



Bon à Savoir

GOOD TO KNOW

February 2013

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Parish
LIBRARY

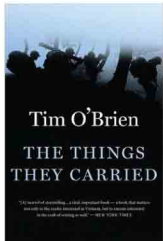
Newsletter of the Terrebonne Parish Library System

Main | Bourg | Chauvin | Dularge | East Houma | Gibson | Grand Caillou | Montegut | North



THE BIG READ

at a library near you!



2013 Featured Book:
The Things They Carried
by Tim O'Brien

Pick up a free copy of *The Things They Carried* at one of the Terrebonne Parish libraries and join a book discussion in your area! View the discussion schedule

BIG READ Kickoff!

2/22 from 6 - 10 pm

The Houma Regional Arts Council is pleased to announce and invites you to attend the Big Read kickoff concert to be held at Courthouse Square in historic downtown Houma.

Please be sure to stop by, pick up all of your Big Read materials, hear from guest speakers, and listen to some of your favorite tunes from the Vietnam era LIVE.

The Big Read is a program of the National Endowment for the Arts in partnership with Arts Midwest.



ALL Terrebonne Parish libraries **CLOSED ON**

February 12 (*Mardi Gras Day*)

Closed at 5 pm on: February 1, 2, 8, 9 & 11

10th ANNUAL JAMBALAYA WRITERS' CONFERENCE

4.13.2013

Want to meet Tim O'Brien?

Perfect! He's our keynote speaker for the 10th Annual Jambalaya Writers' Conference!



If you are interested in meeting some of your favorite authors or want to learn more about becoming an author yourself, this is the place for you! This day-long conference hosts many noted speakers from Louisiana and the nation. Tim O'Brien will be this year's keynote speaker!

To register visit mytpl.org/jwc or visit any Terrebonne Parish library. For questions, email rlecompte@mytpl.org, or call 985.850.5313.



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We have an **APP** for that.

Your library. Online. All the time!

Download the app by searching **mytpl** in your app store.

MAIN



Saturday, 2/2 @ 2pm
Movie in Observance of
Black History Month

Observe Black History Month with us! We will be featuring the film Red Tails (PG-13) in the D.E. Room on the second floor of Main Library.

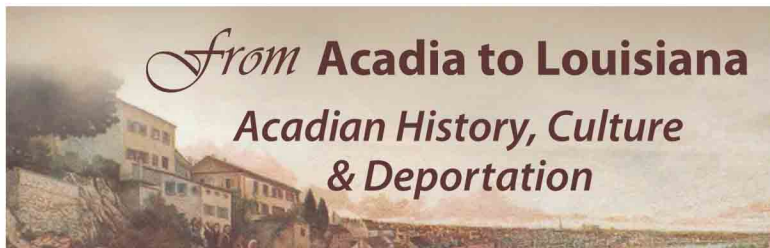
NEED MONEY FOR COLLEGE?



FINANCIAL AID WORKSHOP *is a great place to start!*

February 4, 2013 | 6:30 pm | Main Library

Need money for college? Come to this workshop to learn about financial aid opportunities from TOPS, the US military, and private organizations. For more information call 876-5861, option 2, or email reference@mytpl.org.



Wednesday, 2/20 @ 6:30pm

Join Mr. Leryes Usie, the author of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana : Our Bayou Parish, for an exciting talk about the history of the Cajun/Acadian people. For more information call 876-5861, option 2, or email reference@mytpl.org.

Thursday, 2/28 @ 6pm

Scrapbooking: Share ideas and learn a new technique.

MONTEGUT

Thursday, 2/7 @ 1pm

Adult Craft: Make a topiary out of candy hearts

NORTH

Tuesday, 2/19 @ 10am

Low Impact Wii Workout for Seniors
 Get a light workout playing Wii Sports.

Tuesday, 2/19 @ 2pm

Nook eBook Class
 Learn how to get library books on your Nook for FREE!

Tuesday, 2/26 @ 10am

Spring Vegetable Gardening Basics
 Get ready to plant in March! Presented by Bennette Joffrion with LSU Ag Center. Followed by a question and answer session.

Tuesday, 2/26 2pm

Kindle Fire / Kindle Fire HD eBook Class
 Learn how to get library books on your Kindle for FREE!

Thursday, 2/28 @ 2pm

iPad / iPad mini eBook Class
 Learn how to get library books on your iPad for FREE!

CHAUVIN

Wednesdays @ 1pm

Mexican Train Dominos

Thursdays @ 1pm

Stitches Sewing Circle meets to work on different sewing projects and are encouraged to bring new projects with different types of stitches.

