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Cameron Communications Donates to “Reeling” Good Time with Cameron Fishing Festival

Cameron, LA – The Cameron Jetty Pier will be alive with fishing, live music and festivities during the weekend of August 6-7 for the 7th Annual Cameron Fishing Festival.

With live music from acts like Jamie Bergeron and the Kickin’ Cajun Band, Jerry Furs and Teardrops, Kevin Naquin and the Ossum Playboys, Bayou Roots and Waters Edge, games, seafood and of course, the rodeo, this weekend promises fun, food and fishing!

Cameron Communications is excited to once again be a part of this proud Cameron tradition. This year, they have donated \$1,000 to the event. Trina Johnson, Public Relations Coordinator for Cameron Communications presented the check to volunteers of the Fishing Festival, Delaine Theriot, Recia Willis, Debbie Savoie, LeAnn Stewart, and 7-year President of the Fishing Festival, Carl Broussard. All of the proceeds from this event will go to benefit the Cameron Lions Club Crippled Children’s Camp & Eyeglass Foundation and various Lions Club Scholarships, as well as different Cameron Parish Youth Groups. Admission is \$5 each day.

“We love donating to this festival each year,” said Johnson, “it’s festivals like the Cameron Fishing Festival that bring a community together. With so much going on before and during the event, it takes many volunteers from throughout the community, including those pictured, to put this on. Without their tireless work, there would be no Fishing Festival!”

The fishing tournament has many different divisions to choose from, including Offshore, Bay and Surf and a Junior Division. Be sure you sign up for the Redfish Challenge! The fishing begins at 12:01 a.m. on Friday, August 6, and 6 a.m. on Saturday, August 7, so be sure to go to sleep early. Festival gates don’t open until noon on Friday, and 9 a.m. on Saturday, so there will be plenty of time to get out on the water and fish! More information can be picked up in Creole at Creole One Stop and Canik’s Grocery, in Grand Chenier at Kelly’s Mart and Booth’s Grocery, in Lake Charles at Lake Charles Tackle and in Sweetlake at Chesson’s Grocery.

Don't forget the little beauties! There will be a pageant at this year's festival. For details on entering, call Recia Willis at 337-775-5316 or 337-370-4325.

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PICTURE DESCRIPTION:

Cameron Communications' Public Relations Coordinator Trina Johnson presents volunteers of the Cameron Fishing Festival with a donation of \$1,000. From left, front row, Delaine Theriot, Recia Willis, 7-year President Carl Broussard and Johnson. From left, back row, Debbie Savoie and LeAnn Stewart