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ST. CHARLES PARISH LIBRARY NEWS AND EVENTS

SEPTEMBER 2018



Join Us For Storytime, Lapsit, and WeePlay
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Bookpage is published monthly to share information about the events, materials, and services of the St. Charles Parish Library.

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HOLIDAYS AND CLOSINGS

- Labor Day Sep 3
- Veterans Day Nov 12
- Thanksgiving Eve Nov 21
(Closing at 5pm)
- Thanksgiving Nov 22-23
- Staff Training Dec 7

ON THE COVER

After an end-of-summer break in August, weekly storytimes, lapsits, and WeePlays return in September.



Cookbook Clubs meet monthly at the East Regional Library and Paradis Branch. We love new members!

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2018 SUMMER READING PROGRAM RECAP

Thanks to everyone who participated in our 2018 Summer Reading Program! We hope everyone had a great summer reading, singing, playing, dancing, crafting, learning, and making new friends.

We held a random drawing for grand prize winners for children, teens, and adults. Everyone who read at least 360 minutes was eligible.

Children's Winners

- Elvin Bazile Jr.
- Imani Hammond
- Kaden Kirtland
- Violet Kokemor
- Da'rae Simmons

Teen Winners

- Fletcher Blume
- Aidan Hidalgo
- Amarissa Missios

Adult Winners

- Diane Deroche
- Orange Hopkins
- Alexis Jones



Congratulations to everyone who participated!

PLANTING YOUR FALL GARDEN

Our community garden at the Hahnville Branch is continuing to thrive and grow.

After a hot summer, we're getting ready to plant our fall garden. Are you prepared for planting yours?

If you want to start gardening or have some questions that need an expert answer, attend Planting for Your Fall Garden hosted by Master Gardener Rene Schmit at the Hahnville Branch on Tuesday, September 18 at 10:30 am

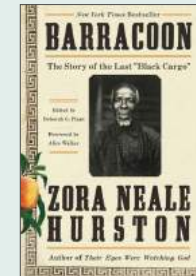


He will lecture on fall planting as well as answer your gardening questions.

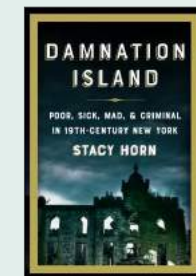
We'll also discuss the future of the community garden and how you can get involved.

FEATURED FIVE

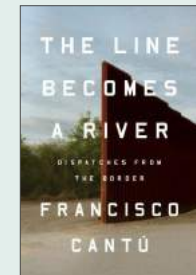
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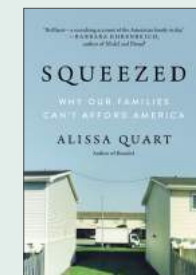
Barracoon
by Zora Neale Hurston



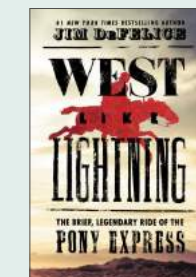
Damnation Island
by Stacy Horn



The Line Becomes a River
by Francisco Cantú



Squeezed
by Alissa Quart



West Like Lightning
by Jim Defelice

ADULTS

ARTS & CRAFTS

Flying Needles

This knitting and crocheting group is open to new and experienced crafters. Come to learn a new craft or share your talents!

West Regional Library
Tuesdays • 5 pm

Painted Canvas Tote Bag

Join us to paint your very own canvas tote bag in a lovely fall fashion.

St. Rose Branch
Monday, September 17 • 6 pm

Painting Twists

Painting Twists is for adults who have a crafty side. This month will feature crafts we've done before and you may have missed.

Paradis Branch
Monday, September 24 • 5:15 pm

Breast Cancer Awareness Painting

We will paint a pink ribbon for the upcoming Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

East Regional Library
Monday, September 24 • 6 pm

Create and Play: Burlap Fall Wreath

Bring your children along to play while you enjoy a craft just for adults!

Hahnville Branch
Wednesday, September 26 • 11:30 am

Creative Crafters

Bring your creativity and join us for our monthly craft time for adults only.

Norco Branch
Thursday, September 27 • Noon

Some events require registration.

If you see a **R** next to an event, register through our online calendar or by calling any library location.

BOOKS & AUTHORS

Reading Discussion Group

This month's selection is *Small Great Things* by Jodi Picoult.

St. Rose Branch
Wednesday, September 12 • 11 am

Book Discussion Group

This month's selection is *Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine* by Gail Honeyman.

East Regional Library
Wednesday, September 19 • 6:30 pm

FOOD & COOKING

Cookbook Book Club

Enjoy the camaraderie and cuisine. Everyone chooses a different recipe from a selected cookbook and prepares it for the following meeting. This month's theme is *Memoirs of a Character*.

Paradis Branch
Friday, September 7 • 11 am

Cookbook Club

Everyone chooses a different recipe on the same theme and prepares it for the next month's meeting.

East Regional Library
Monday, September 17 • 6 pm

GAMES & ACTIVITIES

Jigsaw Puzzle Competition

Are you a fan of jigsaw puzzles? Join us for our first Jigsaw Puzzle Competition! Competitors will compete against others to assemble a 300-piece jigsaw puzzle.

East Regional Library
Saturday, September 8 • 9 am

Game Night @ the Library

Looking for some Friday night fun? Come to the library to play board and card games.

West Regional Library
Friday, September 21 • 6 pm

LIFESTYLE

All Levels Vinyasa Yoga

In this class, you will perform movements with breath, focus, and mindful meditation. You must be able to get up off the floor. Bring a yoga mat.

In partnership with Creative Family Solutions.

West Regional Library
Mondays • 6 pm (except September 3)

Elder Law and Estate Planning Workshop

Join local estate planning and elder law attorney John Sirois for this free workshop. He will cover topics like maximizing the inheritance you leave your children, planning for nursing home and medical care, and more.

West Regional Library
Thursday, September 13 • 6 pm

Planting For Your Fall Garden

Do you want to start a fall garden? Need help getting started?

Master Gardener Rene Schmit will help you get started on your fall garden with a lecture on fall planting. He will also be available to answer your gardening questions.

Hahnville Branch
Tuesday, September 18 • 10:30 am

MOVIES & MUSIC

Monday Movie: *Jumanji*

Four teenagers are sucked into a jungle-themed video game. Rated PG

For all ages.

Hahnville Branch
Monday, September 10 • 10 am

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

BOOK SALE SCHEDULED

Our Fall Book Sale will be held Friday, October 5 at the Book Nook, which is located next to the Hahnville Branch.

Our general meeting will take place at 1 pm.

Book Nook
Friday, October 5 • 9 am - 4 pm

SCHOOL & CAREER

Back to School Fair

Drop in and discover resources designed to make homework and school projects easier. Enjoy refreshments while watching demos of easy-to-use tech resources.

There will also be kids' activities, free giveaways, and raffles!

For all ages.

West Regional Library
Saturday, September 8 • 10 am - Noon

East Regional Library
Wednesday, September 12 • 5 pm - 7 pm



FLYING NEEDLES

West Regional Library

Tuesdays at 5 pm

A knitting and crocheting group open to all skill levels.

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK



The Friends of the St. Charles Library are on Facebook!

Search for us and like our page to stay up to date on our activities and news.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
<p>LOCATION</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • East • West • Hahnville • Norco • St. Rose • Paradis • Planetarium <p>AGE GROUP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> C = Children Tw = Tweens T = Teens A = Adults F = Family Aa = All Ages 		<p>We welcome groups. Please call in advance.</p> <p>Children under 10 must be accompanied by a caregiver at all times.</p>			<p>Some events require registration. If you see a R next to an event, register through our online calendar or by calling any library location.</p>		<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) • Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa)
2	3 Library Closed Labor Day	4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lapsit + WeePlay 10 am (C) • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • WeePlay 11 am (C) • Teen Time: Foil Art 4 pm (T) • Flying Needles 5 pm (A) • Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) R • Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa) 	5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime 10 am (C) • WeePlay 10 am (C) • Lapsit 10:30 am (C) • Totally Teens 3:30 pm (T) • Nerd Night 5:30 pm (T) 	6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lapsit 9:30 am (C) • Lapsit 10:30 am (C) • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • Thursday Thrills 4 pm (T) • #Thursdays 6 pm (T) • Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa) 	7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • Cookbook Book Club 11 am (A) • WeePlay 11 am (C) 	8 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jigsaw Puzzle Competition 9 am (A) R • Back to School Fair 10 am - Noon (Aa) • Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) • Grandparents Day Bird Feeder Craft 11 am (Aa) • Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa) 	
9	10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday Movie: <i>Jumanji</i> 10 am (Aa) • All Levels Vinyasa Yoga 6 pm (A) 	11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lapsit 10 am (C) • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • WeePlay 11 am (C) • Teen Time: Create-and-Paint 4 pm (T) • Flying Needles 5 pm (A) • Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) R • Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa) 	12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime 10 am (C) • WeePlay 10 am (C) • Lapsit 10:30 am (C) • Reading Discussion Group 11 am (A) • Totally Teens 3:30 pm (T) • Back to School Fair 5 pm - 7 pm (Aa) • Nerd Night 5:30 pm (T) 	13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lapsit 9:30 am (C) • Lapsit 10:30 am (C) • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • Gaming with a Raspberry Pi 3:30 pm (T) R • Thursday Thrills 4 pm (T) • Kid Connection: Spider Web Craft 4:30 pm (Ages 5-11) • #Thursdays 6 pm (T) • Elder Law and Estate Planning Workshop 6 pm (A) • Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa) 	14 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • WeePlay 11 am (C) • Weave a Bracelet 2 pm (Ages 5-11) 	15 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) • Fall Tree Masterpiece 11 am (Ages 6-11) • Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa) 	
16	17 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday Night at the Movies: <i>Lady and the Tramp</i> 5 pm (F) • All Levels Vinyasa Yoga 6 pm (A) • Cookbook Club 6 pm (A) • Painted Canvas Tote Bag 6 pm (A) R 	18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lapsit 10 am (C) • Planting for Your Fall Garden 10:30 am (A) • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • WeePlay 11 am (C) • Teen Time: Rice Krispy Party 4 pm (T) • Flying Needles 5 pm (A) • Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) R • Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa) 	19 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime 10 am (C) • WeePlay 10 am (C) • Lapsit 10:30 am (C) • Totally Teens 3:30 pm (T) • Nerd Night 5:30 pm (T) • Book Discussion Group 6:30 pm (A) 	20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lapsit 9:30 am (C) • Lapsit 10:30 am (C) • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • Thursday Thrills 4 pm (T) • #Thursdays 6 pm (T) • Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa) 	21 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • WeePlay 11 am (C) • Game Night @ the Library 6 pm (A) 	22 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) • Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa) 	
23	24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Painting Twists 5:15 pm (A) R • All Levels Vinyasa Yoga 6 pm (A) • Breast Cancer Awareness Painting 6 pm (A) R 	25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lapsit 10 am (C) • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • WeePlay 11 am (C) • Teen Time: DIY Flower Crowns 4 pm (T) • Flying Needles 5 pm (A) • Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) R • Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa) 	26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime 10 am (C) • WeePlay 10 am (C) • Lapsit 10:30 am (C) • Create and Play: Burlap Fall Wreath 11:30 am (F) R • Totally Teens 3:30 pm (T) 	27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lapsit 9:30 am (C) • Lapsit 10:30 am (C) • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • Creative Crafters noon (A) R • Thursday Thrills 4 pm (T) • Kid Connection: Emoji Locker Magnets 4:30 pm (Ages 8-11) • #Thursdays 6 pm (T) • Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa) 	28 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Storytime 10:30 am (C) • WeePlay 11 am (C) 	29 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) • Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa) 	

TEENS

GAMES & ACTIVITIES

Gaming with a Raspberry Pi

Join us for a retro gaming session using the library's mini gaming consoles.

For ages 12-17.

West Regional Library

Thursday, September 13 • 3:30 pm

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Teen Time

Join us for a variety of fun activities. Games and art supplies will be provided.

For grades 6th through 12th.

St. Rose Branch

Tuesdays • 4 pm

September 4 Foil Art

September 11 Create-and-Paint

September 18 Rice Krispy Party

September 25 DIY Flower Crowns

Totally Teens

Join us every Wednesday afternoon for a variety of fun activities.

Norco Branch

Wednesdays • 3:30 pm

Nerd Night

Join us for Nerd Night! Celebrate your fandom, make friends, play games, and have fun!

For teens ages 13 and up.

West Regional Library

Wednesdays • 5:30 pm (except September 26)

Thursday Thrills

Come to Paradis for Thursday Thrills, afternoon activities for teens ranging from arts and crafts to ping pong and fun in between.

Paradis Branch

Thursdays • 4 pm

#Thursdays

Join us for a weekly activity just for teens! Snacks provided.

For teens ages 12+.

East Regional Library

Thursdays • 6 pm

SCHOOL & CAREER

Back to School Fair

Drop in and discover resources designed to make homework and school projects easier. Enjoy refreshments while watching demos of easy-to-use tech resources.

There will also be activities, free giveaways, and raffles!

For all ages.

West Regional Library

Saturday, September 8 • 10 am - Noon

East Regional Library

Wednesday, September 12 • 5 pm - 7 pm



Teen Time at the St. Rose Branch happens every Tuesday at 4 pm for teens in grades 6 through 12.

TECHNOLOGY

ONLINE TUTORING WITH HOMEWORK LOUISIANA

Visit Homework Louisiana at www.homeworkla.org for FREE online tutoring Sunday through Thursday from 2pm to midnight.

Students in grades kindergarten through college can get personalized help from a live tutor in a variety of subjects, including math, science, social studies, and English, as well as help with standardized test preparations.

Students can upload essays and other writing assignments to receive edits and writing strategy assistance. They can also upload math problems to receive in-depth, step-by-step explanations for the solutions.

Homework Louisiana tutors are certified teachers, professors, graduate school students, university students, and professionals who are experts in their fields.

To use Homework Louisiana, visit www.homeworkla.org. No library card required!



PLANETARIUM

105 Lakewood Drive in Luling | 985-785-8471

EVENING SHOWS

Tuesdays and Thursdays

6:30 pm

From the Earth to the Universe takes you on a journey to our universe through the history and science of astronomy.

You will observe the Earth from the International Space Station, travel to the Sun, explore the planets of our solar system, and more.

For All Ages

CHILDREN'S MATINEE

Saturdays

10 am

In **Larry Cat in Space**, a cat follows his owner on a trip to the Moon.

You and your family will join Larry Cat as he learns about space travel and how people could live on the Moon.

For Children

SATURDAY MATINEE

Saturdays

2 pm

ASTRONAUT takes you and your family on a trip through the human body, the International Space Station, and through space itself.

You will learn about the dangers of space travel and see what it takes to become an astronaut.

For All Ages

Doors open 15 minutes before the scheduled showtime. Due to the unusual lighting conditions in the planetarium, no one is allowed to enter once the show has started. Please come early.

CHILDREN

ARTS & CRAFTS

Grandparents Day Bird Feeder Craft

Looking for something to do with your grandparents on Grandparents Day? Join us in making a bird feeder. Grandparents, parents, or friends are welcome to join you.

For all ages.

Paradis Branch

Saturday, September 8 • 11 am

Kid Connection: Spider Web Craft

Use yarn and popsicle sticks to create a spider web.

For ages 5-11.

St. Rose Branch

Thursday, September 13 • 4:30 pm

Weave a Bracelet

Come weave your own bracelet on a cardboard loom using colorful yarn!

For ages 5-11.

Norco Branch

Friday, September 14 • 2 pm

Fall Tree Masterpiece

Who wants to create a masterpiece? Paint your own Fall tree to bring home as you enjoy the season.

For ages 6-11.

West Regional Library

Saturday, September 15 • 11 am

Create and Play: Burlap Fall Wreath

Children will play while their parents and caregivers create a burlap fall wreath.

Hahnville Branch

Wednesday, September 26 • 11:30 am

Kid Connection: Emoji Locker Magnet

Use round locker magnets to create Emojis.

For ages 8-11.