Tuesday, 2/5 @ 1pm

BINGO!

Tuesday, 2/26 @ 1pm

Genealogy Workshop for Beginners
 Learn how to trace your family roots using the library's databases and resources. Bring family names and dates to begin searching.

BOURG

Wednesday, 2/13 @ 11am

Oral History - Candy Workshop

EAST HOUMA

Tuesdays @ 2pm

Prenatal Yoga Classes

Join library staff member Devi as she leads you in this safe and healthy way to exercise. Please bring an exercise mat and soft blanket.

Saturdays @ 5:15pm

Zumba Exercise Workout

Join the library staff for a fun way to exercise for health and fitness. Water provided.

Tuesday, 2/5 @ 6:30pm

Black History Movie featuring *A Lesson Before Dying* based on the Ernest Gaines novel. (PG-13)

Thursday, 2/7 @ 6:30pm

Hispanic Film Night featuring *Diarios de Motocicleta* Refreshments served.

Saturday, 2/2 @ 4pm

Plastic Canvas Workshop

Saturday, 2/9 @ 4pm

Adult BINGO Popcorn /drinks served.

Thursday, 2/14 @ 6:30pm

Saturday, 2/23 @ 4pm

Ingles Para Hispanohablantes (ESL Workshop)

Monday, 2/18 @ 6:30pm

Introduction to Ballroom Dancing

DULARGE

Tuesdays @ 10am

Oil Painting with Gail LeCompte Registration required.

Wednesdays @ 1pm

Mexican Train Dominos

Thursdays @ 10am

Sew/So Good Quilters Bring supplies needed for project and a covered dish to share.

Mondays, 2/4 & 18 @ 10am

Sunshine Through Glass group meets to exchange ideas and patterns.

DULAC

Monday, 2/4 & 18 @ 11am

Facebook Workshop

Adults will learn to manage news feed and privacy settings.



Friday, 2/22 @ 1pm

Green Party: Adults will learn how to make their own "green" cleaning supplies.

Monday, 2/25 @ 11am


Microsoft Publisher Workshop

GIBSON

Thursday, 2/14 @ 1pm

Scrabble Club

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS

<p>MAIN LIBRARY TUES @ 6:30pm</p> 	<p>2/5 <i>The Giver</i> Lois Lowry</p>	<p>3/5 <i>The Things They Carried</i> Tim O'Brien</p>	<p>4/2 <i>My Love Affair with Dwight D. Eisenhower</i> Polly Adler</p>
<p>NORTH BRANCH <i>Vampire Shrinks</i> THURS @ 6pm</p>	<p>2/7 <i>Blood and Chocolate</i> Anette Curtis Klause</p>	<p>3/7 <i>The Host</i> Stephenie Meyer</p>	<p>4/4 <i>Magic Bites</i> Ilona Andrews</p>
<p><i>Adult Book Club</i> THURS @ 6:30pm</p>	<p>2/21 <i>Fried Green Tomatoes at the Whistle Stop Café</i> Fannie Flagg</p>	<p>3/21 <i>The Lovely Bones</i> Alice Sebold</p>	<p>4/18 <i>The Things They Carried</i> Tim O'Brien</p>
<p>EAST HOUMA BRANCH TUES @ 6:30pm</p>	<p>2/26 <i>The Bluest Eye</i> Toni Morrison</p>	<p>3/26 <i>Matters of the Heart</i> Danielle Steel</p>	<p>4/30 <i>The Black Box</i> Michael Connelly</p>
<p>DULARGE BRANCH MON @ 1:30pm</p>	<p>2/11 <i>Keeping Faith</i> Jodi Picoult</p>	<p>3/11 <i>The Things They Carried</i> Tim O'Brien</p>	<p>4/8 <i>To Be Announced</i></p>

MAIN LIBRARY

Saturday, 2/9 @ 3pm
Valentine Candy Workshop

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EAST HOUMA

Thursday, 2/14 @ 6:30pm
Valentines Make & Take Craft
Teens can have fun making crafts at the library or take them home to enjoy.

Saturday, 2/16 @ 2pm
Teen/Tween Craft

Thursday, 2/21 @ 6:30pm
Teen Movie!
Featuring *ParaNorman* (PG)

CHAUVIN

Wednesday, 2/13 @ 4pm
Teen/Tween Origami Craft

DULARGE

Friday, 2/22 @ 3:30pm
Teen Craft

GIBSON

Tuesday, 2/19 @ 4pm
Wind Chime Craft
For Teens & Tweens

NORTH

Thursdays @ 3pm
Teen Wii Gaming



Saturday, 2/16 @ 2pm
Teen Movie: The Amazing Spider-Man (PG-13)
Refreshments served.



