



# Bon à Savoir

GOOD TO KNOW

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## Newsletter of the Terrebonne Parish Library System

Main | Bourg | Chauvin | Dulac | Dularge | East Houma | Gibson | Montegut | North

### Main Library CARNIVAL NIGHT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

October 27th, at 6 pm

### STEP RIGHT UP & join us for the ANNUAL CARNIVAL NIGHT

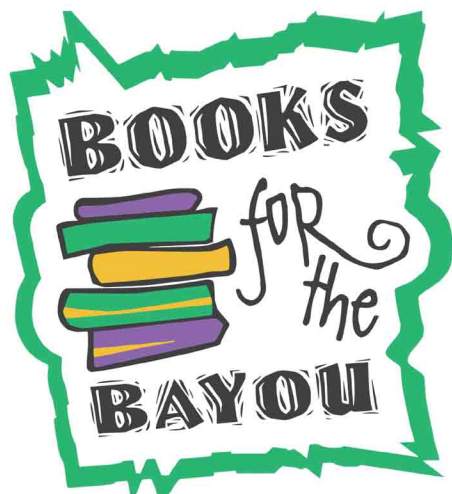
There will be story time, games, prizes, and more for the whole family to enjoy.

Event will be held at **Main Library** (151 Library Drive, Houma)

### Lawyers in Libraries

Thursday // October 29 // 2pm

As part of the Legal Education and Assistance Program (LEAP) of the Louisiana State Bar Association, attorney John Sirois will be here to participate in an Ask a Lawyer/Legal Workshop program.



### BOOKS FOR THE BAYOU

Saturday // October 3 // 10am - 4pm

Local Authors Day is now Books For the Bayou. Any local author is invited to sell his or her books at the Main Library from 10am-4pm. There are no booth fees, and authors make 100% of what they sell. Call Lauren at 850-5301 for more information. This event is also free and open to anyone looking to purchase new books.

Event will be held at **Main Library** (151 Library Drive, Houma)

## MAIN

## Introduction to EBOOKS

**THURS, 10/8 @ 7pm**

Come to the library to learn about our eBook services, including Overdrive and Axis360. Bring your Kindle, iPad, smartphone or other e-reading device for help connecting to our services! Remember to have a library card in good standing and your Library PIN to access the materials.



**THURS, 10/22 @ 7pm**

**NEW**

### You Should Be Writing

Creative Writing Workshop for Adults: Ever thought "I can write better than this" while reading a book, watching a movie, or digging around online? Then you should be writing. This workshop aims to get you writing with exercises and peer discussion rather than critiques. Attendees must be 18 or older and come ready to write.



**SAT, 10/24 @ 9am**

### ACT Prep with Princeton Review for teens.

Registration required; call Reference Desk at the Main Library to register (876-5861, option 2).

**MON, 10/26 @ 7pm**

### Introduction to Microsoft Excel



**THURS, 10/29 @ 2pm**

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## GIBSON

**WED, 10/14 @ 12:30pm**

### Flower Pot Decorating

## BOURG

**Fridays, 10/9 & 23 @ 3pm**

### Scrapbooking

**FRI, 10/30 @ 11am**

### Young @ Heart Group

Fall Leaf Mason Jar Candles

## NORTH

**Wednesdays @ 5:30pm**

### Workout Wednesdays

**Thursdays @ 9am**

**NEW**

### Drop In Painting

Bring your supplies and join other art enthusiasts for a relaxing morning of painting. Call (985) 868-3050 for more information.

