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Adventure and Fantasy at the Library

Hear ye hear ye!
It's summer at the library!
 Join us for a summer of fun for all ages!

SUMMER READING	MOVIES
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**SUMMER KICK-OFF
 END OF SUMMER CELEBRATION
 AND MUCH MORE!**



At the Main Library

June 10:
 Paperbacks, Children's Teens,
 DVD's & CD's. Everything is
 25 cents!
 Saturday- 8:30 AM-4:00 PM
 The date and time of the
 Book Sale are subject to
 change.

This year, each branch is decorated as a different land of the kingdom to fit our Summer Reading theme. There are also some programs matching their land's theme. This legend below will show the icons of the themed programs. Throughout the newsletter, you'll see these icons. These show it is a themed program specific to the branch's land.

Legend:



St. Peter Parkview Jeanerette Lydia Loreauville Coteau

Summer Performers

Listed below is our line-up of our Summer 2023 performers! These performances bring the perfect amount of entertainment and education that everyone will have fun experiencing! All the performances are open to all ages. Registration is NOT required to attend the performances.



Roger Day

Thurs, June 1

10:00 AM Main Library (at our Summer Kick-Off)

2:00 PM Loreauville Branch

Roger Day's songs full of wit, whimsy and wordplay will be sure to put smiles on the face of every child from ages one to ninety-two!



Crescent Circus

Mon, June 5

10:00 AM St. Peter Branch

2:00 PM Coteau Branch

The Crescent Circus is a husband-wife duo from New Orleans, who fuse their expertise in magic and circus arts to deliver a one-of-a-kind show!



The Kinders

Fri, June 16

10:00 AM Jeanerette Branch

2:00 PM Parkview Branch

Brian Kinder is a singer/songwriter who, along with his wife, Ms Terri, performs rollicking goodtime concerts for kids. Their music is fun and invites the audience to participate!



Bright Star Theatre

Fri, June 23

10:00 AM Main Library (The Velveteen Rabbit)

2:00 PM Lydia Branch (Little Red and the Big Bully Wolf)

See some of your favorite stories like The Velveteen Rabbit and Little Red and the Big Bully Wolf come to life with colorful performances by Bright Star Theatre!

Summer Reading

Summer Reading Levels and Requirements

Registration for the 2023 Summer Reading Program starts May 22.

The 2023 Summer Reading Program will be from May 22 - Aug. 1

The first day to redeem Summer Reading Prizes upon completion is June 12.

The last day to redeem Summer Reading Prizes is Aug. 7.

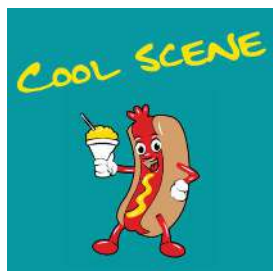
Pre-Readers | Ages 0-5

1. Register at any Iberia Parish Library location or via Beanstack
2. Read 50 books.
3. Come in to any Iberia Parish Library location when finished to pick up your prize!

Children | Ages 6-11 Teens | Ages 12-17 Adults | Ages 18+

1. Register at any Iberia Parish Library location or via Beanstack.
2. Read to reach a goal of 2,000 minutes. (That's only 30 minutes a day five days a week!)
3. Come in to any Iberia Parish Library location when finished to pick up your prize!

We would like to thank Cool Scene, Snowball Factory, and Raising Cane's of New Iberia for their support of reading and the children of Iberia Parish. For more information on the 2023 Summer Reading Program, come in or call any branch location of the Iberia Parish Library system.



Monday Funday Craftday

Monday Funday Crafts

Mondays During Summer

All Day | All Branch Locations | Ages 3+

Materials will be available on Mondays on a first-come, first-served basis. These projects are recommended for ages 3 and older with help from a parent or guardian. These crafts are to be made in person at the library. Most crafts can be finished in 15 minutes. Monday, Funday, Craftday will be available Mondays during the summer during the library's opening hours.

June 5 - Paper Garden Gnomes

June 12 - Father's Day Tie Card

June 26 - Loch Ness Monster Craft

July 3 - Patriotic Craft

July 10 - Unicorn Puppet

July 17 - Paper Crown

July 24 - Knight Finger Puppet

Summer Workshops

Summer Workshops are back!

How does the summer workshop program work?

