

BUKTALK Newsletter

June – Aug 2019

Summer Reading Kickoff: A Universe of Stories!

A UNIVERSE OF STORIES Summer Reading Sponsors

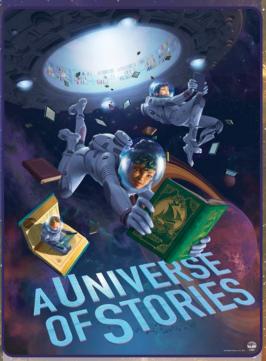
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Storytimes

Are you ready to blast off this summer? Children up to 12 years old can join our A Universe of Stories Summer Reading Program, beginning May 13 at any Lafayette Public Library location. They can participate in any of the multiple free programs like storytelling, puppetry, crafts, dance, drawing, plays, bubbles, music, and more. There will be one level of prizes, based on reading minutes and challenges. Pick up a reading log from the library or log online at LafayettePublicLibrary.org. The main prize is a space-themed drawstring backpack and a chance to win a bicycle!

The Main Library will host A Universe of Stories
Summer Reading Kickoff Celebration on Saturday,
June 1 from 10:00 AM until 3:00 PM. In addition to
the performances listed to the right, kids can enjoy
a fun jump, crafts, community fun with downtown
organizations, and more. We'll have food trucks
selling a variety of treats. Also joining us is the 4th
Annual Bicycle Safety Festival in Parc Putnam from
9:00 AM until 12:00 PM. For more about our Summer
Reading Program and Kickoff, call 261-5779.





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Kickoff Celebration

Saturday, June 1 10:00 AM — 3:00 PM Main Library featuring

The Crescent Circus 10:30 – 11:15 AM

Magician Mitch Richard

12:00 - 12:30 PM 1:00 - 1:30 PM

Schoolhouse Safari 11:30 – 1:30 PM The Crescent Circus 2:00 – 2:45 PM

The Teen and Adult Summer Reading Programs also take place May 13 through July 31. Teens and adults will receive a special prize when they register. Then, when they either read five books OR read two books and complete three challenges, they will receive a fun bag of goodies. They will also be eligible to win weekly prizes. Programs for teens and adults will include anime programs, workshops, gaming and challenge programs, crafts, gardening, coloring, escape rooms, and movies. For details, call 261-5787 or 981-1028 or visit Lafayette Public Library.org.

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Director's Message

GO GO BIBLIO Adventure at every unit

Music Artist Anthony Doopsie points to his photo on the Bookmobile.



Many of us have fond memories of using a bookmobile — discovering great books, meeting friendly staff on hot summer days, or when it came for a classroom visit. Well, those days can now be relived, and new memories can be made as we launch our new GoGo Biblio Bookmobile to service Lafayette Parish!

The library system started a bookmobile service in 1948, but retired the last Bookmobile in the late 1990s. The new Bookmobile project was awarded to LDV Custom Specialty Vehicles in Burlington, WI. It took nine months to complete, and the library paid a total of \$255,900 for the custom vehicle. Once completed, a company representative drove it from Wisconsin to Louisiana to deliver it!

The exterior design and logo on the GoGo Biblio Bookmobile were created by Right Angle, a Lafayette advertising agency, with library funds and input. The Lafayette Public Library Foundation paid for the production and application of the wrap. To make the wrap super special, most of the photos feature children and friends in our community. Additionally, the Friends of the Lafayette Public Library supplied funds for the bookmobile's children's collection.

Our Outreach Services department will operate the mobile branch that features Wi-Fi and a wheelchair lift. We understand that there are seniors and families in our parish who are interested in library services but may not have the mobility or transportation to access their nearest branch. With this brand new vehicle, we now have the ability to bring the library to patrons wherever they are.

We plan to bring the GoGo Biblio Bookmobile all over Lafayette Parish! Look for us at parks, daycares, camps, senior centers, community centers, and special events. For more information or to request a visit, contact our Outreach Services department by visiting LafayettePublicLibrary.org/outreach

Teresa Elberson, Director Lafayette Public Library



Bookmobile Revealed on National Bookmobile Day!









Community members are featured on the Bookmobile wrap using library services. One was even asked to help out with the ribbon-cutting! Members of the Lafayette Public Library Foundation, Friends of the Library, and Library Board of Control attended the ceremony.

Board Game Basement

Saunter down to the basement to enjoy board games and make new friends. Feel free to bring your own games. Refreshments provided! Ages 14 & up.

Thursdays: June – July (except holidays) 5:30 - 8:30 PM Main Library 261-5787

Friday Zumba

Get moving and make some noise with Zumba! Sahra Arabaca, a licensed instructor, will lead an energetic workout for all ages.

5:00 - 6:00 PM Fridays: June 7, 14; July 12, 26; August 9, 23 South Regional Library 981-1028

Game On!

Join us for family-friendly video and board games. Open to all ages and skill levels.

Tuesdays: June 11; July 30; August 20 4:00 -6:00 PM **East Regional Library** 445-3168

Star Party

Join us after hours to view the night sky through telescopes provided by the Lafayette Science Museum while enjoying music, refreshments, games, and crafts.

8:00 - 10:00 PM Tuesday, June 11 **West Regional Library** 232-9321

Pokémon TCG Tournament

Test your skills! Trainers will battle in brackets, and the winner will be declared the champion! Ages 7—14. Registration begins Monday, June 3.

2:00 - 5:00 PM Thursday, June 13 **Main Library** 261-5779

Pokémon League

We're blasting off at the speed of light! Come play Pokémon console games, do Pokémon crafts and activities, and bring your trading cards or DS to battle with other players. Ages 5 & up.

Thursday, June 13 2:00 - 5:00 PM Main Library 261-5779



Father's Day Hot Rod Meet

Join us for Lafayette League of Exceptional Motoring's first ever hot rod show.

8:00 - 11:00 AM Sunday, June 16 Main Library 261-5779

(Rain-day: Sunday, June 23, 8:00-11:00 AM)

General Audience

2:00 - 7:00 PM

445-3168

Chess Club

Wednesday, June 26

A chance to practice your chess moves on others. All playing levels, including beginners, welcome. Ages 8 & up. Registration begins Monday, June 3.

Wednesday, June 19 6:00 - 7:00 PMSouth Regional Library 981-1028 Wednesday, July 17 6:00 - 7:00 PM **East Regional Library** 445-3168 Thursday, August 15 6:00 - 7:00 PM **North Regional Library** 896-6323

Stranger Things Escape Room

Figure out this otherworldly mystery before you get caught in even stranger things! Ages 12 & up. Registration by phone or in person begins Monday, June 17.

East Regional Library Saturday, July 6 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM **North Regional Library** 896-6323 Monday, July 8 3:00 - 6:00 PM 1:00 - 4:00 PM Tuesday, July 9 South Regional Library 981-1028 Friday, July 19 1:00 - 5:00 PM West Regional Library 232-9321

Space, Virtual Reality, and the Future

Naresh Deoli, a research scientist in the Louisiana Accelerator Center, will discuss astronomy and space science, including NASA's plan to colonize Mars. Ages 12 & up.

Tuesday, July 16 6:30 - 7:30 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

Family Retro Cartoons

Bring your family to the library for snacks and a selection of classic cartoons from the '80s, '90s, and beyond! Be sure to bring pillows and blankets.

10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Saturday, July 20 **East Regional Library** 445-3168

Star Fleet Training with USS Corsair

The **USS Corsair**, part of **Starfleet**, the international Star Trek Fan Association will host a viewing and discussion of Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan (1982, PG). Interact and pose with Star Trek props, then earn your Red Shirt Certification. Ages 10 & up.

Sunday, July 21 2:00 - 6:00 PM West Regional Library 232-9321

After-Hours Mini Golf

Families will have a "hole" lot of fun after hours as they play through a multi-hole mini-golf course set up throughout the library!

Friday, July 26 6:30 - 7:30 PM **East Regional Library** 445-3168

Fix-It Cafe

Have broken or torn items? Fix them, don't throw them out! No Waste Lafayette will focus on bike repair, clothing, textiles, furniture, electronics, and more!

Saturday, July 27 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Main Library 261-5779

Movies



Space Movies by the Decade

Join us in celebrating a Universe of Stories with a weekly film series featuring space movies from every decade.

Tuesdays		5:30 - 7:30 PM
June 4	Spaceballs	PG, 1987
June 18	Space Jam	PG, 1996
July 9	The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy	PG, 2005
July 23	Guardians of the Galaxy	PG-13, 2014
West Reg	jional Library	232-9321

Geek Cinema

Enjoy geeky movies for teens and adults! Snacks provided.

