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ST. CHARLES PARISH LIBRARY NEWS AND EVENTS

APRIL 2019

We support
NEED TO FEED MONTH
in St. Charles Parish



April 1st - 30th

Bring non-perishable, unexpired food items to the library.
Each item donated will clear up to \$1 of fines or fees.

Inside: Easter Peep Houses • Teen Writers Meetup • Book Sale

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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

Good Friday	Apr 19
Memorial Day	May 27
Independence Day Eve	July 3 (Closing at 5 pm)
Independence Day	July 4

ON THE COVER

The St. Charles Parish Library supports Need to Feed Month in St. Charles Parish by offering a Food for Fines event in April.



The Crafters Circle at the St. Rose Branch made Mardi Gras umbrellas in March. They're ready for Mardi Gras 2020! Check out more crafts for adults on page 4.

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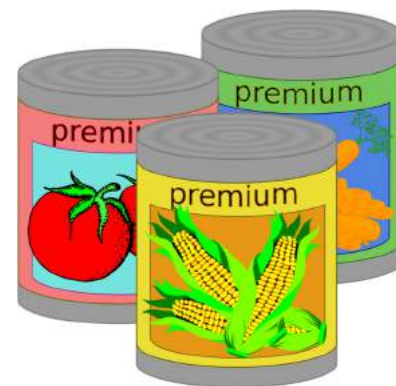
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FOOD FOR FINES DURING NEED TO FEED MONTH

As part of Need to Feed Month in St. Charles Parish, we will host a Food for Fines event in April.

The organizers of Need to Feed Month hope to bring awareness to the need to donate food and supplies to our local food banks to help meet the need to feed people in St. Charles Parish.



From April 1 - 30, each nonperishable food item donated will clear up to \$1 of overdue fines or fees associated with lost or damaged materials.

We cannot accept any handmade, expired, or damaged items.

You can still pay your fines or with cash, check, or credit card—and you can donate food even if you don't have any fines or fees!

Help us support Need to Feed Month!

PLANTING YOUR SPRING GARDEN

April showers bring May flowers, but you've got to plant those flowers first!

Join Andre' Brock at the **Hahnville Branch** on Tuesday, April 16 at 10:30 am for a "Planting for the Spring" workshop.

He will discuss how to get your spring and summer gardens ready.

Learn what is best to plant and when to plant them!



FEATURED FIVE

APRIL LIBRARYREADS PICKS



Lost Roses
Martha Hall Kelly



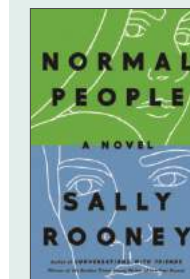
The Invited
Jennifer McMahon



Little Darlings
Melanie Golding



Miracle Creek
Angie Kim



Normal Rooney
Sally Rooney

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

Painting Twists [®]

Painting Twists is for adults who have a crafty side. This month we will create resin jewelry pendants.

Registration is required.

Paradis Branch
Monday, April 8 • 5:15 pm

Crafters Circle [®]

This lively group is your place to discover, create, and connect using arts and crafts every month. This month we will make decoupage glass bottle art.

Registration is required.

St. Rose Branch
Monday, April 15 • 6 pm

Color Your Stress Away

April is Stress Awareness Month. Coloring can be a great way to relieve stress. Join us for tea and coloring to ease some of your stress.

All supplies will be provided, and there is no registration.

East Regional Library
Monday, April 29 • 6 pm

BOOKS & AUTHORS

Book Discussion Group

This month's selection is *Call of the Wild* by Jack London.

St. Rose Branch
Wednesday, April 10 • 11 am

Book Discussion Group

This month's selection is *The Last Ballad* by Wiley Cash.

East Regional Library
Wednesday, April 17 • 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 cooking theme is Rick Rodgers.

Paradis Branch
Friday, April 12 • 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, April 15 • 6 pm

GAMES & ACTIVITIES

Game Night @ the Library

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

West Regional Library
Friday, April 12 • 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

Planting for the Spring

Andre' Brock from the LSU AgCenter will discuss how to get your spring and summer gardens ready. Learn what is best to plant and when to plant them!

Hahnville Branch
Tuesday, April 16 • 10:30 am

Some events require registration.

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

APRIL IS STRESS AWARENESS MONTH

Stress Awareness Month has been held every April since 1992.

During this annual observation, health care professionals and others interested making the world a less stressful place join forces to increase public awareness about the causes and cures for stress.

We are doing our part at the library to help make your life a little less stressful!

