



Krewe of Centurions

Captain: Norman Bourgeois

King:

Queen Centurion XLI: Ms. Emma Bourgeois. Emma is the granddaughter of our Captain Mr. Norman Bourgeois.

Route: the new Metairie Route. (Starting at Bonnabel and going to Family Gras @ Clearview Shopping Center).

Parade Date: 1st Saturday 6pm (Feb 15th) previously rolled on the Tuesday leading up to Mardi Gras, then in 1988 moved to the 1st Sunday. In 2010, to avoid rolling against the Saints Super Bowl, the Krewe moved their parade night to Friday of Mardi Gras Weekend. Moved nights to 1st Saturday this year. Also rolling that Day Mad Hatters

Origin: The Krewe of Centurions was established in 1979 by a partnership of businessmen from the Harahan-River Ridge area. The Krewe paraded on Jefferson Highway for two years before moving to the Veterans Blvd. parade route in 1981. Centurions' long history and tradition of parading is just one of the many reasons that people keep on coming back.

Size: 350 co-ed riders

Name Origin: Krewe of Centurions were named after legendary ancient Roman warriors who commanded "centuries" – companies of 100 men.

Themes: The Krewe is known for choosing themes that can be enjoyed by all age groups. This year's theme (not announced as of the time of this recording)

This year: *recent press release* - The Krewe of Centurions to have the Little League World Champs and the Southwest Region Girls' Softball Champions as Grand Marshalls.

Special throws:

Doubloons:

Krewe events:

Annual Steak & Lobster Dinner

Annual Bunco Night

Fundraiser Bingos

Oct 18th Coronation Ball

Nov 15th Raffle & Dinner

Jan 18th ball

Feb 15th Parade 6pm

Non-Profit & Community Involvement: Works with the Magnolia Community Services and other community organizations throughout the year on various service and fundraising projects.

King's Club: You hear this term around a lot of Mardi Gras Krewes, what is the King's Club?

Membership: open to both men and woman, ages 21 years and up.

2019-2020 Membership Dues

Individuals: \$295

Couples: \$500

Active Military/First Responder Discounts Available: \$200

Deposit for Dues: \$100

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