

THE BOOKMARK

Monthly Newsletter of The St. John the Baptist Parish Library



**A library card
is elemental.**

Get yours today!

September is
LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH

ALA American
Library Association

OverDrive

Library of Congress
Digital Library of Congress

St. John the Baptist
PARISH LIBRARY

YOUR LIBRARY CARD, THE SMARTEST CARD IN YOUR WALLET!

National Library Card Sign-Up Month is celebrated in September to mark the beginning of a new school year. The American Library Association and libraries across the country unite to ensure that every child has the opportunity to sign up for a library card. St. John the Baptist Parish Library System is celebrating all month long with activities for patrons of all ages. Did you know your library card is the smartest card in your wallet? It grants access to not only books, but electronic resources, educational databases, online tutoring, video courses, test preparation, language courses, high school diplomas, and so much more. Need a card? Please stop by with an ID; a friendly staff member will be happy to help with your needs. Visit your library online or in person to see what's new. You may be surprised by all we offer!



GET IN YOUR ELEMENT!



Sign up for a
library card.

Join us for
fun activities all
month long!

ACTIVITY TABLES

Create something fun while visiting the library! Activities are available to make any time all month long. Visit any branch for a "craftastic" time

Elemental Headbands & Activity Sheets

Decorate element-themed headbands and color Elemental activity sheets! Fun for ages 3-8.

DIY Four Elementals Origami Infinite Flipper

Get in your element at your library's activity table! Fold your own origami infinite flipper, and decorate the sides to represent the four elements! Fun for ages 6-11

Teens and tweens, get in your element and celebrate Library Card Sign-Up month by participating in this Elemental-inspired craft referencing the Water! Working together, create a Rube Goldberg Machine to create a system of chain reactions using things like dominos, books, string, balls, and various other objects to pour water into a cup.

Monday, 9/25@ 5:30 PM
Edgard Branch

Monday, 9/25@ 5:30 PM
LaPlace Branch

Tuesday, 9/26@ 5:30 PM
Reserve Branch

Wednesday, 9/27@ 5:30 PM
Garyville Branch

LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP PROGRAMS

Elemental STEM Activities

In celebration of Library Card Sign-Up Month, this year's theme is based on the movie Elemental. Join us for STEM activities featuring the four elements: land, water, fire, and air. Make Play-Doh Landforms, Water Baggies, Floating Tea Bags, and Paper Airfoils. A great activity for **ages 6-11**.

Wednesday, 9/6 @ 4:30 PM
Edgard, Garyville, and LaPlace Branches

Thursday, 9/7 @ 4:30 PM
Reserve Branch

Elemental Library Card Holders

Patrons **ages 6-11** are invited to create their own library card holder for Library Card Sign-Up Month.

Monday, 9/11@ 4:00 PM
Garyville Branch

Tuesday, 9/12 @ 4:30 PM
LaPlace Branch

Monday, 9/11 @ 4:30 PM
Edgard Branch

Wednesday, 9/13 @ 4:00 PM
Reserve Branch

Happy Birthday, Dubi!

You're Invited to help us celebrate Library Card Sign-Up Month! Join us for a fun-filled afternoon with crafts, activities, and a puppet show to celebrate the birthday of everyone's favorite literacy-loving monster, Dubi!

Fun for kids **ages 0 - 5**

Monday, 9/25 @ 6:00 PM
Garyville Branch

Saturday, 9/30 @ 10:00 AM
Reserve Branch

Wednesday, 9/27 @ 5:00 PM
Edgard Branch

Saturday, 9/30 @ 2:00 PM
LaPlace Branch

DIY Vine Wall Décor

Teens and tweens, get in your element and celebrate Library Card Sign-Up month by participating in this Elemental-inspired craft referencing the Earth! Make a trendy vine wall in your bedroom! Pick up a Grab & Geaux kit from any branch from **September 5th - 9th**.

Create A Sparkle!

Teens and tweens, get in your element and celebrate Library Card Sign-Up month by participating in this Elemental-inspired craft referencing the Light! Learn how to bend light with mirrors and flashlights. Create a fun light maze using Legos and mirrors to learn how light and reflection work.

