Welcome to our East Baton Rouge Parish Library, a warm and inviting place for people of all ages and for those of you with many interests. Hopefully, you are able to locate whatever you need by visiting one of the 14 branch locations, or you may choose to go online to our Digital Library. Yes, the books are still here, because they are the heart of the Library; however, we are more than just books. This year, April 12-18 is National Library Week, and it’s the perfect time to celebrate and explore this year’s theme, “Unlimited Possibilities at Your Library”.

Consider this your personal invitation to join us in this celebration by visiting your Library, either in person or online (www.ebrpl.com). Then take a few minutes to log on to our Facebook and Twitter sites to share personal stories with us on what the Library and its services mean to you. One quote per day will be selected from those sites as you describe “How the Library Is a Part of My Life.”

Over this past year, many of you all have been so kind to convey to us, along with your friends and family, about the transformation and significance of our Library and its many services in your lives. It is constantly brought to my attention that our Library has become a phenomenal meeting place for people with common hobbies and interests. While others declared how it is a place for networking and job training. In addition, many others, including some teens, reveal it to be a hub of creativity. Still others report our Library to be a place of political discussion. However, most of us know that it is always a great place to enjoy a good read. In each situation, lives are being changed through the use of the Library.

After multiple conversations over a period of time, there was this realization that our Library with its 14 branches throughout East Baton Rouge Parish has become a “place with unlimited possibilities”. Wow!!

As you join us, it is my desire that you will become excited and more aware of the many reasons we celebrate the contributions of libraries during National Library Week. Oddly enough, in the mid-1950s, research revealed that Americans were spending less money on books and more on radios, televisions and musical instruments. Therefore, a committee was formed to “encourage people to read in their increasing leisure time” and “develop a strong and happy family life.” Consequently, in 1958, the American Library Association (ALA) sponsored our first National Library Week, which was based on the idea that once people are motivated to read, they support and use libraries.

Since that time, the vision of the Library and its role in the community has definitely been expanded to meet the ever-changing needs of their customers. In East Rouge Parish, our Library often receives praise for being a cutting-edge technological resource. We hold an archive of Baton Rouge, both past and present, in addition to being an arts and performance venue – and so much more.

Your Library is the heart of the community. There is always something going on at the Library, and it is the place to be. You have the opportunity to access the services offered through your Library, either at a branch near you (any of our 14 locations) or by using our website and Digital Library (www.ebrpl.com). We host workshops, homework help, ebooks, downloadable music and movies, magazines, small business advice and more. There are free and unlimited possibilities with your Library card.

As we celebrate, we welcome you and continue to need your input on planning for current library services as well as for the libraries of the future. After all, this is your Library.

This week, take a look at The Source newsletter. Use this document and allow it to provide you with life-changing information and new opportunities, so that you can discover and experience the unlimited possibilities at the Library today. Hopefully, you will visit us soon – in person or electronically – as you join us in celebrating what your Library has become after 75 years of serving our community!

With kindest regards,
Tanya Freeman
President
East Baton Rouge Parish Library
Board of Control
Discover Unlimited Possibilities @ Your Library

Over the past three years, we’ve collected information from you about how you envision your East Baton Rouge Parish Library serving the community in the present and for the future. You’ve told us how the Library makes a difference in your lives today, and you’ve shared your issues and concerns for the future, including what you want and need from the East Baton Rouge Parish Library in the coming years. After incorporating your input, the Library Board of Control has approved a draft version for a new Strategic Plan. We’d like to share the highlights of the Strategic Plan through a series of public meetings, with at least one meeting scheduled at every location throughout the spring and summer. The upcoming meetings are scheduled as follows:

Carver Branch
3:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 8

Zachary Branch
5:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 14
Red Beans & Rice Taste Off!

Everyone can head down to the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 3 p.m. Monday, April 6, for a red beans and rice taste test! We’re serving up this traditional dish from various local restaurants for you to sample and vote for your favorite. Come eat, visit, vote and learn why red beans and rice are served on Mondays. There will also be red beans and rice recipe handouts to take home. This program is in conjunction with the spring One Book One Community selection A Confederacy of Dunces by John Kennedy Toole.

New Orleans Food Festival!

Come to the Library to enjoy the good music and delicious cuisine from the Big Easy! Adults are invited to the Fairwood Branch at 1 p.m. Saturday, April 18, to enjoy various New Orleans-style dishes and jazz music.

The Lucky Dogs Rock Out at the Library!

The whole family is invited to the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, April 26, to enjoy a live outdoor stage performance by the Lucky Dogs! Mike Artell and Ronnie Richoux make up the duet that plays oldies, classic rock, big-band-era tunes, cool jazzy lounge music, some country and Cajun tunes, but they specialize in old, funky New Orleans Rhythm & Blues. You’ll hear tunes by Fats Domino, Ernie K Doe, Huey “Piano” Smith and many of the other artists from the golden age of New Orleans rock and roll. In the event of inclement weather, the performance will move indoors to the Large Meeting Room.

Hear Cool Tunes at Outdoor Jambalaya Jazz Concert

Everyone is invited to the Main Library at Goodwood at noon Tuesday, April 21, for a fun concert on the outdoor stage on the plaza. Enjoy the musical stylings of the J.K. Haynes Charter Middle School Jazz Ensemble led by Wess “Warmdaddy” Anderson and assistant Desi Anderson, in this special performance!

Join the Conversation: A Confederacy of Dunces

Did you read the spring One Book One Community selection A Confederacy of Dunces by John Kennedy Toole, and want to express your opinion about it? If you said yes, you’ll want to join other adults at the Library this month for three chances to share your views in a lively conversation about the adventures of Ignatius J. Reilly. **Delicious hotdogs will be served at some. Discussion dates, times and locations are listed below.

- 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 1, River Center Branch
- 6 p.m. Monday, April 20, Central Branch**
- 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, Fairwood Branch

*Registration required.
During National Library Week, April 12-18, guided tours of the Main Library at Goodwood are available at noon Monday through Saturday.

*Teen Arduino Robotics Club

**Teens** can come to the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 25, for our Teen Arduino Robotics Club! Learn to use our Arduino kits so that you can build and program your own designs. Designed by engineers for artists, it is an easy-to-learn yet powerful platform to get you into making your own projects. You can make LED displays, fun gadgets, robots, wearable lights and much more.

Make a Mini Arduino Robot!

**Adults and teens** are invited to the Library this month to construct mini robots using electronic circuit boards and sensors. These robots avoid whatever obstacles you put in front of them and you also can have fun modifying their behavior! No previous knowledge of robots or electronics is required. Kits are provided for use during the program. Dates, times and locations are listed below.

