College and Career Training Fair: Sunday, November 10 from 2 - 5pm | Main Library
Learn about the exciting opportunities that await you after high school! Meet with a variety of college, technical, and trade school representatives as well as military recruiters to discuss your options after graduation.

College Night: Wednesday, November 13 @ 6pm | East Houma Branch
Jamie Billiot with TPSD will provide information on various topics including, but not limited to, FAFSA and financial aid, college admission requirements, and dual enrollment. Made possible by the Native Youth Community Projects grant through the Terrebonne Parish School District. Additional sponsors include Nicholls State University, Fletcher Technical Community College, Unitech Training Academy, and the American Indian College Fund.

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FRIENDS ANNUAL SPELLING BEE
Saturday, November 2nd | Main Library
Join us for our Friends of the Library Annual Spelling Bee! This fun, family-friendly competition invites children, teens, and adults to participate in rounds divided by age levels.

Levels 1-3 will pay $1 to enter the Spelling Bee while open competitors will pay $2.
Saturdays @ 10:30am
Yoga: Breathe in for a meditative experience with M Power Yoga Houma. Practice will be held out on our lawn or inside during inclement weather.

Thursdays, 11/7, 11/14, & 11/21 @ 10:30am
Starting Stitches is a beginner’s introduction to all types of stitch work, from crochet, to sewing, to hand embroidery.

TUES, 11/5 @ 6:30pm
Thinking Out Loud Book Club: “Before We Were Yours” by Lisa Wingate

WED, 11/6 @ 6pm
Estate and Elder Law Workshop

Wednesdays, 11/6 & 11/20 @ 7pm
Southern Writers Workshop: Meet aspiring writers, find your inspiration, and refine your craft in this adult writers’ workshop.

THURS, 11/7 & 11/21 @ 6:30pm
ESL: English as a Second Language. Students with an intermediate level of English proficiency are best suited to this section of the course, but all levels are welcome.

SAT, 11/16 @ 2pm
Library Spotlight: Mango

SUN, 11/17 @ 3pm
Create! All Ages Craft. Join us for Create! an open-ended art lesson and craft. Each month we pick a new medium. This month we will be making handprint turkeys.

MON, 11/25 @ 7pm
Resume Workshop

SAT, 11/30 @ 10am
Game Day Join us for all ages gaming fun. Choose from one of the library’s board games or bring your own to share.

DULARGE

Tuesdays @ 10am
Oil Painting with Gail LeCompte Registration required.

Wednesdays @ 1pm
Mexican Train Dominos

Thursdays @ 10am
Sew/So Good Quilters

MON, 11/11 @ 1:30pm
Eager Reader Book Discussion: “The Good Fight” by Danielle Steel

Saturday, 11/9 @ 2pm
Game Day with Bayou Board Gaming
Join us for all ages gaming fun. Choose from one of the library’s board games or bring your own to share.

MON, 11/11 & 11/25 @ 10:30am
Creative Oasis is a brand new arts and crafts program for adults. A variety of relaxing, easy craft and coloring projects will be available to choose from.

WED, 11/13 & 11/27 @ 4pm
Chess Club: Put your chess playing skills to the test. Never played before? No worries! We will be happy to teach you.

SHOWING OFF
On the Bayou
12/2/19 | 7 pm | Dularge Branch

The public is invited to attend an art show featuring a variety of works made during 2019 by patrons of the Dularge Branch Library.

GIBSON

MON, 11/25 @ 12:30pm
Scrabble Club
NORTH

MON, 11/4 & 11/25 @ 6pm
Resume Connection Class: Learn how to complete a resume, fill out an application, and get helpful hints on what to do at a job interview.

Tuesdays, 11/5 & 11/19 @ 6pm
Writing Editor

SAT, 11/9 @ 2pm
Family Movie: Aladdin

THURS, 11/14 @ 6:30pm
What Am I Saying Class: Learn commonly used emoji’s & texts

SUN, 11/24 @ 3pm
Southern Living Recipe Swap: We all know our Mamas were (and still are!) the best cooks around! Reminisce with our cookbook club and recipe swap! Staff will provide their own personal cookbooks to share recipes from and will also look at some from the library collection. Bring a copy of your favorite recipe to share -- you might just leave with a new old favorite!

THURS, 11/21 @ 6pm
Adult Craft

BOURG

TUES, 11/12 & 11/19 @ 3pm
Scrapbooking

WED, 11/20 @ 11am
The Young at Heart Group

MON, 11/25 @ 10am
Christmas Truck

2pm
Painting Workshop

MONTEGUT

MON, 11/4 @ 4pm
Board Game Afternoon for International Games Week

WED, 11/13 @ 11am
Homemakers

MON, 11/25 @ 10:30am
Canvas Painting

CHAUVIN

WED, 11/6 @ 1pm
Crochet Group

DOMINOES

EAST HOUMA

All Month
Anytime Craft

Mondays @ 10am
Recipe/Coupon Exchange

Mondays @ 6pm
Zen Coloring Fun

Tuesdays @ 10am
Adult Yoga

Wednesdays @ 11am
Computer Q & A: Any tech questions? Whatever your computer needs, get your questions answered!

