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## Children's Summer Reading ChallengeAges 0-11June 1, 2025 - August 15, 2025

Join the challenge and read to earn cool incentives!

• Log the books and/or time you read:

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- o 1 book = 1 point
- 30 minutes = 2 points
- Earn up to 6 drawing entries (one for every 5 points earned) for a chance to win something awesome in the weekly drawing!
- Earn 30 points total to complete the challenge and earn a certificate, a FREE book, a cool bag, a chance to win a gift card, and more!

#### August 15 is the last day to collect incentives.

### Join the challenge in the Beanstack app or at ebrpl.beanstack.org!

- Log in with your existing account or create an account.
  - A phone number or personal email address is required to be eligible to win any drawing incentives.
  - Use one account for the whole family!

If you previously participated in a library reading program and do not know your Beanstack account information or if you have questions, see staff for assistance.

# SUMERREADING KIGK=OFFPARING

### Thursday, May 29 @ the Main Library

Join us for music, magic, community booths, and other fun activities for the whole family!

Tim the Magician



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# ENDOF SUMMER READING PARTIES!

Join us for bouncy houses, games, prizes, face painting, balloon animals, magic, refreshments, and more!

Monday, July 28 South Branch @ 10 AM Jones Creek Regional @ 5 PM

### **Tuesday, July 29** Greenwell Springs Regional @ 10 AM



Wednesday, July 30 Main Library @ 10 AM

### PARTIES LAST 2 HOURS AGES 2-11

Groups are required to register. Call the library location to register.

### June & July Storytimes



Lapsit: For babies birth through crawling. Lasts 15 to 20 minutes.

**Toddler Time:** For babies walking through 2 years old. Lasts 20 to 25 minutes.

**Preschool:** For children 3 to 5 years old. Lasts 25 to 30 minutes.

**Family:** For children of various ages. Lasts 25 to 30 mintues.

No storytime at South on June 12.

No storytime at Bluebonnet on June 17.

No storytime or programs at any location on June 19, in observance of Juneteenth.

No storytime at Zachary on July 23.

No storytime or programs at any location the week of July 27.

#### TUESDAYS

- 9:45 AM
   Preschool @ Jones Creek
- 10:00 AM • Toddler Time @ Main •
- 10:30 AM
  - Lapsit @ Main
  - Toddler Time @ Jones Creek
  - Preschool @ Main & Bluebonnet
  - Family @ Greenwell Springs & Central
- 11:15 AM

   Lapsit @ Jones Creek
- 7:00 PM

   Family @ Main

#### WEDNESDAYS

- 10:00 AM
   Family @ Zachary
- 10:30 AM
   Toddler Time @ Bluebonnet
- 11:30 AM
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  - 🖌 🕺 Family @ Fairwood
- 5:00 PM
   Family @ River Center
- 6:00 PM
  - Family @ Delmont Gardens

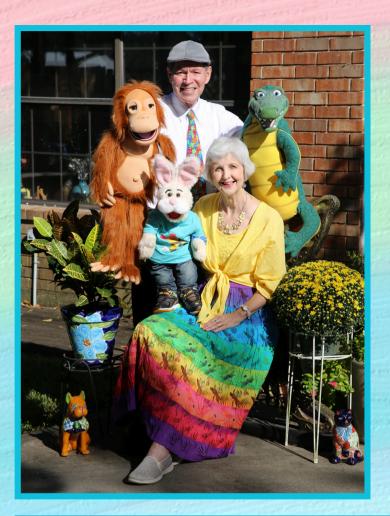
#### THURSDAYS

- 10:00 AM

   Preschool @ Carver
- 2 10:30 AM ○ Family @ South

#### SATURDAYS, 6/14 & 7/12

- 10:00 AM
  - Preschool @ Delmont Gardens



### Harvey Rabbit and Friends

Join Harvey Rabbit, Cecil the Orangutan, Miss Laura, and Mr. Tim as they bring fun to the library with ventriloquism, puppetry, music, magic, and comedy! It just wouldn't be summer without this gang's fun and entertainment!

