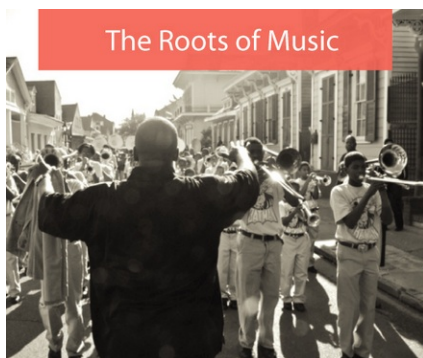


September 7, 2015

Greetings!

On October 17th, **JusticeAID** is producing a rockin' concert at the **House of Blues in New Orleans - this gives ClassACT a chance to show off 2 stellar nonprofits our classmates support and an excuse to let the good times roll.** The concert features Ani DiFranco and Hurray for the Riff Raff, with a parade preceding the concert by the band from The Roots of Music that played for President Obama last week during the Hurricane Katrina commemoration ceremonies. 100% of the proceeds will go to The Mid-Atlantic Innocence Project and the Innocence Project New Orleans, organizations dedicated to correcting and preventing wrongful convictions.

Classmate Steve Milliken's **JusticeAID** supports charities seeking to eradicate barriers to justice and equality, promoting justice through the arts, while **The Roots of Music**, (classmate sponsor *Rick Weil*), provides free music education, tutoring and mentoring programs to middle school students in New Orleans. **Check out a video of Roots [HERE!](#)** ClassACT is very proud to work with both of them and to have linked them together for this event.



So ... **JOIN IN if you can!** We're conjuring a gathering of classmates, spouses and friends to join in the fun and would love to see you! We envision a Friday dinner with classmates October 16th and The Roots of Music parade/performance and JusticeAID concert Saturday, October 17th. On Sunday, October 18th Rick Weil has offered to conduct a walking tour of New Orleans with an introduction to The Roots of Music. We can have brunch of course, and there will be dinner for those who still have the energy and appetite for food and party.

Let us know you'll be attending!

Contact: **[Marion Dry](#)**

To buy a ticket to the concert: **[CLICK HERE](#)**

We welcome restaurant recommendations and ideas for NOLA hotspots! If you still have your kids' musical instruments and don't need them anymore, let us know! Roots is

interested in donations of musical instruments in good working conditions.
For information contact [Sallie Gouverneur](#).

We're also developing a fascinating **social media campaign** to get people thinking about what **justice** means - if you are a social media kind of person contact [Therese Steiner](#).

Looking forward to seeing you in New Orleans,



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Hotels are booking up fast! Here are some suggestions:

- [Omni Royal Orleans](#)
 - [Windsor Court](#)
 - [Hotel Maison de Ville](#)
 - [DoubleTree Hilton](#)
 - [BestWestern St. Christopher Hotel](#)
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