Fridays		3:00 - 5:30 PM
June 7	Black Panther	PG-13, 2018
June 28	Mission: Impossible - Fallout	PG-13, 2018
July 5	Aquaman	PG-13, 2018
July 12	Solo: A Star Wars Story	PG-13, 2018
July 26	Ant-Man and the Wasp	PG-13, 2018
Aug 2	Bumblebee	PG-13, 2018
East Reg	ional Library	445-3168

'MURICA!! Movie Marathon

Stop by for a patriotic movie marathon in honor of July 4!

Wednesday, July 3		2:00 - 8:00 PM
2:00 PM	Red Dawn	PG-13, 1984
4:00 PM	Top Gun	PG, 1986
6:00 PM	Independence Day	PG-13, 1996
Main Library		261-5787

Space Epics

See these space epics the way they were meant to be see: on the big screen!

Thursdays		6:00 - 8:00 PM
July 11	2001: A Space Odyssey	G, 1968
July 18	Contact	PG, 1997
July 25	Apollo 13	PG, 1995
South Regional Library		981-1028

Summer Sci-Fi: '80s Invasion!

A marathon of '80s Invasion films. Ages 14 & up.

Wednesday, July 16 2:00 – 8:00 PM			
2:00 PM	The Thing		R, 1982
	4:15 рм	Invaders from Mars	PG, 1986
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Teen Summer Cinema

Join us for a mix of summer movies that will celebrate National Ocean Month in June as well as some sci-fi flicks that explore the *Universe of Stories*.

June 14	Aquaman	2:00 - 4:30 pm
July 3	Independence Day	1:00 - 3:30 pm
July 3	Independence Day: Resurgance	3:30 - 5:00 pm
North Re	gional Library	896-6323
June 14	Aquaman	2:00 - 4:30 PM
July 12	Gremlins	2:00 - 4:00 PM
South Re	gional Library	981-1028
June 17	Aquaman	2:00 - 4:30 pm
West Reg	gional Library	232-9321

2:00 - 4:00 PM

Family Movies

Wednesdays

Fun movies fit for the whole family!

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June 5	E.T.	PG, 1982
June 12	The Incredibles 2	PG, 2018
July 10	Lego Movie 2: The Second Part	PG, 2019
July 17	Wall-E	G, 2008
South Re	egional Library	981-1028
Weekday	/s	1:30 - 3:00 PM
June 6	Jetsons: The Movie	G, 1990
July 5	Monsters vs. Aliens	PG, 2009
North Re	egional Library	896-6323
Mondays	s	2:00 - 4:00 PM
June 10	Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse	PG, 2018
June 17	Mary Poppins Returns	PG, 2018
June 24	Ralph Breaks the Internet	PG, 2018
July 1	Wall-E	PG, 2008
July 8	The Lego Movie 2: The Second Part	PG, 2019
July 15	Christopher Robin	PG, 2018
July 22	The Incredibles 2	PG, 2018
East Regional Library		445-3168
Fridays		2:30 - 4:00 PM
June 14	Treasure Planet	PG, 2002
July 12	The Pagemaster	G, 1994
West Reg	gional Library	232-9321
Saturdays		2:30 – 4:00 PM
June 22	Flight of the Navigator	PG, 1986
July 6	Lilo & Stitch	PG, 2002
Main Library		261-5779

Beat the Heat: Summer Cinema at the Lafayette Public Library!

One of the best ways to cool off is by joining friends or family for a movie. Of course, all of those tickets can add up! It's easy to forget that there's always an array of movies to watch or borrow in your neighborhood. Save money by popping into your local library branch to check out one of our amazing summer movies.

Whether you're looking for a new release, a classic sci-fi story, or a thrilling space epic, we're sure to have something for every taste. Please note, some showings may be subject to change, so be sure to visit our website for specific runtimes.

Space Invaders Book Club

Book discussions on two popular Sci-Fi novels on alien attempts to conquer earth.

Tuesday, June 13 The War of the Worlds by H.G. Wells **6:30 – 7:30 PM Thursday, July 30** The Body Snatchers by Jack Finney
South Regional Library
445-3168

The Book Was Better Book Club

Discussions on books that were DEFINITELY better than their adaptations. Meets on Sundays monthy, $3:00-4:00\,\mathrm{PM}$.

June 16 The Martian by Andy Weir

July 28 The Hitchiker's Guide to the Galaxy by Douglas Adams

Aug 18 Sex and the City by Candace Bushnell

East Regional Library

445-3168

Romance Book Club

Love to read romance? Join us for LPL's newest book club. This will be a non-traditional book club where members will choose their own books. We'll engage in discussions, activities, and games, all while sharing our love of the romance genre.

 Wednesdays: June 26 & July 24
 6:00 – 7:00 PM

 West Regional Library
 232-9321

Children's Book Clubs

Books & Bites: Tween Book Club

Ages 9 – 12

It's simple: read the book, then come talk about it while enjoying snacks!

Meets on Mondays monthly, 5:30 – 6:30 pm. East Regional Library

Percy Jackson Book Club

Ages 9 - 14

Join us at Camp Half-Blood for book discussions and crafts, snacks, and trivia based on the world of Percy Jackson!

June The Lightning Thief
July The Sea of Monsters
Aua The Titan's Curse

 Mondays: June 17, July 15, August 19
 5:30 - 6:30 PM

 East Regional Library
 445-3168

 Wednesdays: June 19, July 17, August 21
 4:30 – 5:30 PM

 Main Library
 261-5779



My First Book Club

Ages 5 - 8

Join us as we read and discuss longer picture books and early-readers together. We'll finish with a fun activity and craft based on the book. Kids do not need to be reading on their own for this club.

Meets on Mondays monthly, $4:30-5:30\,\mathrm{PM}$.

East Regional Library

June 24 Papa, Please Get the Moon for Me by Eric Carle

July 29 *Snail Mail* by Samantha Berger

Aug 26 *Purple, Green, and Yellow* by Robert Munsch

Book Clubs



YA Lit Lovers Book Club - Hunger Games Edition

Meets monthly on Tuesdays, 6:30 – 7:30 PM.

East Regional Library

June 4 The Hunger Games by Suzanne Collins
July 9 Catching Fire by Suzanne Collins
Aug 6 Mockingjay by Suzanne Collins

Classics Book Club

Meets on first Thursday monthly, 11:30 AM — 12:30 PM. South Regional Library

June 6 Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance by Robert Pirsig
July 11 A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court by Mark Twain

Aug 1 Things Fall Apart by Chinua Achebe

Milton Book Club

Meets on second Tuesday monthly, 2:00 – 3:00 PM. Milton Branch

June 11 Devil in the White City by Erik Larson
July 9 State of Wonder by Ann Patchett
Aug 13 The Immortalists by Chloe Benjamin

History Book Club

Meets on second Tuesday monthly, 6:30 – 7:30 PM. South Regional Library

June 11 The Great Halifax Explosion by John U. Bacon July 9 Don't Make Me Pull Over by Richard Ratay

Aug 13 Leadership: in Turbulent Times by Doris Kearns Goodwin

Mystery Book Club

Meets on third Tuesday monthly, 6:30 – 7:30 PM. South Regional Library

June 18 Before the Fall by Noah Hawley
July 16 The Dry by Jane Harper
Aug 20 Redemption Road by John Hart

North Regional Library Book Club

Meets on third Wednesday monthly, 1:30 – 2:30 PM. North Regional Library

June 19 The Wife Between Us by Greer Hendricks & Sarah Pekkanen

July 17 Baby Teeth by Zoje Stage

Aug 21 Everyone Brave is Forgiven by Chris Cleave

The Golden Age of Mysteries

Meets on third Wednesday monthly, 6:30 – 7:30 PM. Main Library

June 19 The Lady Vanishes by Ethel Lina White Aug 21 A Question of Proof by Nicholas Blake

Adult Programs

Exploring Deep Space with LIGO

Professor Dennis Ugolini will teleconference in from Trinity University to present an overview of LIGO (the Laser Interferometer Gravitational-Wave Observatory), an effort to detect gravitational waves and study Einstein's theory of relativity in black holes.

Wednesday, May 29	6:30 — 7:30 рм
South Regional Library	981-1028

Discover Genealogy

The Lafayette Genealogical Society hosts monthly presentations and offers weekly one-on-one genealogy assistance.

Genealogy 101 - Main Library	9:00 - 11:00 AM
Saturdays: July 6, August 3	
One-On-One Help	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM
Tuesdays: June – August	
Main Library	261-5787
Genealogy 101 - South Regional Library Saturday, June 1	9:00 - 11:00 AM

Monthly Meetings with Guest Presenters

Thursdays: June 20, July 18, August 15South Regional Library
6:30 – 8:00 PM
981-1028

Trivia Time

Do you think you know trivia? Jump into Trivia Time and test your skills against others in our monthly themed trivia contests.

