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VOLLEYBALL, COMEDY AND CONSUMER SHOW AMONG WEEKEND OPTIONS IN KENNER

Kenner, **LA.** – A volleyball tournament to benefit the Brett Thomas Doussan Foundation, two nights of comedy and the Great Southern Gun & Knife Show are among this weekend's options in Kenner.

The Battle of the Sands begins Saturday at 3 p.m. at Coconut Beach Sand Sports complex, 100 Coconut Beach Ct. Teams – with between 6 and 10 players, can sign up for \$300. There is a \$10 admission fee for spectators.

The Brett Thomas Doussan Foundation was created to raise awareness about mental health programs in the New Orleans, including musical therapy. Money raised will go to both the New Orleans Musicians' Assistance Foundation and the local chapter of the National Alliance on Mental Illness. To purchase tickets or for more information, go to www.coconutbeachla.com/tournaments-and-events/battle-sands.

The Comic Recess Crew returns Friday at 8 p.m. to The Castle Theater in Kenner. Cyril Morise is the host for the show, which features eight comedians. GG's 504 Comedy tour will be at The Castle on Saturday at 8 p.m. Gina Gomez is the emcee for a group of some of the city's best comedians. Tickets are available online for both events at www.castle501.com. For more information, call (504) 287-4707.

The consumer show, held in Halls A and B of the Pontchartrain Center, 4545 Williams Blvd., runs from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday. The public is invited to shop for old and new guns, as well as knives, ammunition, gun parts, reloading supplies, holsters and more. Bring in your gun to for a possible trade.

Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$2 for kids between 6 and 11 years old and no charges for children 5 year old and younger. For more information on the show, go to www.greatsoutherngunshow.com.

On Saturday morning, be sure to visit the weekly Rivertown Farmers Market, with fresh produce and tips from local experts, in the parking lot opposite Exhibition Hall in the 400 block of Williams Blvd. The market runs from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information, contact Nancy Ladner at (504) 468-7211.

For information on these events and more in Kenner, visit the Kenner Kalendar at http://www.kenner.la.us/