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Nicholls State University Folk Art Center and Sculpture Garden

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Nicholls State University Folk Art Center and Sculpture Garden, we would like to invite you to visit our web site at www.nicholls.edu/folkartcenter.

The sculpture garden includes 60 life-size figures created by a bricklayer named Kenny Hill. Kenny spent 12 years creating the garden. He was never trained as an artist and had not finished his high school education. The garden includes several self-portraits of him searching for internal and external salvation. The garden is always open for visitors.

The N.S.U. Folk Art Center houses Mr. Hill's personal items and exhibitions of local folk and contemporary artists. The center promotes folk arts and will offer art opportunities for the local population.

The center also has videos, 2-D, and 3-D artwork for sale. The center is open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 12 noon to 3 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

We would like to have any interested parties visit our site. There is no charge to visit the site. The site is located in Chauvin, Louisiana, which is 1 hour south of New Orleans. Directions can be found on the web site.

If you have any groups who would like to visit, please contact me at:

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*Dotie Roth, SS
curator*

Sincerely,

called

Dennis Sipiorski, Coordinator
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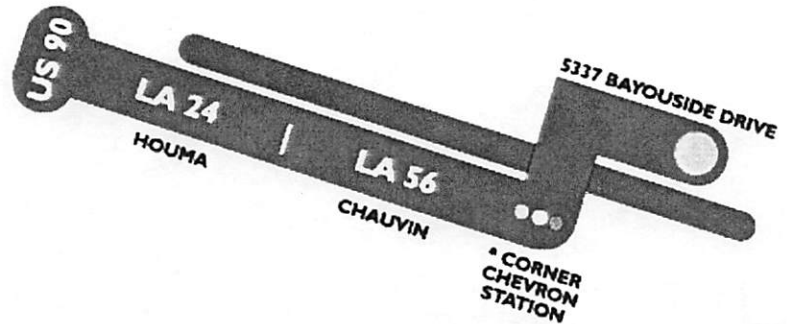
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Chauvin, LA

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The NSU Folk Art Center and Sculpture Garden is near Chauvin in the Parish of Terrebonne, Louisiana, on the left descending bank of Bayou Petit Caillou. About 19 miles below Houma, Louisiana, it is roughly 90 minutes south of New Orleans.



From New Orleans, take I - 310 West, then Exit I - 130 via ramp at sign reading "US-90 W to Houma". Turn right and go southwest. (22 miles)

You will see a sign reading "US-90 to LA-3198/HOUMA/RACELAND". Bear right on ramp to BUS US-90 W (LA-3198 W) and merge with caution. (0.3 miles)

You will see a sign reading "US-90 W to HOUMA". Take BUS US-90 W (LA-3198 W) Ramp and merge with caution. (< 0.1 mile)

Turn left onto BUS US-90 W (LA-3198 W) and go Southwest for 0.32 miles to BUS US-90 W. (0.3 miles)

Continue onto BUS US-90 W and go Southwest for 7.9 miles to LA-24 (Main St). (7.9 miles)

Turn left onto LA-24 (Main St) and go East for 5.2 miles to LA-56 (Main St). (5.2 miles)

Continue onto LA-56 (Main St) and go Southeast for 0.74 miles to LA-56. (0.7 miles)

Continue onto LA-56 and go Southeast. (10.0 miles)

Turn left at stop light intersection (Chevron station on right) and cross Bayou Petit Caillou.

Turn right onto Bayou Drive to 5337 Bayou Drive; Folk Art Center will be to your left, Sculpture Garden on your right.

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