You may sign up for summer workshops throughout the summer as the registration opens. Here's the schedule for this year:

Week 1 Workshops (June 5 - June 9) registration opens Tues, May 30 at 9:30 AM

Week 2 Workshops (June 12 - June 16) registration opens Mon, June 5 at 9:30 AM

Week 3 Workshops (June 20 - June 23) registration opens Mon, June 12 at 9:30 AM

Week 4 Workshops (June 26 - June 30) registration opens Tues, June 20 at 9:30 AM

Week 5 Workshops (July 3 - July 7) registration opens Mon, June 26 at 9:30 AM

Week 6 Workshops (July 10 - July 14) registration opens Mon, July 3 at 9:30 AM

Registration will take place via Evanced, our online calendar. You can find Evanced by going to iberialibrary.org and clicking the "Calendar of Events" tab on the side of the page OR by going directly to iberia.evanced.info/signup. **Summer workshops will always be the color YELLOW and be labeled as "Summer Workshop" on Evanced.** You may NOT register via the phone. **Registration will be online or in-person ONLY.** Space is limited for each workshop so make sure to register as soon as you can to better your chances of getting in. Be on the lookout for the 2023 summer workshop booklet for more details. Booklets will be available at all branches of Iberia Parish Library. A **BIG** thanks to our summer workshop sponsors for their generous donations: **Summit Hill Foods, Community First Bank, Cox Communications, and the Friends of the Library.** The Iberia Parish Library summer workshop program is for ages 5-17, free of charge.



Upcoming Events

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General Audience

Our Lady of Lourdes Blood Drive

Sat, June 3 | 10:00 AM-2:00 PM

Main Library | Ages 16+

Our Lady of Lourdes will host a blood drive in the parking lot of the Main Library. Those of any blood type are welcome to donate. Donors who are 16 must have parental permission, 17 and older do not require parental permission.



Coastal Preservation Display

Learn about preserving our coast!

June-July | Coteau Branch

A book display and reading list has been curated by the Coastal Wetlands Planning, Protection, and Restoration Act. The display includes an array of free educational materials such as coloring books, posters, stickers, and magazines, as well as over 65 suggested titles to check out from the library! This includes texts about Louisiana's ecosystems and the organisms that inhabit them, the cultures and folklore that are associated with these environments, and the threats these ecosystems are facing as well as efforts to protect them.

Did you know?

If you want to read a book we do not have you can request one through an Inter-Library loan! To place a request, contact any branch!



Online Resources

Visit Our Website



www.iberialibrary.org

Questions?

Text a librarian for answers! We're here to help! Text AskIPL to 66746. *Standard message and data rates apply.



Attention, OverDrive app users! OverDrive has discontinued the legacy OverDrive app in early 2023 and is transitioning users to the Libby app. Libby is OverDrive's newer app for browsing and enjoying digital content from our library. It's time to give Libby a try! All your loans, holds, and wish list items will be waiting for you in Libby when you add your library card. Libby also comes with new features we know you'll love, like:

- Tags to categorize books however you'd like—you can even sync your OverDrive wish list into a tag!
- A central bookshelf for all loans and holds
- Customizable notifications for ready holds and more
- Compatibility with Apple CarPlay, Android Auto, and Sonos speakers
- Easy access to OverDrive support staff

To access Libby and our other online resources, visit the Link Library at iberialibrary.org.

Movies

Jeanerette Branch

Western Round-Up | 18+ | 1:00 PM

June 21

El Dorado (TV-PG)

July 19

The Searchers (TV-PG)

August 16

North to Alaksa (TV-PG)

A Night at the Movies

18+ | 6:00 PM

June 28

Indiana Jones and the Last Cruade (PG-13)

July 26

All the King's Men (PG-13)

August 23

Ma and Pa Kettle (NR)

Children's Saturday Matinee

Ages 5-12 | 11:00 AM

June 10

How to Train Your Dragon 2 (PG)

Family Movie Matinee

All Ages | 2:00 PM

July 11

Dragonheart (PG-13)

July 18

Dragonheart: A New Beginning (PG)

Parkview Branch Under the Sea Crafting & Movie Matinee

Ages 3+ | 10:00 AM

June 27

Finding Nemo (G)

July 12

Finding Dory (PG)



Loreauville Branch

Loreauville Movie Matinee

All Ages | 10:00 AM

June 15

Trolls (PG)

July 20

Trolls: World Tour (PG)

Marvel Movie Marathon

All Ages | 6:00 PM

June 8

Captain Marvel (PG-13)

June 22

Spiderman: Into the Spider-Verse (PG)

July 13

Ant-Man (PG-13)

July 27

Ant-Man and the Wasp (PG-13)

St. Peter Branch

Wizard Movie & a Craft

Ages 8-12 | 11:00 AM

June 20

The Sorcerer's Apprentice (PG)

Main Library

Interactive Movie | All Ages | 4:30 PM

July 21

The Princess Bride (PG)

As you wish! Join us for an interactive screening of *The Princess Bride*! Follow the script to become part of the cast! Quote the best lines and interact with the movie using props given to you!



Adult Programming

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Tone Up the Body

Every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday
9:30-10:30 AM
Lydia Branch | Ages 40+

Morse Code Bracelet

Mon, June 5 | 3:00-4:00 PM
Lydia Branch | Ages 18+

Murder on Baker Street Murder Mystery

Thurs, June 8 | 6:00-8:00 PM
Main Library | Ages 18+

Patriotic Coasters

Mon, June 12 | 10:00-11:30 AM
Jeanerette Branch | Ages 18+

Pressed Flower Votives

Wed, June 14 | 1:30-2:30 PM
Coteau Branch | Ages 18+

Pasta Shell Wreath

Thurs, June 22 | 4:00-5:30 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 18+

Step-by-Step Painting

Mount Fuji with cherry blossoms
Thurs, July 6 | 4:30-6:00 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 18+

Fairy House Pots

Wed, July 19 | 1:30-2:30 PM
Coteau Branch | Ages 18+

No-Sew Pillow

Create a "bee"utiful pillow without sewing!

Sat, July 22 | 10:00-11:00 AM
St. Peter Branch Branch | Ages 18+

Sea Glass Window

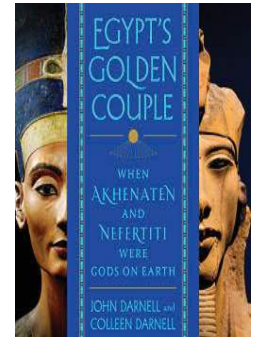
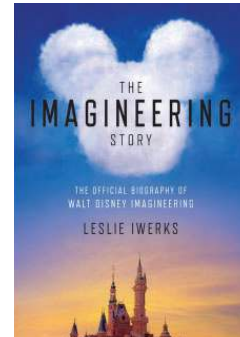
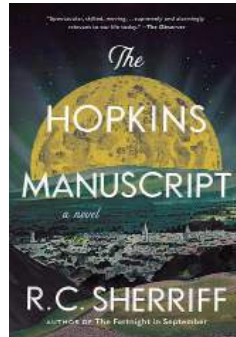
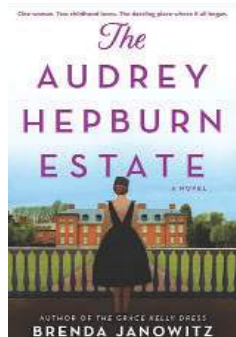
Tues, July 25 | 4:00-5:00 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 18+

Wishing Well

Mon, Aug. 7 | 10:00-11:30 AM
Jeanerette Branch | Ages 18+

Stained Glass

Tues, Aug. 15 | 2:30-4:00 PM
Main Library | Ages 18+



Book Clubs

Book club books are to be picked up and read before the meeting date. For more information about our book clubs and how they work, please, call and a staff member will be happy to help. **Registration is required** and spots are limited. Register online at iberia.evanced.info/signup or call any branch of Iberia Parish Library. We thank you for your cooperation.

Main Street Book Club

Third Thursday of each month at 5:30 PM. Main Library.
Ages 21+. (Pick up copy at Main)

June 15: *Florence Adler Swims Forever* by Rachel Beanland

July 20: *Dark Matter* by Blake Crouch

Aug. 17: *Magnolia Palace* by Fiona Davis

Ladies Who Lunch Book Club

Third Wednesday of each month at 12:00 PM. Main Library.
Ages 21+. (Pick up copy at Main)

June 21: *The Wedding Dress Sewing Circle* by Jennifer Ryan

July 19: *The Lies I Tell* by Julie Clark

Aug. 16: *A Flicker in the Dark* by Stacy Willingham

The Page Turners Book Club

Last Thursday of each month at 1:00 PM. Jeanerette Branch.
Ages 21+. (Pick up copy at Jeanerette)

June 29: *With Love from London* by Sarah Jio

July 27: *Remarkably Bright Creatures* by Shelby Van Pelt

Aug. 31: *Switchboard Soldiers* by Jennifer Chiaverini

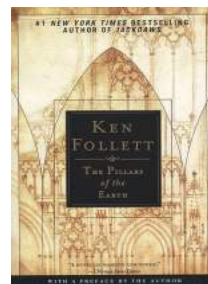
Did you know?

If you want to find your next read, you can look at Novelist Plus. This online database has over 251,000 fiction and non-fiction titles! Novelist Plus includes specialized content such as read-a-likes for popular authors, book discussion guides, award lists, and more! You can access Novelist Plus through the library's website: www.iberialibrary.org



Featured Books on Display

Medieval Reads



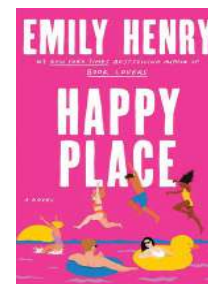
The Pillars of the Earth
by
Ken Follett

Royal Reads



The Selection
by
Kiera Cass

New To Our Shelves



Happy Place
by
Emily Henry

Teen Programming

Summer Passports

This summer's theme is "A Midsummer Knight's Read" and in honor of this medieval theme all libraries in Iberia Parish will be themed to a different area of the kingdom. We want the youth of Iberia Parish to visit all library locations, so we created a special passport for teens and children. Teens and children can pick up their passport at any of the branches. Each library branch will have a special stamp, and your teen/child can have their passport stamped when they visit each branch. The passports can only be stamped one time per branch. We will have a prize drawing for those teens and children who have visited all seven branches of the Iberia Parish Library system. This is open to teens and children ages 5-17. The teen/child must be present when the librarian stamps their passport.

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Connect 4 Challenge

Fri, June 2 | 11:00 AM-12:00 PM
St. Peter Branch | Ages 11-13



Teen Art Afternoon

Coteau Branch
3:00-4:30 PM
Ages 11-17

Ceramic Fairy Houses
Fri, June 2

Fairy Water Colors
Fri, July 7



Dragon Eggs

Thurs, June 8 | 2:00-3:30 PM
Jeanerette Branch | Ages 12-16



Unicorn Ring Dish

Fri, June 9 | 4:00-5:00 PM
Lydia Branch | Ages 13-16

Daebak! It's K-Pop!

A K-Pop club for teens!

Sat, June 10 & Sat, July 8
1:00-2:00 PM | Lydia Branch
Ages 12-16

We have a new club for teen K-Pop fans! We'll listen and discuss the latest comebacks, attempt to learn viral dances, and have Korean snacks!

Since we will have authentic Korean snacks, some of these snacks may have been made in a facility that could also have nuts or other allergens

Rainbow Salt Jar

Wed, June 14 | 4:00-5:00 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 11-14

Step-by-Step Painting

Desert Thunderstorm
Wed, June 14 | 4:30-6:00 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 13-17

Did you know?

If you're looking for a new read, the library puts out different book displays each month!



Teen Programming

Teen LEGO Lab

A LEGO Club for teens!
Coteau Branch | Ages 13-17

Castle Challenge

Fri, June 16 | 3:00-4:00 PM

Bridge Challenge

Fri, July 21 | 3:00-4:00 PM

Wizard Tower Challenge

Fri, Aug. 18 | 4:00-5:00 PM

Teen Tabletop Gaming

Fri, June 16 | 3:00-4:00 PM
Lydia Branch | Ages 12-16



No-Sew Fish Scale Pillow

Wed, June 21 | 4:00-5:00 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 13-17

Mythical Pencil Holder



Thurs, June 22
2:00-3:30 PM
Jeanerette Branch | Ages 12-16

Wizard Wands



Sat, June 24
11:00 AM-12:00 PM
St. Peter Branch | Ages 13-15

Painting with Sharpies

Wed, June 28 | 4:30-5:30 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 13-17

Animanga Club

An anime & manga club for teens!

Fri, June 30, July 28, & Aug. 25
4:30-5:30 PM | Coteau Branch
Ages 14-17

Do you like anime or manga? We have a new club for teen fans whether you're just getting interested or you can name every character! Come learn about different aspects of Japan, make crafts, and try Japanese snacks! We are also going to talk about anime and manga of course!

Since we will have authentic Japanese snacks, some of these snacks may have been made in a facility that could also have nuts or other allergens



Dragon Eye Pins

Thurs, July 6 | 2:00-3:30 PM
Jeanerette Branch | Ages 12-16



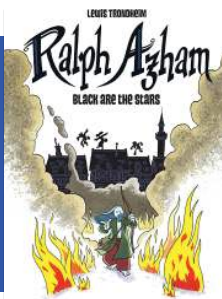
Under the Sea Mason Jar

Tues, July 11 | 4:00-5:00 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 12-16

Scattergories

Wed, July 12 | 4:30-6:00 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 13-17

Graphic novels and manga for teens are available at all of our branch locations!



Teen Programming



Shark Day

Fri, July 14 | 3:00-4:30 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 12-15



Potions Pouch

Tues, July 18
11:00 AM-12:15 PM
St. Peter Branch | Ages 12-15

Pressed Flower Bookmarks

Tues, July 18 | 4:30-5:30 PM
Coteau Branch | Ages 11-17



Crystal Ball

Wed, July 19
11:00 AM-12:15 PM
St. Peter Branch | Ages 12-15



Travel to the Unknown

Let's discover Atlantis!
Wed, July 19 | 3:30-4:30 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 12-14



Dragon Coaster

Thurs, July 20 | 2:00-3:30 PM
Jeanerette Branch | Ages 12-16

Deface the Face Art

Wed, July 26 | 4:30-6:00 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 13-17

Happy Birthday Harry

Let's celebrate Harry Potter's birthday!
Mon, July 31 | 3:00-4:30 PM
Lydia Branch | Ages 13-16

What are drop-in crafts?

Drop-in crafts can typically be completed within 15 minutes with adult supervision. Dates listed are the start dates, crafts will remain available while supplies last.

Drop-in Crafts

Cellphone Holder

Sat, July 1
St. Peter Branch | All Day

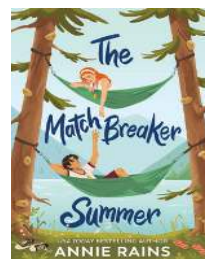
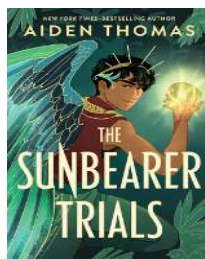
Unicorn Princess Ribbon Crown

Mon, July 17
Lydia Branch | All Day

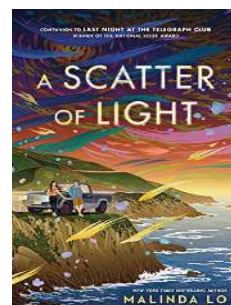
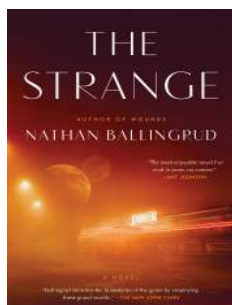


Featured YA Books on Libby

New Fiction eBooks



You can access Libby with your library card and PIN number. For more information about Libby see pg. 5





The Sound by Stray Kids and more are available for FREE download with Freegalmusic.com. You can now stream music too! All you need is your library card to download 5 FREE MP3 files per week! Find Freegalmusic at the library's online resource Link Library page at iberialibrary.org.



Fiero Code is a self-guided online software program that teaches kids and teens how to code through hundreds of coding tutorials and dozens of real-world projects. Fiero Code offers a gamified learning experience with customizable avatars as you learn to build websites, video games, apps, and more! Fiero Code offers more than 300 coding tutorials all geared towards people ages 8 - 18! To access Fiero Code, visit the library's online resource Link Library page at iberialibrary.org.



driving-tests.org

Driving-Tests.org is a website for learners who want to practice their skills before taking the real Louisiana DMV permit test. There are practice tests for cars, motorcycles, and CDL (Commercial Driver's License) plus online driver's manuals and a FAQ section. To access Driving-Tests.org, visit the library's online resource Link Library page at iberialibrary.org.

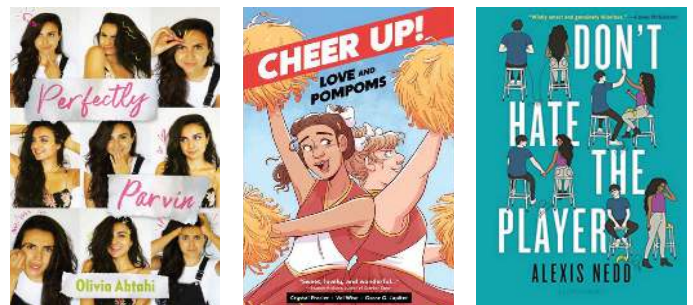
LYRC Award Nominees

Louisiana Young Reader's Choice

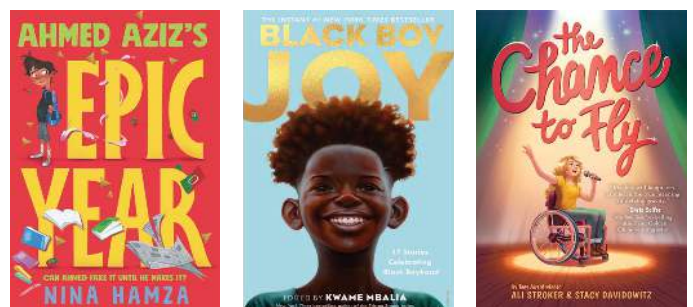
What is LYRC?

The purpose of the program is to foster a love of reading in the children of Louisiana by motivating them to participate in the recognition of outstanding books. The lists are well-balanced selections of high-quality fiction, non-fiction, and poetry. Now entering its 24th year, the program continues to encourage Louisiana's youth to read for pleasure. The Louisiana Young Reader's Choice Award is a reading enrichment program of the Louisiana Center for the Book in the State Library.

Teen Books:



Grade 6-8 Books:



Grade 3-5 Books:



How do I vote?

To find the full list of books and to vote for your favorite, visit <https://slol.libguides.com/louisianareaderschoiceawards>. Voting ends spring 2024.

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Simple Science for Kids

Loreauville Branch | All Day | All Ages

Each week different science experiments will be put out for kids to try out!

Straw Bridge Weight Challenge

Mon, June 5

Homopolar Motor Figures

Mon, June 12

Folding Mountains

Tues, June 20

Geology Rock Shifting

Mon, June 26

LEGO Volcano

Mon, July 3

Floating Rocks

Mon, July 10

Magic Sand

Mon, July 17



Fairy Suncatcher Painting

Tues, June 6 | 4:00-5:00 PM

Coteau Branch | Ages 5-8



Learn How to Draw

Mermaids

Wed, June 7 | 3:00-4:00 PM

Parkview Branch | Ages 5-8



Play-Doh Mountain Shapes

Thurs, June 8 | 2:30-3:30 PM

Loreauville Branch | Ages 2-4

LEGO Challenge Club

Coteau Branch | 4:30-5:30 PM

Ages 7-12

Fairytale Challenge

Thurs, June 8

Build a Fairytale Scene

Thurs, July 13

Fairytale Challenge Part 2

Thurs, Aug. 10



Fishy Fun Day

Tues, June 13 | 3:00-4:00 PM

Parkview Branch | Ages 5-8

Children's Programming



Troll Rock Monsters
Tues, June 13 | 2:30-3:30 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 6-8



Unicorn Wish Hoop
Wed, June 14 | 3:00-4:15 PM
Lydia Branch | Ages 8-11

Happy Fathers Day, Pop!
Thurs, June 15 | 11:00 AM-12:00 PM
St. Peter Branch | Ages 6-10

Phase 10 Tournament
Fri, June 16 | 10:00 AM-12:00 PM
Main Library | Ages 9-12



Under the Sea Painting
Sat, June 17 | 1:30-2:00 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 1-3



Engineer a Solution to Landslides
Tues, June 20 | 2:30-3:30 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 9-12



Wizard Training
Wed, June 21
11:00 AM-12:15 PM
St. Peter Branch | Ages 6-8

Mixed Media Art: Pollock Fish
Tues, June 27 | 2:30-3:30 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 8-10



Rainbow Magic Fairy Tea Party
Wed, June 28
10:30-11:45 AM
Coteau Branch | Ages 6-10



Unicorn Planter
Fri, June 30 | 3:00-4:00 PM
Lydia Branch | Ages 8-12



Mixed Media Mermaid or Fish
Fri, July 7 | 3:30-4:30 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 8-11



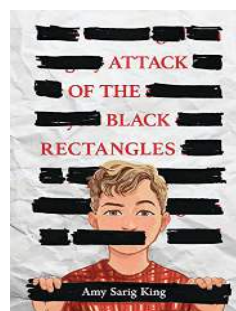
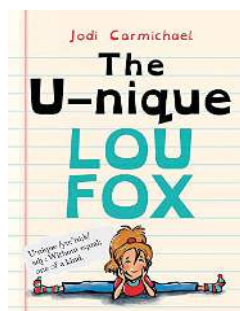
Help the Wizard Master
Sat, July 8
11:00 AM-12:15 PM
St. Peter Branch | Ages 7-10



Making a Sword & Shield
Sat, July 8 | 12:00-1:00 PM
Jeanerette Branch | Ages 6-10



Fairy Golf
Mon, July 10 | 4:00-5:30 PM
Coteau Branch | Ages 5-8



Children's Programming



Clay Mountain Photo Holder

Tues, July 11 | 2:30-3:30 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 9-12

Forest Sorbet

Tues, July 11 | 3:00-4:00 PM
Lydia Branch | Ages 7-11



Magical Fairy Doors

Tues, July 11 | 4:00-5:00 PM
Coteau Branch | Ages 6-10

Ready, Aim, Fire!

Fri, July 14 | 3:00-4:00 PM
Lydia Branch | Ages 8-10



Let's Dive Into Mermaids

Tues, July 18 | 3:00-4:00 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 5-8



Edible Mountain Building Tectonic Plates

Tues, July 18 | 2:30-3:30 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 8-11

Mini Medieval Banquet

Fri, July 21 | 11:00 AM-12:15 PM
St. Peter Branch | Ages 7-11

Fidget Putty

Tues, July 25 | 2:30-3:30 PM
Loreauville Branch | Ages 7-10



Ocean Sensory Bottle

Wed, July 26 | 3:30-4:30 PM
Parkview Branch | Ages 7-10

Baby Play

Fri, Aug. 11 & 25 | 10:30-11:00 AM
Main Library | Ages 0-18 Months

Jigsaw Puzzle Day

Make a puzzle!

Sat, Aug. 19 | All Day | Main Library
Ages 4+

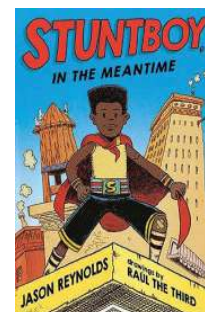


Featured Kids Books on Libby

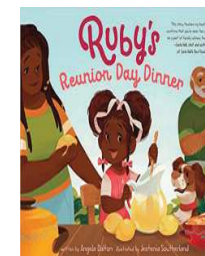
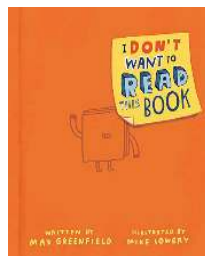
New Fiction eBooks



New Audiobooks



New Fiction Picture eBooks



Children's Programming

What are drop-in crafts?

Drop-in crafts can typically be completed within 15 minutes with adult supervision. Dates listed are the start dates, crafts will remain available while supplies last.

Drop-in Crafts

Chalk Art Hair Troll

Mon, June 5

Loreauville Branch | All Day

Paper Roll Unicorn

Mon, June 5

Lydia Branch | All Day

Father's Day Hug Card

Mon, June 12

Loreauville Branch | All Day

Jellyfish Craft

Mon, June 12

Parkview Branch | All Day

Happy Father's Day, Dad Card

Wed, June 14

St. Peter Branch | All Day

Father's Day Card

Wed, June 14

Jeanerette Branch | All Day

Fire Breathing Dragon

Fri, June 16

Jeanerette Branch | All Day

Desk Dragon

Tues, June 20

Lydia Branch | All Day

Dragon's Lair

Sat, June 24

Jeanerette Branch | All Day

Fourth of July Pinwheel

Mon, June 26

Loreauville Branch | All Day

Troll Mountain Scene

Mon, July 3

Loreauville Branch | All Day

Unicorn Mask

Mon, July 3

Lydia Branch | All Day

Pool Noodle Crab

Mon, July 3

Parkview Branch | All Day

Flaming Hair Troll

Mon, July 17

Loreauville Branch | All Day

Mermaid Crown

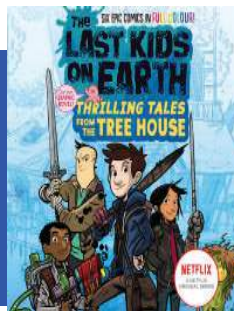
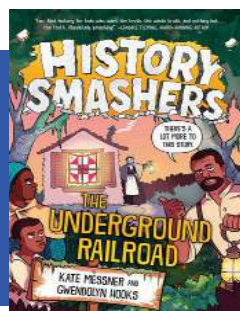
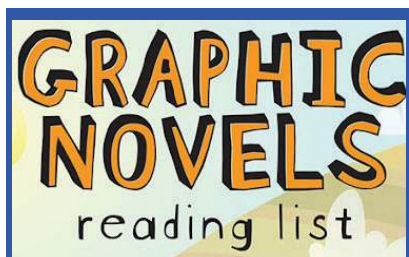
Mon, July 17

Parkview Branch | All Day

Dragon Wings

Sat, July 22

Jeanerette Branch | All Day





A Look Into Accelerated Reading Levels

What is Accelerated Reader?

Accelerated Reader is a software program for K-12 schools for monitoring reading practice. The Iberia Parish Library may help you navigate your search for these books on your level.

All branches of your Iberia Parish Library have children's and teen books to fit the needs of each student.

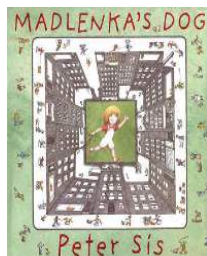
How do I know if a book is AR?

Each book will have a stamp on the inside back cover or the first few pages. This stamp will indicate the reading level, AR points, and a Quiz Number. If you are unsure of a book's AR information, a staff member would be happy to assist you!

Important Links:

www.arbookfinder.com

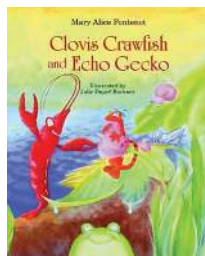
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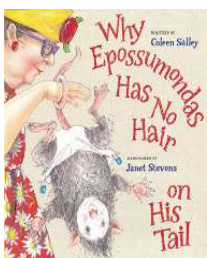
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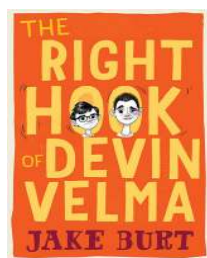
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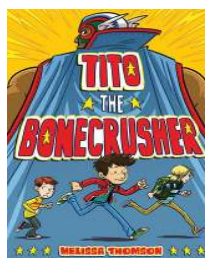
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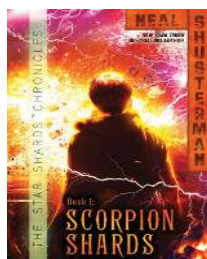
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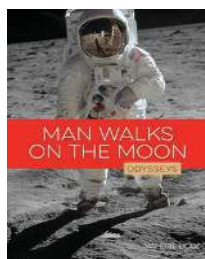
Level 5



Level 6



Level 7



Level 8

Daily literacy-building activities to share with your child.