Wednesday, June 3	Space	6:00 - 7:00 PM
Wednesday, July 1	Movie Stars	6:00 - 7:00 PM
Wenesday, August 5	Money	6:00 - 7:00 PM
South Regional Library		981-1028



"Sunny Days" Wooden Plaque

Make a charming hanging of a happy sun and cute flowers, using a pattern. Ages 14 & up. *Registration begins Monday, May 20*.

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Tuesday, June 4	2:00 - 4:00 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028
Monday, June 10	1:00 - 3:00 PM
Chenier Branch	291-2941
Thursday, June 13	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Main Library	261-5787
Tuesday, June 18 2:00 – 4	
Milton Branch	856-5261
Thursday, June 20	2:00 - 4:00 PM
West Regional Library	232-9321
Tuesday, June 25	6:00 - 8:00 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323

Small Business Development

An ongoing series hosted by UL Lafayette's Small Business Development Center. Visit our website or call 482-6312 for a full description of these exciting and informative workshops.

June 4	Get Your Marketing Message Out to the Right Clients	6:00 - 7:30 pm
July 16	Great Customer Service Tactics	6:00 - 7:30 pm
East Regi	onal Library	445-3168
June 5 June 20 July 10 July 17 Aug. 7 Aug. 22 South Re	Starting & Financing Your Small Business Idea Small Business 101 Starting & Financing Your Small Business Idea Developing a Loan Package Clarifying Your Business Idea Small Business 101 gional Library	3:00 - 4:30 PM 6:00 - 7:30 PM 3:00 - 4:30 PM 3:00 - 4:30 PM 3:00 - 4:30 PM 981-1028

Needle Arts Club

Do you have an interest in crocheting, knitting, sewing, or other needle arts? Bring your own project, get new ideas, and socialize with others.

Wednesdays: June – July	5:30 - 6:30 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323
Thursdays: June – July (except holidays)	6:00 - 7:30 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168
Thursdays: June 6; July 11	5:30 - 6:30 PM
West Regional Library	232-9321

Acrylic Painting for Beginners

Have you always wanted to learn how to paint? In this class, you will learn the basics of acrylic painting and create an original work of art. Ages 14 & up.

Thursday, June 6	1:00 — 3:00 рм
Registration begins Monday, May 20.	

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Registration begins Monday, August 12.	
East Regional Library	445-3168

1.00 - 3.00 PM

Write with Us!

Wadnacday August 21

Get into creative writing with our weekly workshops. We offer support and a bit of guidance in your writing efforts. Whether it's fiction, poetry, or the story of your life - come try your hand (and pen) at writing.

Thursdays: June — August	6:00 − 7:00 PM
Main Library	261-5787

Master Gardeners Series

Workshops presented by the Lafayette Parish Master Gardeners.

Thursdays: June 13, July 11, August 15	6:30 - 7:30 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168

Sci-Fi Show & Tell

Do you have a Star Wars action figure collection? A scale model of the Starship Enterprise? A signed photo of William Shatner? Or just love science fiction memorabilia? Bring your favorite collectables and show off with fellow fans. Ages 14 & up.

Tuesday, June 11	6:00 — 7:00 рм
North Regional Library	896-6323
Wednesday, June 19	6:00 - 7:00 PM
West Regional Library	222_0221

Coloring for Adults

Your focus and creativity will be your utensils, while we provide prints and coloring pencils.

Wednesdays: June 12, July 10, August 14 1:30 – 2:30 PM
North Regional Library 896-6323

Galaxy Cookie Decorating

Join us in celebrating a Universe of Stories by decorating your own galaxy cookies using royal icing. Cookies and supplies will be provided. *Registration begins Monday, June 3.*

 Wednesday, June 12
 2:00 – 3:00 PM

 West Regional Library
 232-9321

TV Club

A get-together for people who love TV. We'll watch a show, talk about it and whatever else you've been watching. Ages 14 & up.

Wednesdays

June 12 – Night Gallery - "They're Tearing Down Tim Riley's Bar"6:30 – 8:00 PMJuly 31 – Picture at Hanging Rock - "Episode 1"6:30 – 8:00 PMAugust 21 – Parks & Rec - "Greg Pikitis"6:30 – 8:00 PMSouth Regional Library981-1028

Marketing Your Small Business

Don't miss this engaging series of small business workshops taught by our staff!

 Wednesday, June 12 – Marketing 101
 6:00 – 7:30 PM

 Tuesday, July 2 – Brand Identity
 6:00 – 7:30 PM

 Tuesday, July 30 – Social Media Marketing
 6:00 – 7:30 PM

 East Regional Library
 445-3168

Emotional Wellness Support Group

Emotional wellness is the awareness, acceptance, and expression of thoughts and feelings through positive behaviors and healthy relationships. Join Shelly Killingsworth, Licensed Professional Counselor, for monthly discussions and activities that will help you build emotional wellness. Ages 14 & up. *Registration begins Monday, June 3*.

 Tuesdays: June 18, July 23, August 20
 6:30 - 7:30 PM

 East Regional Library
 445-3168

Community Notary Day

Join members of **Notariat Acadien** for this free community event. Commissioned Notaries Public will be on hand to answer questions and provide complimentary notary services for up to three documents per person.

Documents presented for notarization must be unsigned, and all parties must be present with a valid ID. For more information, visit LafayettePublicLibrary.org

 Saturday, June 29
 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

 Main Library
 261-5787

Galaxy Painting

Learn how to use acrylic paint to create a galaxy scene featuring a constellation of your choice. Ages 14 & up. Reaistration begins Monday, June 17.

Wednesday, July 3 2:00 – 4:00 PM
East Regional Library 445-3168

Adult Programs



"Moonlight on the Bayou" Painting

Paint a nocturnal Louisiana scene with acrylic paint and a pattern on canvas paper. Ages 14 & up. *Registration begins Monday, June 17*.

Monday, July 8	1:00 - 3:00 PM
Chenier Branch	291-2941
Tuesday, July 16	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Milton Branch	856-5261
Thursday, July 18	2:00 - 4:00 PM
West Regional Library	232-9321
Tuesday, July 23	6:00 - 8:00 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323
Wednesday, July 24	6:00 - 8:00 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028
Tuesday, July 30	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Main Library	261-5787

From Ragin' Cajun to Rocket Scientist

Wondering what it is like to work with NASA? Join "unlikely rocket scientist" and Louisiana native Brian Bertrand as he discusses his unusual path through the U.S. space program.

 Wednesday, July 10
 6:00 – 7:00 PM

 Main Library
 261-5787

DIY House Number Planter

Learn how to assemble a wooden planter and add your house number in adhesive vinyl. Ages 14 & up. Registration begins Monday, June 3.

 Saturday, July 13
 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

 East Regional Library
 445-3168

Moon Mugs

Celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Moon Landing by making your own Moon Mug! **Pottery Alley** will provide supplies & instruction. Ages 14 & up. *Registration begins Monday, July 1.*

Tuesday, July 16South Regional Library

981-1028

 Monday, July 22
 6:00 – 8:00 PM

 Main Library
 261-5787

Adult Programs

IPI Foundation Awards

On April 12, 2019, the Lafayette Public Library Foundation recognized their 2019 honorees and voted in a new board. Library staff was thrilled to show off futuristic technology from the Makerspace!









Adult Show and Tell: National Tattoo Day

Celebrate National Tattoo Day by showing off your ink with us. Tell the story of your most interesting tattoo or one with special significance. You can even share ideas for your next one.

Wednesday, July 17 West Regional Library 6:00 - 7:00 PM 232-9321

Decorative Tile Painting

Learn techniques to paint decorations on tiles with Diana Menard. You will make a keepsake that includes the summer reading theme of A Universe of Stories. Ages 14 & up. Registration begins Monday, July 1.

Thursday, July 18 South Regional Library 2:00 - 4:00 PM

981-1028

Résumé Workshop

Create an eye-catching résumé or improve on one you already have. This workshop will help you create an outstanding résumé that will be sure to wow employers. Registration begins Monday, July 1.

Friday, July 19 East Regional Library 2:00 - 4:00 PM

445-3168

Weeping Angel Doll

Doctor Who fans will transform a fashion doll into a weeping angel; just make sure you don't blink! Ages 14 & up. Registration begins Monday, July 1.

Tuesday, July 23 North Regional Library 1:00 - 2:00 PM 896-6323

Creative in the Kitchen: Chillin' with Herbs

Many herbs offer properties that enhance the chillin' abilities of drinks, salads, soups, and even compresses. Join Herbalist and Master Gardener Lanier Cordell to learn which herbs to use and how to incorporate them in a number of cool recipes that are sure to be a hit with your friends and family. Ages 14 and up.

Saturday, July 27 North Regional Library 2:00 - 3:00 PM 896-6323

DIY Wood Signs

Paint and distress a wooden sign, then add a phrase using adhesive vinyl. Ages 14 and up. Registration begins Monday, July 15.

Thursday, August 1 **East Regional Library** 2:00 - 4:00 PM

445-3168

A Night With the Stars: A Mystery Dinner

A star has been murdered the night of her big premiere! Attend a red carpet event in the age of Old Hollywood and try your best to find the culprit. Registration begins Monday, July 29.

Wednesday, August 7 **East Regional Library**

6:00 - 7:30 PM 445-3168

If you are interested in the amazing work the Lafayette Public Library Foundation does in order to keep our libraries great for the future, visit them on Facebook

@LPLFoundation. We are incredibly grateful for their continued support, both financial and communal. Thank you!



3D Printing 101

Learn the basics of creating and printing on 3D printers using Tinkercad

Mondays: June 3 & July 29
East Regional Library
445-3168
Tuesdays: June 11; July 16; August 13
South Regional Library
981-1028

Pixelate It

Thursday, June 6

Design and build your own pixelated platform game using our hands-on Bloxels boards! Ages 7 - 12. Registration begins Monday, May 20.

East Regional Library445-3168Tuesday, June 112:00 – 3:00 PMNorth Regional Library896-6323Monday, July 292:00 – 3:00 PMSouth Regional Library981-1028

4:30 - 6:00 PM

Mr. Will's Household Electronic Adventures

Learn how to make everyday household items into electronic components in this three-part series. Ages 10 - 18. Registration begins Monday, May 20.

Fridays: June 7, 14, & 28 11:00 AM — 12:00 PM Main Library 261-5787

LPL Coding Club

For kids and tweens who want to learn the basics of computer programming. Whether you're just getting started coding or want to expand on what you already know, we've got something for you. Ages 7 – 12. *Registration begins Monday, May 20*.

Mondays: June 10 & July 22 10:30 – 11:30 AM East Regional Library 445-3168

Tech Assistance

Drop in for one-on-one help with your mobile device or learn how to access the library's collection of eBooks, eAudiobooks and digital magazines!

 Tuesdays: June 11; July 9; August 13
 2:00 – 3:00 PM

 East Regional Library
 445-3168

 Tuesdays: June 18; July 16; August 20
 2:00 – 4:00 PM

 Main Library
 261-5787

Cutting Up

Learn how to create designs to be cut by the Silhouette cutting machine. Make stickers, vinyl decals, heat transfers, and more! Ages 14 and up. *Registration begins Monday, May 20*.

 Saturday, June 15
 Adhesive Vinyl
 10:30 AM – 12:00 PM

 Monday, July 8
 Silhouette 101
 6:00 – 7:30 PM

 Tuesday, August 27
 Heat Transfer Vinyl
 6:00 – 7:30 PM

 East Regional Library
 445-3168

Code Like A Girl

Girls, start your journey into coding with Google CS First. We will spend a week creating our own stories through code. Ages 8-12. Registration begins Monday, June 3. Participants will need to attend the full week of workshops.

 Monday, June 17 – Friday, June 21
 2:00 – 3:30 pm

 Main Library
 261-5779

Makerspace & Tech



Makerspace Open Access Hours

Open access time allows patrons to explore and experiment as they independently work on projects of their choosing. Self-guided online tutorials are available for most applications.

Tuesdays 1:00 - 6:00 PM Wednesdays/Thursdays 1:00 - 7:30 PM Saturdays: June 8; July 6, August 3 & 31 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM Main Library 261-5787 Wednesdays (except June 19 & 26) 3:00 - 6:00 PM Sundays: June 2, July 7, August 4 1:00 - 5:00 PM South Regional Library 981-1028 Mondays: June 17; July 22; August 5 4:30 - 7:00 PM East Regional Library 445-3168 Mondays 3:30 - 5:30 PM North Regional Library 896-6323

You Can Print That!

By now, many of our patrons have heard about the Silhouette and Cricut cutting machines in our Makerspaces. Everything below was created in-house on these machines. T-shirts, coozies, vinyl press-ons -- whatever it is you're interested in creating, you can learn how to use these incredibly versatile devices with our **Cutting Up** workshops. Remember, all equipment is free to access with your library card during our Open Access Hours.



Makerspace & Tech

Computer Classes

Adult computer classes are offered at several of our library locations throughout Lafayette Parish, and instruction is user-friendly and free.

June Classes

Registration begins Monday, May 20.

Introduction to PowerPoint	June 11	2:00 — 4:00 PM
Online Security Basics	June 13	2:00 — 4:00 PM
Introduction to Excel	June 25	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Introduction to Publisher	June 27	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Main Library		261-5787
Basic Computing	June 3 & 5	9:30 — 11:30 AM
Introduction to Excel	June 10 & 12	9:30 - 11:30 AM
South Regional Library		981-1028
Introduction to Publisher	June 12	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Chenier Branch		291-2941
Introduction to PowerPoint	June 26	3:00 — 5:00 PM
North Regional Library		896-6323

July Classes

Registration begins Monday, June 17.

July 9 & 11	2:00 - 4:00 PM
July 23 & 25	2:00 - 4:00 PM
	261-5787
July 8 & 10	9:30 — 11:30 AM
July 15 & 17	9:30 - 11:30 AM
July 22 & 24	9:30 - 11:30 AM
July 29	9:30 - 11:00 AM
	981-1028
July 10	2:00 - 4:00 PM
	291-2941
July 24	3:00 - 5:00 PM
5	896-6323
	July 9 & 11 July 23 & 25 July 8 & 10 July 15 & 17 July 22 & 24 July 29 July 10

August Classes

Registration begins Monday, July 15.

North Regional Library

Registration begins Monday, July	15.	
Introduction to Word	August 13 & 15	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Online Buying and Selling	August 27	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Introduction to YouTube	August 29	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Main Library		261-5787
Introduction to Google Docs	August 5	9:30 - 11:00 AM
Introduction to the Internet	August 7	9:30 - 11:00 AM
Basic Computing	August 12 & 14	9:30 - 11:30 AM
Introduction to Word	August 19 & 21	9:30 - 11:30 AM
Introduction to Excel	August 26 & 28	9:30 - 11:30 AM
South Regional Library		981-1028
Introduction to Google Docs	August 5	2:00 — 3:30 рм
Basic Computing	August 12 & 14	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Introduction to Word	August 19 & 21	2:00 - 4:00 PM
Introduction to Excel	August 26 & 28	2:00 - 4:00 PM
East Regional Library		445-3168
Introduction to Excel	August 14	2:00 — 4:00 PM
Chenier Branch		291-2941
Introduction to Publisher	August 28	3:00 - 5:00 PM

Ollie Robot Lab

Meet your need for speed with the Ollie racing robot! The power is in your hands as you navigate obstacle courses, execute tricks, and take on other fun challenges. Ages 8 – 12. Registration begins Monday, June 3.

Tuesday, June 18	4:30 - 5:30 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168
Thursday, June 27	2:30 - 3:30 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323
Thursday, July 18	2:00 - 3:00 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028



Fabricadabra!

Learn the basics of sewing or just practice your sewing skills in our Makerspace with *Fabricadabra!* We'll work on projects that introduce you to basic sewing skills, or you can bring your own project to work on while chatting with the group. Ages 14 and up. *Registration begins Monday, June 17*.

Mondays: July 1 & August 5	1:30 — 3:30 рм
Main Library	261-5787

Constellation Pillow

Using our sewing machines and vinyl cutter, create a glow-in-the-dark constellation throw pillow. Ages 18 and up. *Registration begins Monday, July 1*.

Friday, July 12	1:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library	261-5787

Arduino Basics

Join LSUE Computer Science professor Laurie Seeder to learn about wiring and programming a small circuit board microcontroller called an Arduino.

Ages 10 – 18. *Registration begins Monday, July 15*.

Fridays: July 26 & August 2	1:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library	261-5787

Faux Stained Glass Moon

Create an amazing faux stained glass sun catcher using epoxy resin, pigment, and a laser cut wooden moon. Come back another day to pick up your dried creation. Ages 18 and up. *Registration begins Monday, July 29*.

Friday, August 9	1:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library	261-5787

Galaxy Candle Holders

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Decorate a votive candle holder with a galaxy of colors and sparkles. Ages 14 and up. *Registration begins Monday, August 12.*

Friday, August 23	1:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library	261-5787

Drop-In Gaming

Stop in and play on various gaming consoles or bring card/board games from home.

Sundays: June – August	3:00 – 4:00 pm
Main Library	261-5778
Mondays: June 3, 17; July 1, 15, & 29 North Regional Library	2:00 - 3:00 pm 896-6323
Saturdays: June 15 & July 20	2:30 - 4:00 pm
South Regional Library	981-1028
Saturdays: June 29, July 27, & August 17 East Regional Library	2:00 - 4:00 pm 445-3168

Snack Attack

Learn to create easy recipes! Amaze your friends and families with the things you can make. *Registration begins Monday, May 20*.

Mondays: June 3 & July 1	3:00 - 4:00 pm
South Regional Library	981-1028
Tuesdays: June 11 & July 16	4:00 - 5:00 pm
Main Library	261-5778
Wednesdays: June 12 & July 10 North Regional Library	3:00 - 4:00 pm 896-6323
Thursdays: June 13 & July 11	3:00 - 4:00 pm
East Regional Library	445-3168
Thursdays: June 27 & July 25 West Regional Library	3:30 - 4:30 pm 232-9321

Bottle Rocket Lab

Come hang out with us and create bottle rockets from household materials! *Registration begins Monday, May 20.*

Wednesday, June 5	2:00 - 4:00 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168
Tuesday, June 25	1:00 - 3:00 PM
Main Library	261-5778
Friday, June 28	1:00 - 3:00 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323

Life-Sized Gaming

Ever wanted to be a Hungry Hungry Hippo or run from ghosts like Pac-Man? Maybe you just want to test your giant Jenga skills? Here's your chance!

Wednesday, June 5	4:30 — 6:00 PM
Main Library	261-5778

Teen DIY

We'll provide the craft, and you bring the creativity! Come in and making something amazing. *Registration begins Monday, May 20*.

Thursday, June 6 Wednesday, June 12 Wednesday, July 17	Hand-Sewn Citrus Coasters Star Wars Perler Beads Galaxy Slime	1:00 - 4:00 PM 3:00 - 4:00 PM 3:00 - 4:00 PM
South Regional Library		981-1028
Monday, June 10 Monday, July 22 West Regional Library	Perler Bead Constellations Galaxy Manicure	3:30 - 4:30 PM 3:30 - 4:30 PM 232-9321
Monday, July 22 Main Library	Nebula in a Bottle	5:30 – 6:30 pm 261-5778

Ages 12 – 18

Teen Programs

Teen Drawing Round Table

In the collaborative spirit of the Algonquin Round table, a group of teens meet monthly at the library to exchange ideas, techniques, and banter about drawing.

Thursdays: June 6, 20; July 18; August 15North Regional Library

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AniManga Club

Watch anime clips, discuss manga favorites, and argue subs vs. dubs in this fun teen gathering! Refreshments will be provided.

Fridays: June 7; July 5; August 2 2:30 – 4:30 PM South Regional Library 981-1028



Teen Coloring Club

Explore your creativity and enjoy some relaxing screen-free time. We'll provide a variety of interesting prints to color and lots of colored pencils and markers.

 Wednesdays: June 12; July 10
 3:00 – 4:00 PM

 East Regional Library
 445-3168

#InstaPerfect

Learn how to apply basic photography and lighting techniques to make your photos pop. Say goodbye to so-so selfies with our own staff photographer! *Registration starts Monday, June 3*.

 Friday, June 14
 1:00 – 2:30 pm

 Main Library
 261-5778

Teen Library Corps

Join old friends and new to discuss teen programming and work on upcoming library projects. Refreshments will be provided.

Saturdays: June 15; July 20 1:00 – 2:00 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

 Saturdays: June 15; July 13
 2:00 – 3:00 PM

 Main Library
 261-5778

Teen Programs

Ages 12 – 18

Solar System Bracelets

Adrian Guidry from **Adorn** will provide the gemstones, beads, and jewelry accessories as well as her expertise to make solar system bracelets. *Registration begins Monday, June 3*.

Monday, June 17 Main Library	5:30 - 6:30 pm 261-5778
Tuesday, June 18	3:30 - 4:30 PM
North Regional Library Monday, June 24	896-6323 3:00 – 4:00 pm
West Regional Library	232-9321
Monday, July 22	3:00 - 4:00 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028
Tuesday, July 23	3:00 - 4:00 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168

LEGO Lab

Teenage LEGO-lovers can hang out, build original creations for display, and explore LEGO Mindstorms in this monthly meetup. *Registration begins Monday, June 3*.

Tuesdays: June 18 & July 16	3:00 - 4:00 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168

All-Day Anime

UL Lafayette's Anime Club and other local groups are working together to host an amazing day of cosplay, anime workshops, snacks, and a drawing contest. Bring a bag lunch.

Wednesday, June 19
South Regional Library

11:00 am — **4:00** pm <u>98</u>1-1028



Murder in the Stacks

Police have apprehended a murder suspect in the library after hours! Follow the clues and collect the evidence to put them away for good. Refreshments will be served. Costumes welcome, but not required. *Registration begins Monday, June 3*.

Friday,	June 21 gional Library	5:45 - 7:15 pm 445-3168
Friday,	June 28 North Regional Library	5:45 - 7:15 pm 896-6323
12	Friday, July 19 Main Library	5:30 - 7:00 pm 261-5778

Green Screen Movie Magic with AOC

Acadiana Open Channel staff will offer teens hands-on experience working with green screen movie effects! *Registration begins Monday, June 17.*

Tuesday, July 2	1:00 - 3:00 pm
South Regional Library	981-1028
Tuesday, July 9	1:00 — 3:00 рм
North Regional Library	896-6323
Thursday, July 11 West Regional Library	1:00 - 3:00 pm 232-9321
Wednesday, July 17 East Regional Library	1:00 – 3:00 pm 445-3168

Galaxy T-Shirt

Create a unique galaxy of stars on a black t-shirt using bleach spray and stencils. T-shirt will be provided. We will be working with bleach, please dress accordingly. *Registration begins Monday, July 1*.

Tuesday, July 16	2:00 - 3:00 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323

Moon Day Party

This month marks the 50th anniversary of our first contact with the moon. Celebrate by making moon-inspired snacks and cracked marble moon necklaces, and also exploring space conspiracies like, "Did we ever really land on the moon?" Registration begins Monday, July 1.

Friday, July 19 1:00 – 4:00 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

Nerf Space Wars

Come battle to save the universe after hours in the library. Bring your own unmodified Nerf dart guns. Sci-fi costumes encouraged, but not required. *Registration begins Monday, July 1*.

 Friday, July 19
 5:45 – 7:15 PM

 North Regional Library
 896-6323



Oreo Taste Test Challenge

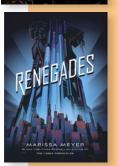
Are you up for a real challenge? Come taste a variety of Oreo flavors and see how many you can guess correctly.

Wednesday, July 31	3:00 - 4:00 PM
Main Library	261-5778



Steelheart by Brandon Sanderson

There are people gifted with abilities that make them something more than human. Unlike the comic books and movies, these people don't use their powers for good but to conquer, oppress, and do whatever they want to the people of Newcago. As a child, David watched as his father was murdered by one of these superhumans, the notorious Steelheart. Now he has joined the Reckoners, a group dedicated to taking down Steelheart and the other Epics who rule over them.



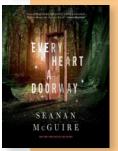
Renegades by Marissa Meyer

The Renegades are a syndicate of prodigies — humans with extraordinary abilities — who emerged from the ruins of a crumbled society and established peace and order where chaos reigned. As champions of justice, they remain a symbol of hope and courage to everyone... except the villains they once overthrew. -- We also LOVE this one on audio!



In Other Lands by Sarah Rees Brennan

Despite his aversion to war, work, and most people (human or otherwise), teenaged Elliott, a human transported to a fantasy world where he attends a school for warriors and diplomatic advisors, finds that two unlikely ideas, friendship and world peace, may actually be possible.



Every Heart a Doorway by Sean McGuire

There are always children who slip through the shadows under a bed or at the back of a wardrobe, tumbling down rabbit holes and into old wells, and emerge somewhere... else. Their parents don't believe them and want them fixed, shipping them off to Eleanor West's Home for Wayward Children. But Miss West, who has been to her own secret world, offers them a different kind of help. Oh, and there's a serial killer on the loose.



The Cheerleaders by Kara Thomas

Kara Thomas' The Cheerleaders is a great read for those of us that believe there's no such thing as a coincidence. Five cheerleaders in the town of Sunnybrook died in a short time span: two in a car accident, two were murdered, and one committed suicide...or is that what actually happened at all?



The Raven Boys by Maggie Stiefvater

As the daughter and niece of clairvoyants, 16-year-old Blue Sergeant has always been on the edge of the supernatural world. On the night of St. Mark's Eve, Blue sees the ghost of a young man - and according to the legends, that means he is her one true love. The boy is Gansey, and Blue is drawn into the world of Gansey and his friends Adam, Ronan, and Noah, as they search for the final resting place of a Welsh king.

YA Book Recommendations



Sawkill Girls by Claire Legrand

The Sawkill Girls stories come together on the island of Sawkill Rock, where gleaming horses graze in rolling pastures and cold waves crash against black cliffs. Where kids whisper the legend of an insidious monster at parties and around campfires. Where girls have been disappearing for decades, stolen away by a ravenous evil no one has dared to fight... until now.

Dread Nation by Justina Ireland

An alternative-history zombie thriller that takes place after the U.S. Civil War ends -- not with the South's surrender, but when the dead begin to rise up on the battlefields. To fight the undead the government enacts a sweeping policy which forces children to attend combat school, where they're taught to be zombie slayers.



Audio Corner

The Diviners by Libba Bray

is a spectacularly eerie audio book. Listening to Evie and her friends discover their otherworldly abilities and come to terms with them is only enhanced by the narrator's soft, melodic voice. Add to that speakeasies, pickpockets, Ziegfeld girls and '20s slang. What more can you ask for?



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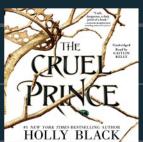
Sadie by Courtney Summers

It's a story about family, about sisters, and the untold lives lived in small-town America. It's about the lengths we go to protect the ones we love . . . and the high price we pay when we can't. And it begins, as so many stories do, with a dead girl.

Welcome to Night Vale by Joseph Fink & Jeffery Cranor

Located in a nameless desert somewhere in the great American Southwest, Night Vale is a small town where ghosts, angels, aliens, and government conspiracies are all commonplace parts of everyday life. It is here that the lives of two women, with two mysteries, will converge.





The Cruel Prince by Holly Black

Jude was seven when her parents were murdered, and she and her two sisters were stolen away to live in the treacherous High Court of Faerie. Ten years later, Jude wants nothing more than to belong there, despite her mortality. But many of the fey despise humans. Especially Prince Cardan, the youngest and wickedest son of the High King. To win a place at the Court, she must defy him—and face the consequences.

Summer Performers

The Crescent Circus

The Crescent Circus featuring Nathan Kepner and Morgan Tsu-Raun fuses international, award-winning magic and circus arts. Come laugh out loud and be amazed with their hilarious juggling stunts, feats of balance, hula hooping, and wildly interactive magic. Ages 3 & up.

Saturday, June 1 (Summer Reading Kickoff)

10:30 - 11:15 AM & 2:00 - 2:45 PM

Main Library 261-5779

Monday, June 10 10:00 - 10:45 AM

Carencro Community Center (Next to North Regional Library)

896-6323

3:00 - 3:45 PM **South Regional Library** 981-1028

Friday, July 19 10:00 - 10:45 AM

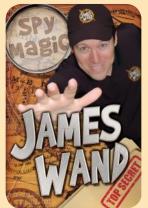
East Regional Library

445-3168



James Wand's Secret Agent Magic Show

Your mission (should you choose to accept it) is to join James Wand on an exciting and hilarious adventure of magic and mystery. Help find clues, decipher secret codes, and prepare to be amazed by the most incredible magic you will ever see! Ages 4 & up.



Monday, June 3 10:30 - 11:15 AM **Carencro Community Center** 896-6323 (Next to North Regional Library)

2:30 - 3:15 PM Monday, June 3 **East Regional Library** 445-3168

Friday, June 7 10:30 - 11:15 AM West Regional Library 232-9321

Friday, June 7 2:30 - 3:15 PM **South Regional Library** 981-1028

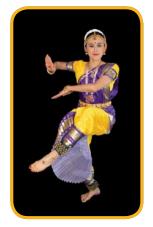
Saturday, June 8 10:30 - 11:15 AM Main Library 261-5779

Indian Storytelling Dance with Surapsari

Welcome to incredible India! Enjoy magical tales presented through Bharatanatyam, the lively Indian storytelling dance. Try dance poses and symbolic hand gestures called mudra, and take a role in a dance-drama based on a beloved Hindu epic. Ages 6-12.

Friday, June 14 10:00 - 10:45 AM 232-9321 West Regional Library

Friday, June 14 3:00 - 3:45 PM **East Regional Library** 445-3168



Hampstead Stage Company Presents: The Jungle Book

Rudyard Kipling's novel comes to life as Mowgli, an abandoned "mancub" raised by wolves, embarks on an adventure in the jungle. Through the use of puppets and masks, we meet the friendly Baloo and Bagheera and the villainous Kaa and Shere Khan. Join us on a daring quest, discovering the importance of family and the heroic battle of good versus evil. Ages 5 & up.

Monday, June 17 10:00 - 11:00 AM **West Regional Library** 232-9321

Tuesday, June 18 10:00 - 11:00 AM Carencro Community Center 896-6323 (Next to North Regional Library)

Friday, June 21 10:00 - 11:00 AM Main Library 261-5779



Stories in the Stars

Soar through the stars in this compilation of Greek myths! Travel the night sky and explore various constellations and the legends about why they are in the sky. Be delighted in learning stories of the wind, seasons, sun, and moon.

Monday, June 17 3:00 - 4:00 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

Friday, June 21 3:00 - 4:00 PM East Regional Library 445-3168



Groups must call in advance!

In order to accomodate all of our patrons, we ask that large groups call in advance.

Drum Roll Please with Lady Chops

Lady Chops (Elizabeth Vidos) is a Louisiana native and talented percussionist whose past work includes performing in the hit show STOMP. Her one-woman drumming show is energetic, interactive, and educational for all ages, as she incorporates over 15 different instruments including buckets, body percussion, and the Cajun rubboard. Ages 7 & up.



Monday, June 24 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Carencro Community Center (Next to North Regional Library) 896-6323

> 2:30 - 3:30 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

> > Thursday, June 27 10:00 - 11:00 AM **Main Library** 261-5779

2:30 - 3:30 PM **East Regional Library** 445-3174

Friday, June 28 10:00 - 11:00 AM West Regional Library 232-9321

Animals Rock with Lucas Miller

Lucas Miller, a zoologist, brings science to life in wildly animated style. With an electric guitar, a trunk full of puppets, and images projected onto a large screen, he will captivate young audiences while teaching about monarch butterflies, wetlands, adaptations, metamorphosis, and other wildlife topics. Ages 5-12.

Friday, July 12 10:30 - 11:15 AM Main Library 261-5779

2:30 - 3:15 PM South Regional Library 981-1028





Harvey Rabbit and Friends Show

Monday, July 15 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Carencro Community Center (Next to North Regional Library)

3:00 - 4:00 PM South Regional Library Monday, July 29 10:00 - 11:00 AM West Regional Library 10:00 - 11:00 AM

3:00 - 4:00 PM **East Regional Library** Thursday, August 1 Main Library



Children's Programs

Chenier Shenanigans

Join us for after-school fun. Each week is a different surprise activity! Ages 5–12.

2:00 - 3:30 PM **Tuesdays:**

June 4, 11, 18, 25 July 9, 16, 23, 30

Chenier Branch 291-2941

Design Your Own Sun Visor

Decorate a sun visor with stickers, pom-poms, sequins, and spangles just in time to take on summer vacation! Ages 7–12. Registration begins Monday, May 20.

Tuesday, June 4 2:00 - 3:00 PM Milton Branch 856-5261

Eggstronaut Drop

Design a space capsule that will safely deliver your eggstronaut back to earth. Will it land or will it crack on impact? Ages 7–12. Registration begins Monday, May 20.

Tuesday, June 4 2:00 - 3:00 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

Galaxy Bottles

Join us for some science-in-a-bottle fun! Create a colorful Galaxy Bottle that everyone will enjoy. Ages 7–12. Registration begins Monday, May 20.

Tuesday, June 4 2:30 - 3:30 PM North Regional Library 896-6323

Constellation Exploration

Learn about constellations and make one to take home! Ages 9–12. Registration begins Monday, May 20.

Thursday, June 6 2:00 - 3:00 PM **Main Library** 261-5779

UV Bracelets

Science meets jewelry! Come make bracelets that change color in the sun! Ages 7-12.