DATE	ТІМЕ	LOCATION
Tuesday, May 27	10:00 AM	River Center Branch
Wednesday, May 28	10:00 AM	Carver Branch
Wednesday, May 28	2:30 PM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Thursday, May 29	2:30 PM	Central Branch
Friday, June 13	10:00 AM	Pride-Chaneyville Branch
Wednesday, June 18	10:00 AM	South Branch
Wednesday, June 18	2:30 PM	Main Library
Thursday, July 3	10:00 AM	Baker Branch
Thursday, July 3	2:30 PM	Zachary Branch
Monday, July 7	10:00 AM	Bluebonnet Regional
Monday, July 7	2:30 PM	Jones Creek Regional



### BRBT's Youth Ballet presents **"The Great Candyland Adventure"**



Join us for a deliciously colorful ballet. Two lovable sisters, Lilly and Lolly, have been sent on a quest by Queen Frostine to collect tasty treats throughout her kingdom. Will they stay on the right path and dance their way to the finish line or will Lady Licorice sabotage them and lead them into the Molasses Swamp?

DATE	ТІМЕ	LOCATION
Thursday, June 5	9:30 AM	Zachary Branch
Thursday, June 5	11:30 AM	Central Branch
Thursday, June 5	1:30 PM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Monday, June 9	9:30 AM	Main Library
Monday, June 9	11:30 AM	Carver Branch
Monday, June 9	1:30 PM	Bluebonnet Regional
Monday, June 9	3:30 PM	Jones Creek Regional
Tuesday, June 10	9:30 AM	Fairwood Branch
Tuesday, June 10	1:30 PM	<b>River Center Branch</b>
Tuesday, June 10	3:30 PM	South Branch

Registration may be required to attend. Call the library location for registration information.



#### Living Without Sight: How Blind People See in Other Ways

#### Ages 5-11 and families

Friday, June 6, 10:30 AM @ Jones Creek Regional Library



Living without sight is a part of everyday life for many in our community. If you'd like to gain some insight into how someone navigates the word while blind, join us for a conversation with Mary Haupt. Ms.Haupt, blind since birth, will present information about how it feels to be blind, and tools that she uses to help her "see" and function in the world.

Groups are required to register. For more information, call 225-756-1160.

#### CHECK OUT THESE ONE-TIME PERFORMANCES!

#### **Cangelosi Dance Project**

#### Ages 5-11

Thursday, June 12, 10:00 AM @ South Branch Library

Cangelosi Dance Project present their annual summer dance performance with choreography by Kris Cangelosi performed by her company in a variety of jazz, modern, and ballet styles.

Groups are required to register. For more information, call 225-964-5416.

# LA Snake ID

Want to overcome your fear of snakes? Want to learn about the benefits of snakes? Want to hold a LIVE snake? Here's your chance! The Hood family from Louisiana Snake ID is sharing their passion for snakes through this interactive demonstration with both native and exotic snake species.

Ages 5& up

DATE	ТІМЕ	LOCATION
Monday, June 9	10:00 AM	Zachary Branch
Monday, June 9	2:30 PM	Delmont Gardens Branch
Wednesday, June 11	10:00 AM	River Center Branch
Wednesday, June 11	2:30 PM	Jones Creek Regional
Thursday, June 12	10:00 AM	Baker Branch
Thursday, June 12	2:30 PM	Fairwood Branch
Monday, June 16	10:00 AM	Pride-Chaneyville Branch
Monday, June 16	2:30 PM	Bluebonnet Regional
Wednesday, June 18	10:00 AM	Main Library
Wednesday, June 18	2:30 PM	Carver Branch
Monday, June 23	10:00 AM	South Branch
Wednesday, June 25	10:00 AM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Wednesday, June 25	2:30 PM	Central Branch
Thursday, June 26	10:00 AM	Eden Park Branch

### **PigOutOnReading!**

Farmer Minor tells stories (all true) about Daisy's formative years with Farmer and Mrs. Minor and shares many of her favorite pig books. Daisy probably has the world's largest collection of pig books and is the "most famous pig in the whole world!"