Fridays, 11/1, 11/8, & 11/22 @ 10am
Family Fitness Friday

SAT, 11/2 & 11/30 @ 2pm
Canvas Painting

Saturdays, 11/2 & 11/30 @ 4pm
Adult Bingo

SAT, 11/9 @ 3pm
Fall Decoration Workshop: Pumpkins and Pallets. Registration required. Limit 15.

TUES, 11/19 @ 6pm
Holiday Candy Making

SAT, 11/23 @ 3pm
Coffee, Cake & Conversation

DULAC

Thursdays @ 11am
Grand Caillou Beading Circle: Learn the techniques of 2 needle flat stitching.

MON, 11/4 @ 1pm
International Games Week: UNO for Adults

MON, 11/11 @ 1pm
Adult Acrylic Painting: All supplies provided

Mondays, 11/18 & 11/25 @ 1pm
Native American Heritage Month: Half-Hitch Palmetto Basketry Demonstration
**SENsory Story Time**

**Tuesdays @ 2pm**

Sensory Story Time is a program designed to engage children ages 3-7. It is ideal for autism spectrum disorders, sensory integration challenges, or children who have difficulty sitting still.

**Fridays, 11/1 & 11/15 @ 4pm**

**Dancercize** Work up a sweat at our all ages dance class.

**FRIENDS ANNUAL SPELLING BEE**

**Saturday, 11/2 | Main Library**

See more information on front page.

**SAT, 11/2 @ 11am & 3pm**

**Lego Robotics** 2nd grade & up

**SUN, 11/3 @ 3pm**

Yoga for Kids

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**MAIN**

**WED, 11/6, FRI 11/8, WED 11/20, & FRI 11/22 @ 4pm**

**Pokémon Gym**

Meet other Pokémon fans & have fun. Bring your cards to build decks, trade, & battle.

**Crafternoons!**

**THURS, 11/7 @ 4pm** Paper Squirrels

**THURS, 11/14 @ 4pm** Scarecrows

**THURS, 11/21 @ 4pm** Lego Stamped Indian Corn

**SAT, 11/9 @ 11am**

Learn how to think like a computer with fun challenges and games. For 4th grade and up.

**SUN, 11/10 @ 3pm**

Escape the Library for 4th grade and up

**WED, 11/13 & 11/27 @ 4pm**

**Chess Club:** Put your chess playing skills to the test. Never played before? No worries! We will be happy to teach you.

**SAT, 11/16 @ 11am & 3pm**

Lego Club for all ages

**SUN, 11/17 @ 3pm**

**CREATE** This month we will be making handprint turkeys.

**SAT, 11/23 @ 11am**

MoboRobo: Robots on the Go!

**SUN, 11/24 @ 3pm**

Family Movie Matinee Aladdin [PG]

**SAT, 11/30 @ 3pm**

Game Day Join us for all ages gaming fun. Choose from one of the library’s board games or bring your own to share.

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**DULARGE**

**Wednesdays @ 10:30am**

**Toddler Time**

**MON, 11/11 @ 4:30pm**

**Veteran’s Day Craft**

**MON, 11/25 @ 4:30pm**

**Thanksgiving Story/Craft Time**

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**GIBSON**

**TUES, 11/19 @ 1:30pm**

“Where’s the Turkey?” Story Time

**TUES, 11/19 @ 2pm**

“Paper Turkey” Craft

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**CHAUVIN**

**TUES, 11/5 @ 4pm**

After School Board Games

**THURS, 11/21 @ 4pm**

Fall Story Time

**TUES, 11/12 @ 4pm**

Lego Club

**TUES, 11/26 @ 2pm**

Turkey Craft
DULAC

Mondays @ 10am
Toddler Story Time/Craft

WED, 11/6 @ 4pm
Connect 4 Tournament and Popcorn

WED, 11/13 @ 4pm
Acrylic Painting: Fleur de lis

WED, 11/20 @ 4pm
Turkey Footprint Craft for Toddlers to 2nd grade

TUES, 11/26 @ 10am
Movie & Popcorn featuring “A Charlie Brown Thanksgiving”