Thursday, June 6 3:00 - 4:00 PM West Regional Library 232-9321

Meet a Firefighter

Meet a firefighter and tour a fire truck! Ages 3-12.

Friday, June 7 **North Regional Library** 896-6323 Tuesday, June 11 10:30 - 11:30 AM West Regional Library 232-9321 10:00 - 11:00 AM Friday, June 28

South Regional Library 981-1028

Monday, July 1 10:00 - 11:00 AM **East Regional Library** 445-3168

Wednesday, July 17 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM Main Library 261-5779



Many programs for all ages are sponsored by the Friends of the Lafayette Public Library.

10:30 - 11:30 AM

Children's Programs

Small Folk Studio

An opportunity for toddlers to create and explore art mediums. Dress for a mess! Ages 18 months—3 years. *Registration begins Monday, May 20.*

Friday, June 7	10:30 – 11:15 am
South Regional Library	981-1028
Fridays: June 21; July 12	10:30 – 11:15 am
East Regional Library	445-3168
Friday, June 28	10:30 – 11:15 am
Main Library	261-5779
Friday, July 5	10:30 – 11:15 am
North Regional Library	896-6323

Life-Sized Candyland

What's more fun than playing Candyland? Playing life-sized Candyland! Drop in anytime during this event to play! Ages 5–12.

Monday, June 10	10:00 AM — 12:00 PM
West Regional Library	232-9321

American Girl Club

Meet a new American Girl each month and enjoy activities based on her interests. All dolls, American Girl or other, welcome! Ages 7–12. *Registration begins Monday, May 20*.

Tuesdays:	2:00 — 3:00 PM
June 11: Luciana Vega	
July 16: Maryellen Larkin	
South Regional Library	981-1028

Little Scientists

Explore and discover with hands-on experiments and activities. Dress for a mess! Ages 3–5. *Registration begins Monday, June 3.*

Wednesday, June 12	4:00 — 5:00 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168

Let's Glow!

It's lights out at the library! Join us for stories, songs, and dancing by black light. Wear something white or florescent, and you'll be good to glow! Ages 3–12.

Thursday, June 13	6:30 - 7:30 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028

Sew Awesome Felt Aliens

Design and hand sew a cute felt alien that is out of this world! Supplies provided. Ages 9–12. *Registration begins Monday, June 3.*

Thursday, June 13	3:00 - 4:30 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323

French Fun Day

Spend the summer learning traditional French Louisiana songs, dances, and customs with Earlene Broussard Echeverria! Ages 5 - 12.

Saturdays:	10:30 - 11:30 AM
June 15: Les danses rondes	
July 13: Les huit jours de mai	
Main Library	261-5779

K9 and Sheriff Show and Tell

Meet a local sheriff and his fellow four-legged officer. Recom	nmended for Ages 3—12.
Friday, June 14	10:30 - 11:15 AM
South Regional Library	981-1028
Wednesday, June 19	10:30 - 11:15 AM
Main Library	261-5779
Tuesday, July 16	10:30 - 11:15 AM
West Regional Library	232-9321
Tuesday, July 23	10:30 - 11:15 AM
North Regional Library	896-6323
Friday, July 26	10:30 - 11:15 AM
East Regional Library	445-3168

Space Academy

Come learn the skills essential for life in outer space! Ages 7–12. *Registration begins Monday, June 3.*

Tuesday, June 18	2:00 — 3:30 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028

Crafternoon

Come play with us! Drop in and join us for some crafty fun. Ages 5-12.

Thursdays: June 20; July 18	3:30 - 4:30 PM
Milton Branch	856-5261
Wednesdays: June 26; July 31	4:00 - 6:00 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168
Tuesday, July 30	4:00 - 5:00 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323

Make and Munch

Put on your chef's hat and join us for an edible treat you make yourself! Ages 7–12.

Wednesdays: June 19; July 17	4:00 - 5:00 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323

Fuse Bead Creations

Melt colorful fuse beads into a work of art! Use patterns or create your own design. Ages 7—12. *Registration begins Monday, June 3*.

Wednesdays: June 19; July 24	4:30 - 5:30 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168

Space Station Disaster Puzzle Room

Something has gone wrong with the space station! Can you and your fellow astronauts fix it before you crash? Ages 7–12. *Registration in person or by phone begins Monday, June 3*.

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Friday, June 21	10:00 AM — 4:00 PM
West Regional Library	232-9321
Wednesday, July 10	2:00 - 5:00 PM
Thursday, July 11	10:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Main Library	261-5779
Thursday, July 25	12:30 - 4:30 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323
Tuesday, July 30	12:00 - 5:00 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168

For Children's Bookclubs, see page 5.



Galaxy Slime

Join us to create slime that will be out of this world! Ages 7—12. *Registration begins Monday, June 3*.

 Tuesday, June 25
 3:00 – 4:00 PM

 North Regional Library
 896-6323

Edible Constellations

Explore the cosmos and consume them! Make your own star patterns to eat with pretzels and mini marshmallows. Ages 5–12. *Registration begins Monday, June 17*.

Wednesday, June 26 West Regional Library	2:00 - 3:00 PM 232-9321
Tuesday, July 2 North Regional Library	10:30 - 11:30 am 896-6323
Tuesday, July 2 South Regional Library	2:00 - 3:00 pm 981-1028
Tuesday, July 16 East Regional Library	2:00 – 3:00 PM 445-3168

Gravity Paintings

Art meets science in this afternoon of messy fun! Ages 7—12. *Registration begins Monday, June 17.*

Thursday, June 27	2:00 - 3:30 PM
Main Library	261-5779
Tuesday, July 9	2:00 - 3:00 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028

Suncatchers

Learn a DIY watercolor hack, and use it to create suncatchers that will brighten up your window! Ages 5—12. *Registration begins Monday, June 17.*

Friday, June 28	2:00 - 3:00 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028
Tuesday, July 9	2:00 - 3:00 PM

Body Talk Class

Woman's Foundation presents a class geared toward explaining the basics of puberty to young adults. Boys and girls classes will be held separately, and parents are required to stay with their child for the duration of the class. Ages 9–12. *Registration begins Monday, June 17*.

Saturday, June 29	
1:00 - 2:00 PM (Girls), 2:00 - 3	3:00 PM (Boys)
Main Library	261-5779
Thursday, July 11	

2:00 – 3:00 PM (Girls), **3:00 – 4:00** PM (Boys)

North Regional Library 896-6323

Wednesday, July 31 10:00 – 11:00 AM (Girls), 11:00 – 12:00 PM (Boys) West Regional Library 232-9321

Groups must call in advance!



Kiddie Fly-In Movie

Make rocket ships out of cardboard boxes, and then fly them back to Earth to watch a short movie! Ages 2–5. *Registration begins Monday, June 17*.

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Tuesday, July 2	2:00 - 3:00 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168
Friday, July 5	10:30 - 11:30 AM
South Regional Library	981-1028
Friday, July 19	10:30 - 11:30 AM
Main Library	261-5779

Messy Munchkins

Your babies and toddlers will squish and smush their way to a good time with this multi-sensory playtime. Dress for a mess! Ages birth — 36 months.

Friday, July 5	10:30 - 11:30 AM
East Regional Library	445-3168
Friday, July 26	10:30 - 11:30 AM
Main Library	261-5779

Magic Tree House Space Mission Discovery Dome

A mysterious "M" sends the intrepid Jack and Annie on a fun-filled journey to discover the secrets of the Sun, Moon, planets, space travel, and more. This beautifully-produced show is a winner with all Magic Tree House book series fans. Ages 5–12. There will be 3 showings per location. Registration begins in person or by phone on Monday, June 17.

Tuesday, July 9:

10:00 AM, 10:45 AM, 11:30 AM
Carencro Community Center 896-6323
(Next to North Regional Library)

3:00 PM, 3:45 PM, 4:30 PM

West Regional Library 232-9321

Family Campout

Put on your PJs, grab a sleeping bag, and come hang out around a pretend campfire! But don't worry—we'll finish in time for everyone to sleep in their own beds. Ages 3–12.

Thursday, July 11 6:30 – 7:30 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

Galaxy Stones

Paint a galaxy scene on a rock that everyone will think is out of this world! *While supplies last*. Ages 8–12.

 Friday, July 12
 2:00 – 3:00 PM

 North Regional Library
 896-6323

Children's Programs

Family Fort Night

Build forts, hear stories, and more! Please bring your own fort-building materials such as blankets and pillows. All families welcome!

