



## Newsletter of the Terrebonne Parish Library System

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### Terrebonne Parish Library Wins Upstart Innovation Award

The Terrebonne Parish Library won the 2014 Upstart Library Innovation Award from the Public Library Association! This is a national award given for innovative, creative, and cutting-edge library programs. The award was given for the library-based multimedia program Future Leaders of America's Gulf (FLAG) founded in June of 2010. This program facilitates teen participation in investigating the environmental, economic, and community issues that impact Terrebonne Parish and the Gulf Coast.



Terrebonne Parish Main Library presents **Comedian Karen Knotts** (Daughter of Don Knotts)

— Monday, April 14 at 6:30 PM —



"Tied Up In Knotts" is a family-friendly show for all ages. Enjoy a night of fun and laughter at the library! Admission is free and doors open at 6 PM.



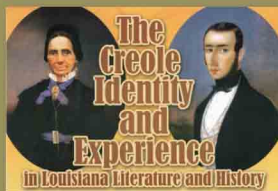
## **FINE FREE WEEK** 4/13 - 4/19 *National Library Week*

The Terrebonne Parish Library System will waive current fines when items are returned during National Library Week (April 13 - 19). Any previous account balances are not eligible to be waived. **Happy National Library Week!**



## MAIN

## Spring 2014 RELIC Series



Terrebonne Parish Main Library  
Mondays, 1-3pm  
April 7 – May 12, 2014

Dr. Paul Leslie, Nicholls State University

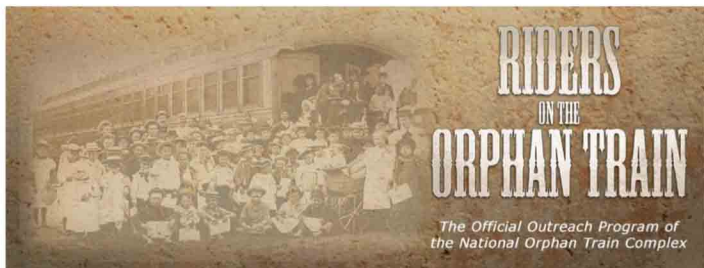
## The Creole Identity & Experience

Why did Creole identity migrate among groups over history? How have class, race, and culture been navigated by writers of the Creole experience? These issues and more will be the focus of the next RELIC series, on Mondays 1-3pm, April 7 through May 12.

### Tuesday, 4/8 @ 7pm

#### Discovering Library Databases

These days lots of people think you can find any information you need with Google. But that's not true--a lot of what is on the internet is hidden unless you have access to the right databases. Luckily, your library card gives you access to dozens of different databases. Join us and find out just how much your library card offers that Google doesn't! All ages, welcome and no registration required.



### Saturday, 4/26 @ 1pm

#### Riders on the Orphan Train: Phil Lancaster and Alison Moore.

This program tells the story of thousands of orphans shipped by train from New York to train stations all across the United States between 1854 and 1929, to be adopted by new families at the depot. Musician Phil Lancaster and writer Alison Moore will bring this fascinating history to life with storytelling, song and video. Many of the orphans came to Schriever and Morgan City, so if you have Orphan Train riders in your family history, please share your stories at the presentation. Thanks to the Terrebonne Genealogical Society for sponsoring this event. All ages. No registration required.

## GIBSON

### Wednesday, 4/16 @ 2pm

Adults will exercise playing Wii bowling.

## BOURG


### Friday, 4/11 @ 11am

Scrabble Day

### Friday, 4/25 @ 11am

Oral History Program

## APRIL 13-19 is NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

Celebrate with us by attending one of our special library programs during this week. Look for the **STARS**  on this newsletter to see National Library Week programs.

## NORTH

### Thursday, 4/3 @ 1pm

Adult Crafts for your lawn

### Thursday, 4/10 @ 10am

Scrapbooking for Adults

### Wednesday, 4/16 @ 1pm

**Natural Spring Cleaning:** Traditional cleaning products are full of chemicals, which may harm you and your family. Learn how to make natural alternatives to popular chemical cleaners.

### Thursday, 4/17 @ 6pm

**Open Mic Poetry Night:** Celebrate National Poetry Month by reading your original poetry or sharing a favorite poem by a famous author. Refreshments provided.