Tuesday, 2/26 @ 6pm
Friendship Bracelets

MONTEGUT

Monday, 2/11 @ 1pm
Mardi Gras & Valentine Craft
Bring a shoe-box

BOURG

Wednesday, 2/13 @ 1pm
Valentine's Candy Workshop
Teens will make candy to give away to someone special.

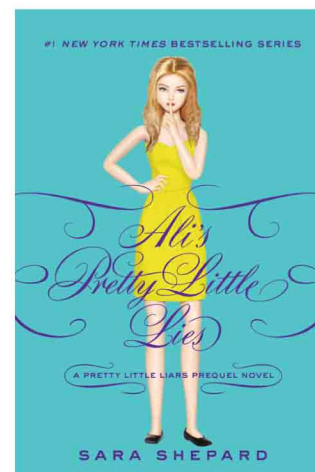
DULAC

Tuesday, 2/19 @ 3pm
Hair Bow Workshop

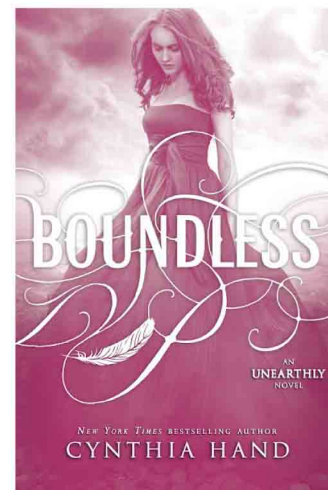
Tuesday, 2/26 @ 4pm
Trash Crafts: Teens will make a variety of crafts out of recycled items.



WHAT'S HOT IN TEEN BOOKS!



Ali's Pretty Lies
by Sara Shepard



Boundless
by Cynthia Hand

MAIN

Saturday, 2/2 @ 3pm
39 Clues Scavenger Hunt 4th - 6th

Saturday, 2/16 @ 3pm
Lego Builders 2nd - 6th

Thursday, 2/14 @ 4pm
Valentine Craft Pre-K - 3rd

SCIENCE SATURDAY



Saturday, 2/23 @ 3pm
Children will make periscopes.
 4th-6th

NORTH

Tuesday, 2/5 @ 6pm
Valentine's Day Cards 8 - 12 yrs.

Tuesday, 2/19 @ 6pm
Jewelry Marking 8 - 12 yrs.

Saturday, 2/23 @ 2pm
Family Story Time & Craft

DULARGE

Tuesday, 2/5 @ 4pm
"I Care" Pre-K Reading Program
 Parent must be present.

Thursday, 2/7 @ 4pm
Mari Gras Story/Craft Time

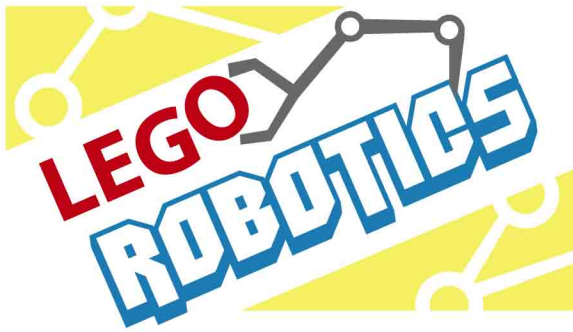
Tuesday, 2/19 @ 4pm
Story Time & Craft

BOURG

Wednesday, 2/13 @ 1pm
Valentine Candy Workshop

MONTEGUT

Monday, 2/11 @ 1pm
Craft Time: Make a Mardi Gras float & Valentine craft. Bring a shoe-box.
 All ages



LEGO ROBOTICS is an all new program combining Legos and computers. Children will be able to build Lego models featuring working motors and sensors; program their models; and explore theme based activities!
 4th-6th

COMING TO Main Library in March

DULAC

Wednesdays @ 4pm
After School Story & Crafts Pre-K - 2nd

Thursdays @ 3pm
Candy Land Party! 3 - 8 yrs.

Wednesday, 2/13 @ 1pm
Valentine's Day Crafts 3 - 8 yrs.

Monday, 2/18 @ 3pm
President's Day Craft All ages

GIBSON

Tuesday, 2/5 @ 3pm
After School Club for 1st & 2nd Graders
 Get homework help and make a craft.

Wednesday, 2/6 @ 3pm
After School Club for 3rd & 4th Graders
 Get homework help and make a craft.