St. Rose Branch

Monday, September 27 • 4:30 pm

COMPUTERS AND TECHNOLOGY

Minecraft

Bring your friends and come play Minecraft. There are only 15 spots available each week, so reserve your spot early.

For ages 6-11.

West Regional Library

Tuesdays • 5:30 pm

MOVIES AND MUSIC

Monday Movie: Jumanji

Four teenagers are sucked into a jungle-themed video game. Rated PG

For all ages.

Hahnville Branch

Monday, September 10 • 10 am

Monday Night at the Movies: Lady and the Tramp

This Disney animated classic follows a pampered cocker spaniel named Lady whose comfortable life slips away once her owners have a baby and she finds herself on the street. Rated G

For all ages.

Paradis Branch

Monday, September 17 • 5 pm

SCHOOL

Back to School Fair

Drop in and discover resources designed to make homework and school projects easier. Enjoy refreshments while watching demos of easy-to-use tech resources.

There will also be kids' activities, free giveaways, and raffles!

For all ages.

West Regional Library

Saturday, September 8 • 10 am - Noon

East Regional Library

Wednesday, September 12 • 5 pm - 7 pm

STORYTIME, LAPSIT, WEEPLAY ARE BACK

After an August break, our weekly storytimes, lapsits, and WeePlays are back!

Storytimes and lapsits are a great way to introduce children to exciting books, new music, and fun crafts. Children will participate in age-appropriate finger plays, songs, and stories that encourage them to discover the world around them. The activities featured each week help build the foundation for a lifetime love of learning.

Storytime is designed for preschoolers age 2 and up and their caregivers. Lapsit is designed for infants through 24 months and their caregivers.

In addition to storytimes and lapsits, the library also offers WeePlay, which encourages caregivers to interactively "play" with their child at the library. Attendees should come ready to use their imaginations and explore with themed toys and activities. WeePlay is designed for children under the age of 6 and their caregivers.

Our weekly schedule is below. Visit our online event calendar at www.myscpl.org for the most up-to-date schedule.



STORYTIME, LAPSIT, WEEPLAY

Storytime features stories, activities, games, songs, and crafts.

Lapsit introduces books and reading to children ages birth to 24 months.

WeePlay encourages caregivers to "play" with their child and use their imaginations while exploring.

Check www.myscpl.org for any schedule changes.

West Regional Library

WeePlay
Wednesdays, 10 am

Lapsit
Thursdays, 9:30 am

Storytime
Thursdays, 10:30 am

Paradis Branch
Storytime
Tuesdays, 10:30 am

WeePlay
Tuesdays, 11 am

Hahnville Branch
Lapsit
Wednesdays, 10:30 am

East Regional Library

Storytime
Wednesdays, 10 am

Lapsit
Thursdays, 10:30 am

St. Rose Branch
Storytime
Fridays, 10:30 am

WeePlay
Fridays, 11 am

Norco Branch
Lapsit
Tuesdays, 10 am

WeePlay
First Tuesday, after Lapsit

Visit

West Regional Library

985-785-8471

105 Lakewood Dr.
Luling, LA 70070

Monday-Thursday: 9am-8pm
Friday and Saturday: 9am-5pm

East Regional Library

985-764-2366

160 W. Campus Dr.
Destrehan, LA 70047

Monday-Thursday: 9am-8pm
Friday and Saturday: 9am-5pm

Hahnville Branch

985-783-2341

14996 River Rd.
Hahnville, LA 70057

Monday-Friday: 9am-5pm

Norco Branch

985-764-6581

197 Good Hope St.
Norco, LA 70079

Monday-Friday: 9am-5pm

Paradis Branch

985-758-1868

307 Audubon St.
Paradis, LA 70080

Monday: 10am-8pm
Tuesday-Thursday: 10am-6pm
Friday: 9am-5pm
Saturday: 10am-2pm

St. Rose Branch

504-465-0646

90 East Club Dr.
St. Rose, LA 70087

Monday: 10am-8pm
Tuesday-Thursday: 10am-6pm
Friday: 9am-5pm
Saturday: 10am-2pm

Bookmobile: Call 985-785-8471 for more information

Planetarium: Located at the West Regional Library

Showtimes: Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:30pm | Saturdays at 10am and 2pm