## CHAUVIN

### Wednesdays @ 1pm

Mexican Train Dominos



### Thursdays @ 1pm

**Stitches:** Come and share talents of crocheting, knitting, and cross-stitching. Beginners are welcome.

### Wednesday, 4/2 & Thursday, 4/3 @ 9am

Adult Oil Painting Class

## DULAC

### Mondays @ 11am

**Resume Help** Adults can get assistance to improve their existing resumes.

### Tuesdays @ 1pm

DIY Invitations, Cards, & Stationary

### Thursdays @ 11am

Microsoft Word & Excel Help



### Monday, 4/28 @ 1pm

**Preservation Week:** Learn how the library can help you preserve family/community heritage.

**EAST HOUMA**

**Tuesdays @ 10am**  
**Fridays @ 11am**  
 Zumba Exercise Workout



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

**Fridays @ 10am**  
 Ingles para Hispanohablantes

**Saturday, 4/5 @ 4pm**  
 Adult BINGO Popcorn /drinks

**Thursday, 4/24 @ 6:30pm**  
 Adult Craft Workshop

**Saturday, 4/26 @ 2pm**  
 Adult Plastic Canvas Workshop

**Monday, 4/28 @ 6:30pm**  
 Line Dancing Come out and enjoy an evening of line dancing. Beginners are welcome.

**DULARGE**

**Mondays @ 10am**  
 Sunshine Through Glass group meets to exchange ideas and patterns.

**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.

**Fridays @ 10am**  
 Creative Corner Bring a project you are working on from home and discuss your latest good reads with other creative individuals.

**MONTEGUT**

**Wednesday, 4/16 @ 1pm**  
 Adult Craft

Start streaming at [mytpl.freemovies.com](http://mytpl.freemovies.com)

**ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS**

<p><b>MAIN LIBRARY</b>                  TUES @ 6:30pm</p>	<p>4/1 <i>The Secret Keeper</i>                  Kate Morton</p>	<p>5/6 <i>Flight Behavior</i>                  Barbara Kingsolver</p>	<p>6/3 <i>Mrs. Poe</i>                  Lynn Cullen</p>
<p><b>NORTH BRANCH</b>  <i>Vampire Shrinks</i>                  TUES @ 6pm                  Adult Book Discussion                  MON @ 6pm</p>	<p>4/1 <i>Halfway to the Grave</i>                  Jeaniene Frost</p> <hr/> <p>4/21 <i>Five Days at Memorial</i>                  Sheri Fink</p>	<p>5/6 <i>Beautiful Creatures</i>                  Kami Garcia &amp; Margaret Stohl</p> <hr/> <p>To Be Announced</p>	<p>To Be Announced</p> <hr/> <p>To Be Announced</p>
<p><b>EAST HOUMA BRANCH</b>                  TUES @ 6:30pm</p>	<p>4/29 <i>Clash of Kings</i>                  George R.R. Martin</p>	<p>5/27 <i>Nefertiti</i>                  by Michelle Moran</p>	<p>6/24 <i>Rhet Butler's People</i>                  by Donald McCraig</p>
<p><b>DULARGE BRANCH</b>                  MON @ 1:30pm</p>	<p>4/14 <i>The Sweetest Hallelujah</i>                  Elaine Hussey</p>	<p>5/12 <i>Return to Willow Lake</i>                  Susan Wiggs</p>	<p>6/9 <i>Dark Witch</i>                  Nora Roberts</p>

### ////// MAIN ////

Thursday, 4/3 @ 6:30pm



**Future Leaders of America's Gulf** members investigate and report on environmental, economic, and community issues impacting Louisiana and the Gulf Coast. Members develop leadership, journalism, and project management skills as they educate and mobilize Louisiana youth around issues of concern to the future of our state, region, and nation. Open to all high school students in Terrebonne Parish. Call 850-5306 or email jen@mytpl.org for more information.

