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March 2017 Issue

*Come To The  
Tennessee  
Williams  
Festival On  
Sunday  
March 26th  
To Hear  
Dr. Pamela  
Tyler Present*

Dr. Pamela Tyler, the author of "New Orleans Women And The Poydras Home - More Durable Than Marble," will speak at the Tennessee Williams Festival on **Sunday, March 26th at 10 a.m. in the Queen Anne Ballroom of the Hotel Monteleone**. Purchase a panel pass [here](#) to attend *Places in the Heart: The History of New Orleans' Beloved Landmarks*. Hear historian Pamela Tyler explore the past and vibrant present of Poydras Home.

*Plan To Attend  
"Hopeful Aging" at  
Poydras Home on  
Tuesday evening March 28th*

You are invited to "Hopeful Aging" as presented by President and Co-Founder of Hearthstone Alzheimer Care, Ltd., Dr. John Zeisel. Attend this free presentation at Poydras Home on Tuesday evening March 28th as Dr. Zeisel leads us on a journey through the aging brain. This dynamic presentation, previously aired

on PBS nationwide, will share new strategies that can help caregivers provide meaningful, engaging interactions with those

experiencing memory challenges with a focus on Hearthstone's innovative Learning for Life™ program. We will begin with refreshments at 5:30 p.m. in Poydras Home's Cultural Center. At 6:00 p.m. Dr. Zeisel's presentation will commence for approximately an hour with time allotted for questions from our audience at the end. Please plan to join us!

Reservations are encouraged but not required. Contact [epolk@poydrashome.com](mailto:epolk@poydrashome.com) or call 504-897-0535.



*Residents Will Receive A  
200th Birthday Gift of A  
Scenic Park and Pond!*



*Save the Date  
For a Free  
LPO Brass  
Concert  
May 9th at  
Poydras Home*

Poydras Home will celebrate our 200th birthday with a free concert for our families, friends and neighbors on our front lawn featuring a brass ensemble of the Louisiana Philharmonic Orchestra on Tuesday evening May 9th. Save the date and plan to picnic with us!



LOUISIANA PHILHARMONIC  
ORCHESTRA

*Poydras Home  
Received  
Another  
Deficiency-  
Free State  
Survey*

Poydras Home is proud to announce we have received another deficiency-free survey from the Department of Health and Hospitals for the sixth consecutive year!



Architectural rendering by Louisiana Landscape Specialty, Inc. of Poydras Home's plans for a new park, pond and gazebo

In commemoration of this celebratory bicentennial year, Poydras Home is giving our residents a scenic park with a Koi fish pond, fountain, patio, walkways, gardens and gazebo. Current and future generations of Poydras Home residents, families, friends, visitors, volunteers and staff can enjoy this beautiful addition as they visit with loved ones, rest, repose, reminisce, reflect and return day after day to enjoy all the beauty of nature at Poydras Home. This new feature will be located on the front lawn of Poydras Home in the lower quadrant near the intersection of Magazine Street and Jefferson Avenue.

This planned enhancement to Poydras Home's campus can also have therapeutic benefit to our residents. Research shows water features and gardens can benefit those with Alzheimer's and dementia by engaging the senses and decreasing agitation and anxiety. The auditory stimulation of the pond is also effective for mood enhancement, relaxation and cognition.

Poydras Home is fundraising for this addition throughout 2017 with groundbreaking scheduled to occur in early 2018. A brick campaign will launch this spring offering engraved \$100 bricks or \$1000 tile pavers to honor or remember your loved ones.

For more information please contact Vice President of Development Charlotte Thomas at 504-897-0535.

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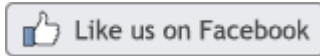


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