



# Library Lagniappe

St. Mary Parish Library Newsletter

January-February 2025

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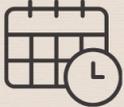
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Visit our Online Calendar



SCAN TO VIEW

View and register for upcoming events at <https://stmaryparishlibrary.org/events/>



## LIBRARY HOURS

Bayou Vista • Berwick • Franklin • Patterson • West End

|           |                 |
|-----------|-----------------|
| Monday    | 8:30 AM-5:30 PM |
| Tuesday   | 8:30 AM-5:30 PM |
| Wednesday | 8:30 AM-5:30 PM |
| Thursday  | 8:30 AM-5:30 PM |
| Friday    | 8:30 AM-5:30 PM |
| Saturday  | 9:00 AM-1:00 PM |
| Sunday    | Closed          |

### Amelia

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| Monday-Friday   | 9:30 AM-5:30 PM |
| Saturday-Sunday | Closed          |

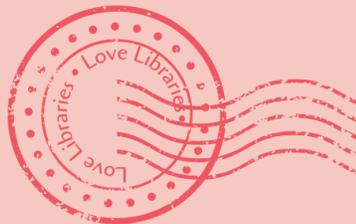
### Centerville

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| Monday-Friday   | 9:30 AM-5:30 PM |
| Saturday-Sunday | Closed          |

## Love Your Library Month

February is National Library Lover's Month, a special occasion to celebrate those who appreciate libraries and their passion for reading and literature. Whether you're an avid reader or new to books, this month is ideal for appreciating the library and resources we have to offer. Let's support our libraries to keep them vibrant centers of knowledge for future generations. Join St. Mary Parish Library in celebrating libraries and reading. Thank you for your continued support and appreciation! Happy Library Lovers' Month!

- ♥ Get a library card and encourage a friend to sign up.
- ♥ Borrow books from your local library.
- ♥ Dive into an e-book via cloudLibrary or Hoopla.
- ♥ Register for 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten.
- ♥ Participate in library activities with family and friends.
- ♥ Join a book club.
- ♥ Discover a Louisiana State Parks Pass.
- ♥ Sign up for the Library Newsletter!



# YEAR IN REVIEW



## ST. MARY PARISH LIBRARY

# 2024 Year in Review

• Amelia • Bayou Vista • Berwick • Centerville • Franklin • Patterson • West End •

### Materials Borrowed

46,770

**Books**

8,791

**E-Books**

cloudLibrary, Hoopla, Tumblebooks

80

**AudioBooks**

7,430

**E-Audiobooks**

cloudLibrary, Hoopla, Tumblebooks

652

**Magazines**

12,866

**DVDs**

**76,589**  
Total Circulation

Physical & Digital Materials



1,004 New Cardholders



60,884 Total Library Visitors

### Library Events

1,050

**Programs**

Offered

17,887

**Attendance**

Children, Teens & Adults

### Outreach

**Programs**

115

**Attendance**

3,024

### Top 10 Items Checked Out



### Digital

8,432

**Computer**

Public Computer Sessions

12,683

**Website**

Visitors

St. Mary Parish Library launched a new website in 2024!



### Reference

880

**Questions**

Answered

# CHILDREN & TEEN PROGRAMS

## Amelia Branch

### Temporarily Closed

Amelia Branch is undergoing facility maintenance due to storm damage, and is closed until further notice. Once we've developed a timeline, the library will announce the expected reopening date.



Bayou Vista Branch 985-399-9866

## All Ages

Thursday, January 2

Firework Glitter Slime

3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Wednesday, January 8

New Year's Bingo

4:00 PM

Friday, January 24

Wish Upon a Jar

3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Craft an enchanting glow-in-the-dark jar to hold all your wishes for the upcoming year. All Ages.

Wednesday, February 5

**Registration Required**

DIY Mardi Gras Canvas Bag

4:00 PM

Design your own personalized Mardi Gras bag to collect all your beads! All Ages.

Thursday, February 6

Cupid's Valentine's Day Slime

3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Monday, February 17

Movie: The Wild Robot (PG)

4:00 PM

## Teens

Thursday, January 16

Macaron Keychain

3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Learn to create miniature macarons using upcycled bottle caps, paint and glitter glue for a sweet accessory! Teens.

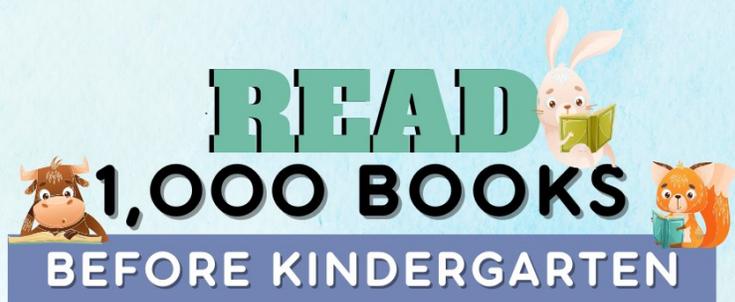
Friday, February 14

**Registration Required**

Valentine's Day Canvas Art

4:00 PM

Share your feelings and demonstrate your love for someone with a unique canvas art piece. Teens.



1,000 Books Before Kindergarten is a free nationwide program that encourages parents and caregivers to read 1,000 books with their children before they enter kindergarten.

## REGISTER

Register at any St. Mary Parish Library location or online at [stmarylibrary.beanstack.org](http://stmarylibrary.beanstack.org).