EAST HOUMA

Saturdays
Themed Story/Craft Times
 2/2 @ 10am Valentine's Day
 2/9 @ 10am Black History
 2/16 @ 10am Family Story/Craft

REGULAR STORY TIMES

MAIN LIBRARY

Mondays

Toddler Story Time @ 10am
 for 19 months to 3 years

Toddler Story Time @ 6pm
 for 19 months to 3 years

Tuesdays

Babygarden @ 10am
 for newborns to 18 months

Family Story Time @ 6pm
 for 4-8 year olds

CHAUVIN

Tuesday, 2/5

Tip-Toe-Toddlers @ 10am
 for 19 month to 3 years

EAST HOUMA

Saturdays

Family Story Time @ 10am
 Pre-K - 3rd

Wednesdays

Peek-a-Boo Readers @ 10am
 for newborns to 18 months

GIBSON

Friday, 2/1

Winter Themed Story Time
Pre-K @ 9am
Kindergarten @ 1:45pm

NORTH

Wednesdays

Toddler Story Time @ 10am
 for 19 months to 3 years

Family Story Time @ 6pm
 for 4-8 year olds

Thursdays

Peek-a-Boo Readers @ 10am
 for newborns to 18 months

CHAUVIN

Tuesday, 2/19 @ 4pm
Bird Feeder Craft
 Pre-K - 3rd

LIBRARY DIRECTORY

MAIN LIBRARY 876-5861
151 Library Drive
Reference 876-1733
Mon. - Thurs. 9 am - 9 pm
Fri. & Sat. 9 am - 6 pm
Sun. 2 pm - 6 pm

BOURG BRANCH 594-4717
4405 St. Andrews St.
Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 6 pm
Fri. 10 am - 5 pm

CHAUVIN BRANCH 594-9771
5500 Hwy. 56
Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 6 pm
Fri. 10 am - 5 pm

DULARGE BRANCH 851-1752
837 Bayou Dularge Rd.
Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 6 pm
Fri. 10 am - 5 pm

EAST HOUMA BRANCH 876-7072
778 Grand Caillou Rd.
Mon. - Thurs. 9 am - 9 pm
Fri. & Sat. 9 am - 6 pm

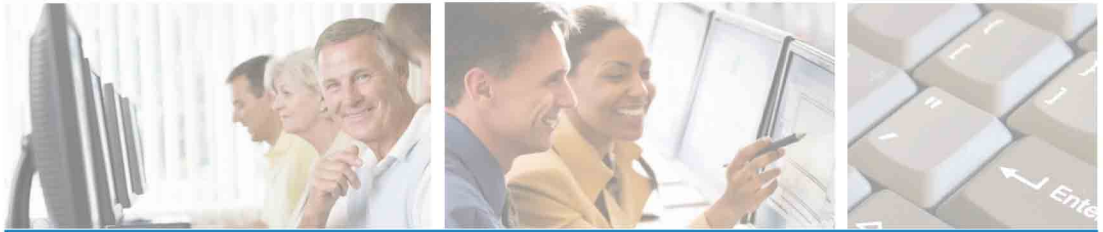
GIBSON BRANCH 575-2639
6363 S. Bayou Black Dr.
Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 6 pm
Fri. 10 am - 5 pm

GRAND CAILLOU BRANCH 563-2014
200 Badou Dr.
Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 6 pm
Fri. 10 am - 5 pm

MONTEGUT BRANCH 594-4390
1136 Hwy. 55
Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 6 pm
Fri. 10 am - 5 pm

NORTH BRANCH 868-3050
4130 West Park Ave.
Mon. - Thurs. 9 am - 9 pm
Fri. & Sat. 9 am - 6 pm
Sun. 2 pm - 6 pm

24 - 7 ACCESS
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FREE COMPUTER CLASSES

MAIN

Tuesday, 2/5 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Microsoft Word 2010

Thursday, 2/14 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm
Surf's Up

Tuesday, 2/19 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Introduction to Photography

Tuesday, 2/26 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Surf's Up

Thursday, 2/28 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm
The Basics

NORTH

Thursday, 2/7 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm
The Basics

Thursday, 2/21 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm
Beyond the Basics (NEW CLASS!)

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LIBRARY EXHIBITS

MAIN

Foyer display cases Lego Display by David Diket

Circulation case Lego Builders' Creations

2nd Floor Artwork by Joseph Gilliam

2nd Floor Artwork by Sheri Williams

NORTH

Foyer display case African American Dolls by Ethel Fields

VITA
Volunteer
Income Tax
Assistance

Tuesdays &
Saturdays

2/2 - 4/9

9 am - 2 pm

Made possible by
Catholic Charities.

Vita will not be at
the library on 2/12.

Main Library