Monday, 9/11@ 6:00 PM
Edgard Branch

Tuesday, 9/12 @ 6:00 PM
LaPlace Branch

Monday, 9/11 @ 6:00 PM
Garyville Branch

Tuesday, 9/12 @ 3:30 PM
Reserve Branch

Create A Movement!

Teens and tweens, get in your element and celebrate Library Card Sign-Up month by participating in this Elemental-inspired craft referencing the Air! Create a unique hovercraft using balloons, Sharpies, and CDs.

Tuesday, 9/19@ 6:00 PM
LaPlace Branch

Wednesday, 9/20 @ 6:00 PM
Garyville Branch

Thursday, 9/21 @ 6:00 PM
Reserve Branch

Thursday, 9/21 @ 4:00 PM
Edgard Branch

Make A Splash!

VISIT OUR BRANCHES

STORYTIME AT THE ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH LIBRARY

Storytime introduces little ones ages 0-5 to new words and basic concepts while learning listening, motor, and socialization skills. Join Ms. D'Andre for Storytimes that are not only educational but also fun! Afterward, stay and explore the library and meet new friends! This is a fun activity held at **ALL Branches at 10:30 AM.**

Mondays with Ms. D'Andre
Reserve Branch, (985) 536-4107

Wednesdays with Ms. Trina
LaPlace Branch, (985) 652-6857

Tuesdays with Mrs. Regina
Edgard Branch, (985) 497-3453

Thursdays with Mrs. Dawn
Garyville Branch, (985) 535-6868

STORYTIME BOOK BAGS

Are you a parent looking to up your storytime game? Fun storytime book bags are available **ALL MONTH** at your local library branch! Packs include activities and songs to share with your early learners at home. Check out or read a coordinating book to match the theme. Contact Dawn at (985) 535-6868 for more information.

SENSORY STORYTIME

Join Ms. Trina at the **Garyville Branch** for a sensory-friendly program for children on the Autism/Neurodiverse Spectrum. Little ones and their caregivers can come on **Saturday, September 16th, at 11:00 AM.** Call Trina at (985) 652-6857 for more information.

Family Fun Saturdays

Kids and their families can enjoy and share crafts, music, games, simple STEM activities, and books at different library branches each Saturday in September. This is a perfect way to spend quality time with your family.

Saturday, 9/9 @ 11:00 AM
LaPlace Branch

Saturday, 9/16 @ 11:00 AM
Edgard Branch

Saturday, 9/23 @ 11:00 AM
Reserve Branch

Saturday, 9/30 @ 11:00 AM
Garyville Branch

Become A Pokémon Master

Join us for this fun activity to create customized PokeBalls made from styrofoam balls. Afterward, use them to play the Pokemon GO scavenger hunts. This activity is fun for **ages 6 - 11, families, teens, and tweens.**

Wednesday, 9/13 @ 5:00 PM
Edgard, Garyville, and LaPlace Branches

Thursday, 9/14 @ 4:30 PM
Reserve Branch

POKÉMON SCAVENGER HUNT

September 13th- 30th, visit Thomas F. Daley Memorial Park (LaPlace) or Juan Anthony Joseph Memorial Park (Edgard) to play our Pokemon Scavenger Hunt Game. You can pick up a map at your local branch and download the Pokemon Go app to your phone or other device. Once at the park, you can open your Pokemon Go app or look at the map. Proceed to your nearest stop (SHOULD BE 1/10). LOCATE THE POKEMON SIGN, and it's your turn to make a choice! Once you decide, you can choose to do the fun activity that goes with it! Remember to write down your choice and check whether or not you chose to do the training! When you have completed the scavenger hunt, return your map to your local library and share your team with a staff member so you can collect a fun prize! Don't forget to bring your DIY Pokeball! This is a fun activity for **ALL AGES!**

Fun With Film

Join us **Monday, September 18th**, for Fun with Film, a recurring monthly STEAM program in which we explore the science of cinematography by creating visually stunning works of art. Join us as we watch a different short film each month and then apply the new techniques we observed. Each month has a different theme with a corresponding film and craft. September's theme is shadow puppets. It's an excellent activity for patrons **ages 11 and older.**