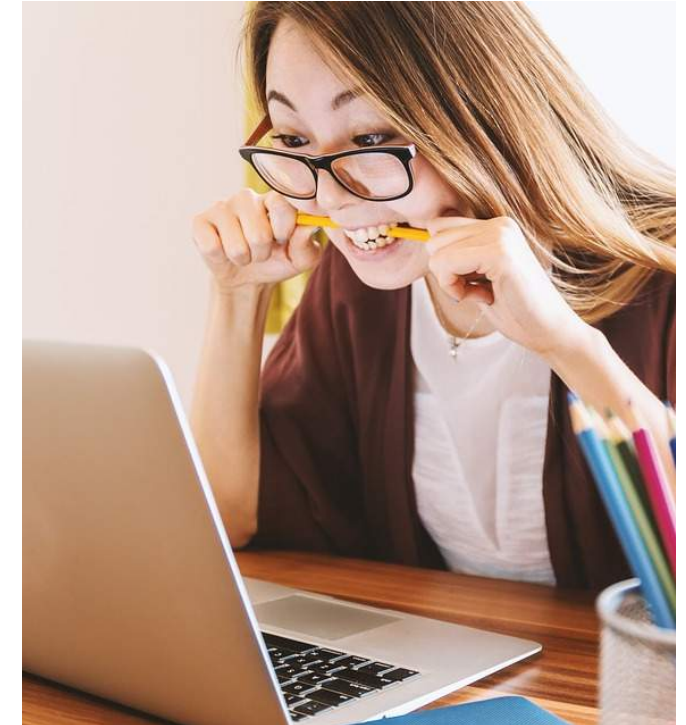
Every Monday evening at 6:00 at the West Regional Library, adults can attend Vinyasa Yoga with instructor Sara Lyon.

In this class, you will learn how to move with breath, focus, and mindful meditation—all of which can help relieve stress.

Adults, you can also "Color Your Stress Away" at the East Regional Library on Monday, April 29 at 6:00 pm.

Coloring is a great way to relieve stress!

Come for tea and coloring to ease some of your stress. All supplies will be provided, and there is no registration.



FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY



SPRING BOOK SALE

The Friends of the St. Charles Library Spring Book Sale will be Friday, April 5 at the Book Nook, which is located next to the Hahnville Branch.

Visit us to see what treasures you will find!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 - All Levels Vinyasa Yoga 6 pm (A)	2 - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - WeePlay 11 am (C) - Teen Writers Meetup 4 pm (T) - Teen Time: Button Art 4 pm (T) - Flying Needles 5 pm (A) - Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) ^R - Prime Time Family Reading 6 pm (F) ^R - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	3 - Storytime 10 am (C) - WeePlay 10 am (C) - Tiny Tots Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Nerd Night 5:30 pm (T)	4 - Tiny Tots Storytime 9:30 am (C) - Tiny Tots Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Thursday Thrills 4 pm (T) - Kid Connection: Rapping and Writing 4:30 pm (Ages 8-12) - #Thursdays 6 pm (T) - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	5 - Friends of the St. Charles Library Spring Book Sale 9am - 4pm (Aa) - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - WeePlay 11 am (C)	6 - Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) - Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa)
7	8 - Painting Twists 5:15 pm (A) ^R - All Levels Vinyasa Yoga 6 pm (A)	9 - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - WeePlay 11 am (C) - Teen Time: Lip Balm 4 pm (T) - Flying Needles 5 pm (A) - Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) ^R - Prime Time Family Reading 6 pm (F) ^R - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	10 - Storytime 10 am (C) - WeePlay 10 am (C) - Tiny Tots Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Book Discussion Group 11 am (A) - Nerd Night 5:30 pm (T)	11 - Tiny Tots Storytime 9:30 am (C) - Tiny Tots Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Thursday Thrills 4 pm (T) - Kid Connection: Poetry Slam 4:30 pm (Ages 8-12) - #Thursdays 6 pm (T) - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	12 - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Cookbook Book Club 11 am (A) - WeePlay 11 am (C) - Game Night @ the Library 6 pm (A)	13 - Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) - "Every Pup Needs a Pal" Escape Room 11 am (C, Tw) ^R - Easter Peep Houses 1 pm (F) ^R - Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa)
14	15 - Cookbook Club 6 pm (A) - All Levels Vinyasa Yoga 6 pm (A) - Crafters Circle: Decoupage Glass Bottle Art 6 pm (A) ^R	16 - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Planting for the Spring 10:30 am (A) - WeePlay 11 am (C) - Teen Time: Agate Slice Key Chains 4 pm (T) - Flying Needles 5 pm (A) - Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) ^R - Prime Time Family Reading 6 pm (F) ^R - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	17 - Storytime 10 am (C) - WeePlay 10 am (C) - Tiny Tots Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Nerd Night 5:30 pm (T) - Easter Peep Houses 6 pm (F) ^R - Book Discussion Group 6:30 pm (A)	18 - Tiny Tots Storytime 9:30 am (C) - Tiny Tots Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Thursday Thrills 4 pm (T) - Kid Connection: Colorful Crabapple Trees 4:30 pm (C) - #Thursdays 6 pm (T) - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	19 Library Closed Good Friday	20 - Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) - T.A.B.S. - Totally Awesome Brigade Session 10 am (T) - WeePlay 10 am - 3 pm (F) - Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa)
21	22 - All Levels Vinyasa Yoga 6 pm (A)	23 - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - WeePlay 11 am (C) - Teen Time: Tie-Dye Socks 4 pm (T) - Flying Needles 5 pm (A) - Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) ^R - Prime Time Family Reading 6 pm (F) ^R - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	24 - Storytime 10 am (C) - WeePlay 10 am (C) - Tiny Tots Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Nerd Night 5:30 pm (T) - Mother's Day Craft 6 pm (Ages 8-11) ^R	25 - Tiny Tots Storytime 9:30 am (C) - Tiny Tots Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - Thursday Thrills 4 pm (T) - Kid Connection: Giant Games 4:30 pm (C) - #Thursdays 6 pm (T) - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	26 - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - WeePlay 11 am (C)	27 - Children's Matinee 10 am (C, F) - Saturday Matinee 2 pm (Aa)
28	29 - Monday Night Movie: Christopher Robin 5 pm (F) - All Levels Vinyasa Yoga 6 pm (A) - Color Your Stress Away 6 pm (A)	30 - Storytime 10:30 am (C) - WeePlay 11 am (C) - Teen Time: Bottle Cap Accessories 4 pm (T) - Flying Needles 5 pm (A) - Minecraft 5:30 pm (Ages 6-11) ^R - Evening Showing 6:30 pm (Aa)	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> <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 </div> <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>			
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CHILDREN