- 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 8, Zachary Branch
- 4 p.m. Monday, April 20, Scotlandville Branch
- 5 p.m. Wednesday, April 29, Central Branch

*Carver Fit Club*

We can’t give you a new body, but we can help you whip yours into shape! **Adults, tweens and teens** are invited to the Carver Branch at 5 p.m. every Tuesday in April to participate in monthly exercise demonstrations. This month, we’ll combine Yoga and Pilates for a body-challenging workout! You’ll feel the results as you slim down on your way to a lean, elegant body. Make sure to wear comfortable clothing, bring water and a towel.

*Scotlandville Sole Pacers Walking Club*

**Adults** are invited to the Scotlandville Branch this month to get moving! The Scotlandville Sole Pacers Walking Club will meet at the Library at 5 p.m. every Tuesday and Thursday in April. Gather in the lobby of the branch for a self-paced walk on a nearby path. Be sure to wear comfortable clothing and walking shoes.

*Your Pace or Mine Walking Club*

The Jones Creek Regional Branch **adult walking club** will meet at the Library at 6 p.m. every Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in April, to walk mapped routes surrounding the branch. In the event of evening showers, we’ll walk inside. All fitness levels are welcome to join!

*Eden Park Walking Club*

Are you trying to stay in shape or lose weight, but don’t want to hit the gym? You can take the 10,000 Step a Day challenge with us and our new **adult walking club** at the Eden Park Branch at 11 a.m. Tuesdays, April 7 and 21! We will make several laps around the Library’s backyard during the period. Participants should be able to walk without assistance and on grass, which will require good walking shoes. If any medical conditions are a concern, consult with a doctor first. A pedometer is useful but not necessary. If it is raining or the ground is wet, class will be cancelled and rescheduled for another day.

*Targeting Good Health: Brain Activities*

**Seniors and adults** are invited to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 15, for a brain activity presentation by BREC Wellness Program Coordinator John Lopez. This fun, interactive and inclusive program is designed to help us exercise our brains! No physical activity is required. Light refreshments will be served.
Health & Wellness

*Targeting Good Health: Blood Pressure, Cholesterol & Blood Sugar*

Your blood pressure, cholesterol and blood sugar are key numbers that can help you and your doctor determine your risk for heart disease and other health problems. Family history, age, gender and activity level are also factors that can contribute to your overall health risk. **Adults** can come to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 15, for free blood pressure and glucose screenings and a presentation by Dr. Philip Ehlers on blood pressure, cholesterol and blood sugar that will start at noon. A question-and-answer period will follow the presentation. To register, call 1-800-561-4127. Light refreshments will be served. This program is presented in cooperation with People’s Health.

**Alzheimer’s Caregivers Support Group Meeting**

Dianne Miller will be at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 1 p.m. Monday, April 20, to lead an information sharing meeting with **adults** held with the caregivers of those suffering from Alzheimer’s disease or dementia. Alzheimer’s Services of the Capital Area sponsors this free and public program.

**Mindful Meditation**

Relax and retreat to the Library this month. **Adults** can come to the Eden Park Branch at 10 a.m. Thursdays, April 16 and 30, to enjoy an hour of relaxation and quiet the mind. Meditation has proven useful in stress relief, mental clarity, focus and biofeedback.

**Building a Suicide Safer Community Presentations**

**Adults and teens** can come to the Library this month to hear Baton Rouge Crisis Intervention Center (BRCIC) executive director Norma Rutledge discuss Building a Suicide Safer Community, an effort designed to bring awareness to the magnitude of suicide and how to get involved by helping to provide a circle of support in your community. Participants will gauge their knowledge of suicide before and after the presentation, and will have an opportunity to ask questions. This program is in conjunction with the spring One Book One Community selection *A Confederacy of Dunces* by John Kennedy Toole. Dates, times and locations are listed below.

6 p.m. Tuesday, April 14, Central Branch
4 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, Pride-Chaneyville Branch
2 p.m. Wednesday, April 22, Fairwood Branch

**Food’s Out for Summer**

The Junior League of Baton Rouge and the Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank are joining forces to help fight hunger for our children! Did you know that approximately 38,4440 children in the Greater Baton Rouge Food Bank 11-parish area do not always know where they will find their next meal? You can help us help them! **Everyone** can drop off goods like canned vegetables and meats, pasta and rice, peanut butter and jelly, granola and fruit bars and more to the Main Library at Goodwood 1-5 p.m. Saturday, April 25. Thank you for your support!

20-Somethings

**Investing 101 for 20-Somethings**

If you’re an adult ages 19-30ish looking to start investing for the first time, this program is for you! Phyllis Phillips with ACHIEVE will be at the Main Library at Goodwood at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 22, to give you a brief overview into the wide world of investing. Phillips will cover topics like the difference between bonds, mutual funds and trusts, defining a bull and a bear and what they have to do with investing, how getting into the stock market could be beneficial and more! This program is in conjunction with the Bank On Baton Rouge financial education workshops.

**Cooking Club for 20-Somethings**

**Adults ages 19-30ish** can join us at the Main Library at Goodwood at 6 p.m. Tuesday, April 14, for the first-ever session of the Cooking Club! We will host the club once per month, featuring a variety of budget-friendly dishes that will satisfy different tastes. This month’s dish is vegetarian pasta.

**20-Somethings Game Night**

**Adults ages 19-30ish** are invited to game night at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 7, for some board gaming fun. Gaming enthusiasts can choose between board games like Catan, 7 Wonders, and Forbidden Island. Game night is a great way to meet new people and try out new games without dropping any cash! Can’t get enough games? Come park it at the Main Library at Goodwood at 6 p.m. Tuesday, April 28, to enjoy refreshments while you play.

All programs are free and open to the public. Registration for all programs is encouraged. To register, call the Library branch directly. For more information, visit www.ebrpl.com. *Registration required.
Ask a Lawyer

Adult community members can take advantage of free and individual counseling sessions offered by the Pro Bono Project of the Baton Rouge Bar Association at the Library. Area attorneys will be available for one-on-one, 15-minute sessions for legal advice on a first-come, first-served basis at the River Center Branch 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. Saturday, April 18.

First-Time Homebuyer’s Seminar

Learn the home buying process from Detoine Rucker, senior realtor with Keller Williams Realty and other leading experts. Adults can come to the Baker Branch at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 4, to learn the current market trends, how to get the best loans and financing and how to prepare for the purchase.

Bank On Baton Rouge Financial Education Workshops

Bank On Baton Rouge is a coalition of Baton Rouge organizations dedicated to increasing access to the financial mainstream for the unbanked and underbanked in our community, with a goal to help people start saving, and therefore start on a path to an improved financial future. Bank On Baton Rouge will present financial education workshops for adults at the Library this month. You’ll learn about credit scores and maintaining good credit, how to build and repair credit, the basics of borrowing and loans and much more! The workshop schedule is listed below. For more information, call (225) 231-3710.