MON, 11/4 @ 4pm
Board Game Afternoon

WED, 11/6 & 11/20 @ 4pm
Lego Club

MON, 11/11 @ 4pm
Disguise a Turkey Craft

WED, 11/13 @ 4pm
Turkey Windsock

MON, 11/18 @ 4pm
Pumpkin Centerpieces

MON, 11/25 @ 10:30am
Canvas Painting

WED, 11/27 @ 2pm
Apple Dippers

MONTGUT

SAT, 11/2 & 11/30 @ 2pm
Wii Gaming

SUN, 11/3 @ 2pm
Lego Block Party

SAT, 11/9 @ 2pm
Family Movie: Aladdin

SUN, 11/17 @ 3pm
Craft Open House

MON, 11/18 @ 6pm
Family Story Time

SUN, 11/24 @ 3pm
Lego Robotics

EAST HOUMA

All Month
Anytime Craft

Mondays @ 6pm
Zen Coloring Fun

Fridays, 11/1, 11/8, & 11/22 @ 10am
Family Fitness Friday

TUES, 11/12 @ 6pm
Fall Craft for Kids Leaf Jars

THURS, 11/18 @ 2pm
National Princess Day Story Time: Dress up as your favorite princess/prince and join us for story time!

WED, 11/27 @ 6pm
Harvest-Themed Canvas Painting

NORTH

SAT, 11/2 & 11/30 @ 2pm
Lego Club

SAT, 11/9 @ 2pm
Family Movie: Aladdin

SUN, 11/17 @ 3pm
Craft Open House

MON, 11/18 @ 6pm
Family Story Time

SUN, 11/24 @ 3pm
Lego Robotics

BOURG

Workshops

MON, 11/4 @ 3pm Candy Kabobs PreK-4th
TUES, 11/5 @ 4pm Doughnut Lip Balm 5th-12th
MON, 11/11 @ 3pm Pom Pom Ice Cream PreK-4th
MON, 11/18 @ 3pm Glitter Slime PreK-4th
MON, 11/25 @ 10am Christmas Truck Painting 2pm Christmas Truck Painting

THURS, 11/14 @ 3pm
Lego Afternoon

NEW in CHILDREN’S FICTION

Beverly, Right Here by Kate DiCamillo
The Class by Frances O’Roark Dowell
Dear Sweet Pea by Julie Murphy

Programs at all libraries may require registration. Please call ahead.
Each year people all over the planet join together during International Games Week to celebrate the mutually-reinforcing power of play and learning at libraries around the world. It’s the week that libraries play games in a spirit of fun and cooperation.

Join us as we celebrate International Games Week from November 3rd - 9th with libraries around the world. Below is a list of the activities at each Terrebonne Parish branch.

**Bourg** | **THURS, 11/7 @ 3pm**
Gaming Afternoon
Enjoy puzzles, board games, and snacks.

**Chauvin** | **TUES, 11/5 @ 4pm**
After School Board Games

**Dulac**
**MON, 11/4 @ 1pm** Uno for Adults
**TUES, 11/5 @ 4pm** Phase 10 for Teens
**WED, 11/6 @ 4pm** Connect 4 Tournament for Kids

**Dularge** | **MON, 11/4 @ 3pm**
Board Games, Dominoes, Headbands, and Wii Games

**East** | **WED, 11/6 @ 6pm**
Family Wii and Board Game Hour

**Gibson** | **WED, 11/6 @ 3pm**
Old School Board Games and Wii Games

**Main Library**
**WED, 11/6 @ 4pm** Pokemon Gym
**THURS, 11/7 @ 6pm** Teen Game Club
**FRI, 11/8 @ 4pm** Pokemon Gym
**SAT, 11/9 @ 2pm** Game Day with Bayou Board Gaming

**Montegut** | **MON, 11/4 @ 4pm**
Board Game Afternoon for All Ages
**TEEN PROGRAMMING**

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### MAIN

**Thursdays @ 6pm**
ECHO Teen Gaming Group

**Saturday, 11/9 @ 2pm**
**Game Day with Bayou Board Gaming**
Join us for all ages gaming fun. Choose from one of the library’s board games or bring your own to share.

**WED, 11/13 & 11/27 @ 4pm**
Chess Club: Put your chess playing skills to the test. Never played before? No worries! We will be happy to teach you.

**SAT, 11/16 @ 9am**
ACT Practice Test: Take a computer-based ACT Practice test and get immediate feedback to improve your future test scores.

**SUN, 11/17 @ 3pm**
Create! This month we will make handprint turkeys.

**SAT, 11/23 @ 3pm**
Teen Anime and Manga Club for grades 7th-12th.

**SAT, 11/30 @ 3pm**
Game Day for All Ages

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### NORTH

**Tuesdays from 2:30pm to 4:30pm**
**The Hangout:** Need a place to relax after school? Welcome to the Hangout, an all new program made just for you! We will have games, music, snacks, and plenty of fun to go around.