DATE	ТІМЕ	LOCATION
Monday, June 16	10:00 AM	River Center Branch
Monday, June 16	2:30 PM	Zachary Branch
Tuesday, June 17	10:00 AM	Bluebonnet Regional
Tuesday, June 17	2:30 PM	Main Library
Wednesday, June 18	10:00 AM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Wednesday, June 18	2:30 PM	Jones Creek Regional
Friday, June 20	10:00 AM	Baker Branch
Saturday, June 21	10:00 AM	Delmont Gardens Branch
Monday, June 23	10:00 AM	Central Branch
Monday, June 23	2:30 PM	Carver Branch
Tuesday, June 24	10:00 AM	Eden Park Branch
Tuesday, June 24	2:30 PM	South Branch
Wednesday, June 25	10:00 AM	Pride-Chaneyville Branch
Wednesday, June 25	2:30 PM	Fairwood Branch

Registration may be required to attend. Call the library location for registration information.

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Poetry springs hilariously to life as soon as shadow puppets hit the screen! "A Wild Goose Chase" is an interactive live performance that combines shadow puppetry with poetry. Young people will be entertained, engaged, and inspired to read and write poetry on their own!

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Monday, June 16	10:00 AM	South Branch
Monday, June 16	2:00 PM	Jones Creek Regional
Monday, June 16	6:00 PM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Tuesday, June 17	10:00 AM	Zachary Branch
Tuesday, June 17	2:00 PM	Central Branch
Tuesday, June 17	6:00 PM	Delmont Gardens Branch
Monday, June 23	10:00 AM	Main Library
Monday, June 23	2:00 PM	Bluebonnet Regional
Monday, June 23	6:00 PM	Fairwood Branch



### Cereal Box Collage Workshop with Michael Albert



Join pop artist Michael Albert for his hands-on Cereal Box Collage Workshop. Kids and their families will create their own masterpieces using cereal boxes and other colorful cardboard packages. All participants will receive a free signed poster of one of Albert's creations as a special gift for joining him in this creative art making session. This workshop is two hours long and is designed for kids and their families.

DATE	ТІМЕ	LOCATION
Thursday, June 26	10:00 AM	Zachary Branch
Thursday, June 26	2:30 PM	Jones Creek Regional
Friday, June 27	10:00 AM	Eden Park Branch
Friday, June 27	2:30 PM	Fairwood Branch
Saturday, June 28	10:00 AM	Bluebonnet Regional
Saturday, June 28	2:30 PM	River Center Branch
Monday, June 30	10:00 AM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Monday, June 30	2:30 PM	South Branch
Wednesday, July 2	10:00 AM	Central Branch
Wednesday, July 2	2:30 PM	Main Library

Families are required to register. Sorry, no groups. Call the library location to register.

#### Families with Children Ages 5-11

### CharlietheNoiseGuypresents Sound Safari Theater

Charlie the Noiseguy is a vocal sound effectionist who teaches kids how to create funny sounds with their mouths and how to use them in stories, cartoons, and reading out LOUD. Join Charlie to hear noisy tales about dinosaurs, airplanes, sneezes, and toilets and learn how to make your own sound effects!

