

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 86

BY SENATOR GALLOT

A RESOLUTION

To recognize Thursday, May 1, 2014, as Lemonade Day for Ruston Elementary School in Ruston, Louisiana.

WHEREAS, Lemonade Day Louisiana is a free, community-wide program that fosters entrepreneurship and character development among Louisiana's youth by supporting them in establishing and operating their own lemonade businesses; and

WHEREAS, Lemonade Day Louisiana was founded in 2010 by John Georges and Todd Graves and has grown tremendously over the last few years; and

WHEREAS, over ten thousand youth across Louisiana participate in Lemonade Day Louisiana; and

WHEREAS, young entrepreneurs are encouraged to donate a portion of their proceeds to charity through the sales at lemonade stands and citizens are encouraged to purchase lemonade from the stands; and

WHEREAS, Lemonade Day Louisiana is sponsored by many major businesses and companies throughout the state, including Raising Cane's, Chevron, Liberty Bank, Century Link, and United Healthcare; and

WHEREAS, Louisiana is one of over forty regions in the United States and Canada to participate in Lemonade Day.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Senate of the Legislature of Louisiana does hereby recognize Thursday, May 1, 2014, as Lemonade Day for Ruston Elementary School in Ruston, Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this Resolution be transmitted to the principal of Ruston Elementary School.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE