



Bon à Savoir

GOOD TO KNOW

SEPTEMBER
2016

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Newsletter of the Terrebonne Parish Library System

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



JOIN US SEPTEMBER 18 — from 2-5PM —

Join us September 18th from 2-5pm at the Main Library for Terrebonne Comic Con! Enjoy Life-sized Pac-man, Pickachu Drawing Demos, Cosplay 101 with Cyratix Cosplay, a photo op with a Tardis, and so much more!

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



Constitution Week | September 17-23

Don't forget to fly your flag during Constitution Week! The Daughters of the American Revolution invite us all to commemorate the adoption of the United States Constitution, September 17 – 23. Our community is also encouraged to ring a bell on Saturday, September 24 at 10 a.m. to commence the week-long observance.

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

Intro to Ebooks: 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

SAT, 9/3 @ 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.

CHAUVIN

WED, 9/7 @ 1pm

Mexican Train Dominos

THURS, 9/1 @ 1pm

Stitches

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

NORTH

THURS, 9/1 @ 6pm

Adult Computer Class: Job Search Resources

TUES, 9/6 @ 6pm

Scrapbooking

WED, 9/7 @ 6pm

Recommended Reading by Men for Men

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

THURS, 9/8 @ 6pm

Adult Craft: Mini Wood Pallet Coasters

SUN, 9/11 @ 3pm

Adult Coloring Come unwind at the library. Listen to soothing music, sip some tea, and color beautiful patterns and scenes. This program is designed for adults.

WED, 9/14 @ 6pm

ESL: Mango for Spanish Speakers Class will be taught in Spanish and will introduce Spanish speakers to using Mango to learn English.

SUN, 9/25 @ 3pm

Any Book Book Club

Banned Books Week

Banned Books Week First Amendment Film Festival

9/26 @ 6pm: *Goodnight and Good Luck*

9/28 @ 6pm: *Fahrenheit 451*

9/29 @ 6pm: *Cinema Paradiso*



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

EAST HOUMA

FRI, 9/2 @ 10am

Get Fit Friday

SAT, 9/3 @ 4pm

Adult BINGO!

WED, 9/7 @ 6:30pm

There's an APP for that

Learn how to use Apps productively.

SAT, 9/10 @ 2pm

Plastic Canvas Workshop

MON, 9/12 @ 10am

Clip & Exchange Coupons & Recipes Program

Bring your coupons and favorite recipes to share.

MON, 9/12 @ 5:30pm

ZENsational Adult Coloring Program

SAT, 9/24 @ 2pm

Adult Craft

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, 9/21 @ 12:30pm
Autumn Arrangements

BOURG

FRI, 9/9 & 9/23 @ 3pm
Scrapbooking Workshop

FRI, 9/30 @ 11am
The Young at Heart Group

MONTEGUT

TUES, 9/13 @ 10am Homemakers Meeting



Know the latest by reading our blog at bayoureference.blogspot.com

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSIONS

MAIN LIBRARY

TUES @ 6:30pm



NORTH BRANCH

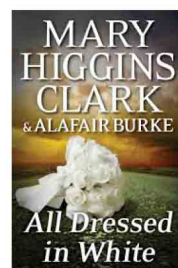
MON @ 6pm



9/12
The Nightingale
 Kristin Hannah

DULARGE BRANCH

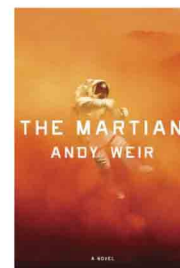
MON @ 1:30pm



9/12
All Dressed in White
 Mary Higgins Clark

EAST BRANCH

THURS @ 6:30pm



9/15
The Martian
 Andy Weir

September

MAIN

THURS @ 6:30pm

Curso Básico de Inglés para Toda la



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.)

Crafternoons!

THURS, 9/1 @ 4pm Paper Weaving PreK-6th

THURS, 9/8 @ 4pm Stained Glass Paper Plates PreK-6th

THURS, 9/15 @ 4pm Super Hero Cityscapes PreK-6th

SAT, 9/3

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



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



SUN, 9/4 @ 3pm

Movement & Music. Get your brain working & your body moving with fun music and movement activities that help build emergent reading skills.

WED, 9/7 & FRI, 9/9 @ 4pm

POKÉMON GYM

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

SAT, 9/10 @ 3pm

Second Saturday Story Time for Families

SAT, 9/17 @ 11am & 3pm

LEGO Club for all ages



WED, 9/21 MoboRobo 4th-6th

WED, 9/28 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, 9/22 @ 4pm

Tween Craftganza 4th-6th

Join us for an hour of crafting fun. This month features String Art. (Registration is required.)

////// NORTH ////

SAT, 9/10 @ 3pm

Family Movie: Kung Fu Panda (2008, PG)

MON, 9/12 & 26 @ 3pm

Lego Club



TUES, 9/13 @ 6pm

Family Craft: Bird Feeders

TUES, 9/13 & 27 @ 6pm

Chess Club

SAT, 9/17 @ 3pm

Lego Robotics

MON, 9/19 @ 3pm

Kids Monopoly Club

MON, 9/19 @ 6pm

Family Night: Zoo!

THURS, 9/22 @ 6pm

Mother-Daughter Book Club

Join us for our Mother-Daughter Book Club, a special club for preteen girls and their moms. Every month, moms and girls read a selected book together and join other moms and daughters for discussion of the book. Grades 4-7. September 22 *When the Butterflies Came* by Kimberley Griffiths Little

SAT, 9/24 @ 1pm

STEAM Saturday: Color Wheel

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

THURS, 9/29 @ 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, 9/6 @ 4pm

Lego Club PreK-5th



TUES, 9/13 @ 4pm

Craft PreK-5th

////// MONTEGUT ////

THURS, 9/22 @ 3:30pm

PreK Story & Craft

////// DULAC ////

Tuesdays @ 3:30pm

STEM Challenge

Thursdays @ 3:30pm

Keyboarding for Kids

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

WED, 9/7 @ 1pm

Library Card Sign-Up Month

Special story time & craft

////// EAST HOUMA ////

SAT, 9/3 @ 10am

Family Story Time with Tumble Books

SAT, 9/10 @ 10am

Craft/Story Time

SAT, 9/17 @ 10am

Lego Mania



SAT, 9/24 @ 10am

Super Science Saturday

////// GIBSON ////

FRI, 9/9 @ 9am & 2pm

Welcome Back to School Story Time

////// DULARGE ////

MON, 9/19 @ 4:30pm

Story/Craft Time

TUES, 9/13 @ 4:30pm

I Care Reading Program: Blueberries

for Sal by Robert McCloskey

////// BOURG ////

WED, 9/14 @ 4pm

Owl Mask Craft 3rd-5th

WED, 9/21 @ 4pm

Emoji Mason Jars Craft

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

BOURG

Mondays (9/5) 3:30pm

PreK-2nd Story Time

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

NORTH

Wednesdays

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

Thursdays

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



@ MAIN LIBRARY

See front for details



Magazines you know and love,
available digitally.

Library Magazines at Home with Flipster

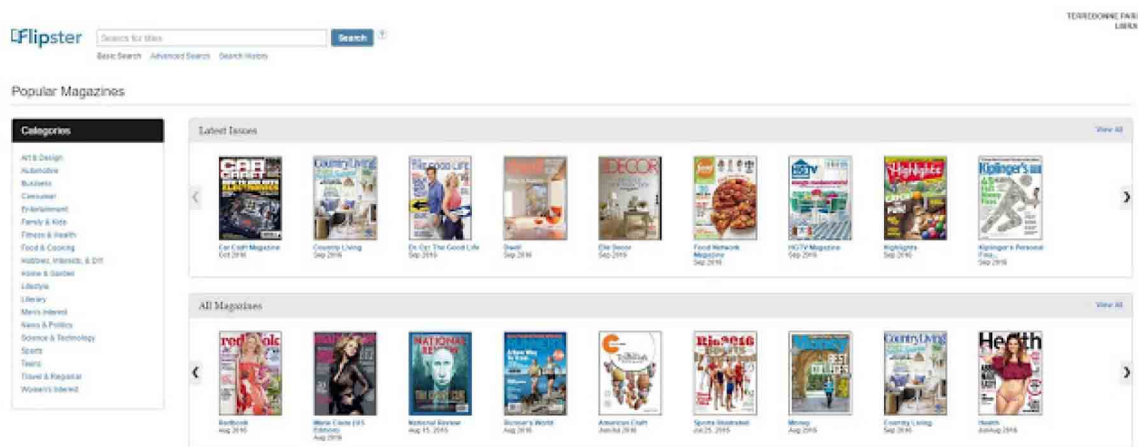
Last month we gave an overview of all the eservices the library offers that you can access from home. Everything from magazines to ebooks to music. This month, let's dive into Flipster, the library's magazine service.

Flipster gives instant access to popular magazines. Titles include Entertainment Weekly, Essence, Elle, Sports Illustrated, Money, Health, and dozens of others.

To use this service, [visit our home page at mytpl.org](http://mytpl.org). If you are outside the library, you will need your **library card number and PIN**. Your library card number is on your card directly under the bar code. Your PIN is your birthday in six numbers (if your birthday is January 15, 2001, your PIN would be 011501, like MMDDYY).

After you have logged in, you should see "Terrebonne Parish Library" in the top right corner.

Then, you just have to pick a magazine you wish to read! If you see it directly on the first page, simply click on the title. There is also a search box near the top if you know exactly what you want, or categories on the side if you wish to browse.



At the top right, there is an option to sign in to create a folder. By creating an account with Flipster, you have the ability to save preferences, organize your research with folders, share your folders with others, view others' folders, save and retrieve your search history, create email alerts and/or RSS feeds, and gain access to your saved research remotely.

Please know that if you create an account, the library does not save this information and you may need to contact Flipster for any issues beyond connecting to the service.

Flipster also gives you access to a smartphone app for the service, available on iTunes, Google Play, and Amazon. Note that the only difference between viewing magazines on your browser versus the app is the app allows for offline reading. Some users seem to believe the magazine images on the app are not as clear as the browser. After opening a magazine in the browser, there is an option to send the magazine to the app.

And that's it! Do you use Flipster? How do you like it? What's your favorite magazine?

////// MAIN //////////////

Wednesdays @ 6:30pm
Keep Calm and Color On
 Join us for an hour of blissed out color fun. All supplies will be provided.

THURS, 9/1 & 15 @ 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 985-876-5158.

THURS, 9/8 & 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, 9/24 @ 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!

////// NORTH //////////////

Tuesdays & Thursdays @ 12pm
Senior Study Hall: A special time for teens for studying, gaming, or just hanging out

FRI, 9/2 @ 4pm
Teen Writers Group Do you love to write? Then come to the Teen Writers Group! Bring something you've written to share with the group, or just bring your best ideas. Teens ages 13 and older are welcome.

MON, 9/19 @ 3pm
Movie Mondays: *The Avengers* (PG13)

TUES, 9/20 @ 3pm
Teen DIY: Rhinestone Hair Clips

TUES, 9/27 @ 3:30pm
Teen Any Book Book Club
 Teens: come out and talk about what you're reading and get recommendations and updates about new and upcoming books

FRI, 9/30 @ 3pm
#FBF Movies: *Footloose* (1984, PG)

////// MONTEGUT //////////////

THURS, 9/22 @ 3:30pm
Teen Coloring and Drawing Class

////// GIBSON //////////////

WED, 9/14 @ 3:30pm
MoboRobo

////// DULAC //////////////

Thursdays @ 4:30pm
Keyboarding for Teens:
 Weekly keyboarding practice for teens ages 12+

FRI, 9/16 @ 4:30pm
Database Tutorial for Research Papers (Access On Demand, Britannica ebooks, & World Book ebooks)

WED, 9/28 @ 4pm
Harry Potter Celebration

////// BOURG //////////////

WED, 9/21 @ 4pm
Emoji Mason Jars

////// CHAUVIN //////////////

TUES, 9/20 @ 4pm
Jewelry Craft

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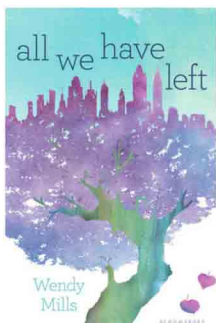
FRI, 9/9 & 23 @ 4pm
Pick a craft & game time

////// EAST HOUMA //////////////

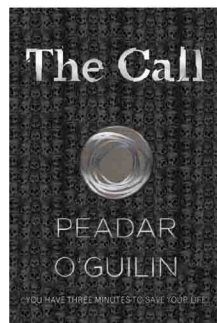
THURS, 9/1 @ 6pm
Make & Take Craft

SAT, 9/17 @ 4pm
Teen Book Discussion
Getting Near to Baby
 by Audrey Coulombis

NEW in TEEN fiction



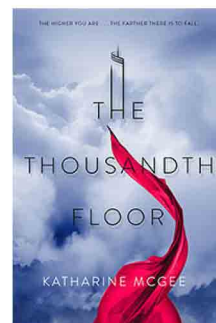
All We Have Left
 by Wendy Mills



The Call
 by Peadar O'Guilin



Enter Title Here
 by Rahul Kanakia



The Thousandth Floor
 by Katharine McGee

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

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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MAIN LIBRARY COMPUTER CLASSES

THURS, 9/1 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Intro to Word

MON, 9/12 @ 7 - 8pm
Intro to Excel

THURS, 9/22 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Computer Q&A

TUES, 9/6 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Intro to Email

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

MON, 9/26 @ 7 - 8pm
Intro to Excel

WED, 9/7 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Intro to Excel

TUES, 9/20 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Intermediate Computer Instruction

THURS, 9/8 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm
Intro to Photography

WED, 9/21 @ 9:30 - 11:30am
Intro to Excel

NORTH BRANCH COMPUTER CLASSES

TUES, 9/27 @ 5:30 - 7:30pm
Intro to the Internet



Rachel LeCompte

Technology Librarian



How long have you worked for TPLS?

I've been here 11 incredible years!

Why did you decide to become a librarian?

I decided to become a librarian when I saw how involved libraries were in their communities during natural disasters. TPLS had their doors open just after Katrina, providing information for many families who had lost everything.

If you could invite any fictional character over for dinner, who would it be and why?

Hermione Granger from Harry Potter, because who wouldn't want to hang out with a book nerd?

What is your cosplay character of choice for this year's Comic Con?

I believe my cosplay character will always be Barbara Gordon. First, we have the librarian thing in common, and she's Batman's sidekick which is awesome. If you ask me, Barbara is really the brains behind Batman's operation.

You are stranded on a desert island and can only have one book. Which one do you choose?

I'd choose *I Know this Much is True* by Wally Lamb because it's full of complicated characters connected through dramatic events. Any of his books would be great, really.