



# Bon à Savoir

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Newsletter of the **Terrebonne Parish Library System**

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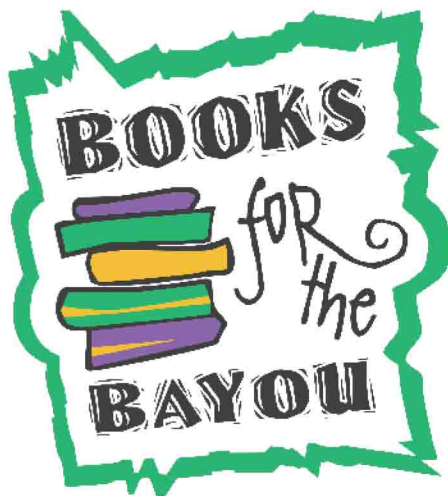
## Main Library CARNIVAL NIGHT FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

October 25th, at 6 pm

## STEP RIGHT UP & join us for the MAIN LIBRARY CARNIVAL NIGHT

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

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



## BOOKS FOR THE BAYOU

Saturday // October 1 // 10am - 2pm

Local authors will be set to sell their books and mingle with the public. This is a wonderful way for aspiring writers to learn about the writing and publishing industries from local folks. Refreshments will be served by the Friends of the Terrebonne Public Library. This event is free and open to anyone looking to purchase new books.

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

## FALL 2016 RELIC Series

American Institutions: The American Presidency

Registration is now open for RELIC, Readings in Literature and Culture. Come out for a rich discussion with like-minded folks as we prepare for an in-depth look at the American Presidency with Dr. Paul Leslie. The series will begin **October 10th from 1-3pm** and will continue every Monday through November 14th.



For registration & more info contact Jessi at 850-5301.

Event will be held at **North Branch** (4130 West Park Ave, Gray)

## MAIN

**Wednesdays @ 6pm**

**Ebook Q&A** 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.

**SAT, 10/1 @ 3pm**

**Genealogy Saturday** Whether you're a beginner or a more accomplished researcher, you'll be shown how to access the library's genealogy databases, microfilms, and collection of books.

**SUN, 10/16 @ 3pm**

**Classic Movie:** Casablanca starring Humphrey Bogart and Ingrid Bergman. Refreshments will be served.

**SUN, 10/23 @ 3:30pm** **NEW**

**Job & Career Workshop** Take this personalized Job & Career Workshop to assist you in setting up a Learning Express Library account, a personal profile, and filling out Occupation Matcher, all which will assist you in searching for jobs more effectively.



Achieve your educational and career goals. Choose a center and get started!

## DULAC

**Fridays @ 11am**

Palmetto & Pine Needle Basketry

**Tuesdays @ 11am**

Microsoft Excel Tutorial

**Thursdays @ 11am**

Keyboarding for Adults

Weekly keyboarding and basic computer skills practice for adults



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## NORTH

**TUES, 10/4 @ 10am**

**Adult Computer Class:** Pinterest

**TUES, 10/4 @ 6pm**

**ESL:** Mango for Spanish Speakers

**WED, 10/5 @ 6pm**

**Recommended Reading by Men for Men**

(a new book discussion geared toward men's interests)

**THURS, 10/13 @ 6pm**

**Adult Craft:** Wine Bottle Vases

**SUN, 10/16 @ 3pm**

**Adult Coloring** Come unwind at the library. Listen to soothing music, sip some tea, and color beautiful patterns and scenes.

**SAT, 10/29 @ 1pm**

**National Cat Day Cat Lovers' Party**

A celebration of all things cat! We will watch cat videos, eat cat themed snacks, share cat photos and enter them into the cat picture contest, and complete cat crafts. All ages welcome! Adult supervision required for all children under 15.

**SUN, 10/30 @ 3pm**

**Any Book Book Club** Bring the book you're reading to discuss and get recommendations from other book lovers

## CHAUVIN

**WED, 10/5 @ 1pm**

Mexican Train Dominos

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

Stitches Sewing Group

## EAST HOUMA

**SAT, 10/1 @ 4pm**

Adult BINGO!

**WED, 10/5 @ 6:30pm**

Goggle Apps

**MON, 10/3 @ 10am**

**Clip & Exchange Coupons & Recipes Program**

Bring your coupons and favorite recipes to share.

**SAT, 10/8 @ 2pm**

Plastic Canvas

**DULARGE**

**Mondays @ 10am**

Stained 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 Join Dularge Branch Library patrons as they crochet, knit, and share thread craft patterns. You must bring your own supplies.

**GIBSON**

**WED, 10/19 @ 10:30am**

Painting Class

**BOURG**

**FRI, 10/14 & 21 @ 3pm**

Scrapbooking Workshop

**FRI, 10/28 @ 11am**

The Young at Heart Group

**MONTEGUT**

**THURS, 10/27 @ 3:30pm**

Pumpkin Painting (Please bring a pumpkin)

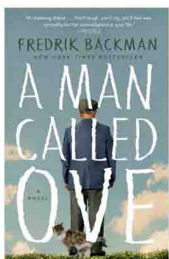


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**ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS**

**MAIN LIBRARY**

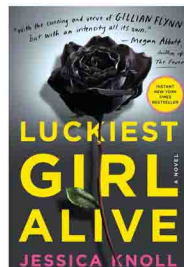
TUES @ 6:30pm



10/4  
*A Man Called Ove*  
Fredrik Backman

**NORTH BRANCH**

MON @ 6pm



10/3  
*The Luckiest Girl Alive*  
Jessica Knoll

**DULARGE BRANCH**

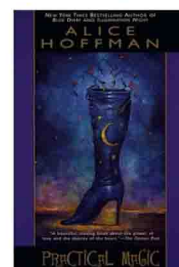
MON @ 1:30pm



10/10  
*Silver Thaw*  
Catherine Anderson

**EAST BRANCH**

THURS @ 6:30pm



10/20  
*Practical Magic*  
Alice Hoffman



## MAIN

**Thursdays @ 6:30pm**

**Curso Básico de Inglés para Toda la Familia**



La Biblioteca Principal de la Parroquia de Terrebonne ofrece clases de inglés como segunda lengua para todas las edades a los estudiantes cuyo idioma nativo es el español. La enseñanza de inglés

como segundo idioma incluye instrucción en todas las habilidades del lenguaje - lectura, escritura, conversación y comprensión auditiva. También incluye el aprendizaje de la cultura Americana para aumentar la comprensión de los estudiantes sobre este país; así como fomentar la apreciación de sus propias culturas.

(Terrebonne Parish Main Library is now offering ESL [English as a Second Language] classes for all ages to students whose native language is Spanish. The teaching of English as a Second Language includes instruction in all the language skills - reading, writing, speaking and listening. It also includes instruction in cultural matters increasing the students' understanding of this country and their appreciation of their native cultures.)

**SAT, 10/1**

**LEGO Robotics** 2nd - 3rd @ 11am | 4th - 7th @ 3pm

**SUN, 10/2 @ 3pm**

**Fiesta de las Americas**

Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration. Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with crafts, story time, a special edition Noise Makers, salsa making demos, music and more!

**Crafternoons!**

**THURS, 10/6 @ 4pm 3D Fish** PreK-6th

**THURS, 10/13 @ 4pm Clown Hats** PreK-6th

**WED, 10/5 @ 4pm & FRI, 10/14 @ 4pm**

**POKÉMON GYM**

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

**SAT, 10/8 @ 3pm**

**Second Saturday Story Time for Families**

**SAT, 10/15 @ 11am & 3pm**

**Lego Club for all ages**



**SUN, 10/16 @ 3pm**

**Create!**

Join us for our first session of Create!, an open-ended crafting experience. Folks of all ages are welcome to join. Each month we will choose a new medium for crafting. This month we will create sculptures using air dry clay.



