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**REFER A FRIEND
FOR A CHANCE
TO WIN A PRIZE!**

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East Regional Library

📞 985-764-2366
 160 W. Campus Dr.
 Destrehan, LA. 70047
 Monday - Thursday: 9am - 8pm
 Friday & Saturday: 9am - 5pm

West Regional Library

📞 985-785-8471
 105 Lakewood Dr.
 Luling, LA. 70070
 Monday - Thursday: 9am - 8pm
 Friday & Saturday: 9am - 5pm

St. Rose Branch

📞 504-465-0646
 90 East Club Dr.
 St. Rose, LA. 70087
 Monday: 10am - 8 pm
 Tuesday - Thursday: 10am - 6pm
 Friday: 9am - 5pm
 Saturday: 10am - 2pm

Paradis Branch

📞 985-758-1868
 307 Audubon St.
 Paradis, LA. 70080
 Monday: 10am - 8 pm
 Tuesday - Thursday: 10am - 6pm
 Friday: 9am - 5pm
 Saturday: 10am - 2pm

Norco Branch

📞 985-764-6581
 590 Apple St.
 Norco, LA. 70079
 Monday: 10am - 8 pm
 Tuesday - Thursday: 10am - 6pm
 Friday: 9am - 5pm
 Saturday: 10am - 2pm

Hahnville Branch

📞 985-783-2341
 14996 River Rd.
 Hahnville, LA. 70057
 Monday - Friday: 9am - 5pm

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UPCOMING CLOSURES September 2 - Labor Day
 All locations will be closed on these dates. September 11 - Locations open at 10:30am
 October 31 at 5:00pm - Halloween



BOOKMOBILE

Call 985-764-9643 ext. 205 or 206 for more information.

For more information, visit our website at www.myscpl.org.

Stay connected with us by following our social media accounts @stcharleslib or download our app using the QR code below.



What's On the Cover

Calling all library cardholders!

Do you know someone who would love what our library has to offer?

Now's your chance to share the love of the library and win exciting prizes! All you have to do is encourage your friends, family, coworkers, neighbors, and anyone else to sign up for a library card during September, while we celebrate Library Card Sign Up Month!

How It Works:

1. **Refer a Friend:** Spread the word about the amazing benefits of having a library card to your friends, family, neighbors, and coworkers.
2. **Sign Up:** When your friend signs up for a library card, both you and your friend will be entered into our prize drawing.
3. **Win Together:** Every new library cardholder you refer earns both of you a chance to win a library prize pack!

Ready to Refer?

Simply tell your friends to mention your name when they sign up for their library card. It's that simple!

There is no limit to how many times a current cardholder can be entered into the drawing as a referrer. The more people you refer, the more chances you have to win!

Thank you for helping us grow our library family and for making a difference in our community.

Thank you to the Friends of the St. Charles Library for your support!

Happy reading and good luck!

Voter Registration Drive

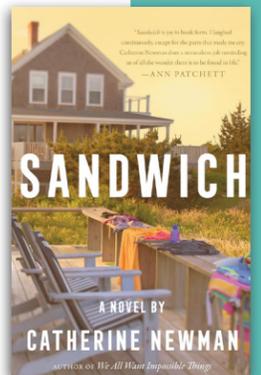
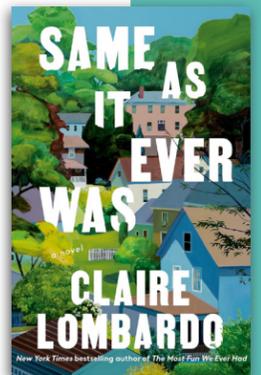
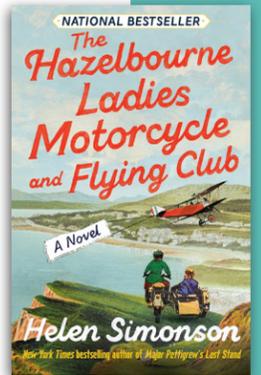
Register to vote or change your registration information with St. Charles Parish Registrar of Voters.

Residents may provide a current Louisiana driver's license or Louisiana special identification card to establish identity and residency. Applicants who do not have an identification card may provide a current utility bill, bank statement, or other government document that shows the name and address of the applicants.

For more information, please visit the Registrar of Voters at stcharlesparish.gov under *Government*.

