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# City Seeks to Identify and Honor Centenarians

Mayor Cedric Glover and the Caddo Council on Aging are looking to identify and honor a very special group of local residents – people who are 100 years old or older.

A VIP luncheon for centenarians is being held on October 14 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Independence Stadium Skybox. This special recognition for those already past the 100-year mark or will reach that milestone in 2014 is the first of its kind for the city.

“This tribute is dear to my heart because I’ve had the privilege to meet many of our centenarians and, indeed, it’s my honor to be able to take time out to say thank you to them for sharing their wisdom and experience with our entire community,” Mayor Glover said.

To help with this effort, Mayor Glover and CCOA will host a press conference on Thursday, September 25, at 11 a.m. at the Randle T. Moore Center, 3101 Fairfield Ave. So far, 11 centenarians have been identified but the goal is to locate and extend as many invitations as possible in the coming weeks.

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