

Kingsley House eNewsletter

December 2009

A Night at the Ballet



Ronnie Burns, WDSU's Keli Fulton and Ronnie Harper

Kingsley House kicked off the holiday season on November 28th with the Moscow Ballet's Great Russian Nutcracker performance at the Mahalia Jackson Theater. All proceeds from the event benefitted Kingsley House.

The night began with a cocktail reception for Ballet Sponsors and Kingsley House Board Members. Guests enjoyed hors d'oeuvres provided by Portobello Catering and received satin holiday stockings filled with authentic Russian nesting dolls, courtesy of the Moscow Ballet.

Sponsors for the event included our presenting sponsor WDSU, along with Hub International,

Nola.com, the Roosevelt Hotel, Whitney Bank and WWL. It is thanks to these generous sponsors, that the event was made possible. Kingsley House would also like to recognize the teachers, parents and local New Orleans ballerinas for participating in the performance. A big thank you to all those who attended and helped to make the event a success.

"We were proud to collaborate with the Moscow Ballet on this wonderful event," said Kingsley House Development Director Donna Paramore. "It was a great experience for us and we are grateful to have had the opportunity."



Susanne Wright, Former Board President Alice Wright and Carrie Wright



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From Our Kingsley House Family to Yours

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Head Start Students

As you review your year-end tax planning, we hope you will consider making good use of the income tax charitable deduction. Your 2009 year-end gift to Kingsley House may significantly reduce your income taxes, while providing vital programs and services to more than 7,000 people of all ages annually.

Making an end-of-the-year gift does not require great wealth. If you itemize your taxes, you can lower your 2009 income taxes simply by mailing Kingsley House a check by December 31, 2009. There is no

easier way to support the comprehensive continuum of programs and services we provide to the children and families of Southeast Louisiana.

Make sure your envelope is postmarked by December 31; if it is, your gift will qualify as a 2009 gift. If your company or firm will match gifts to Kingsley House, the value of your gift is even greater. Please enclose the matching form along with your check.

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Adult Services Participants



Kingsley House in Pictures



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About Kingsley House

Kingsley House, nationally renowned as the oldest Settlement House in the South, has served more than half a million people since it was founded in 1896. Today, we serve over 7,000 people annually in a wide variety of nationally accredited and state certified capacity building programs. We continue to devote all of our energies and resources to our mission— ***Kingsley House educates children, strengthens families, and builds community***— as we work toward the successful recovery, rebuilding and healing of our city, state and region.



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