**SAT, 11/2 & SUN, 11/30 @ 2pm**
**Wii Gaming**

**Mondays, 11/4 & 11/25 @ 6pm**
**Resume Connection Class:** Learn how to complete a resume, fill out an application, and get helpful hints on what to do at a job interview.

**TUES, 11/5 & 11/19 @ 6pm**
**Writing Editor**

**THURS, 11/7 @ 6pm**
**Teen DIY Room Décor**

**SAT, 11/9 @ 2pm**
**Family Movie: Aladdin**

**SUN, 11/17 @ 2pm**
**Craft Open House**

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### MONTEGUT

**MON, 11/4 @ 4pm**
**Board Game Afternoon**

**WED, 11/6 & 11/20 @ 4pm**
**Lego Club**

**MON, 11/11 @ 4pm**
**Disguise a Turkey Craft**

**MON, 11/25 @ 10:30am**
**Canvas Painting**

**WED, 11/27 @ 2pm**
**Apple Dippers**

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### DULARGE

**Thursdays @ 4pm**
Board Games/Teen Craft

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### DULAC

**Thursdays @ 4pm**
Grand Caillou Beading Circle: Learn the techniques of 2 needle flat stitching. Please call 985-563-2014 to register.

**TUES, 11/5 @ 4pm**
Phase 10 for Teens

**TUES, 11/12 @ 4pm**
Native American Heritage Month: DIY Braided Palmetto Magnet

**TUES, 11/19 @ 4pm**
DIY Sugar Scrub

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### CHAUVIN

**TUES, 11/19 @ 3:30pm**
T-Shirt Bags Craft

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### BOURG

**TUES, 11/5 @ 4pm**
Doughnut Lip Balm Workshop

**MON, 11/25 @ 10am & 2pm**
Christmas Truck Painting Workshop

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### EAST HOUMA

All Month
Anytime Craft

**Mondays @ 6pm**
Zen Coloring Fun

**Fridays, 11/1, 11/8, & 11/22 @ 10am**
Family Fitness Friday

**Thursdays, 11/7 &11/21 @ 6pm**
Wii Time! Teen Mario Kart

**SAT, 11/9 @ 3pm**
Fall Decoration Workshop: Pumpkins and Pallets

**WED, 11/13 @ 6pm**
College Night! See front page for details.

**TUES, 11/19 @ 6pm**
Holiday Candy Making

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### GIBSON

**WED, 11/6 @ 3pm**
Gaming for Teens

**WED, 11/20 @ 3pm**
“Fall Wreath” Craft Program

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**NEW in TEEN fiction**

10 Blind Dates by Ashley Elston

Cursed by Thomas Wheeler

The Fountains of Silence by Ruta Sepetys
Staff Spotlight

Lisa Arceneaux
Administrative Assistant

How long have you worked for TPLS?
This October makes two years I have been with the library system.

What do you love most about your job at the library?
There are many things I love about my job. I love to read, so having access to books on a daily basis is great. I like to multi-task, so my job keeps me pretty busy, and I like that. I really enjoy all of the people I work with as well.

Autumn is all about short days and cozy nights! What books are you most looking forward to cuddling up with this fall?
I love cowboy romance books. R.C. Ryan has a new one coming out this month titled “Born to be a Cowboy.” Carolyn Brown has a few new books that will be out in the future as well. I especially like her cowboy series and am looking forward “Cowboy Courage” and “Cowboy Strong.”

In a Hallmark movie about your life, who would play the lead role?
Without a doubt, I would pick Sandra Bullock. I love how funny she is in all of her movies, and she is one of the few celebrities I feel I can relate to on a personal level.

If you could invite any author over for Thanksgiving dinner, who would you choose and why?
Carolyn Brown. She is my favorite author and my grandmother’s as well. I had the pleasure of meeting her this year at the Jambalaya Writers’ Conference. She is so sweet and down to earth. Bonus points if she were to bring a cowboy with her to dinner. That would be awesome!

FREE COMPUTER CLASSES // Main Library

MON, 11/4 @ 7pm - 8:30pm: Intro to Excel
THURS, 11/14 @ 9:30-10:30am: Google Apps
MON, 11/18 @ 7pm - 8:30pm: Intro to PowerPoint
THURS, 11/21 @ 9:30-10:30am: Device Drop-In

WED, 11/6 @ 9:30-10:30am: Intro to Computers
MON, 11/11 @ 7pm - 8:30pm: Intro to Word
TUES, 11/19 @ 9:30-10:30am: Internet Safety

MON, 11/12 @ 9:30-10:30am: Intro to Email
THURS, 11/21 @ 9:30-10:30am: Device Drop-In

WED, 11/13 @ 9:30-10:30am: Intro to the Internet