**NEW**  
**Fridays @ 10am**

### Fitness Fridays

**THURS, 10/1 @ 6pm**

**Adult Craft:** Book Page Pumpkins and Halloween Votive Holders

**TUES, 10/6 @ 6pm**

### Scrapbooking

**TUES, 10/13 @ 2pm**

**Adult Computer Class:** Getting Started with Pinterest

**WED, 10/21 @ 1pm**

**Back to the Future** movie marathon

## DULAC

**Mondays @ 11am**

### Sew Easy

**Tuesdays @ 11am**

**Microsoft Excel Tutorial** Bring a jump drive to save projects.

**Fridays @ 11am**

**Native American Basketry** Bring a large bath towel.

## CHAUVIN

**Wednesdays @ 1pm**

### Mexican Train Dominos

**Thursdays @ 1pm**

**Stitches Sewing Group** will share crochet, knitting, and cross-stitching techniques. Beginners are welcome.

**TUES, 10/6 @ 1pm**

### BINGO for Adults

**WED, 10/14 @ 1pm**

**Adult pumpkin painting.** Please bring pumpkin.

**TUES, 10/20 @ 1pm**

### Pokeno

**EAST HOUMA**

**Mondays & Wednesdays @ 12pm**

Walk Your Belly Flat

**Tuesdays @ 10am**

Zumba Exercise Workout



**Fridays @ 10am** Get Fit Friday

**SAT, 10/3 @ 4pm** Adult BINGO

**SAT, 10/10 @ 4pm** Plastic Cavas Workshop

**THURS, 10/15 @ 6:30pm** Cajun Potluck BINGO

Bring a covered dish. Come out and Pass a Good Time sharing oral history, humor, music, recipes and play a game of BINGO.

**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**

Craft Corner Bring a project you are working on from home and discuss your latest good reads with other creative individuals.

**MONTEGUT**

**October 26 - 30 @ 3pm**

Pumpkin Painting Please bring a pumpkin

**NEW TO OUR SHELVES**



*Gilded Hour* by Sara Donati

*Furiously Happy* by Jenny Lawson

*Dryland* by Sara Jaffe

**ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS**

<p><b>MAIN LIBRARY</b> TUES @ 6:30pm</p> 	<p>10/6 <i>The Girl on the Train</i> Paula Hawkins</p>	<p>11/3 <i>Welcome to Higby</i> Mark Dunn</p>	<p>12/1 <i>Wishin' and Hopin'</i> Wally Lamb</p>
<p><b>NORTH BRANCH</b> MON @ 6pm</p>	<p>10/12 <i>The Book of Speculation</i> Erika Swyler</p>	<p>To be announced</p>	<p>To be announced</p>
<p><i>Vampire Shrinks</i> TUES @ 6pm</p>	<p>10/6 <i>When Blood Calls</i> J. K. Beck</p>	<p>To be announced</p>	<p>To be announced</p>
<p><b>DULARGE</b> MON @ 1:30pm</p>	<p>10/12 <i>A Life Intercepted</i> Charles Martin</p>	<p>11/9 <i>Sea Glass Sisters</i> Lisa Wingate</p>	<p>12/14 <i>The Christmas Bouquet</i> Sherryl Woods</p>
<p><b>EAST HOUMA</b> SAT @ 2pm</p>	<p>10/17 <i>Blood Colony</i> Tananarive Due</p>	<p>11/21 <i>The Crossing Places</i> Elly Griffiths</p>	<p>12/19 <i>Christmas Bliss</i> Mary Kay Andrews</p>



### //// CHAUVIN ///

WED, 10/14 @ 3pm

**Pumpkin Painting.** Please bring your own pumpkin.

### //// DULARGE ///

Fridays, 10/9 & 23 @ 3pm

**Pick a craft time** Tweens and teens will have several crafts to pick from and board games will be available 4th grade and up.

### //// MONTEGUT ///

October 26 - 30 @ 3pm

**Pumpkin Painting.** Please bring pumpkin.

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

THURS, 10/1 @ 5pm

**Make & Take Crafts**

### //// MAIN ///

Thursdays, 10/1 & 15 @ 6:30pm

**Future Leaders of America's Gulf** members investigate and report on environmental, economic, and community issues impacting Louisiana and the Gulf Coast. Supported by the Terrebonne Parish Library and HTV10, F.L.A.G. 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 985-876-5861 ext. 114 or email naomi@mytpl.org for more information.

Thursdays, 10/8 & 22 @ 6:30pm

**Writers Unite!** Creative Writing Workshop for Teens. Learn alongside other teens the art and technique of creative writing. This hour long program will emphasize literary craft as well as the dedicated practice of peer review and revision.