**WED, 10/19 MoboRobo** 4th-6th

**WED, 10/26 MoboRobo** PreK-3rd

**Robots on the Go @ 4pm!** Learn how to build robots, complete robotics challenges and more with our brand new Cubelets robots. This project was made possible in part by the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

**THURS, 10/20 @ 4pm**

**Tween Craftganza** 4th-6th

Join us for an hour of crafting fun. This month features Pikachu Bookmarks.

**SAT, 10/29 @ 3pm**

**Family Movie Matinee: Hocus Pocus** [PG]



**Programs at all libraries may require registration. Please call ahead.**

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

**SAT, 10/1 @ 3pm**

**Family Movie:** Hocus Pocus (1993, PG)

**MON, 10/3 @ 3pm**

**Kids Monopoly Club**

**Wednesdays @ 5:30pm**

**Prime Time Family Reading Time**

(6 week grant program, registration required)

**SAT, 10/8 @ 1pm**

**Star Wars Reads Day** A day of Star Wars themed activities to promote reading books set in the Star Wars universe!

**MON, 10/10 & 25 @ 3pm**

**Lego Club**



**Mondays @ 6pm**

**Chess Club**

**SAT, 10/15 @ 2pm**

**Children's Halloween Party**

**MON, 10/17 @ 6pm**

**Family Night: Halloween**

**TUES, 10/18 @ 6pm**

**Family Craft: Pumpkin Painting**

Please bring a pumpkin.

**THURS, 10/20 @ 6pm**

**Mother-Daughter Book Club**

Featuring *A Snicker of Magic* by Natalie Lloyd

**SAT, 10/22 @ 1pm**

**STEAM Saturday: Design A Robot**

This is a new program for 3rd - 5th graders. Crafts and activities are based on science, technology, engineering, arts, and math concepts.

**THURS, 10/27 @ 6pm**

**Little Kids Craft and Story Hour**

Join us for a special story and craft hour for kids in PreK to 2nd Grade.

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

**TUES, 10/4 @ 4pm**

**Lego Club** PreK-5th



**TUES, 10/11 @ 4pm**

**Craft** PreK-3rd

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

**Tuesdays @ 3:30pm**

**STEM Challenge**

**Thursdays @ 1pm & 3:30pm**

**Keyboarding for Kids**

Join us after school for weekly keyboarding practice for kids ages 5+ (typingclub.com)

**MON, 10/17 @ 3:30pm**

**Friends of the Library Week**

Thank You Cards

**MON, 10/31 @ 1pm**

**Halloween Story & Crafts**

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

**SAT, 10/1 @ 1pm**

**Family Story Time with Tumble Books**

**SAT, 10/8 @ 11am**

**Fire Department Visit!**

Terrebonne Parish Fire Department will visit for story time and talk to kids about safety. Afterwards, kids will be invited to see the fire truck.

**SAT, 10/15 @ 11am** Lego Mania



**SAT, 10/29 @ 11am** Super Science Saturday

**SAT, 10/29 @ 3pm**

**Movie Time: Peppa the Pig**

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

**MON, 10/3 @ 4:30pm**

**Story/Craft Time**

**FRI, 10/7 & 14 @ 4pm**

**MoboRobo: Robots on the Go! Ages 5 to 12**

**TUES, 10/11 @ 4:30pm**

**I Care Reading Program: ABC I Like Me** by Nancy Carlson

**MON, 10/24 @ 4:30pm**

**Halloween Story/Craft Time**

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

**WED, 10/12 @ 4pm**

**Pinecone Decorations** 5th-6th

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

**Frankentreat Holder Workshop** PreK-4th

**WED, 10/19 @ 4pm**

**Clothespin Photo Holder** 5th-6th

**MON, 10/24 @ 4pm**

**Bookmark Workshop** PreK-4th

## 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

*Wednesdays*

**PreK Story Time @ 10am**

### DULAC

*Wednesdays*

**After School Story Time @ 3:30pm**

for Pre-K to 4th grade

### EAST HOUMA

*Wednesdays*

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

### GIBSON

*Friday (10/7)*

**Story Time @ 9am & 2pm**

### NORTH

*Wednesdays*

**Toddler Story Time @ 10am**  
for 18 months to 3 years

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

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

**THURS, 10/27 @ 3:30pm**

**Halloween Pumpkin Crafts**  
Please bring a pumpkin.



# LIBRARY RESOURCES FOR TEACHERS

Terrebonne Parish Library has a variety of resources for all library users. This month, we are focusing on just a few of the many resources available to teachers. Check out the list below.