Understanding Credit
Presenter Lynn Gobert, Pelican State Credit Union
10 a.m. Tuesday, April 14, Eden Park Branch

Credit Repair
Presenter Johvanna Sampson, Red River Bank
6 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, Delmont Gardens Branch
6 p.m. Monday, April 20, Carver Branch

Managing a Household Budget
Presenter Lynn Gobert, Pelican State Credit Union
6 p.m. Wednesday, April 29, Eden Park Branch

Teen Iron Chef: Hotdog Edition

To celebrate the spring One Book One Community selection *A Confederacy of Dunces* by John Kennedy Toole, we’re inviting teens to the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 11, for an Iron Chef-style challenge! This tasty competition inspired by Ignatius J. Reilly’s Lucky Dogs will have teens teamed up with others to use cheese, relish, chili, onions and other delicious toppings to create the best hotdog, as judged by other teens. When the game is over, we’ll enjoy the leftovers!
To register, call the Library branch directly.
For more information, visit www.ebrpl.com. * Registration required.

Easter Egg-Citing Bingo Night at Jones Creek
Adults can gather at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, April 2, for a fun game of bingo! Prizes will be awarded.

Two Chances for Family Bingo
Families can come to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 7, to play bingo for prizes. Can’t get enough? Head over to the Central Branch at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 25, to enjoy delicious refreshments while you play to win prizes!

Bingo at Bluebonnet Regional
This game never gets old! Adults can join us at the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 15, for a few rounds of bingo! Play to win prizes! Enjoy snacks while you play.

Who’s Got Bingo?
Head over to the Delmont Gardens Branch at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, April 15, to play bingo with other adults. Win prizes and enjoy snacks while you play!

Mid-Morning Bingo at Carver
Adults can come to the Carver Branch at 10 a.m. Wednesday, April 15, for a few rounds of bingo! Prizes will be awarded.

Easter Jewelry Craft for Teens
Teens can come to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 11, to make a bracelet or pair of earrings that will couple beautifully with an Easter outfit!

Second Line Umbrella Craft for Adults
Adults can bring their own umbrella to the Main Library at Goodwood at 5:30 p.m. Monday, April 13, to decorate. Make a second line umbrella using various craft supplies provided by the Library.

Scrapbooking Saturday for Adults
Join other adults at the Delmont Gardens Branch at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 11, to create beautiful scrapbooks that bear your cherished memories. Some supplies will be provided, but feel free to bring your own. Enjoy refreshments while you scrapbook!

Pom-Pom Pen Craft for Tweens & Teens
Tweens and teens in grades 6 and up can head over to the Zachary Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 23, to learn how to turn an ordinary ink pen into something fabulous using yarn and ribbon. Whether you’re studying or taking a test, you’ll love using your fancy new pen! All supplies will be provided.

Rubber Band Bracelet Craft for Teens
We love the Rainbow Loom! Teens can come to the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, April 9, to create a stylish bracelet using colorful rubber bands.

CD Weaving Craft for Teens
Do you want to learn how to upcycle discarded compact discs? Join other teens at the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 3:30 p.m. Monday, April 13, to use old CDs and yarn to create a unique piece of art.

*Louisiana Art Doodles
Adults are invited to the Central Branch at 6 p.m. Thursday, April 30, for a relaxing evening of art. Use watercolor pencils and ink to create a unique and colorful work of art with zen-like doodles of Louisiana symbols.

*Paper Flower Craft for Adults & Teens
Adults and teens can come to the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 2, to make beautiful paper flowers! These decorative blossoms are perfect for the spring season and make great presents, especially for Mother’s Day! Feel free to bring your own paper and materials, but supplies will be provided.

Mini Book Charm Craft for Teens
Teens can come to the Central Branch at 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 14, to make a mini book charm! Use the cover of your favorite book to adorn your charm, or create a cool steampunk design.

All programs are free and open to the public. Registration for all programs is encouraged. To register, call the Library branch directly.
For more information, visit www.ebrpl.com. * Registration required.
*Basic Origami for Adults*

Our talented origami instructor will introduce adult students to beginning and basic origami at the Main Library at Goodwood at 2 p.m. Wednesday, April 15. The instructor also will provide some basic history of the craft. With just a few simple folds, you can create flying birds and pigeons, floating swans and more! Supplies will be provided.

**Teen DIY: Packing Tape Image Transfers**

Make an artful collage to frame and display in your room! Teens are invited to the Delmont Gardens Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 9, to use packing tape to pull up interesting patterns and colors from old magazines.

**Comic Bookmark Craft for Teens**

No more boring page-holders. With this cool craft, teens can jazz up their favorite reads with a bookmark they’ve created! Come to the Pride-Chaneyville Branch at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 8, to use upcycled comic strips or graphic novels to make an awesome bookmark.

**Beaded Safety Pin Craft for Teens**

See if you can solve this equation: What does safety pins + seed beads equal? Beautiful jewelry! Teens are invited to the Pride-Chaneyville Branch at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 29, for an afternoon of crafting when we make colorful jewelry pieces using safety pins and tiny beads.

**Chocolate Sugar Scrub Craft for Adults**

Adults are invited to the Central Branch at 3 p.m. Wednesday, April 1, to enjoy creating a chocolate sugar scrub! This luxurious bath time treat will exfoliate and moisturize the skin just in time for warmer weather. Give as a gift or keep for yourself!

**Pop Art Craft for Teens**

Let your inner artist come out when you create unique art! Teens can come to the Eden Park Branch at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 28, to upcycle old soda cans into fun characters.

**Gardening Crafts for Adults**

Adults can come to the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 6:30 p.m. Monday, April 13, to get green thumb-crafty! We’ll create fun gardening crafts to give as a gift or keep. All supplies will be provided.

**Teen Craft: Altoid Tin Magnetic Poetry**

Magnets and poetry are cool. Why not combine them? Teens can join others at the Delmont Gardens Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 16, to make an Altoid size magnetic poetry set from scratch! The fun doesn’t stop there. Stick around and try your hand at making a miniature travel game!

**Blackout Poetry Craft for Teens**

Teens can come to Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 7, to celebrate National Poetry Month with a tutorial on blackout poetry! Reuse old book pages and a sharpie to make your own poems. All materials will be provided.

**Carver Crochet Club**

Are you looking for a new hobby or want to learn a new skill? Join other adults and teens the third Wednesday of every month for the Carver Branch Crochet Club. Come to the Library at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, to get started! The group is open to all skill levels. Limited supplies will be provided, but feel free to bring your own supplies and projects.