SAT, 10/24 @ 3pm

**How to Draw Manga**

### //// GIBSON ///

WED, 10/21 @ 3:30pm

**Pillow Craft for Teen Read Week**

### //// BOURG ///

MON & WED, 10/5 & 7 @ 4:30pm

**Scaredy Pot Workshop**

Teens and Tweens will be making a little straw man out of terra cotta pots.

### //// DULAC ///

TUES, 10/13 @ 4:30pm

**Database Tutorial for Research Papers**

MON, 10/19

**Teen Read Week: Book Spine Poetry contest** begins. Winner will be chosen Monday, Oct. 26th

MON, 10/19

**Teen Read Week: #Shelfie contest** begins. Teens will be entered into a raffle for a cool prize if they take a "shelfie" with their favorite book. Pics will be printed & displayed in-house during TRW. They do not have to share on social media.

TUES, 10/27 @ 4:30pm

**Yarn Art!**

### //// NORTH ///

MON, 10/5 @ 2:30pm

**Movie Mondays:**

The Woman in Black (PG13)

FRI, 10/9 @ 2:30pm

**#FBF Movies:** Ever After (PG13)

Wednesdays, 10/14 & 28 @ 4:30pm

**Teen Writers Group**

FRI, 10/16 @ 6 to 10pm

**Second Annual Zombie Lock In**

Teens 13 and older only, registration required by deadline, October 13th. Call 868-3050 for more information.



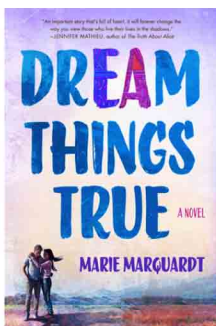
MON, 10/19 @ 2:30pm

**Felt Monsters**

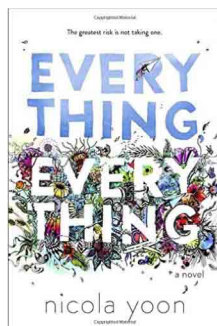
TUES, 10/27 @ 6pm

**Comics Club**

## WHAT'S HOT IN TEEN BOOKS



**Dream Things True**  
by Marie Marquardt



**Everything, Everything**  
by Nicola Yoon



**Infinite in Between**  
by Carolyn Mackler

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

**Crafternoons** for PreK - 6th!

THURS, 10/1 @ 4pm **Stained Glass Fall Leaves**

THURS, 10/8 @ 4pm **Your Own Octopus**

THURS, 10/15 @ 4pm **Bumpy Little Pumpkin**

THURS, 10/22 @ 4pm **Trapeze Artist Craft**

SAT, 10/3

@ 11am **Lego Robotics** 2nd & 3rd

@ 3pm **Lego Robotics** 4th - 7th

SAT, 10/17

@ 11am **Lego Club** Pre-K - 1st

@ 3pm **Lego Club** 2nd - 6th



SAT, 10/10 @ 3pm

Join us in celebration of the fourth annual Star Wars Reads Day! There will be out of this world activities for the whole family.

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

TUES, 10/6 @ 4pm

**Lego Club** PreK - 5th

THURS, 10/22 @ 5pm

**Halloween Story Time** PreK - 3rd

WED, 10/28 @ 4pm

**Halloween Craft** PreK - 3rd

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

MON & WED, 10/19 & 21 @ 4:30pm

**Pumpkin Decorating Class** PreK - 4th

Children will decorate SMALL pumpkins using glitter or beans. Children must bring their own miniature pumpkin.

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

SAT, 10/17 @ 10am

**Lego Mania**

SAT, 10/24 @ 4pm

**Tween Craft** 4th - 6th

SAT, 10/31 @ 10am

**Fall Story Time & Costume Contest**

Children will enjoy games, stories, music and more.

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

Wednesdays @ 3:30pm

**After School Story & Crafts** Pre-K - 3rd

Thursdays @ 4pm **NEW**

**Comprehension-Focused Story Time**

for 1st - 4th specifically for struggling readers. Meets after school.

WED, 10/28 @ 4pm

**Not-So-Spooky Halloween Story Time & Activity**

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

MON, 10/5 @ 4:30pm

**Story & Craft time**

TUES, 10/13 @ 4:30pm

**"I Care" PreK Reading Program**

MON, 10/26 @ 4:30pm

**Halloween Story Time and Craft**

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

Wednesdays @ 4pm

**Beginner's Crochet** (10 weeks series begins in

October, Ages 6+) Supplies will not be provided.

