We are excited to announce the 2024 Summer Library Program, "Adventure Begins at Your Library!" From May 28 to July 27 readers of all ages can read for fun and prizes at all seven amazing Terrebonne Parish Library locations.

The program will feature special events, performers, special kids’ programs, summer story times, teen and adult programs, family events, and so much more! Events kick off with Touch-A-Truck on June 1st. We’ll also feature The Yuck Show, Wink the Magician, Petite Princess Company, Creature Farm, Harvey Rabbit, Frank & Tammy Magic Show, Half Way Party, Artist Becca Hillburn, and so much more!

Kids in grades K through 6 can participate in Books for Bikes, sponsored by the Kiwanis and the Friends of the Terrebonne Library. All seven locations will be giving away a bike and helmet. Each location will also feature prizes for teens and adults.

Readers will receive a reward every five days for reading at least twenty minutes a day as well as an entry into the grand prize raffle. Simply mark the day on the reading log or on the Beanstack App when you’ve achieved the goal. Once you’ve completed enough days, present your log at any of the seven library branches to claim your prize. To learn more about upcoming events and how to register, please visit mytpl.org/srp.
Program Spotlight

Saturday, May 4

The Terrebonne Parish Main Library is partnering with Synergy Bank on May 4 to offer Safe Stand Locations for Bayou Lemonade Day.

Bayou Lemonade Day is a free educational initiative designed to teach children how to start, own, and operate their own lemonade stand.

Visit the Main Library on May 4 and stop by the lemonade stands to support future young business leaders.

Register your child at banksynergy.com/lemonade

Nutrition Lesson with Evelyn Washington

May 21 | 11:30 am
Dulac Branch

Be sure to join Evelyn Washington, Nutrition Educator with LSU AgCenter for FREE lessons on ways to eat and live healthier.

Genealogy 101: Probate Records

May 20 | 6 pm
Main Library Creative Lab

Learn how probate records can help you with your genealogy research in this one-hour session.

Junk Journaling on Playing Cards

Main Library, May 11 | 10 am

Creative Lab

Have you ever heard of junk journaling? We’ve got you covered. A junk journal is a type of handmade book that is used to store personal memories and ideas. Recycled materials such as old newspapers, train tickets, buttons, stamps, and other items typically thrown away can be used. The pages, in this case, cards, are filled with these materials for a personalized look.

Register by calling 876-5861, option 2 or visit mytpl.libcal.com/event/12354120 (Ages 15+)

Starting Stitches

Join the Starting Stitches Group, an educational and social group focused on individual and peer-taught hobbies related to sewing, embroidery, cross-stitch, knitting, and crocheting.

Main Library, May 11 | 10 am
Main Library Creative Lab

Borrow ebooks & audiobooks

Libby.
The library reading app
https://ecoop.overdrive.com/

Main Library Storytime Room

Bring your children to the library for an hour of fun, while you enjoy some quiet time with a good book and a complimentary cup of coffee on us. We will keep your kids entertained with a movie and a special Mother’s Day craft. Please note that parents are required to stay in the library and provide a working phone number. Additionally, this offer is only available for children between the ages of 5 and 11. Spots are limited, so be sure to register.
## Children's Programs

### Main Library

*Story Times listed on pg. 6.
*Crafternoons

**Every Wednesday | 3 pm**

- Lego Free Play
  - May 18 | 11 am & 2 pm

- Family Bingo
  - May 19 | 3 pm

- CREATE! All Ages Art Class
  - May 25 | 1 pm

- Oversized Games
  - May 26 | All Day

- Toddler Open Play
  - May 31 | All Day

### Dularge

- Lego Free Play
  - Every Tuesday | 3:30 pm

- Build a Baby Yoda
  - May 3 | All Day

- Take & Make Mother's Day Craft
  - May 10 | While supplies last

- School's Out for the Summer Storytime & Craft
  - May 20 | All Day

- Summer Reading Begins!
  - May 28 | All Day
  - Sign up & receive a free gift!
  - (While supplies last)

### Chauvin

- Mother's Day Craft
  - May 6 | 4 pm

- Paper Squishies
  - May 13 | 4 pm

- Paper Plate Frisbees
  - May 20 | 4 pm

### North

- Mother's Day Coloring Sheets
  - All month

- Scavenger Hunt
  - All month

- Peek-A-Boo Storytime
  - Every Thursday | 2 pm

### East Houma

- Coloring Packets
  - Mondays | While supplies last

- Toddler Storytime
  - Every Wednesday | 10 am

- Take & Make Cinco de Mayo Paper Taco Craft
  - May 2 | 6 pm

- Grab Bag Friday
  - May 3, 17, 31 | All Day
  - Stop by to get your surprise weekend craft. While supplies last.

- Take & Make Star Wars Paper Craft
  - May 4 | All Day

- Mother's Day Paper Flower Craft
  - May 9 | 6 pm

- Lego Mania
  - May 11 | 2 pm

- Lucky Penny Day Scavenger Hunt
  - May 23 | All Day

- Spring Flower Painting
  - May 25 | 2 pm

### Gibson

- Mother's Day Storytime and Craft
  - May 2 & 9 | 2 pm

### Dulac

- Shrinky Dink Keepsake Keychain Craft
  - May 6 & 7 | 3 pm

- Snap Circuits STEM Activity
  - May 13 & 14 | 3 pm

- Community Bingo
  - May 21 | 12 pm

- Youth Summer Sewing Series
  - 1:00 pm
  - May 22 | Scrunchies
  - May 29 | Lanyard