**Hand Quilting for Beginners**

Adults and teens can come to the Central Branch at 6 p.m. Wednesdays, April 8 and 22, to learn the basics of hand quilting! Work on your current project, get advice on starting a new one, get ideas for quilting patterns and enjoy how-to demonstrations. Questions and ideas are welcome and encouraged! Be sure to bring your own fabric, needle, thread, scissors, pins and other materials.

**Knitting Fun with Birdie**

Knitting enthusiast and member of the local stitchery group the Knit Wits, Birdie Sandifer will be at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 2:30 p.m. Wednesdays, April 8 and 22, to teach adults basic knitting skills. The first project will be a pot holder, and the second will be a scarf. Assorted yarn and needles will be provided, but participants may bring their own if they prefer.
Sew Much Fun!

Quilters’ Corner
Adults can join this on-going quilting group that will meet monthly at the Pride-Chaneyville Branch. Come to the Library at 2 p.m. Saturdays, April 4 and 18, to create quilts everyone will admire! Build your skills with techniques for piecing, machine quilting, appliqué, finishing and so much more.

*Bluebonnet Crochet Corner
Are you looking for something fun to do? Come crochet with us at the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, April 9. Join other adults and teens for an enjoyable session of crochet! All experience levels are welcome. We ask participants to bring a crochet hook at least 5.5 millimeters (size J) or larger. Limited yarn will be available, but participants are welcome to bring their own.

The Stitch Mixer
Knitting, crocheting and needlepoint, oh my! Would you like to learn to knit, crochet or needlepoint? Perhaps you’d like to join some like-minded crafters for stitching and conversation. Adults and teens are invited to join us in Conference Room B on the second floor of the Main Library at Goodwood at 7 p.m. Tuesdays, April 7 and 21, for the Stitch Mixer! We’ve got plenty of materials to practice with or you can bring your own project!

Two Chances to Crochet Compassion with Plastic Bags
Adults are invited to learn how to turn plastic bags into plastic yarn (plarn) at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 7. Turn plarn into a lightweight, weather resistant sleeping mat that can be used by those that are in need. No crochet skills are necessary. Share your compassion by flattening bags, cutting strips and making balls of plarn. Head over to the Main Library at Goodwood at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 26, for another chance to crochet compassion.

Crafting for a Cause
Whether you are new to the art of crochet, want to improve your skills or just want to enjoy the company of adult fellow crafters, the Pride-Chaneyville Branch is where you need to be! Come to the Library at 1 p.m. every Thursday in April, to crochet comfort shawls. Items made through this program will be created for Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Baton Rouge to benefit their many charitable programs, along with organizations like The Leprosy Mission in Anandaban Hospital in Kathmandu, Nepal; War Veterans Hospital; Pregnancy Problem Center; St. Jude’s Children’s Hospital; Hope House; and the Battered Women’s Shelter. Donations of supplies or finished items also are welcome.

Threadheads Crochet Club at Scotlandville
Adults and teens are invited to the Scotlandville Branch at 4:30 p.m. Thursdays, April 9 and 23, for an afternoon of crochet fun! You’ll learn the basics of crochet, how to decipher a pattern, and be introduced to some advanced techniques. All experience levels are welcome! Feel free to bring your own yarn and a hook, but some supplies will be available to practice with.
Encore Screening of The Omega Point Documentary

If you missed last month’s screening, here’s your chance to watch John Kennedy Toole: The Omega Point. Adults and teens can come to the Central Branch at 6 p.m. Monday, April 6, to watch the documentary about the life and tragic death of A Confederacy of Dunces author John Kennedy Toole. Stay after the film for a short discussion. Refreshments will be served.

Shakespeare Movie Day for Teens

Teens can join us at the Carver Branch at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, April 23, to celebrate William Shakespeare’s birth and death anniversary by watching a 1993 comedy about young lovers Hero and Claudio, soon to wed, that conspire to get verbal sparring partners and confirmed singles Benedick and Beatrice to marry as well.

Teen Movie Day at Delmont Gardens

Teens are invited to the Delmont Gardens Branch at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 22, to watch a computer-generated adventure comedy film about a lowly Lego minifigure that joins a group intent on battling an evil force after a case of mistaken identity.

Ignatius’ Community: Ruthie the Duck Girl Documentary Screening

To celebrate the spring One Book One Community selection A Confederacy of Dunces by John Kennedy Toole, and all things New Orleans, the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch is hosting a screening of the Ruthie the Duck Girl documentary. The film is an original documentary about one of the more eccentric characters of the old French Quarter. Ruth Moulon wandered New Orleans’ Vieux Carre for decades puzzling, delighting and offending residents and visitors with her monologues, outlandish costumes and her companion ducks. Adults are invited to the Library at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 19, to enjoy the documentary.

Poetry Workshop for Teens

Teen poets and poetry lovers can come celebrate National Poetry Month with us at the Zachary Branch, as we view a short film featuring the late poet Wilmer Hastings Mills at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 25. Mills’s work was published in numerous national journals including The Hudson Review, The Sewanee River and The Southern Review, and several of his books of poetry are available at the Library. Mills has roots in the Baton Rouge area as he spent part of his childhood in the Zachary area where his parents still live. After the film, poetry-related activities will be available for teens to enjoy. Light refreshments will be served.

Make a Memory with Author Andra Watkins

Can an epic adventure succeed without a hero? The author of Not Without My Father: One Woman’s 444-Mile Walk Along the Natchez Trace Andra Watkins will be at the Main Library at Goodwood at 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 8, to share her adventure in becoming the first living person to walk the historic 444-mile Natchez Trace as the pioneers did. A book signing will follow the presentation. This program is for adults.

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Poetry Movie for Teens

To celebrate National Poetry Month teens are invited to the Delmont Gardens Branch at 2 p.m. Monday, April 13, to watch a drama film that tells the story of Ray Joshua, an original, gifted young rapper trapped in a war zone housing project known as Dodge City. Unable to find a job, he copes with the despair and poverty of his neighborhood by using his intellect and unique way with words.

Teen Movie Day at Baker

It’s movie day at the Baker Branch! Teens are invited to the Library at 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 28. Two centuries after Dr. Frankenstein assembles and reanimates his creature, it is still living and finds himself caught in an all-out, centuries-old war between two immortal groups.

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**The Fiction Writers’ Workshop**

*Adults* can come to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 7 p.m. Mondays, April 6 and 20, to join a fun group of local authors! You can share your works of fiction and get feedback and encouragement. We’ll be doing writing exercises to spark your creativity.

**Precision Prayer with Nichelle Landry**

Author Nichelle Landry will be at the Main Library at Goodwood at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, April 25, to discuss her book *Precision Prayers*. *Adults* are invited to enjoy Landry’s presentation about prayer and living life victoriously. A book signing will follow the presentation.

**Do You Have the Writers’ Club Bug?**

If you’ve got the writing bug, then you should join other aspiring writers at the Eden Park Branch at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, April 18. This is the perfect environment for *adults and teens* to discuss ideas, pair up for editing and proofreading, conquer writer’s block and even play games designed to strengthen your writing skills. We’ll also discuss traditional publishing and self-publishing.

**Book Discussion with Author Patricia Gail**

*Adults* are invited to the Main Library at Goodwood at 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 26, to enjoy a discussion with author Patricia Gail as she shares her second book. A book signing will follow the presentation.

**Introduction to Genealogy**

Please join other *adults* for an Introduction to Genealogy class at the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 28. In this class you will learn how to conduct genealogical research, which types of records are used to track a family’s history, which databases the Library offers to assist your research and what types of resources the Genealogy Department has in its collection to help you fill in the gaps in your family tree. You can add people to your family tree, cite sources, add facts and attach pictures or other digital documents and more!

**Ancestry Library Edition Basics**

The popular genealogy website Ancestry.com can be overwhelming and expensive to use. Your Library has a solution! *Adults* are invited to the Main Library at Goodwood at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, April 14, to find out how use Ancestry Library Edition for genealogy research. Learn tips and techniques for searching effectively and navigating major historical collections like vital records, census lists, immigration, military and directories. You also can browse Public Member Trees to quickly and effortlessly find others who have been researching your family tree.

**Introduction to the Baton Rouge Room & Resources**

You may have heard of the East Baton Rouge Parish Library’s Baton Rouge Room Archives, but do you know exactly what it’s all about? *Adults* are invited to the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 22, learn about the varying types of archives, what the Baton Rouge Room is, and how to research them online or in person for many topics like family and local history.
Dogs 101
Representatives from the Baton Rouge Kennel Club, the Louisiana Capital City Obedience Club and the East Baton Rouge Parish Animal Control and Rescue Center will be at the Main Library at Goodwood at 3 p.m. Sunday, April 12, to give families information on canine care. Topics will include:

- Finding the correct breeder and breed for your family
- Being a responsible dog owner
- What it means if a yellow ribbon is tied around a dog’s neck
- Activities to enjoy with your dog – obedience, agility, pet therapy, tracking and herding
- Laws and regulations concerning dog ownership in East Baton Rouge Parish

Pet Adoption Day at Zachary
Is your family ready to welcome a four-legged friend to your home? Maybe your current pet wants a buddy. Either way, we’ve got you covered! Everyone is invited to the Zachary Branch at 10 a.m. Saturday, April 11, for a pet adoption day featuring dogs from the Dixon Correctional Institute pet shelter.

Do we have your latest information?
Update your Library card. Send us your email address to sgordon@ebrpl.com.

Brain Games:
A Confederacy of Dunces
Everyone is invited to join us at the Pride-Chaneyville Branch at anytime during April, to work on crossword and word search puzzles. All the puzzles will center on the spring One Book One Community selection A Confederacy of Dunces by John Kennedy Toole.

Minecraft Games for Teens
Come to the Central Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 23, to play Minecraft with other teens! Find out if you have what it takes to acquire resources to build the 3D world and survive.

Haikubes Board Game Day for Teens
All teen poets and non-poets can come to the Carver Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 16, to celebrate National Poetry Month with Haikubes, a poetry board game. Simply roll the cubes and use the words that come up to create an expressive haiku poem.

Big Easy Trivia Challenge for Adults
We’re celebrating the spring One Book One Community selection A Confederacy of Dunces by John Kennedy Toole! Adults can come to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 18, to play a New Orleans-themed trivia game! Come battle it out to see who’ll reign with the most ‘Nawlins’ knowledge, and enjoy door prizes, refreshments and more.

Teen Game Day at Jones Creek
Start your engines! Teens are invited to the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 4, to race head-to-head when they play Mario Kart 8 on the Wii U. Refreshments will be served.

Hula Hoop Games for Teens at Carver
Keeping a hula hoop circling around your waist takes a lot of practice and skill, but once you get it going, the fun can last for hours! Teens can come to the Carver Branch at 4 p.m. Monday, April 6, for an afternoon of hula hoop games and discover who’s got the groove!

Wii Videogame Day
If you love to play videogames, you’ll want head over to the Fairwood Branch at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 28, to hang out with other teens and play various games on the Wii. Snack on cookies and lemonade while you get your game on!

Wii U Game Day for Teens
Teens are invited to get their game on at the Scotlandville Branch at 2 p.m. Thursday, April 2! Come to the Library to play Mario Kart and Super Smash Bros. on the Wii U.

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All programs are free and open to the public. Registration for all programs is encouraged. To register, call the Library branch directly. For more information, visit www.ebrpl.com. * Registration required.
*Let’s Dabble in Scrabble*

If you’re an adult word game enthusiast, you’ll want to join others at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday in April to play Scrabble and find out who’ll be the word master! If you’d prefer a fast-paced game with less strategy, we invite you to play Quiddler. If you don’t know how to play, don’t sweat it. Instructors will show you how. Prizes will be awarded.

**Eden Park Teen Gaming Club**

**Teens** are invited to the Eden Park Branch at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 8, to participate in a tournament-style game of NBA Live 08 on the Xbox 360. Do you think you’ve got what it takes to come out on top? Prove it!

**NBA Live Game Day for Teens**

Lace up your sneakers and get ready to play! **Teens** can come to the Baker Branch at 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 7, to hang out with others and play NBA Live on the Xbox 360. Be there!

**Haiku Dice Game for Teens**

**Teens** can join us at the Fairwood Branch at 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, to create haiku poetry using special dice! Once you have your haiku, we will write it out on foam board using colored sharpies. Pick your colors and decorative accents to create your own poetry art!

**Special Presentations & Performances**

**Life & Love from the Happy Tears Holistic Wellness Network**

Woman’s Wellness Coach Sheran Duncan is the founder and senior Facilitator of Happy Tears, Inc., Holistic Wellness Women’s Network. Duncan will be at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 14, to present a seminar for adults that will help women learn the concepts of journaling to assess feelings, reflect on life’s experiences and build a more desired future.

**Walking the Camino with Suzanne Murphree**

**Adults** are invited to enjoy an informative program about “long walks” around the world. Many of these expeditions are appealing for the cultural, historical and spiritual aspects of the area. Suzanne Murphree will be at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, April 16, to share a slide show presentation that will include pictures of her journey in Spain while on one of the most important Christian pilgrimages that leads to the remains of St. James.