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Kid Connection

Join us for a variety of fun activities. All supplies will be provided.

St. Rose Branch

Thursdays • 4:30 pm

- April 4 Rapping and Writing (ages 8-12)
- April 11 Poetry Slam (ages 8-12)
- April 18 Colorful Crabapple Trees
- April 25 Giant Games

Minecraft

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

Registration required. For ages 6-11.

West Regional Library

Tuesdays • 5:30 pm

ARTS & CRAFTS

Easter Peep Houses

Celebrate the Easter Season by making a Peep House with your loved ones!

For families. Registration is required.

West Regional Library

Saturday, April 13 • 1 pm

East Regional Library

Wednesday, April 17 • 6 pm

Mother's Day Craft

Do you need a gift for your mother for Mother's Day? Come create it at the library!

For ages 8-11. Registration is required.

East Regional Library

Wednesday, April 24 • 6 pm

Some events require registration.

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

MOVIES AND MUSIC

Monday Night Movie: *Christopher Robin*

Christopher Robin—now a family man living in London—receives a surprise visit from his old childhood pal, Winnie-the-Pooh. With Christopher's help, Pooh embarks on a journey to find his friends: Tigger, Eeyore, Owl, Piglet, Rabbit, Kanga and Roo.

Once reunited, the lovable bear and the gang travel to the big city to help Christopher rediscover the joy of life.

Popcorn and punch will be served. Please notify us of any food allergies.

Rated PG. For all ages.

Paradis Branch

Monday, April 29 • 5 pm

GAMES AND ACTIVITIES

"Every Pup Needs a Pal" Escape Room

Everything is changing! My human, my home, my routines... I can't even count on my nose anymore!

From sneaky, smelly squirrels to bright new sights and sounds, I'm feeling fairly fussy.

Can I count on you to help me feel at home again? Will you be my friend and help me find my way back to normal?

Paradis Branch

Saturday, April 13 • 11 am

Saturday WeePlay

WeePlay encourages caregivers to interactively "play" with their child at the library. Come ready to use your imagination and explore with different toys and activities!

This program is designed for children 0-6 years with their caregivers, but any child with an imagination is invited.

Drop in any time!

East Regional Library

Saturday, April 20 • 10 am - 3 pm

EASTER PEEP HOUSES

Celebrate the Easter season at the library by making your very own Peep House!

Are Peep Houses crafts or treats? They're both—and they're a lot of fun to make!

There are two chances for you to bring your creativity to the library to make a Peep House with your family or friends.

West Regional Library

Saturday, April 13 at 1pm

East Regional Library

Wednesday, April 17 at 6pm

Space is limited. Registration is required.

Register by calling any library location or by visiting our event calendar at www.myscpl.org.



STORYTIMES AND WEEPLAY

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

Tiny Tots Storytime 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

Tiny Tots Storytime
Thursdays, 9:30 am

Storytime
Thursdays, 10:30 am

Paradis Branch
Storytime
Tuesdays, 10:30 am

WeePlay
Tuesdays, 11 am

Hahnville Branch
Tiny Tots Storytime
Wednesdays, 10:30 am

East Regional Library

Storytime
Wednesdays, 10 am

Tiny Tots Storytime
Thursdays, 10:30 am

St. Rose Branch
Storytime
Fridays, 10:30 am

WeePlay
Fridays, 11 am

Norco Branch

We're taking a break this month to get ready for our move!

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

The Norco Branch may be closed part of April as we move into our new library, located at 590 Apple Street. Visit www.myscpl.org for updated information.