- Movie: Lilo and Stitch
  - May 31 | 12:00 pm

- Lego Free Play
  - May 18 | 11 am & 2 pm

### Dularge

- Lego Free Play
  - Every Tuesday | 3:30 pm

- Build a Baby Yoda
  - May 3 | All Day

- Take & Make Mother's Day Craft
  - May 10 | While supplies last

- School's Out for the Summer Storytime & Craft
  - May 20 | All Day

- Summer Reading Begins!
  - May 28 | All Day
  - Sign up & receive a free gift!
  - (While supplies last)

### North

- Mother's Day Coloring Sheets
  - All month

- Scavenger Hunt
  - All month

- Peek-A-Boo Storytime
  - Every Thursday | 2 pm

- Storytime
  - Tuesdays | 10 am

- Mother's Day Card Craft
  - May 6 | While supplies last

- Beaded Necklace Craft
  - May 13 | While supplies last

- Paper Bowl Sea Turtle Craft
  - May 20 | While supplies last

- Paper Flowers Craft
  - May 28 | While supplies last

- Family Movie: Night at the Museum
  - May 18 | 2 pm

- Family Movie: Abominable
  - May 25 | 2 pm
# Adult Programs

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Teen Programs

Main Library

Teen Hangout
May 2 | 7 pm

*Sew Much Fun Tween
Sewing Class
May 4 | 1 pm & 3 pm

Special Teen Hangout:
Fresh Baked Cookies
May 16 | 7 pm

Chauvin

Mother’s Day Craft
May 6 | 4 pm

Paper Squishes
May 13 | 4 pm

Paper Plate Frisbees
May 20 | 4 pm

Dulac

Coffee Filter Hydrangeas Craft
May 9 | 3 pm

Upcycled Photo Clipboard
May 16 | 3 pm

Fluffy Slime
May 23 | 12 pm

East Houma

Take & Make Cinco de Mayo
Paper Taco Craft
May 2 | 6-7

Grab Bag Friday
May 3, 17, 31 | All Day
Stop by to get your surprise weekend craft. While supplies last.

Take & Make Star Wars Paper Craft
May 4 | All Day

Mother’s Day Paper Flower Craft
May 9 | 6 pm

Lego Mania
May 11 | 2 pm

Spring Flower Painting
May 25 | 2 pm

Dularge

Teen Pick-a-Craft
Every Thursday | 3 pm

*Teen Painting - Flower
May 9 | 3:30 pm

Gibson

*Teen & Tween Club:
Apron Sewing Project
May 9 | 3:45 pm

North

NEW Gaming Lab for Teens and older
Monday - Thursday: 12 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday - Saturday: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Take-n-Make Craft:
Velvet Art Poster
May 6 | While supplies last

Take-n-Make Craft:
Porcelain Bank
May 13 | While supplies last

Take-n-Make Craft:
Canvas Painting Board
May 20 | While supplies last

Take-n-Make Craft:
Porcelain Bird House
May 28 | While supplies last

Youth Summer Sewing Series
1:00 pm
May 22 | Scrunchies
May 29 | Lanyard

Air Dry Clay Trinket Dish
May 30 | 12 pm

Celebrate Mother’s Day with heartwarming films! Access a curated selection of Mother’s Day-themed movies for free on the Kanopy app. From touching dramas to uplifting comedies, there’s something special for every mom out there. Access the collection here: https://www.kanopy.com/category/48783
Library Directory

**Main Library**
151 Library Drive
Mon-Thu: 8am - 9pm
Fri & Sat: 8am - 5pm
Sun: 2pm - 6pm

**East Houma**
778 Grand Caillou Road
Mon-Thu: 8:30am - 9pm
Fri & Sat: 8:30am - 5pm

**North**
4130 West Park Avenue
Mon-Thu: 8:30am - 9pm
Fri & Sat: 8:30am - 5pm

**Chauvin**
5500 Highway 56
Mon-Thu: 8:30am - 5pm
Fri: 8:30am - 2:30pm

**Dulac**
200 Badou Drive
Mon-Thu: 8:30am - 5pm
Fri: 8:30am - 2:30pm

**Dularge**
837 Bayou Dularge Road
Mon-Thu: 8:30am - 5pm
Fri: 8:30am - 2:30pm

**Gibson**
6400 Bayou Black Drive
Mon-Thu: 8:30am - 5pm
Fri: 8:30am - 2:30pm

**Montegut**
1135 LA-55
Closed

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**Computer Classes @ Main Library**

**Intro to Google Sheets**
May 6 | 6 pm

**Intro to the Internet**
May 8 | 6 pm

**Intro to Google Docs**
May 13 | 6 pm

**Digital Workshop: Email Basics**
May 22 | 2 pm

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**True Crime Book Club**

May 22nd at 6pm

True Crime Book Club is a new reading group for adults interested in exploring the darker side of human behavior.

By selecting non-fiction true crime books each month, members have the opportunity to delve into real-life mysteries, crimes, and investigations.

Our next title slated for May 22nd at 6pm is *The Devil in the White City* by Erik Larson. Check our catalog at mytpl.org to see title availability.

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**Programs @ Main Library**

**Starting Stitches**
Every Thursday | 10 am

**Open Lab for Creatives**
Every Thursday | 5 pm - 8 pm

**Diamond Painting Club**
Every Friday | 10 am

**Quilting with a Long Arm**
May 21 | 6 pm
It is recommended to take Beginning Sewing before this class or have prior experience with a sewing machine.

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**Toddlers Story Time (19mo-3yrs)**
Every Monday & Thursday | 10 am

**Sensory Story Time (3-7yrs)**
Every Monday | 6 pm

**Peek-A-Boo Story Time (0-18mo)**
Every Tuesday | 10 am

**Family Story Time & Craft (all ages)**
Every Tuesday | 5:30 pm

**Pre-K Story Time (3yrs+)**
Every Wednesday | 10 am

**Sensory Story Time (3-7yrs)**
May 12 | 3 pm