## **Library Tours for All Ages**

Introduce your students to a world of wonder, imagination, and knowledge with a tour of their local library! Schedule a tour today at our East Houma, Main Branch, or North Branch locations. Each tour can be followed by a special activity depending on the age of the students, number of students, and need. These activities include, but are not limited to, story times, MoboRobo robotics classes, online resource demonstrations, computer classes, or Lego Robotics.

## **MoboRobo: Robots on the Go!**

Are you interested in incorporating robotics into your classroom but don't have the funds for expensive equipment? Well, MoboRobo: Robots on the Go! is coming to the rescue! These circulating robotics labs come with everything you need to build robots with up to thirty students. Each lab includes 15 sets of Cubelet robotics along with a Bluetooth cube and Lego brick adapters. The possibilities are endless! Contact the Children's Department at the Main Branch to find out how you can take a lab home today.

## **Lego Robotics**

Bring your students' Lego experience to the next level with our Lego Robotics classes. Students will have the opportunity to turn their favorite building blocks into functioning robotic creations in these one hour sessions. Classes are available at our Main Branch and North Branch locations and are subject to size limitations.

## **Library Outreach for All Ages**

Would you love to take your students to the library, but the resources aren't there? No need to fret for we can bring the library to you! The library would be more than happy to come to your class and perform story times, teach robotics classes, demonstrate our online resources, and more. And it's not just during school hours! Let us know about upcoming open houses, literacy nights, etc. We would love to help out.

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

**Wednesdays @ 6:30pm****Keep Calm and Color On.** Join us for an hour of blissed out coloring fun. All supplies will be provided.**THURS, 10/6 & 20 @ 6:30pm****ECHO: The Teen Voices of the Terrebonne Parish Library System.**

Youth advisory group for TPLS. This group meets to discuss teen programming, suggest improvements to the collection and services offered to teens, and participate in community outreach. ECHO also plans and hosts social events or "theme nights" for teens. If you would like more information, please contact either Kati Callais or Cheri Andrepont at 985-876-5861.

**THURS, 10/13 & 27 @ 6:30pm****Writers Unite!****SAT, 10/22 @ 3pm****Teen Anime and Manga Club**

Do you love anime and manga? Want to meet more people your age who love it, too? Come watch some of the newest anime as they're released in Japan and learn new manga drawing techniques with our Teen Anime and Manga Club!

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

**THURS, 10/27 @ 3:30pm****Teen Pumpkin Craft**

Please bring a pumpkin.

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

**Tuesdays & Thursdays @ 12pm****Senior Study Hall:** A special time for teens for studying, gaming, or just hanging out**MON, 10/3 @ 3pm****Movie Mondays:** The Addams Family (1991, PG13)**THURS, 10/6 & 20 @ 6pm****Board Game Night****FRI, 10/7 @ 4pm****Teen Writers Group****MON, 10/17 @ 3pm****Teen DIY:** Galaxy T-Shirt**FRI, 10/21 @ 6pm****Zombie Lock-In** Teens 13 and older only. Registration required by deadline. Call (985) 868-3050 for more information.**TUES, 10/25 @ 3:30pm****Teen Any Book Book Club****FRI, 10/28 @ 3pm**#FBF Movies: *My Stepmother is an Alien* (1988, PG13)