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Monday, July 7	10:00 AM	Carver Branch
Monday, July 7	2:30 PM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Tuesday, July 8	10:00 AM	Pride-Chaneyville Branch
Tuesday, July 8	2:30 PM	Central Branch
Wednesday, July 9	10:00 AM	River Center Branch
Wednesday, July 9	2:30 PM	South Branch
Thursday, July 10	10:00 AM	Eden Park Branch
Thursday, July 10	2:30 PM	Fairwood Branch
Friday, July 11	10:00 AM	Baker Branch
Friday, July 11	2:30 PM	Jones Creek Regional
Saturday, July 12	10:00 AM	Bluebonnet Regional
Saturday, July 12	2:30 PM	Delmont Gardens Branch
Monday, July 14	10:00 AM	Main Library
Monday, July 14	2:30 PM	Zachary Branch





# Bright Star Theatre



Join Lenny and Mabel for a fun and interactive show. Dance at the ball with Cinderella and challenge the giant with Jack and the Beanstalk as these stories come to life in front of your very eyes!



TIME	LOCATION
10:00 AM	Main Library
6:00 PM	Bluebonnet Regional
2:30 PM	Carver Branch
3:00 PM	Fairwood Branch
10:00 AM	River Center Branch
2:00 PM	Jones Creek Branch
6:00 PM	Delmont Gardens Branch
6:00 PM	Greenwell Springs Regional
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See the next page for more shows from Bright Star Theatre.

### Alices Adventures In Wonderland

Join us for an imaginative ride. Join the Queen of Hearts, the Cheshire Cat, the Mad Hatter, and Alice on this adventure in Wonderland.



DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Thursday, July 10	2:00 PM	South Branch
Friday, July 11	10:00 AM	Eden Park Branch
Friday, July 11	2:30 PM	Central Branch
Tuesday, July 15	10:00 AM	Baker Branch

### PeterPan

Join Lenny and Mabel as they work to bring this literary classic to life in a hysterical play within a play. Enjoy the antics of Tinkerbell, the bumbling Captain Hook, Darling Wendy, and of course the free-spirited adventurous boy who just wouldn't grow up.



DATE	ТІМЕ	LOCATION
Saturday, July 12	10:00 AM	Zachary Branch
Tuesday, July 15	2:00 PM	Pride-Chaneyville Branch



### **Tri-Parish Ballet presents** *"Under the Big Top"*



Join us for a delightful and enchanting ballet performance by talented young dancers as they present "Under the Big Top."

DATE	ТІМЕ	LOCATION
Monday, July 14	2:30 PM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Tuesday, July 15	10:00 AM	South Branch
Wednesday, July 16	10:00 AM	Jones Creek Regional
Monday, July 21	2:30 PM	Zachary Branch
Tuesday, July 22	2:30 PM	Bluebonnet Regional