**Mardi Gras Memories with Claude Lindsey**

Local photography hobbyist Claude Lindsey will be at the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 18, to share a slide presentation with adults of the wonderfully wild celebration that is Mardi Gras! You’ll see photos of various Carnival happenings like parades, street scenes, parties and even celebrities! Don’t forget to check out Lindsey’s Mardi Gras exhibit on display throughout April.

**The ABC’s of Woodworking Series for Adults**

If you want to learn how to do woodworking projects, this program series is for you! Come to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 11, to join other adults in learning the fundamentals of woodworking. You’ll gain knowledge of the tools, techniques, wood, safety, and other relevant topics. The presentations will cover the proper use of tools like table saws, miter saws, routers, drill presses, circular saws, biscuit joiners, planers, jointers and other important shop tools.

**Science**

**Telescope Training Class**

**Adults** can come to the Main Library at Goodwood at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 9, for a brief presentation on how to use and care for the Library’s Dobsonian telescope. This telescope is also available to borrow. All that is required is attendance at the training class and your Library card.
**Teen Advisors**

*Zachary Tween Council Meeting*

_Tweens in grades 6 and 7_ can park it at the Zachary Branch at 2 p.m. Tuesday, April 7, for our council meeting! Come give us input on the kinds of programs and events you want. Don’t worry; there won’t be all work and no play. After the meeting we’ll get our game on when we play all kinds of games! Light refreshments will be served.

**Eden Park Teen Advisory Board**

Help us make the Library a fun place to be! Grab your friends and join other teens at the Eden Park Branch at 3 p.m. Thursday, April 16, to suggest program ideas, create programs, help decorate the Teen Department and make new friends along the way.

**Main Library Teen Advisory Board**

The Main Library at Goodwood is seeking dedicated teens for our new Teen Advisory Board (TAB). Teens will meet once-a-month starting at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 18, to assist the Library in planning programs and projects. We need you to help us make the teen section the best that it can be! TAB meetings and projects will count as volunteer hours and membership looks great on college applications.

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**Kids’ Stuff**

**Get Caught Reading!**

Do you want your name to be added to the Readers’ Wall of Fame? All you have to do is celebrate National Drop Everything & Read Day by coming to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at any time Saturday, April 11, and be caught reading in the Library! If you are busted enjoying a book, we’ll add your name to the list of other eager readers _ages birth to 11-years-old_.

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**Special Presentations & Performances for Kids**

**Bugs, Bugs, Bugs Live Insect Demonstration**

If creepy crawlers are your thing, you’ll want to join other _children ages 4 and up_ at the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 11, for a live insect demonstration! Louisiana State University AgCenter Assistant Professor Jeff Davis will be at the Library to share fun facts about various insects.

**The Unselfish Crow Puppet Show**

_Kids ages 2-6_ can come to the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 3 and 3:30 p.m. Sunday, April 19, for a special performance. Children from Florida Boulevard Baptist Church will be at the Library to present a short Christian-themed puppet show called The Unselfish Crow.

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**Anime All the Way**

**Anime Movie & Zen Gardening for Teens**

_Teens_ can join others at the Scotlandville Branch at 3:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, for a tasty treat and an anime film screening. Stick around afterwards to help us put together and decorate a Zen garden for the teen area!

**Eden Park Anime Club for Teens**

Enjoy the company of other _teen_ anime enthusiasts at the Eden Park Branch at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 7. Watch your favorite shows while you munch on Ramen noodles!

**Anime Day at Bluebonnet Regional**

If anime is your thing, you’ll want to join other teens at the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 3 p.m. Thursday, April 23, for an afternoon of Ramen noodles and anime movies!

**Anime Afternoon at the Main Library**

We love anime just as much as you do! That’s why we’re inviting _teens_ to the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 4, to spend the afternoon chowing down on Ramen noodles and watching anime on the Library’s Crunchyroll account!

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**Beauty & Hair**

*Glamour Day for Teen Girls*

Do you need to look great for a special event? If you want to learn some makeup tips and techniques, you’ll want to join other _teen girls_ at the Fairwood Branch at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 11, for an all-out glamour day! All supplies will be provided.

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Carver Book Bunch Club

Join other children ages 9-11 at the Carver Branch at 3:30 p.m. Monday, April 20, to hear book talks on newly-published children’s titles. After sharing, we’ll enjoy playing video games on the Xbox 360.

*Read Well at Greenwell Children’s Book Club

Children ages 7-11 are invited to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, April 18, to discuss our previous read. Each child is encouraged to share with the group a visual that relates to the story.

*Zealous Zachary Bookworms

Kids ages 8-11 are invited to the Zachary Branch at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 29, for the final book club meeting of the spring. We’ll discuss the Louisiana Young Readers’ Choice (LYRC) book The Humming Room by Ellen Potter. Afterwards, we’ll make an origami bookmark and play videogames on the Xbox 360.

*Step into Reading Children’s Book Club

The Main Library at Goodwood has started a new book club for children ages 7-9 to join! Starting at 6:30 p.m. Monday, April 27, kids are invited to enjoy book trivia, puzzles and all kinds of reading fun!

*Cover 2 Cover Book Club

Children ages 8-11 are invited to the Central Branch at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 9, for a story time and discussion featuring Prince Puggly of Spud and the Kingdom of Spiff. Make your own royal crown craft and play Minecraft after the story.

High Five Book Club

Children ages 8-11 can come to the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 16, to discuss Hurricane Katrina’s impact on a family as described in Buddy by M.H. Herlong. Later, we’ll have a relay race and discuss what we’d pack to evacuate if we only had a one-hour notice.

*Fairwood Awesome Bookworms (FAB)

The Fairwood Awesome Bookworms (FAB) is celebrating Humor Month! Come to the Fairwood Branch at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, and we’ll tickle your funny bone with humorous stories, joke books and more! Later, children ages 8-11 will play a game of charades!

*The Artsy Smartsy Book Club

Children ages 4-11 can come to the Pride-Chaneyville Branch at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 18, to hear a reading of Chasing Degas by Eva Montanari. Later, we’ll create an aluminum foil action sculpture craft.

Introduction to Chess for Kids

If you’ve wanted to learn how to play chess, here’s your chance! Children 10 and up can come to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 4, to learn the concepts and basics of chess.

*Greenwell Springs Children’s Scrabble Club

Turn mumbo-jumbo into real words! Children ages 7-11 are invited to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, April 25, to have a blast playing Scrabble. Points go to the child with the best letter combinations, skill and luck!
*Lego Builders’ Story Time & Workshop

Kids ages 3-8 can gather at the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 11, to hear a reading of *If I Built a Car* by Chris Van Dusen. Later, we’ll have some fun with the Library’s new Lego Builders kit. Let your imagination run wild when you make unique creations for everyone to see!

*All the Water in the World Story & Science Experiment

Children ages 6-10 can come to the Bluebonnet Regional Branch at 3 p.m. Tuesday, April 7, to hear a reading of *All the Water in the World* by George Ella Lyon. Afterwards, we’ll perform science experiments involving surface tension, oil spill cleanup and dispersion.

*Mother Goose Fun Time Story/Craft

Children ages 2-5 can join us at the Fairwood Branch at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 18, for a funMother Goose-themed story time. Stick around for a chance to make a Humpty Dumpty craft!

*The Very Fairy Princess Story/Craft

If you like princesses and fairy tales, you’ll want join other children ages 3-7 at the Delmont Gardens Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 30, for a special story time and craft! Come hear a reading of *The Very Fairy Princess* by Julie Andrews. Hang out after the story for a craft and use Popsicle sticks to make a princess!

*Save, Spend & Give Story/Craft

It is never too early to learn good financial stewardship. Children ages 6-8 are invited to the Carver Branch at 4 p.m. Monday, April 13, to hear a reading of *Three Cups* by Tony Townsley and Mark St. Germain. This children’s book will share a lesson on life situations and money. Later, we’ll make a piggy bank craft!

*Spring Pinwheels Story/Craft

Come enjoy a reading of *When the Wind Blew* by Alison Jackson at the Zachary Branch at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 7! Later, children ages 6-11 will make a pinwheel craft that will spin in the spring wind.

*Bottle Beasts Story/Craft

Pop over to the Carver Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 23, to hear a reading of *King Jack and the Dragon* by Peter Bently with other children ages 5-7. Afterwards, we’ll decorate a painted bottle craft.
**Two-Day Multicultural Program for Kids**

*Children ages 3-11* are invited to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch for a two-day multicultural celebration! Head over to the Library at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, to celebrate cultures and languages by participating in a demonstration of the Muzzy Online Language Learning database. After the demonstration, make a cool craft and watch a movie. Come back to the Library at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 16, to hear a reading of *Say Hola to Spanish at the Circus* by Susan Middleton Elya. Later, we’ll make a bright and colorful Mexican mask craft and watch a movie.

**Sombrero Story/Craft**

Would you like your own Mexican-style hat? Head over to the Pride-Chaneyville Branch at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 4, to hang out with other *kids ages 5-11* and hear a reading of *The Horned Toad Prince* by Jackie Hopkins. Later, we’ll make a sombrero craft!

**Many Lands, Many Tales Story/Craft**

Do you want to hear about different countries and cultures? *Children ages 7-9* can come to the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 25, to hear stories featuring the cultures of Mexico, Japan and China. Afterwards, we’ll create a multicultural wreath craft.

**Water, Water Everywhere Story/Craft**

*Children ages 7-11* can come to the Scotlandville Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 9, to enjoy a water-themed story time and craft program. We’ll hear a reading of *The Rain Came Down* by David Shannon. Afterwards, we’ll create an umbrella craft with dripping glue rain drops.

**Stormy Weather Story/Craft**

You’re invited to the Delmont Gardens Branch at 4 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, to hear a reading of *Stormy Weather* by Debi Gliori. Afterwards, *children ages 6-9* will make an umbrella craft out of paper to depict April showers.

**Planting a Rainbow Story/Craft**

Head over to the Delmont Gardens Branch at 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, to hear a reading of *Planting a Rainbow* by Lois Ehlert. Later, *children ages 5-9* will make a rainbow craft using junk drawer items.

**National Library Week Bookmark Story/Craft**

To celebrate National Library Week, *children ages 7-11* are invited to the Scotlandville Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 16, to hear a reading of *The Midnight Library* by Kazuno Kohara. Later, we’ll create an animal bookmark craft.

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All programs are free and open to the public. Registration for all programs is encouraged. To register, call the Library branch directly. For more information, visit www.ebrpl.com. * Registration required.
*It’s Spring Story/Craft*

After listening to *Wake up, It’s Spring!* by Lisa Ernst, **children ages 4-8** will create a bunny rabbit puppet craft. Come to the Pride-Chaneyville Branch at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 11, to join the fun!

*Earth Day Story/Craft*

It is very important that we take care of our planet. **Children ages 6 and up** can come to the Jones Creek Regional Branch at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 18, to hear a reading of *All the Water in the World* by George Lyon. Afterwards, we’ll create an earth picture craft using watercolors.

*Arbor Day Paper Towel Roll Tree Story/Craft*

Come show your appreciation for the earth’s beautiful trees! **Children ages 3-5** will hear a reading of *Oliver’s Tree* by Kit Chase at the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 25. Later, we’ll make a paper towel roll and tissue paper tree craft.

*Earth Day 3D Book Story/Craft*

Let’s celebrate the earth! Come to the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 18, to hear *What Happens to Our Trash?* by D.J. Ward. Later, **kids ages 9-11** will make a 3D earth booklet craft.

*A Buggy Story/Craft*

Do you like bugs? If you said yes, you’ll want to come to the Pride-Chaneyville Branch at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 25, to hear *Beetle McGrady Eats Bugs* by Jane Manning. Afterwards, **children ages 5-11** construct a bug jar kit to take home!

*E is for Earth Day Story/Craft*

Come to the Central Branch at 4 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, to hear short stories from *E is for Environment: Stories to Help Children Care for Their World at Home, at School, and at Play* by Ian James Corlett. Later, **children ages 6-9** will make earth crafts using watercolors and coffee filters.

*Simpson’s Sheep Won’t Go to Sleep Story/Craft*

Do you count sheep when you’re trying to fall asleep at night? **Children ages 4-8** can come to the Delmont Gardens Branch at 4 p.m. Monday, April 6, to hear a reading of *Simpson’s Sheep Won’t Go to Sleep* by Bruce Arant. Later, we’ll make sheep pictures using fingerprints in paint.

*Roly Poly Birds Story/Craft*

**Kids ages 4-7** are invited to the Fairwood Branch at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 11, to hear *Roly-Poly Egg* by Kali Stileman and *There Is a Bird on Your Head* by Mo Willems. After the stories, we’ll make a roly poly bird craft!

*Hatching Egg Story/Craft*

It’s time to celebrate Easter! Come to the Eden Park Branch at 4 p.m. Thursday, April 2, to hear a fun story with other **children ages 5-8**. We’ll read *Happy Easter* by Liesbet Slegers. Later, we’ll make a hatching chick craft.

*Megg-a’ Fun Story/Craft*

Come to the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Monday, April 6, to hear two stories featuring egg mix-ups! After the stories, **children ages 8-11** will make a spring necklace craft with painted eggs and silken cord.