Tuesday, September 17
 9:00am to 1:00pm
 WEST REGIONAL LIBRARY

Wednesday, September 18
 9:00am to 1:00pm
 EAST REGIONAL LIBRARY



FEATURED READS

East Regional

Yoga

Tuesdays at 6:00pm except September 24

Join Sara for a gentle yoga class introducing the concepts of yoga postures, breathwork, and mindful meditation.

Supported by the United Way of St. Charles and Creative Family Solutions.

German Coast Farmers' Market

Saturdays from 8:00am to Noon

Visit the German Coast Farmers' Market at the East Regional Library parking lot. Bring your family and friends for fresh produce, food vendors, and shopping from local artisans.

For all ages.

Movie Thursday: Wall-E

Thursday, September 5 at 10:00am

Come relax and enjoy a showing of *Wall-E* (G, 1h 38m), the greatest robot love story of all time! There will be seedlings, adult coloring pages, and light refreshments.

Doors open at 10:00am and the movie begins at 10:15am.

SCPL IS GETTING A MAKERSPACE

We want to hear from you! What interests you, and what kind of equipment would you like to use in the space? Take the survey and let us know!



Scan the QR code or visit myscpl.org/news/makerspace-survey to fill out our survey.

Fertility Management for Home Lawns and Gardens with LSU AgCenter

Monday, September 9 at 10:00am

Learn about your soil and how to use this information to optimize fertilizer applications for home lawns and gardens.

Bring 2 cups of your soil and 1 cup of your irrigation water.

Getting Started with eBooks

Wednesday, September 11 at 6:00pm

Learn how to use our digital resources to access free eBooks and audiobooks on your phone, tablet, computer, or e-reader!

Cookbook Club

Monday, September 16 at 6:00pm

Choose a recipe from the selected theme and prepare it for the meeting. Everyone will share information about their dish.

This month will feature recipes from Italy.

Fabric Pumpkins ^R

Monday, September 23 at 6:00pm

We will make adorable fabric pumpkins using bandanas.

St. Rose Branch

Midday Mystery Club

Wednesday, September 18 at 11:00am

Are you a fan of mysteries of all kinds? Then join the Midday Mystery Club! Each month will be dedicated to the discussion of a topical mystery.

This month's topic is The Flannan Isles Lighthouse Mystery.

Millennial Mayhem:

Anime Night

Monday, September 23 at 6:00pm

Participants can sample sweet and salty Japanese treats while engaging with an episode of *Ouran High School Host Club* using various props!

Norco Branch

Senior Social

Tuesday, September 17 at 11:00am

Join us for games, activities, refreshments, and good conversation.

West Regional

Flying Needles

Tuesdays at 5:00pm

This knitting and crocheting group is open to anyone who wants to learn a new craft or share their talents.

Silver Sneakers Classic

Mondays at 10:00am except September 2

Silver Sneakers Classic focuses on strengthening muscles and increasing range of motion for daily life activities.

Non-members and beginners are welcome.

Silver Sneakers Chair Yoga

Mondays at 11:00am except September 2

Silver Sneakers Chair Yoga will move your whole body through a series of seated and standing yoga poses designed to increase balance, flexibility, and range of movement.

Non-members and beginners are welcome.

Creating Art Together

Tuesday, September 10 at 9:00am

In collaboration with the St. Charles Art Guild, this drop-in program invites artists of all levels to bring their works in progress to the library, share ideas, seek feedback, and create art in a welcoming and supportive environment.

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Learn about your soil and how to use this information to optimize fertilizer applications for home lawns and gardens.

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Adventure League

Thursday, September 19 at 6:00pm

Immerse yourself in a world of fantasy where teamwork, creativity, and strategy are your greatest assets in this tabletop roleplaying game where every decision shapes your journey.

Beginners and advanced players welcome!

This month's TTRPG is Dungeons & Dragons.

Getting Started with eBooks

Friday, September 20 at 10:00am

Learn how to use our digital resources to access free eBooks and audiobooks on your phone, tablet, computer, or e-reader!

Good Things Book Club

Thursday, September 26 at 6:00pm

Our book club offers a welcoming space to share thoughts, exchange ideas, and expand your reading horizons!

This month's theme is Drawn to Reading. Bring any graphic novel to read and discuss.

VOTER REGISTRATION DRIVE

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WEST REGIONAL LIBRARY

Wednesday, September 18 9:00am to 1:00pm

EAST REGIONAL LIBRARY

Paradis Branch

Cookbook Club

Friday, September 13 at 11:00am

Choose a recipe from the selected theme and prepare it for the meeting. Everyone will share information about their dish.

This month will feature recipes from Australia.

The Crafty Canvas-

Bean Art ^R

Monday, September 23 at 5:00pm

Unleash your inner artist and turn ordinary beans into a beautiful art masterpiece!

Hahnville Branch

Puzzle Piece Tree ^R

Monday, September 16 at 2:00pm

Each puzzle piece represents a falling leaf, coming together to form a charming tree that will add warmth and whimsy to your home during the harvest season.

Friends of the St. Charles

Library Book Sale

Friday, September 27 from 9:00am to 3:00pm

The Friends of the St. Charles Library will have a wide selection of books for all ages: children, teens, and adults.

Come find your next reading treasure!

This is a cash only book sale.

The book sale will take place in the Book Nook, located next to the Hahnville Branch.



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All activities are subject to change.
Check our website myscpl.org or visit us on our social media accounts @stcharleslib for more information or schedule changes.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Library Closed for Labor Day	3 Storytime 10:30am (C) Storytime 10:30am (C) Teen Time: Video Games 4pm (T) Flying Needles 5pm (A) Art Squad Advanced with Becca Hillburn 5:30pm (T) R Yoga 6pm (A) Evening Showing 6:30pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM	4 Storytime 10:30am (C) Nerd Night: Betrayal! 5:30pm (T)	5 Movie Thursday: Wall-E 10am (A) Storytime 10:30am (C) Storytime 10:30am (C) Homeschool Teen Connect: Sewing 1:30pm (T) R Marble Painting 6pm (C) R Evening Showing 6:30pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM	6 Storytime 10:30am (C)	7 German Coast Farmers' Market 8am - Noon (Aa) Children's Matinee 10am (C) PLANETARIUM Saturday Matinee 2pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM
8	9 Fertility Management for Home Lawns and Gardens with LSU AgCenter 10am (A) Silver Sneakers Classic 10am (A) Silver Sneakers Chair Yoga 11am (A) Homeschool Connect: Pinch Pots 2pm (F) R STEMtastic Towers! 6pm (F) R	10 Creating Art Together 9am (A) Storytime 10:30am (C) Storytime 10:30am (C) Homeschool Connect: Tonoscopes 2pm (F) R Teen Time: Video Games 4pm (T) Flying Needles 5pm (A) Teen Hangout! 5:30pm (T) Yoga 6pm (A) Family Prime Time 6pm (F) R Evening Showing 6:30pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM	11 All locations will open at 10:30am Storytime 10:30am (C) Nerd Night: Card Games 5:30pm (T) Getting Started with eBooks 6pm (A)	12 Storytime 10:30am (C) Storytime 10:30am (C) Homeschool Teen Connect: Sewing 1:30pm (T) R TACOS - Teen Advisory Council of Students 4pm (Ages 10+) If Movie and Craft 5:30pm (F) Evening Showing 6:30pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM	13 Storytime 10:30am (C) Cookbook Club 11am (A)	14 German Coast Farmers' Market 8am - Noon (Aa) Children's Matinee 10am (C) PLANETARIUM Saturday Matinee 2pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM Teen VRVerse: Beat Saber 2pm (T) R
15	16 Silver Sneakers Classic 10am (A) Silver Sneakers Chair Yoga 11am (A) Puzzle Piece Tree 2pm (A) R Cookbook Club 6pm (A)	17 Voter Registration Drive 9am - 1pm (A) Fertility Management for Home Lawns and Gardens with LSU AgCenter 10am (A) Storytime 10:30am (C) Storytime 10:30am (C) Senior Social 11am (A) Teen Time: Video Games 4pm (T) Flying Needles 5pm (A) Art Squad 5:30pm (Ages 10+) R Yoga 6pm (A) Family Prime Time 6pm (F) R Evening Showing 6:30pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM	18 Voter Registration Drive 9am - 1pm (A) Storytime 10:30am (C) Midday Mystery Club 11am (A) Fall Wind Chimes 2pm (C) R Nerd Night: Jackbox Party! 5:30pm (T)	19 Storytime 10:30am (C) Storytime 10:30am (C) Homeschool Connect: Battle Bots 1:30pm (F) R Homeschool Connect: Make Your Own Butter 2pm (F) R Thursday Thrills: Video Game Night 4:30pm (Ages 10+) Nerd Herd 101 5:30pm (Tw) R Adventure League 6pm (A) Evening Showing 6:30pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM	20 Getting Started with eBooks 10am (A) Storytime 10:30am (C)	21 German Coast Farmers' Market 8am - Noon (Aa) Children's Matinee 10am (C) PLANETARIUM Big Kid Storytime 11am (C, Tw) Saturday Matinee 2pm (Aa) PLANETARIUM
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LOCATION