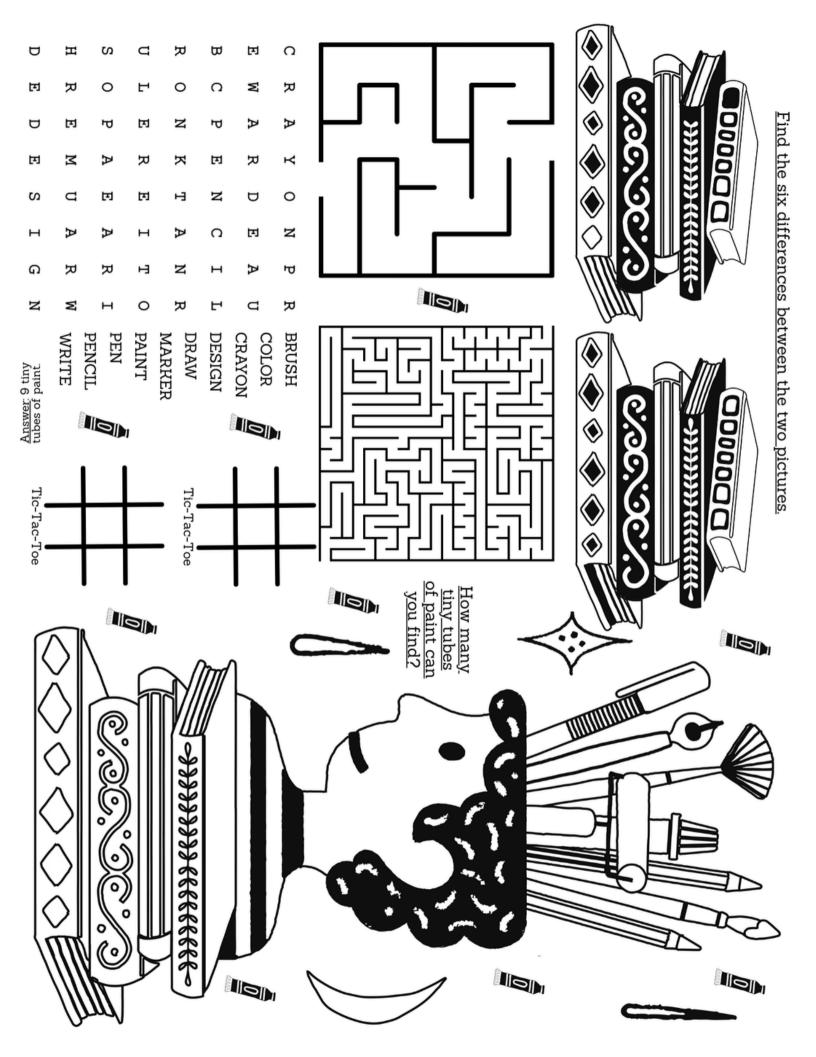


### ProfessorUniversepresents Found in the Stars

Join us for an interactive science-filled show! After Professor Universe gets abducted by an alien who steals his painting, he needs help from the audience and his star friend (who wishes to never become a black hole) to get back his stolen artwork!

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DATE	ТІМЕ	LOCATION
Friday, July 18	10:00 AM	Baker Branch
Friday, July 18	2:30 PM	Pride-Chaneyville Branch
Saturday, July 19	10:00 AM	Fairwood Branch
Saturday, July 19	2:30 PM	Jones Creek Regional
Monday, July 21	10:00 AM	South Branch
Monday, July 21	2:00 PM	Delmont Gardens Branch
Monday, July 21	6:00 PM	Central Branch
Tuesday, July 22	10:00 AM	Carver Branch
Tuesday, July 22	2:00 PM	River Center Branch
Tuesday, July 22	6:00 PM	Greenwell Springs Regional
Wednesday, July 23	10:00 AM	Zachary Branch
Thursday, July 24	10:00 AM	Eden Park Branch
Thursday, July 24	2:00 PM	Main Library
Thursday, July 24	6:00 PM	Bluebonnet Regional







#### **EAST BATON ROUGE PARISH LIBRARY LOCATIONS**

Main Library at Goodwood 7711 Goodwood Blvd. (225) 231-3760

**Baker Branch** 3501 Groom Rd. (225) 778-5960

**Bluebonnet Regional** 9200 Bluebonnet Blvd. (225) 763-2260

**Carver Branch** 720 Terrace St. (225) 389-7460

**Central Branch** 11260 Joor Rd. (225) 262-2660

**Delmont Gardens Branch** 3351 Lorraine St. (225) 354-7060

**Eden Park Branch** 5131 Greenwell Springs Rd. (225) 231-3260

Fairwood Branch 12910 Old Hammond Hwy. (225) 924-9386 **Greenwell Springs Road Regional** 11300 Greenwell Springs Rd. (225) 274-4460

> Jones Creek Regional 6222 Jones Creek Rd. (225) 756-1160

Pride-Chaneyville Branch 13600 Pride-Port Hudson Rd. (225) 658-1560

> **River Center Branch** 250 North Blvd. (225) 389-4959

Scotlandville Branch 7373 Scenic Hwy. (225) 354-7560

> **South Branch** 2210 Glasgow Ave. (225) 964-5416

> > Zachary Branch 1900 Church St. (225) 658-1860

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