Wednesday, 4/9 @ 6pm  
Teen Craft

Saturday, 4/26 @ 3 pm  
Teen Movie: *Catching Fire* (PG13)

### ////// EAST HOUMA ////

Thursday, 4/3 @ 5pm  
Make & Take Crafts

Saturday, 4/12 @ 2pm ☆  
**Teen Book Discussion** featuring  
*The Angel Experiment* by James Patterson

### ////// GIBSON ////

Tuesday, 4/15 @ 3pm ☆  
Teen Scrabble

### ////// BOURG ////

Tuesday, 4/22 @ 1pm  
Butterfly Mosaic Painting

### ////// MONTEGUT ////

Friday, 4/11 @ 4pm  
Teen Craft

### ////// CHAUVIN ////

Tuesday, 4/1 @ 4pm  
Paint Craft

### ////// DULARGE ////

Friday, 4/11 @ 3:30pm  
Internet Scavenger Hunt

### ////// DULAC ////

Thursdays @ 3pm  
Teen Board Game Day

Monday, 4/7 @ 3pm  
**Teen Bookmark Contest**  
Teens can design or draw their own bookmarks that will be used during the Summer Reading Program.

Thursday, 4/17 @ 3pm ☆  
**Celebrate Teen Lit Day!**  
Booktalks featuring  
*Divergent* series, *The Giver*,  
& *Hunger Games* series



### ////// NORTH ////

**Month-Long Activity**  
**Redactive Poetry Interactive Display**  
Create your own poems from copies of book pages.

Wednesday, 4/9 @ 3pm  
Teen Wii Games

Friday, 4/11 @ 3pm  
Teen Movie: *Catching Fire* (PG13)

Monday, 4/14 @ 3pm ☆  
**Teen Writers Group:**  
Bring something you've written to share and learn new techniques for improving your creative writing.

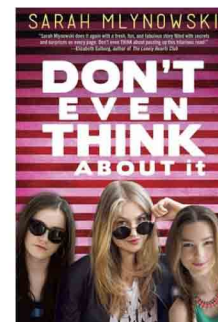
Tuesday, 4/22 @ 3pm  
**Teen Craft:** Teen Craft: Paper beads.  
Celebrate Earth Day with us by making custom beads from recycled papers.

Monday, 4/28 @ 3:30pm  
**Before the Movie Book Club:**  
Come out and discuss *The Giver* by Lois Lowry before the movie comes out!

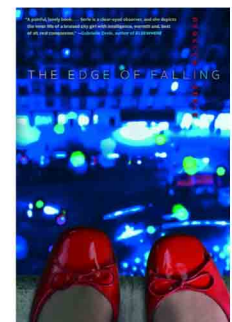
# WHAT'S HOT IN TEEN BOOKS



**16 Things I Thought Were True**  
by Janet Gurtler



**Don't Even Think About It**  
by Sarah Mlynowski



**Edge of Falling**  
by Rebecca Serle

## ////// MAIN ////

**Wednesday, 4/2 @ 4:30pm**  
Kids Craft *PreK-6th*

**Saturday, 4/5 @ 3pm**  
Lego Robotics *4th-7th graders*

**Saturday, 4/12 @ 3pm**  
Fingerprint Art *All ages*

**Wednesday, 4/16 @ 4pm** ★  
Game Day @ the Library *All ages*

**Saturday, 4/19** ★  
@ 11am Lego Club *Pre-K - 1st*  
@ 3pm Lego Club *2nd - 6th*

## ////// BOURG ////

**Monday, 4/21 @ 1pm**  
Butterfly Mosaic Painting *PreK - 6th*

## ////// CHAUVIN ////

**Wednesday, 4/9 @ 4pm**  
Butterfly Craft *PreK - 3rd*

## ////// DULARGE ////

**Tuesday, 4/8 @ 4:30pm**  
Dularge School Story Time featuring  
*The Okay Book* by Todd Parr

**Monday, 4/14 @ 4:30pm** ★  
National Library Week Story/Craft

**Thursday, 4/17 @ 4:30pm** ★  
Easter Story/Craft

**Monday, 4/28 @ 4:30pm**  
April Showers Story/Craft

## ////// MONTEGUT ////

**Tuesday, 4/15 @ 1pm** ★  
Tiny Tots Story Time

**Tuesday, 4/15 @ 3:30pm** ★  
After School Craft

## ////// DULAC ////

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

**Thursdays @ 3pm**  
Game Day for all ages

**Fridays @ 3pm**  
Paint Party!

**Tuesday, 4/15 @ 3pm** ★  
National Library Workers Day  
Kids will learn how we organize library  
materials & check out their own items.