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 TALKING Have a conversation about water. Ask your child, "What is your favorite thing about water?" Ask about your knowledge of about water.	1 SINGING Sing "The Hokey Pokey" with your child. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	1 COUNTING Weigh your child and write down the number. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	1 READING Visit the library for the library's website. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	1 WRITING With your child write a letter to the author of a book you read. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	1 PLAYING Create a small obstacle course and give your child a challenge. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	1 PLAYING Play "I Spy" with your child. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.
2 SINGING Pick a song your child is familiar with and act it out while it is playing.	2 COUNTING Measure your child's height and write it down. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	2 READING Use your finger to follow along with the text in a book. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	2 WRITING Write your child's name on a piece of paper. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	2 PLAYING Play "Follow the Leader" with your child. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	2 TALKING Talk about food. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	2 SINGING Make up a silly song about something you did today. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.
3 COUNTING Count stairs. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	3 READING Be a reading expert. Let your child read to you. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	3 WRITING Write a list of things to do today. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	3 PLAYING Use a sponge to paint. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	3 TALKING Talk about your favorite book. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	3 SINGING Sing a favorite song in a kitchen. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	3 COUNTING Measure your height. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.
4 READING Read a book about water.	4 WRITING Draw the outline of your child's face on a piece of paper. Write the date and have your child "sign" the drawing. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	4 PLAYING Let's dance! Play favorite songs that will inspire your child to do different things. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	4 TALKING Talk about your favorite book. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	4 SINGING Sing a favorite song in a kitchen. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	4 COUNTING Sing the "Ten Little Dancers" rhyme. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.	4 READING Ask your child to read to you. Use the calendar and measure again to learn.

Early Literacy Activities Calendar

What is this?

The early literacy activities calendar is a calendar created by the Public Library Association with a fun skills-building activity for each day! It also contains content like nursery rhymes, early literacy tips, song lyrics, or suggested reading material.

Where can I get one?

You can pick up an early literacy activities calendar at any of the Iberia Parish libraries! A new calendar will be available monthly, so be sure to get one each month!



Children, ages 0-6, and their guardians are invited to join us on a mission to read 1,000 books before the first day of Kindergarten! Now available via Beanstack! Visit iberialibrary.org or speak with a staff member today!

Storytimes



Main Library

Storytime

10:00 AM | Every Thursday
June 8 Aug. 3
June 15 Aug. 10
June 22 Aug. 17
June 29 Aug. 24
July 13 Aug. 31
July 20 - with Aly Cat
July 27

St. Peter Branch

Storytime

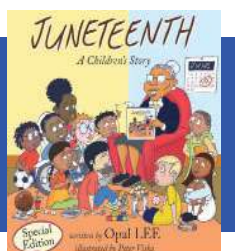
4:00 PM | Every Wednesday in June & July
June 7 July 5 Aug. 16
June 14 July 12
June 21 July 19
June 28 July 26

Parkview Branch

Storytime

10:00 AM | Every Tuesday in June & July
June 6 July 11 Aug. 8
June 13 July 18
June 20 July 25
June 27

Celebrate Juneteenth
by checking out picture
books like *Juneteenth* by
Opal Lee!



Storytime

Ages 0-6 | No Registration

Enjoy a story paired with
corresponding activities such as
crafts, short films, and more!

Jeanerette Branch

Storytime

11:00 AM | Every Saturday in June & July
June 3 July 1 Aug. 12
June 10 July 8
June 17 July 15
June 24 July 22
July 29

Lydia Branch

Storytime

10:00 AM | Every Tuesday In June & July
June 6 July 11
June 13 July 18
June 20 July 25
June 27

Loreauville Branch

Storytime

4:00 PM | Every Wednesday in June & July
June 7 July 5
June 14 July 12
June 21 July 19
June 28 July 26

Coteau Branch

Storytime

4:00 PM | Every Thursday in June & July
June 1 July 6 Aug. 17
June 8 July 13
June 15 July 20
June 22 July 27
June 29

Fantasy

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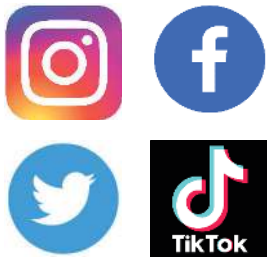
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On Display at the Library

At the Coteau Branch, a book display and reading list has been curated by the Coastal Wetlands Planning, Protection, and Restoration Act. The display includes an array of free educational materials like coloring books, posters, stickers, and magazines, as well as over 65 suggested titles to check out from the library!

Library Closures:

All Branches:

June 19: Juneteenth

July 4: Independence Day

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Twitter.

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Children's: 364-7134
Fax Number: 364-7042
Email: newiberialib@yahoo.com
Hours: Mon-Thurs 8:30 AM-8:00 PM
Fri & Sat 8:30 AM-5:30 PM
Sun 1:30 PM-5:30 PM

COTEAU LIBRARY

2306 Coteau Rd, New Iberia
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411 Kentucky Street, Jeanerette
Phone: 276-4014
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Sat 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

LOREAUVILLE LIBRARY

612 Ed Broussard Rd, New Iberia
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PARKVIEW LIBRARY

500 Grand Pré Blvd., New Iberia
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Fax: 364-7714
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Sat 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

ST. PETER LIBRARY

1111 W. St. Peter Street, New Iberia
Phone: 364-7670
Fax: 364-7261
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Hours: Mon-Fri 9:00 AM-6:00 PM
Sat 10:00 AM-3:00 PM

DELCAMBRE LIBRARY

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Phone: 685-2388
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Hours: Mon-Thurs 10:00 AM-12:30 PM
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Fri 10:00 AM-12:30 PM
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Sat 9:00 AM-12:00 PM

