all residents applying for scholarships that Mr. Clarence has to write a letter of recommendation, so he will need time to write it before it is due.

**HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY** ♥  
**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14<sup>TH</sup>**