



VOLUNTEER ANNOUNCEMENT!

The third Lafitte Terrace Wetland Planting has been scheduled for September 8th!

Learn about wetlands, reduce coastal land loss, and create wildlife habitat as we plant the final 4,500 feet of wetland terraces!

Event: Lafitte Terrace Planting

Location: Depart from C & M Marina

[4932 Kenal Road, Lafitte](#)

[\(click for web map\)](#)

Date: Saturday, September 8th, 2007

Time: 8:30am

Join the BTNEP volunteer team as we plant marsh grass to create habitat and protect newly constructed wetland terraces. Terraces are designed to decrease the impact of wind and waves, reducing the rate of marsh loss by erosion. As a result, emergent vegetation can spread and begin populating large open areas. Water clarity typically improves due to reduced wave action; stimulating the growth of submerged aquatic vegetation. The resultant habitat is essential for waterfowl, reptiles, and a host of other wetland-dependent wildlife and fish species. Your effort will create important wetland habitat and ensure that the Lafitte terraces function as an asset to this ecological community.

To register, please complete the form below and fax it to the BTNEP program office at 985.447.0870; or email the form to mel@btnep.org.

Please check the BTNEP volunteer website for updates and weather announcements as the event date approaches:

<http://volunteer.btnep.org>



Registration Form

**To: Barataria-Terrebonne National Estuary Program
Attention: Mel Landry, Public Involvement Coordinator
Phone: 985.447.0868
Email: mel@btnep.org**

Fax: 985.447.0870

**Please sign me up to participate in the *Lafitte Terracing Project*
*Planting on Saturday, September 8th at 8:30am!***

Name: _____

Email address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

T-shirt Size: