Candidate Forums | Town Meetings

**Candidate Forums**
- East Baton Rouge
  - State Senator District 6
  - District Judge 19th ES 1, DIV J
  - Judge, Family Court Election Section 3 Division D

**River Center Library Branch**
250 North Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70802

**Tuesday, September 12 • 6:00 - 7:30 PM**

**Candidate Forums**
- East Baton Rouge
  - BESE District 8

**Carver Library Branch**
2300 North Blvd., Baton Rouge, LA 70802

**Wednesday, September 13 • 6:30 - 7:30 PM**

**Candidate Forums**
- East Baton Rouge
  - BESE District 6

**Bluebonnet Library Branch**
9200 Bluebonnet Boulevard, Baton Rouge, LA 70810

**Thursday, September 14 • 6:00 - 7:30 PM**

**Candidate Forums**
- Sheriff
- Clerk of Court
- State Representative District 65

**Greenwell Springs Library**
2400 Greenwell Springs Road, Baton Rouge, LA 70814

**Thursday, September 14 • 5:30 - 7:30 PM**

**Florida Corridor Plan Open House Meetings**
- Tuesday, September 12
  - 5:30 - 7:30 PM
  - River Center Library Branch
  - Open House

**Community Listening Sessions**
The Capitol Area Transit System (CATS) hosted a series of public Listening sessions for the Empower Baton Rouge Transit Study. This study will work with the community to identify transportation challenges in the city of Baton Rouge and a plan to fix them. Tell us how you currently use transit, what it does or does not do for you, and what you like about existing bus service.

The in-person listening sessions will be open house style to allow participants to review the information on their own pace. Project team members will be available to answer questions.

**Phase 1 Goals:**

- Share the findings from the existing conditions analysis
- Hear from the community what barriers you experience when using transit

**How to Participate:**

- Join us in person at the sessions listed to the right
- Scan the QR code below to join virtually or visit: www.brcats.com/page/empower-baton-rouge-transit-study
- Submit written comments via email to info@brcats.com or via mail to: ATTN: Empower Baton Rouge - Transit Study
  - Capitol Area Transit System
  - 3250 Florida Boulevard
  - Baton Rouge, LA 70802

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Zachary leaders hold a forum Aug. 10 to discuss solutions to crime. Councilwoman Jennifer Boyd, speaking at the lectern in the center, is flanked by, from left, Assistant Police Chief Roderick Ennis, Police Chief Darryl Lawrence, Mayor David McDavid and
Black Business Block Party
Jones Creek Area Business Community Expo

Mayor-President
Sharon Weston Broome
Aug 19 •
We’re celebrating Black Business Month with a Block Party at the Main Library🎉 Tonight… See more

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Ukuleles! Ed Perkins Jazz Band!
SoleLab Hip Hop Fest! BRSO! BRCB!
BR Civic Orchestra! Musical Petting Zoo!

Check Your SOURCE for details!

Dancer and saxophonist Kenrie Martin stokes a pose during a performance from the TMM Project at the Sole Lab Hip Hop Festival at the Main Library at Goodwood on Sunday, September 3, 2023 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

STAFF PHOTO BY MICHAEL JOHNSON

The Sole Lab Hip Hop Festival returned to the Main Library at Goodwood following a rain out earlier in the year to celebrate 50 years of Hip Hop. Hosted by Mark Dub and DJ Sole Lab, local performers from hip hop and dance, artist and vendors came together for the celebration.
Home Library Pilot Project

3rd Graders in 6 Schools:
• Claiborne Elementary
• Jefferson Terrace Elementary
• La BelleAire Elementary
• McKinley Elementary
• Melrose Elementary (via The BR Rotary Club)
• Winbourne Elementary

Current Partners:
• EBR Schools
• Patrons of the Public Library
• Kid Scoop News
• The Baton Rouge Rotary Club
• BR Parents’ Family Resource Group Foundation
• Line 4 Line
• BR Alliance for Students
Summer May be Over—
But we still like STEM STUFF!

East Baton Rouge Parish Library Kids

Children at the Delmont Gardens Library got to experiment with chain reactions!

Kids at the Bluebonnet Library got to make fun LEGO creations!
Wi-Fi 2 Geaux
In the News...
Global Interest via French “Arte” TV Broadcast

French TV “Arte” Covers Circulating HotSpots
Virtual Author Talk Series

Remember – Author Talks are archived at library.org/ebrpl
More with Strictly Business

Strictly Business Episode 8: Mike Polito

Join us for a casual conversation with Louisiana’s most inspiring and influential CEOs and entrepreneurs. They’ll share their personal stories of leading through successes and challenges, and lessons learned. Get inside insights on reading market opportunities, growing and transforming your organization, dealing with crisis and more.

What are the ups and downs of being an entrepreneur? How do you secure sufficient capital in the start-up phase? And what’s the secret to business development?

NRK Construction founder and owner Norisha Kirts Glover will share those insights and more on the July episode of Strictly Business. The webcast will air at 11 a.m. July 19. Register here.

Norisha grew up in Tioga, Louisiana and holds two degrees from LSU: a bachelor’s degree in communications and a master’s degree in public administration.

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Get insights into the art of being an entrepreneur from Norisha Kirts Glover on Strictly Business in July.
Save the Date: 10th Annual Maker Faire on October 7

Baton Rouge Maker Faire®

Ten Years in the Making!

Baton Rouge Maker Faire®

October 7
10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Main Library at Goodwood

Don't miss this family-friendly showcase of invention and creativity!

batonrouge.makerfaire.com
SAVE THE DATE:

46th Annual Author-Illustrator Series

Featuring Author/Poet Carole Boston Weatherford & her son, Illustrator/Poet Jeffery Boston Weatherford

96th Annual Author-Illustrator Program 2023

CAROLE BOSTON WEATHERFORD

JEFFERY BOSTON WEATHERFORD

September 28 & 29

Main Library at Goodwood 7711 Goodwood Blvd. www.EBRPL.com
Rooftop Terrace Project is Complete

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Flag Box Project is Coming
Bookmobile and Outreach Services phones are down due to construction. See how to contact us.