3:30 PM
Reserve Branch

5:00 PM
Edgard and LaPlace Branches

6:00 PM
Garyville Branch

Chemistry FLUXX

Join us at the St. John the Baptist Parish Library as we play Chemistry FLUXX, an element-based card game where the goals and rules constantly change. You never play FLUXX the same way twice. Learn how elements combine and interact as you try to match the current goal and win. Chemistry Fluxx is a fun, educational STEAM game for 2-6 players, **8 years old and older.**

Monday, 9/11 @ 6:00 PM
LaPlace Branch

Tuesday, 9/12 @ 4:00 PM
Edgard Branch

Tuesday, 9/12 @ 6:00 PM
Reserve Branch

Thursday, 9/14 @ 4:00 PM
Garyville Branch



VISIT OUR BRANCHES

Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration: Let's Make a Poncho/Serape!

The Poncho/Serape is a South American sleeveless garment with unsewn sides and a space for the head to pass through. National Hispanic Heritage Month is a month set aside in the United States to honor the achievements of Hispanics. Using crayons, markers, stickers, and paper bags, **kids ages 0-5** can decorate their own poncho or serape to wear.

Tuesday, 9/19 @ 4:30 PM
LaPlace & Reserve Branches

Tuesday, 9/19 @ 4:00 PM
Garyville Branch

Wednesday, 9/20 @ 4:30 PM
Edgard Branch

Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration: DIY Talavera Tiles

In honor of Hispanic Heritage Month, **teens and tweens** can visit any of our branches to design and paint a custom Talavera Tile coaster. Talavera Tiles are beautiful decorative tiles often found in intricate white with blue designs. These handmade tiles are rooted in Spanish and Mexican culture and are famous worldwide.

Monday, 9/25 @ 3:30 PM
Reserve Branch

Tuesday, 9/26 @ 4:00 PM
Edgard Branch

Tuesday, 9/26 @ 5:30 PM
LaPlace Branch

Thursday, 9/28 @ 4:00 PM
Garyville Branch

Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration: Café con Pan

In honor of Hispanic Heritage Month, join us on **Monday, September 18th, at the LaPlace Branch** for Cafe con Pan (Coffee with Cake). Patrons are invited to share the afternoon, enjoying coffee, tea, semitas, rosquillas, and great conversation.

COMPUTER CLASSES

COMPUTER LITERACY FOR BEGINNERS

Join the library branch staff for computer classes. Get help learning the basics and get answers to any other computer questions you may want to be answered. Learn how to use a mouse and keyboard, navigate the web, download information, attach to emails, use popular electronic devices, and other computer basics. Registration is required.

Mondays @ 5:00 PM
d Tuesdays @ 11:00 AM
Garyville Branch

Thursdays @ 3:30 PM
Reserve Branch

Thursdays @ 6:00 PM
LaPlace Branch

CHATGPT CLASSES

Join us as we conduct computer-based training sessions for artificial intelligence relating to large language model tools, such as ChatGPT, Auto-GPT, Playground, Jasper, and Quillbot.

Wednesdays @ 1:00 PM
Edgard Branch



National Suicide Awareness

National Suicide Awareness Day is September 13th. Many of us know someone who has experienced suicidal thoughts or committed suicide. What can we do to be more aware and help prevent this from happening?

Want to learn more? Visit any branch to speak to a representative from the South Central Louisiana Human Services Authority. While there, grab a yellow ribbon to show awareness. For more information, call Lillian at (985) 536-4107.

Wednesday, 9/13 @ 10:00 AM
Reserve Branch

Wednesday, 9/13 @ 2:00 PM
Edgard Branch

Wednesday, 9/20 @ 10:00 AM
LaPlace Branch

Wednesday, 9/20 @ 1:00 PM
Garyville Branch



Seed Library in Partnership with LSU AgCenter

LSU AgCenter horticulturist Andre' Brock will host sessions on seed preservation and best practices for establishing a seed library in our community. The Seed Library aims to nurture our community by providing access to clean and healthy foods while educating our communities on growing, harvesting, and saving native, non-GMO seeds. Our main goals are to provide our patrons with the tools to grow healthy, delicious food educationally and sustainably. Patrons can borrow seeds without expecting to return them but are encouraged to donate them. Contact Kelly at kfelix@stjohnlib.com or Andre' at abrock@agcenter.lsu.edu for more information.