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

**WED, 10/12 @ 3:30pm****Teen Read Week:** Discuss favorite teen books

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

**Thursdays @ 4:30pm****Keyboarding for Teens:**

Weekly keyboarding practice for teens ages 12+

**TUES, 10/11 @ 5pm****Teen Read Week**

Book talk, duct tape crafts, &amp; book holding challenge

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

**WED, 10/12 @ 4pm****Pinecone Decorations****WED, 10/19 @ 4pm****Clothespin Photo Holder Craft**

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

**TUES, 10/18 @ 4pm****Autumn Leaf Craft**

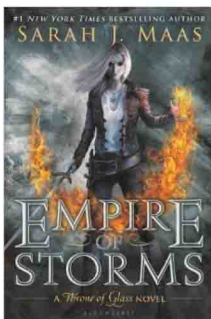
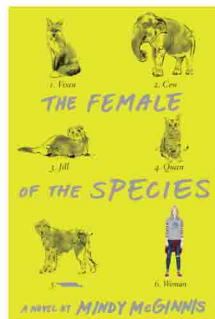
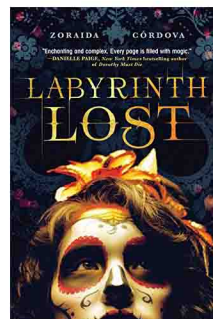
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**FRI, 10/14 & 28 @ 4pm****Pick a craft & game time**

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

**THURS, 10/6 @ 6pm****Make & Take Craft****October 10 - 14****Teen Read Week:** During this week students are welcome to submit original poems. They will be displayed in the branch during the week.**SAT, 10/15 @ 4pm****Teen Book Discussion:** Featuring *The Fifth Wave* by Rick Yancey**SAT, 10/22 @ 11am****Thriller Chiller Saturday:** Come out to watch a scary movie, and meet some of your favorite scary villains. You may even take pictures with them.

## NEW in TEEN fiction

**Empire of Storms**  
by Sarah J. Maas**The Female of the Species**  
by Mindy McGinnis**Labyrinth Lost**  
by Zoraida Córdova

## 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 9:30 am - 5:30pm  
FRI 9 am - 5pm

**CHAUVIN BRANCH** 594-9771  
5500 Hwy. 56  
MON - THURS 9:30 am - 5:30 pm  
FRI 9 am - 5pm

**DULARGE BRANCH** 851-1752  
837 Bayou Dularge Rd.  
MON - THURS 9:30 am - 5:30 pm  
FRI 9 am - 5pm

**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 9:30 am - 5:30 pm  
FRI 9 am - 5pm

**DULAC BRANCH** 563-2014  
200 Badou Dr.  
MON - THURS 9:30 am - 5:30 pm  
FRI 9 am - 5pm

**MONTEGUT BRANCH** 594-4390  
1136 Hwy. 55  
MON - THURS 9:30 am - 5:30 pm  
FRI 9 am - 5pm

**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

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**www.mytpl.org**



### MAIN LIBRARY COMPUTER CLASSES

**TUES, 10/4 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intro to Computers

**WED, 10/5 @ 9:30 - 10:30am**  
Intro to Excel

**THURS, 10/6 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intermediate Computer Instruction

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

**THURS, 10/13 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intro to Email

**TUES, 10/18 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intro to the Internet

**WED, 10/19 @ 9:30 - 10:30am**  
Intro to Excel

**THURS, 10/20 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Intro to Photography

**MON, 10/24 @ 7 - 8pm**  
Intro to Excel

**TUES, 10/25 @ 9:30 - 11:30am**  
Computer Q&A

### NORTH BRANCH COMPUTER CLASSES

**TUES, 10/11 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm**  
Intro to Microsoft Word 2010



**Gina Hebert**  
Main Library Manager

**How long have you worked for TPLS?**  
28 Years full-time & 1 year part-time

**Do you have a favorite library program?**  
I really enjoyed the Veterans Health Fair. I love helping the veterans who fight for us every day.

**Why do you love the library?**  
I love interacting with the public. Many of our regular patrons have become like family to me.

**What are some of your favorite things to do in your spare time?**  
I like riding motorbikes, traveling, and most of all, spending time with friends and family.

**It's finally cold in South Louisiana. You're snuggled in bed with a hot cup of coffee. What are you reading?**  
I'll read anything by Nicholas Sparks, because who doesn't like getting caught up in a good romantic book.