Please bring these items with you for all classes:

(1) #H8 / 5.0 mm hook (1) skein of #4 medium

weight yarn in a light color. Registration required,

so call the North Branch Library to sign up.

SAT, 10/3 @ 2pm

**Family Movie: Hocus Pocus** (PG)

SAT, 10/10 @ 2pm

**Star Wars Reads Day**

Mondays, 10/12 & 26 @ 3pm

**Lego Club**

Tuesdays, 10/13 & 27 @ 6pm

**Chess Club**

MON, 10/19 @ 6pm

**Family Night: Pumpkin Story Time**

TUES, 10/20 @ 6pm

**Children's Craft**

SAT, 10/24 @ 3pm

**Lego Robotics**

THURS, 10/29 @ 6pm

**Little Kids Craft and Story Hour**

## 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

*Wednesdays* **NEW**

**PreK Story Time @ 10am**  
for 3 to 5 year olds

### BOURG

*Mondays @ 11:30am*

**Pre-K Story Time**

### DULAC

*Tuesdays*

**Toddler Story Time @ 1pm**  
for Pre-K to 3rd grade

### EAST HOUMA

*Wednesdays*

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

*Saturdays*

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

### GIBSON

*Fridays, 10/2*

**Story Time @ 9am - Pre-K**

**Story Time @ 1:30pm - K**

### NORTH

*Wednesdays*

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

*Thursdays*

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

### MONTEGUT

*Tuesdays & Thursdays*

**Story Time @ 4pm**

for PreK - 1st

## /// MONTEGUT ///

**October 26-30 @ 3pm**

**Pumpkin Painting.** Bring pumpkin.

## 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

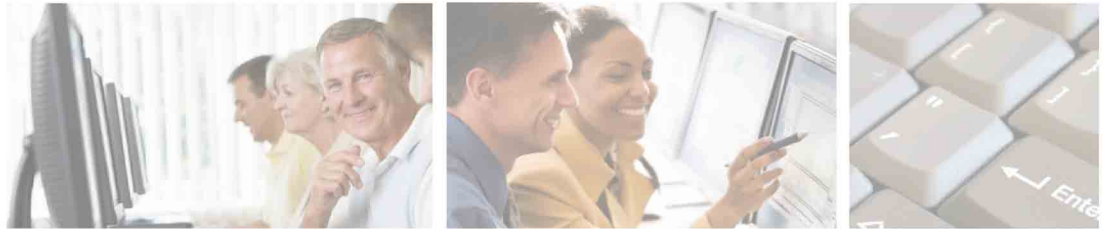
**GIBSON BRANCH** 575-2639  
6363 S. Bayou Black Dr.  
Mon. - Thurs. 10 am - 6 pm  
Fri. 10 am - 5 pm

**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](http://www.mytpl.org)



## FREE COMPUTER CLASSES

### MAIN

**TUES, 10/13 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intro to Computers

**MON, 10/26 @ 7 - 8pm**  
Intro to Excel

**WED, 10/14 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intermediate Computer Instruction

**TUES, 10/27 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intro to the Internet

**TUES, 10/20 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intro to Microsoft Word

**THURS, 10/29 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intro to Photography

### NORTH

**THURS, 10/22 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm**  
Intro to Email



**FRIENDS ANNUAL  
SPELLING BEE**  
Saturday, 10/10 | Main Library

Registration begins in the lobby 30 minutes before each contest. The fee for levels 1-3 is \$1. Fee for the open competition is \$2. Prizes will be awarded to winners. Each participant will receive a certificate.

## TIMES

**9am**  
**LEVEL 1:** 1st-2nd

**11am**  
**LEVEL 2:** 3rd-4th

**1pm**  
**LEVEL 3:** 5th-6th

**2pm** Open  
competition

## LIBRARY EXHIBITS

### MAIN

*Foyer display cases* Raymond Johnson's football helmet collection

### NORTH

*Foyer display case* Raymond Johnson's football helmet collection