Thursday, 9/14 @ 5:30 PM
Reserve Branch

Tuesday, 9/26 @ 4:00 PM
Garyville Branch



Wednesday, 9/27 @ 5:30 PM
LaPlace Branch

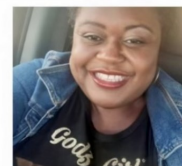
Thursday, 9/28 @ 4:00 PM
Edgard Branch

An Author Visit Featuring Yolanda Williams

Join us as we welcome local author Yolanda Fleming-Williams as she discusses her book Pathways: Discovering the Power Within. She will share her story in hopes of helping others in their journey toward a healthier lifestyle. This book will enlighten you to search inwardly and help you find the power within you to break free and gain control of your eating habits.

Wednesday, 9/20 @ 5:00 PM
LaPlace Branch

Friday, 9/22 @ 2:00 PM
Edgard Branch



Craft Community: DIY Strainer Pumpkins

Can't wait for Fall to begin? We're ready, too! Join the library staff and other crafters in creating a beautiful pumpkin from a kitchen strainer, autumnal leaves, flowers, potpourri, jute, and raffia to decorate your kitchen.

Friday, 9/8 @ 11:00 AM
Edgard Branch

Friday, 9/15 @ 11:00 AM
Garyville Branch

Friday, 9/22 @ 11:00 AM
Reserve Branch

Friday, 9/29 @ 11:00 AM
LaPlace Branch



WATCH US ONLINE

FACEBOOK

Fun with Your Little One!

Join us **Friday, September 1st**, for this informative video to promote the Five Practices of Early Literacy: Print Motivation, Print Awareness, Phonological Awareness, Narrative Skills, Vocabulary, and Letter Knowledge. This video is helpful to parents and caregivers for teaching early learners to read.

First Chapter Fridays

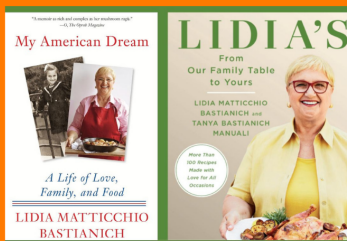
Join us **Friday, September 8th**, for our video where the first chapter from a fantastic, high-interest book is read. This month's selection is *The Water Bears* by Kim Baker, perfect for kids ages 8-11.

'Los Libros with Carlos Diaz

Are you looking for your next great quick read? Then, check us out on **September 1st, 15th, and 29th** as he talks about great novels readily available for checkout in the library. This month's featured books are *Harlem Shuffle* and *Crook Manifesto* by Colson Whitehead and *All The Sinner Bleed* by S.A. Cosby.

Were you intrigued by his Book Talks? Check out the books from your local library, our electronic libraries on our website's eBooks & More tab, or the Hoopla/Libby apps on your phone or tablet. Then, visit the **LaPlace Branch on September 7th, 21st, and October 5th at 5:00 PM** to join him and fellow patrons to discuss the books.

AUTHOR TALKS - [LIBRARYC.ORG/STJOHNLIB](https://libraryc.org/stjohnlib)

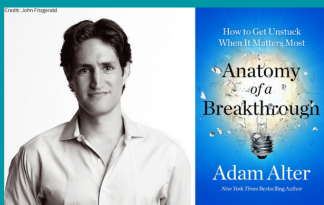


LIDIA BASTIANICH
Thursday, September 7th
6:00 PM

You're invited to an intimate evening with award-winning television host and bestselling author Lidia Bastianich as she talks about her memoir *My American Dream: A Life of Love, Family, and Food*.

Born in Pula, Lidia grew up surrounded by love and security, learning the art of Italian cooking from her beloved grandmother. But when a communist regime annexed Istria, Lidia's family fled to Trieste, where they spent two years in a refugee camp waiting for visas to enter the United States. When she finally arrived in New York, Lidia soon began working in restaurants, the first step leading to her becoming one of the country's most revered chefs and businesswomen. Heartwarming, deeply personal, and powerfully inspiring, *My American Dream* is the story of Lidia's close-knit family and her dedication and endless passion for food.

As a special bonus, Lidia will preview and chat about her newest cookbook, *Lidia's From Our Family Table to Yours: More Than 100 Recipes Made With Love For All Occasions*.