**Wednesday, 4/16 @ 3:30pm** ★  
National Library Week Story Time & Craft

## ////// EAST HOUMA ////

**Wednesday, 4/16 @ 6:30pm**  
Free Family Hispanic Movie *Canela* (PG)

**Saturday, 4/19 @ 2pm** ★  
Spanish Story Time

**Saturday, 4/19 @ 3pm** ★  
Tween Craft

## ////// NORTH ////

**Sundays, 4/6, 13, & 27 @ 3pm**  
Sunday make and take crafts

**Thursday, 4/10 @ 7pm**  
Children's Poetry Night Children from  
local schools will read their original poetry.

**Saturday, 4/12 @ 2pm**  
MOVIE: *Frozen* (PG)

**Monday, 4/14 @ 6pm** ★  
Family Night: Easter Theme

**Tuesday, 4/15 @ 6pm** ★  
Easter Craft

**Saturday, 4/26 @ 3pm**  
Lego Robotics

## 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

Babygarten @ 10am  
for newborns to 18 months

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

### CHAUVIN

*Tuesday, 4/1*

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

*Tuesday, 4/8*

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

### EAST HOUMA

*Wednesdays*

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

*Saturdays*

Family Story Time @ 10am  
for 4-8 year olds

### GIBSON

*Friday, 4/11*

Story Time

Pre-K @ 9am

Kindergarten @ 1:30pm

### NORTH

*Wednesdays*

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

*Thursdays*

Peek-a-Boo Readers @ 2pm  
for newborns to 18 months

### Lemonade Story Times:

**Bourg** - 4/14 @ 3:30pm

**Chauvin** - 4/8 @ 10am

**Dularge** - 4/21 @ 4:30pm

**East** - 4/12 @ 10am

**Gibson** - 4/11 @ 9:30am & 1:30pm;

**Dulac** - 4/9 @ 3:30pm

**Main** - 4/7 @ 10am & 6pm + 4/8 @ 6pm

**Montegut** - 4/8 @ 4pm

**Lemonade Day** is a day  
dedicated to teaching kids how  
to start, own, and operate their  
very own business.



## 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

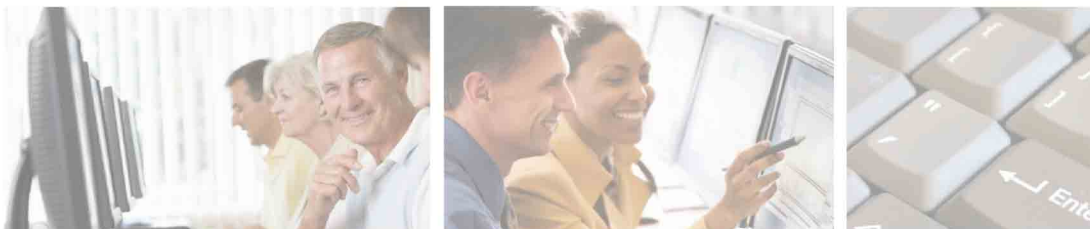
**GIBSON BRANCH** 575-2639  
6363 S. Bayou Black Dr.  
Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 6 pm  
Fri. 10 am - 5 pm

**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**  
**www.mytpl.org**



## FREE COMPUTER CLASSES

### MAIN

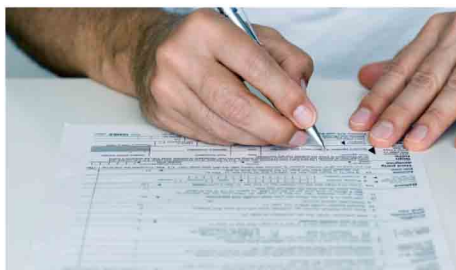
**Friday, 4/4 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Introduction to Computers

**Friday, 4/25 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Introduction to Email

**Monday, 4/14 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm**  
Intermediate Computer Instruction

**Monday, 4/28 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Introduction to the Internet

**Monday, 4/21 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Microsoft Word 2010



**VITA**  
Volunteer Income  
Tax Assistance

**TUESDAYS**

**2/4 - 4/15**

**9am - 3pm**

*Made possible by Catholic Charities.*

Assistance available at Main Library

## LIBRARY EXHIBITS

### MAIN

*Foyer display cases* Vintage Cameras by Nat Lovell

### NORTH

*Foyer display case* Louisiana Birds: Photography in Flight by Kim Vice

**ALL Terrebonne Parish libraries CLOSED on April 18th & 20th**