- East Regional in Destrehan
- West Regional in Luling
- Hahnville
- Norco
- Paradis
- St. Rose

AGE GROUPS

- A..... Adults
- T..... Teens
- Tw..... Tweens
- C..... Children
- F..... Family
- Aa..... All Ages

All events are free and open to the public

Children under 10 must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver.



Registration is required for some events.

Online registration opens 14 days before the event.

East Regional

Art Squad Advanced
with **Becca Hillburn** **R**
Tuesday, September 3
at 5:30pm

Set your art goals for the year and dive into anatomy part 1 where we will go over the basics of silhouettes, form, and good dynamic stick figures.

Teen Hangout!
Tuesday, September 10
at 5:30pm

Come hangout in the Teen Room!

Compete with your friends on the Nintendo Switch, play board games, and enjoy some snacks.

Art Squad: Macrame Plant Pot Holder **R**
Tuesday, September 17
at 5:30pm

Get crafty and make your own macrame plant pot holder!

Bring a small pot from home or grab one of ours, and we'll guide you through creating a stylish holder perfect for your favorite plant.

For ages 10+.

Succulent Bar **R**
Tuesday, September 24
at 5:30pm

Create your own mini oasis at our succulent bar!

Pick your favorite plant and design a cute, custom arrangement to take home.

St. Rose Branch

Teen Time: Video Games
Every Tuesday at 4:00pm
except September 24

Come hang out, compete with your friends, or play on your own with our Xbox S or Nintendo Switch.

Teen Time: Blacklight Painting Party **R**
Tuesday, September 24
at 4:00pm

Let's GLOW!

Using neon paint, we'll create some stunning underwater paintings that glow under blacklight.

Wear white or neon clothing for some extra radiance!

NERD NIGHT

WEST REGIONAL LIBRARY

Betrayal!
Wednesday, September 4
at 5:30pm

Explore an abandoned mansion, find items, and discover secrets until the haunt begins!

Card Games
Wednesday, September 11
at 5:30pm

UNO. Super Fight. Bears vs. Babies. Exploding Kittens. Cards Against Humanity: Family Edition. We got 'em all!

Grab your favorite and start a game. All card games will be available to play.

Jackbox Party!
Wednesday, September 18
at 5:30pm

Are you good at trivia? What about rapping or comedy? Roll the dice and choose the game for the evening featuring Jackbox Party Packs 1-8.

Please bring your own cellphone or tablet if possible.

Retro Game Night **R**
Wednesday, September 25
at 5:30pm

Let's take a journey back to the age of neon arcades and midi music!

Play your favorite arcade and retro games from the 80s and 90s with us.

Norco Branch

Altoid Wallet Decorating
Monday, September 23 at 5:30pm

Decorate your own altoid tin for a functional and stylish wallet!

West Regional

Teen VRVerse: Beat Saber **R**
Saturday, September 14 at 2:00pm

Enter the VRverse with our SteamVR system! This month's game is Beat Saber.

Each registered participant will have a 10 minute reserved play session. Please arrive at least 15 minutes before the program starts to pick a time slot.



Planetarium

105 Lakewood Drive in Luling | ☎ 985-785-8471

EVENING SHOWS
Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:30pm

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

CHILDREN'S MATINEE
Saturdays at 10:00am

Join Larry as he stows away on a rocket to the Moon in search of his human friend in **Larry Cat in Space**.

SATURDAY MATINEE
Saturdays at 2:00pm

Explore the 400 year history of the telescope and the wonders of our night in **Two Small Pieces of Glass: the Amazing Telescopes**.

Planetarium seating is first come, first served. Due to the unusual lighting condition, no one is allowed to enter once the show has started.

Need a hand with homework?
Homework LA can help!

FREE Tutoring
Online & On Demand

10:00am - Midnight
7 DAYS A WEEK

Sign up for your **FREE** account!
Visit homeworkla.org to get started.

East Regional

If Movie and Craft

Thursday, September 12 at 5:30pm

Enjoy some quality time with your family while watching the movie *If* (PG) and making a craft!
For families.



Art Squad: Macrame Plant Pot Holder

Tuesday, September 17 at 5:30pm

Get crafty and make your own macrame plant pot holder!

Bring a small pot from home or grab one of ours, and we'll guide you through creating a stylish holder perfect for your favorite plant.

For ages 10+.

LEGO Club

Thursday, September 26 at 6:00pm

Calling all LEGO builders!

Build your own LEGO creations, meet new friends, and complete a different challenge each month.

Crafty Market Morning

Saturday, September 28 from 9:00am - 11:00am

Take a break from the German Coast Farmers' Market and check out our craft offerings!

For families.

St. Rose Branch

Family Prime Time

Every Tuesday from September 10 to October 15 at 6:00pm

Prime Time Family Reading brings caregivers and their 6 to 10-year-old children together to explore notable books and big ideas through reading and discussion.

You and the little ones in your life will learn together through literature while exploring strategies for continued family bonding through books and getting important information about your library and other resources for additional reading once the program ends.

Please register once per family.

Norco Branch

STEMtastic Towers!

Monday, September 9 at 6:00pm

Calling all junior architects!

Come out and put your critical thinking skills and creativity to the test as we build tall towers out of nothing but pipe cleaners.

Will yours be the tallest of them all?

For families.

West Regional

Marble Painting

Thursday, September 5 at 6:00pm

Dip marbles into vibrant paints and watch as they roll across paper, creating mesmerizing patterns and designs.



Nerd Herd 101

Thursday, September 19 & 26 at 5:30pm

Not old enough for Nerd Night? Why wait?!

This tween-only space offers a monthly primer for the table top games played at our Nerd Night for Teens. Enjoy action-packed roleplay adventures with a PG rating along with other monthly activities sure to entertain your nerdy tween.

For tweens.

Paradis Branch

TACOS: Teen Advisory Council of Students

Thursday, September 12 at 4:00pm

Ever wondered what to do at the library after school?

Join our Teen Advisory Council of Students, where you can pick activities and brainstorm ideas for future programs while enjoying snacks and drinks!

For ages 10+.

Thursday Thrills: Video Game Night

Thursday, September 19 at 4:30pm

Join us in playing Jackbox games on the large screen! Please bring your own cellphone or tablet if possible.

For ages 10+.

Mitten Monsters

Saturday, September 28 at 11:00am

Pop on over to make a monster!

Sit for a story and snacks and create a fun little Mitten Monster with us.

Hahnville Branch

Fall Wind Chimes

Wednesday, September 18 at 2:00pm

Embrace the crisp autumn air and celebrate the beauty of fall by crafting a wind chime inspired by the season's colors and textures.

HOMESCHOOL CONNECT

Pinch Pots

Get hands-on with history! Learn how the Native Americans of Poverty Point made ceramic pots and jugs, then try to make your own.

HAHNVILLE BRANCH

Monday, September 9 at 2:00pm

Tonosopes

Explore sound science with a tonoscope, a device that helps you see sound vibrations.

NORCO BRANCH

Tuesday, September 10 at 2:00pm

Battle Bots

Enhance your Edison Robot with LEGO to create a fearsome Battle Bot. Whose creation will come out on top?

PARADIS BRANCH

Thursday, September 19 at 1:30pm

Make Your Own Butter

Churn, churn, churn! Learn the science behind using heavy cream to make your own tasty butter spread.

ST. ROSE BRANCH

Thursday, September 19 at 2:00pm



STORYTIMES



Storytime introduces the love of books and reading to young children. We use stories, music, rhymes, and fingerplays to encourage children to discover and explore the world.

Themes change weekly, and playtime follows each storytime.

For children ages 0 to 5.

TUESDAYS

East Regional Library at 10:30am
Paradis Branch at 10:30am

WEDNESDAYS

West Regional Library at 10:30am

THURSDAYS

Hahnville Branch at 10:30am
Norco Branch at 10:30am

FRIDAYS

St. Rose Branch at 10:30am

All storytimes are free to families and caregivers. No registration is required.

Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult.

Special Storytimes:

Big Kid Storytime

Saturday, September 21 at 11:00am

Continue your love of storytime at Big Kid Storytime!
Designed for ages 5-8.

EAST REGIONAL LIBRARY



Download the St. Charles Parish Library app by scanning the QR code.



CURBSIDE

Curbside pickup service is available from opening until 30 minutes before closing.

Always open at www.myscpl.org