Annual Cajun Day Festival Plans
Underway For October 19 Events

Plans are now underway for the 9th Annual Cajun Day Festival to be celebrated here in Church Point on Sunday, October 19, at the Saddle Tramp Clubhouse.

The all-day Festival begins with the anticipated Mass on Saturday afternoon which officially opens the festivities.

The annual Breakfast is being planned to be held at 8 a.m. on Sunday at City Hall. The Annual Cajun Queen Dress contest is to be held at this time. Cajun Ladies, 50 and over with a Church Point address are eligible to take part. Anyone interested should contact Mrs. Teasie Cary at 684-2739, who is chairperson for the Cajun Queen Dress contest and the Cajun Queen contest.

There will be music in the clubhouse throughout the day beginning at 9 a.m. French bands from throughout the area will be taking part.

The Cajun Dress contest winner will be named at 11 a.m. at the Clubhouse followed by the naming of the 1980 Cajun Queen. Cajun ladies' names are placed in a bowl and a name is drawn and this lady is the 1980-81 Cajun Queen. She will be crowned and presented with a bouquet of flowers and a banner.

The Petit Roi et Reine Du Cajun (Little King and Queen) contest will be held at 12:30 p.m. (Turn To Festival Page 2)

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on the main platform. Children, boys and girls, who speak French fluently, are eligible to take part. Cash prizes will be presented to the winners.

The Accordion Contest will take place at 1 p.m. There will be three categories. The first category is Youths, up to 17 years of age; the Junior Division, 18 to 35 years and the Senior Division, 36 years and older.

Cash prizes will be given to first place winners in each division. The contest is open to the general public, not only Church Point residents. To enter, contact Varmon Daigle at 684-5871 as soon as possible.

Mrs. Lillian Higginbotham was named as the 1979 Cajun Queen. Mrs. Higginbotham is in ill health and is now a resident of the Acadia-St. Landry Guest Home. The first runner-up, Mrs. Lelia Smith is in ill health, also. The second runner-up Mrs. Aline Bihm has been taking over the duties as Cajun Queen.

Plan to go out and join the Saddle Tramp Riding Club for their 9th annual Cajun Day.