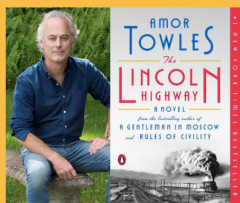


ADAM ALTER
Wednesday, September 20th
1:00 PM

Join us as we chat with New York Times bestselling author Adam Alter about his new book *Anatomy of a Breakthrough: How to Get Unstuck When It Matters Most*.

Almost everyone feels stuck in some way. Whether you're muddling through a midlife crisis, wrestling with writer's block, trapped in a thankless job, or trying to remedy a fraying friendship, the resulting emotion is usually a mix of anxiety, uncertainty, fear, anger, and numbness. But it doesn't have to be this way. *Anatomy of a Breakthrough* is the roadmap we all need to escape our inertia and flourish in the face of friction.

Alter teaches us that getting stuck is a feature rather than a glitch on the road to thriving, but we can reach even our loftiest targets with the right tweaks and corrections.



AMOR TOWLES
Wednesday, September 27th
7:00 PM

Tune in as we chat online with New York Times bestselling author Amor Towles about his incredible work. His books have sold more than 6 million copies worldwide and were heralded as irresistible, marvelous, and gorgeously crafted books of beauty.

Rules of Civility and *A Gentleman in Moscow*, published in 2011 and 2016, were New York Times bestsellers.

Most recently, in 2021, *The Lincoln Highway* debuted at #1 on the New York Times bestseller list and was a Today Show, "Read with Jenna" book club pick as well as one of the New York Times 100 Notable Books of 2021, a Washington Post "Best Book of the Year," one of Barack Obama's favorite books of 2021, and was one of Bill Gates' "5 Great Books for the Summer."

SEPTEMBER 2023

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH LIBRARY

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St. JOHN the BAPTIST PARISH
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LIBRARY BRANCH LOCATIONS

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST PARISH

LaPlace Branch at the NORRIS J. MILLET, SR. LIBRARY

2920 HWY. 51 | LAPLACE, LA 70068

(985) 652-6857

HOURS:

MONDAY - THURSDAY | 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

FRIDAY & SATURDAY | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

SUNDAY | CLOSED

SUPERVISOR - BRANDY BARNES

ROLAND BORNE, SR. MEMORIAL LIBRARY (EDGARD)

2979 HWY. 18 | EDGARD, LA 70049

(985) 497-3453

HOURS:

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY | 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

SATURDAY | 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

SUNDAY | CLOSED

SUPERVISOR - SAM BETHEL

LEROY D. WILLIAMS MEMORIAL LIBRARY (RESERVE)

170 WEST 10TH ST. | RESERVE, LA 70084

(985) 536-4107

HOURS:

MONDAY & WEDNESDAY | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

TUESDAY & THURSDAY | 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM

FRIDAY & SATURDAY | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

SUNDAY | CLOSED

SUPERVISOR - CAROLYN MENDOZA

FRAZEE-HARRIS MEMORIAL LIBRARY (GARYVILLE)

111 HISTORIC FRONT ST. | GARYVILLE, LA 70051

(985) 535-6868

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TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY | 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

SATURDAY | 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

SUNDAY | CLOSED

SUPERVISOR - DAWN SCHEXNAYDER

WE'RE OPEN 24/7 ONLINE AT STJOHNLIB.COM



WANT A LIBRARY CARD?

- St. John the Baptist Parish residents can obtain a library card for free if they live, work, or go to school in the parish. Proof of residency is required, such as:
 - Driver's License (current residence address)
 - State Identification Card (current residence address)
 - Checkbook with a current mailing address
 - Mail with date cancellation showing current mailing address
 - Receipt for payment of rent or utility charges.
- Youths aged 14 or older may apply for a library card with a student ID from a St. John the Baptist Parish school or a government-issued ID.
- Youths younger than 14 must have the application signed by an adult parent or legal guardian who must show proof of residency,
- Non-Residents may purchase a card for \$5.00, which is valid for 1 year.

APPLY ONLINE



LIBRARY BOARD OF CONTROL

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VIRGIE JOHNSON - VICE PRESIDENT
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St. John the Baptist Parish Library



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