*Paper Petal Story/Craft*

Let’s celebrate spring with a flower-themed story time and craft! **Kids ages 8-11** are invited to the Zachary Branch at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 11, to hear a reading of *Planting a Rainbow* by Lois Ehlert. Later, we’ll make a small flower bouquet craft using colorful paper!

*Spring Paper Flowers Story/Craft*

**Children ages 9-11** are invited to enjoy a spring-themed poetry story time and craft at the Main Library at Goodwood at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, April 18. Afterwards, we’ll decorate tree branches with colorful handmade paper flowers!
Get Started with OverDrive Screening Room

Your East Baton Rouge Parish Library has expanded its services with streaming video powered by OverDrive and available to enjoy from the library’s website. You’ll have instant FREE access to streaming video with a growing catalog of digital feature films, documentaries, educational, children’s favorites and more with a modern, easy-to-use viewing experience! You can browse the video selection on the Library’s website, borrow titles with a valid Library card, and stream on most mobile and desktop devices. All videos will automatically expire at the end of the lending period. There are no late fees! Visit http://overdrive.ebrpl.com/screeningroom to browse for eBooks and digital audiobooks in addition to streaming video. You can find helpful tools and information, like contacting support, by clicking the Help button on the digital collection.

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Don’t Forget to Sign Up for the Read 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Program!

The concept is simple, and the rewards are priceless! Read any book to your child or children from infant to preschooler as part of the East Baton Rouge Parish Library’s 1,000 Books before Kindergarten program. If your child asks you to read the same book more than once, please do – over and over!

The goal is to have read 1,000 books to your child before he or she starts kindergarten. If you read just one book a night, you will have read about 365 books in a year. That is 730 books in two years and 1,095 books in three years. So let’s get started!

Parents can enroll in the program at any location of the East Baton Rouge Parish Library, in the Children’s Room. Library staff can offer book title suggestions, too. When your child reaches the goals of 250, 500, 750 and 1,000 books, your East Baton Rouge Parish Library will have special reading incentive gifts just for them. They include:

• 250 books – A special sticker and a book bag
• 500 books – A special sticker and a decal of Off We Go! by Will Hillenbrand
• 750 books – A special sticker and a poster of Off We Go!
• 1,000 books – A special sticker and a certificate of merit, a copy of Off We Go! by Will Hillenbrand and an invitation to a special party to be held every spring at the Main Library at Goodwood for those who complete the program.

The program ends when your child reaches 1,000 books or starts kindergarten. But the gift of reading lasts a lifetime! “With this and every other program we have, Children’s Services works to help children become curious readers, always wondering what lies beyond the next page,” said Children’s Coordinator Pabby Arnold.

BR City Key Version 3.0: Unlocking Baton Rouge

The BR City Key website maps a variety of sites and services, and is intended to help community members and policy-makers learn about the health and assets of the community. It provides local health data, resources, best practices, information about community events and neighborhood discussion boards. Adults are invited to the Main Library at Goodwood this month to learn about what the BR City Key 3.0 offers including local resources and a wealth of information in one, accessible, user-friendly location. Community groups, schools, health associations, businesses and individuals can use this information to show the great benefits of living in Baton Rouge, as well as opportunities for improvement. The data on the site is consistently updated to provide the latest, accurate information. Partners for providing information sources include City and Parish geographic information systems and OpenDataBR. Visit the new BR City Key 3.0 website at www.brcitykey.com to take the tour! Dates, times and locations of introductory classes are listed below.

2 p.m. Tuesday, April 14
7 p.m. Wednesday, April 15
9 a.m. Saturday, April 18

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<td>• The Seekers’ Book Club&lt;br&gt;3 p.m. Sunday, April 19&lt;br&gt;<em>Beautiful in God’s Eyes</em> by Elizabeth George&lt;br&gt;• Louisiana Reads Book Club&lt;br&gt;6:30 p.m. Monday, April 20&lt;br&gt;<em>Wading Home: A Novel of New Orleans</em> by Rosalyn Story</td>
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### The Comic Book Panel

If you love comic books and want to discuss them with other comic book enthusiasts, this book club is for you! **Adults and teens** are invited to the Main Library at Goodwood at 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, to chat about Deadpool, a and character appearing in published by.

### Teen Book Club at Greenwell Springs

If you’re a **teen** book-lover, you’ll want to join us at the Greenwell Springs Road Regional Branch at 2 p.m. Saturday, April 25, for a discussion of **Ranger’s Apprentice: The Ruins of Gorlan** by John Flanagan. Chat with your peers about your take on the book!

### Fairwood Teen Book Club Meeting

**Teens**, come tell us about your favorite books! Gather at the Fairwood Branch at 3:30 p.m. Thursday, April 9, to discuss great reads and choose a new one for the next meeting. Stick around after the discussion for fun board games. Light refreshments will be served.

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**Check out the One Book One Community event line up on ebrpl.libguides.com/dunces**

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East Baton Rouge Parish Library

April 2015, The Source 21
Storytime at the Library

Storytime gives children an excellent introduction to books and the library, increases their attention spans and develops their social skills by involving them in stories, poetry and songs. The Children’s Services staff hopes Storytime will be an enjoyable experience for each child, leading to a lifelong love of books and reading. You are always welcome to attend Storytime with your child. We offer many different Storytime formats. Since children develop at different rates, you may talk with one of our Library staff members to place your child in a younger or older group. For more information, call your local Library. Organized groups must reserve a date and time other than those listed below.

### Lapsit – birth through crawling

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In addition to free online classes in Gale Courses (formerly Learn4Life), Learning Express and our newest resources, Atomic Training, Treehouse and Lynda, the following computer classes will be held throughout the month of April. Registration for some classes is required. For more information or to register, call the Library branch directly or log on to www.ebrpl.com for free resources and downloads.

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Visit a Library branch near you for free WiFi and computer use!
On View at the Library

Bluebonnet Branch

Highland Road Artists
Artist involved with the local group Highland Road Artists will display their work in the Bluebonnet Gallery. Past exhibit mediums have featured charcoal portraits, acrylic and oil on canvas, and watercolor.

Greenwell Springs Road

Regional Branch

Behind the Lens
Photographs in varying techniques and genres will be on display by the Louisiana Photographic Society.

Student Artwork
New works by student artist Stacie James will display her art in various media which consists of paintings and drawings.

Jones Creek Regional Branch

Wood Carvings
Baton Rouge woodcarver, Clyde Sandifer displays some of his intricate wood sculptures.

Mardi Gras Highlights
Claude Lindsey shares 25 years of Mardi Gras memorabilia!