Friday, July 12 5:45 – 7:00 PM
East Regional Library 445-3168

I Read to Animals

Practice your reading-aloud skills in a group setting with trained therapy dogs! Ages 6–10. *Registration by phone begins Monday, July 1*.

 Sunday, July 14
 2:00 – 3:00 PM

 East Regional Library
 445-3168

Cracked Marble Moon Necklace Craft

Kids and their grown-ups will make unique moon necklaces together. Ages 9–12. Registration begins Monday, July 1. Please register both child and adult.

Tuesday, July 16North Regional Library

10:00 – 11:00 AM
896-6323

Little Artists

Preschoolers will explore open-ended art activities and different art mediums while learning about color, texture, and more. Ages 3–5. *Registration begins Monday, July 1*.

Wednesday, July 17 4:00 – 5:00 PM
East Regional Library 445-3168

Mission: Alien Takeoff

Aliens have crash landed! Can you design and fly a flight-worthy ship for them to get back into orbit? Ages 7–12. *Registration begins Monday, July 1*.

Thursday, July 18Main Library

2:00 – 3:30 PM

261-5779

Tape Town

Zoom down the streets of our pretend town while making stops at the car wash, bakery, and more. (Please bring a small toy vehicle to participate.) Ages 2–5. Registration begins Monday, July 1.

Friday, July 19South Regional Library

981-1028

Save the Solar System!

A mad scientist has shrunken the planets and hidden them throughout the library! Follow the clues in this after-hours scavenger hunt to find them and put them back where they belong. Ages 7–12. *Registration begins Monday, July 1.*

Friday, July 19 5:45 – 7:00 PM East Regional Library 445-3168

LEGO Clubs



LEGO Clubs

Kids will build unique LEGO Creations based on a given theme! Ages 5 & up.

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Thursdays: June 6; July 11; August 1	4:00 - 5:00 PM
Milton Branch	856-5261
Saturdays: June 8; July 6; August 3	2:00 - 3:00 PM
Thursdays: June 20; July 18	4:00 - 5:00 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168
Wednesdays: June 12; July 10	4:00 - 5:00 PM
West Regional Library	232-9321
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Fridays: June 14; July 26	2:00 - 3:00 PM
South Regional Library	981-1028
Saturdays: June 15; July 20	2:00 - 3:00 PM
North Regional Library	896-6323
Saturdays: June 29; July 20	10:30 - 11:30 AM
Main Library	261-5779

LEGO WeDo Workshops

Builders and brick enthusiasts assemble! Explore the basics of robotics and engineering with the fun, easy-to-use LEGO WeDo kits. Take building to the next level! Ages 7 - 12. Registration begins Monday, June 3.

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Thursday, July 25 South Regional Library	2:00 – 3:00 PM 981-1028
Saturday, July 27 Main Library	2:00 – 3:30 pm 261-5779
Thursday, August 1 Duson Branch	2:30 – 3:30 PM 873-3521

LEGO Science Challenge

Try some fun, science-based challenges and maybe learn a few things too! Ages 7–12. Registration begins Monday, June 3.

Saturday, June 15	2:00 - 3:30 PM
East Regional Library	445-3168

Who Was Neil Armstrong?

Celebrate the anniversary of the Apollo 11 moon landing with trivia and activities based on the book *Who Was Neil Armstrong?* Ages 7–12. *Registration begins Monday, July 1*.

Friday, July 19 2:00 – 3:00 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

Shark Tales

Swim into the library for stories, songs, crafts, and other fin-tastic fun! Ages 3–12. *Registration begins Monday, July 1.*

Monday, July 22 2:00 – 3:00 PM South Regional Library 981-1028

Galaxy Bath Bombs

Bored with being earthbound? Turn your tub into a celestial retreat using your own handmade bath products! Ages 7—12. *Registration begins Monday, July 1*.

Tuesday, July 23South Regional Library

2:00 – 3:00 PM
981-1028

Diggable Planet

Examine and explore a selection of minerals, rocks, and fossils with a professional geologist. Ages 5–12.

Wednesday, July 24 2:00 – 3:00 PM West Regional Library 232-9321

Alien Maker

What would life look like on other planets? Learn how extreme environments might shape alien life and create your own out-of-this-world alien. Ages 9–12. *Registration begins Monday, July 15*.

 Thursday, July 25
 1:00 – 2:30 PM

 Main Library
 261-5779

Chocolate Rocket Ships

Learn about the different parts of a rocket, and then make your own using edible materials. Ages 7–12. *Registration begins Monday, July 15*.

Thursday, July 25East Regional Library
2:00 – 3:00 PM
445-3168

End of Summer Bash

Send Summer break out with a bang! We'll have crafts, games, and activities for all ages, so come ready for some fun! Ages 5–12.

 Wednesday, July 31
 1:00 – 3:00 PM

 Main Library
 261-5779

Countdown to Kindergarten

A special program just for incoming kindergartners. We'll share stories about the first day of school, practice our readiness skills with fun activities, and even tour an LPSS school bus! *Incoming kindergartners only, please*.

Tuesday, August 6South Regional Library

10:30 – 11:30 AM
981-1028

Hot Wheels Speedway

Fun ways to use tracks and loops to create the ultimate Hot Wheels race car experience! Ages 5–12. *Registration begins Monday, July 29*.

Wednesday, August 7 4:00 – 5:00 PM
East Regional Library 445-3168

Main Library

Baby Time & Toddler Time Baby Time, Tuesdays 9:30 AM **Toddler Time, Tuesdays** 10:30 AM June 4, 11, 18, 25 July 9, 16, 23 **Story Castle** Wednesdays 10:00 AM June 5, 12, 19, 26 July 10, 17, 24 **Pajama Party Thursdays** 6:30 PM June 6, 13, 20, 27 July 11, 18, 25 **Family Storytime** Saturday, July 27 10:30 AM **Bibliobop** Friday, June 7 10:30 AM Stay & Play

North Regional Library

Tuesdays

July 2, 30

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South Regional Library

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June 6, 13, 20, 27 July 11, 18, 25 Stay & Play

Wednesday

August 7, 14, 21, 28

10:00 AM July 3, 31

Storytime in the Planetarium

Join us for a special storytime under the Lafayette Science Museum's planetarium dome. Ages 3–6. Registration by phone or in person begins Monday,

Thursdays: June 27; July 25 1:30 - 2:30 PM : Lafayette Science Museum 261-5779

Storytime Calendar: June – August 2019

East Regional Library

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West Regional Library

August 7, 14, 21, 28

Storytime Jr. (Baby Time/Toddler Time) Tuesdays 9:30 AM June 4, 11, 18, 25 July 9, 16, 23

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Friday, July 26 10:30 AM Stay & Play Tuesdays 9:30 AM July 2, 30

Duson Branch

August 6, 13, 20, 27

Storytime Thursdays 10:30 AM June 6, 20 July 11, 25

Chenier Branch

Family Storytime Thursdays 10:00 AM June 6, 13, 27 July 11, 18, 25

Milton Branch

Storytime Thursdays 9:30 AM June 6, 13, 20, 27 July 11, 18, 25

Designed to introduce parents or caregivers and babies aged birth to 18 months to nursery rhymes, songs, fingerplays, and early literacy.

Bibliobop

Shake out your sillies with a morning of dance, movement, and singable books. Ages 2 - 6.

Family Storytime

Designed to be inclusive of all Ages and families.

Paiama Party

Children are encouraged to wear pajamas, bring a stuffed animal, and enjoy night-time stories.

Informal play and social time for babies and toddlers up to 3 years old and their caregivers during times when regular storytimes are not available.

Story Castle/Storytime

Begin your child's literacy education with a starstudded lineup of storytelling, music, fingerplays, and other activities. Ages 3-6.

Toddler Time

An opportunity for children ages 18 months to 3 years and their caregivers to take part in stories and pre-literacy activities.

Stuffed Animal Sleepover

Wear your pajamas and bring your stuffed animal to hear bedtime stories! Leave your stuffed friend for a sleep over, and pick them back up the next day! Ages

Thursday, June 13 6:30 PM Main Library 261-5779 Thursday, June 27 6:30 PM East Regional Library 445-3168

Storytime From Space

Watch as astronauts aboard the International Space Station read some of their favorite stories! Ages 3–12.

10:30 - 11:30 AM Tuesday, June 4 232-9321 West Regional Library Wednesday, June 5 10:00 - 11:00 AM Main Library 261-5779 Friday, June 7 10:30 - 11:30 AM **East Regional Library** 445-3168

Friday, June 14 10:30 - 11:30 AM North Regional Library 896-6323

Tuesday, July 2 10:30 - 11:30 AM South Regional Library

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