## READ BOOKS

Any book that is read to your child counts, including books in preschool, library story time, or that favorite you read repeatedly.

## LOG BOOKS

Track your child's progress online with Beanstack or using paper reading logs available at the Library or on our website.

## COLLECT REWARDS

At each milestone, your child will receive a prize:

- Registration: Tote Bag
- 100-900 Books: Sticker
- 1,000 Books: A certificate and a book

SIGN UP TODAY!



# CHILDREN & TEEN PROGRAMS

**Berwick Branch**

**985-385-2943**

## All Ages

**Friday, January 3**

**Salt Crystal Snowflakes & Kerplunk**

**3:00 PM-5:00 PM**

Grow your own snowflakes through a seasonal STEM activity focusing on crystallization, while also creating beautiful decorations. Additionally, Kerplunk challenges steady hands and strategic thinking. All Ages.

**Monday, January 6**

**Movie Showing: Despicable Me 4 (PG)**

**4:00 PM**

**Friday, January 10**

**Winter Bingo**

**4:00 PM**

**Saturday, February 8**

**DIY Shoebox Mardi Gras Floats**

**11:00 AM**

The Berwick Library is excited to host a Shoebox Mardi Gras Float contest. Craft your own float or drop off one you've already made. Floats will be accepted until Monday, February 24th. Voting will occur, and winners will be revealed on Wednesday, March 5th. All Ages.

**Wednesday, February 12**

**Valentine's Bingo**

**4:00 PM**

**Friday, February 28**

**Winter Slime**

**3:00 PM-5:00 PM**

## Teens

**Wednesday, January 22**

**Cell Phone Charm**

**4:00 PM**

DIY phone charms are a fun way to personalize your phone and express your creativity! Teens.

**Thursday, February 13**

**Light Up Valentine**

**4:00 PM**

Design a festive card that will be the highLIGHT of your loved ones day! Teens.

**Centerville Branch**

**337-836-1717**

## Toddlers

**Thursday, January 23**

**Paint by Rhythm**

**4:00 PM**

Experience the vibrant energy of our music and movement painting, encouraging creativity and enjoyment of rhythm and dance. Toddlers.

## All Ages

**Thursday, January 9**

**Snow Slime**

**3:00 PM-5:00 PM**

**Tuesday, January 21**

**Winter Bingo**

**4:00 PM**

**Thursday, January 30**

**Winter Olympics**

**4:00 PM**

Enjoy a winter edition of Minute to Win It for some snowy fun! All Ages.

**Monday, February 3**

**Movie: Trolls Band Together (PG)**

**4:00 PM**

**Tuesday, February 18**

**DIY Mardi Gras Mask**

**4:00 PM**

Unleash your creativity by designing a beautiful mask for Mardi Gras celebrations, parades, and parties. All Ages.

**Tuesday, February 25**

**Number Bingo**

**4:00 PM**

## Teens

**Wednesday, January 15**

**Paper Squishy**

**4:00 PM**

Turn a simple piece of paper into a 3D toy that you can enjoy playing with. Teens.

**Wednesday, February 19**

**Geode Magnets**

**3:00-5:00 PM**

Add some color to your fridge with geode magnets using paint, glass beads and salt! Teens.

# CHILDREN & TEEN PROGRAMS

Franklin Library

337-828-5364

## Performer



Friday, February 28

**TMM Project-Envision the Streets** 4:30 PM

The TMM Project offers a cultural journey that celebrates diverse street scenes through the arts, featuring live music, street dance, step-dancing, hip-hop, and New Orleans jazz, inspired by African American culture. Can you envision the streets? All Ages.

## All Ages

Thursday, January 2

**Time Capsules** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Create a personalized fun time capsule to open in 2030, capturing memories, dreams, and aspirations. Include personal items that reflect memories with loved ones to preserve this moment in time. All Ages.

Wednesday, January 8

**Winter Slime** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Wednesday, January 29

**Movie: Migration (PG)** 4:00 PM

Monday, February 10

**Valentine Bingo** 4:00 PM

Tuesday, February 18

**Movie: Kung Fu Panda 4 (PG)** 4:00 PM

Thursday, February 27

**Registration Required**  
**DIY Mardi Gras Tote** 4:00 PM

Join us for a festive workshop to create your own Mardi Gras canvas tote bag, ready to collect beads and other treats in style! All Ages.

## Teens

Friday, January 17

**Paper Cup Robot** 4:00 PM

Transform ordinary paper cups into extraordinary robots! Teens.

Friday, January 24

Friday, February 28

**Dungeons & Dragons** 4:15 PM

Dungeons & Dragons is a tabletop role-playing game where players create characters, gain experience, and navigate a fantasy world led by a Dungeon Master. The campaign group is currently full. Teens.

Friday, February 21

**Mardi Gras Bracelet** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Celebrate your passion for Mardi Gras by creating a festive charm bracelet. Teens.

Patterson Branch

985-395-2777

## Performer

Friday, February 21

**TMM Project: Krewe of H.Y.P.E.** 4:30 PM

Step into the rhythm of Louisiana with the TMM Project's Krewe of H.Y.P.E. (How You Parade Everywhere). Experience a lively Mardi Gras Performance with a Second Line featuring a Trombone, Saxophonist, Drum Cymbals, Live DJ, Dancing, Street Dance, Percussion, and more! Let's parade together and keep the spirit of Mardi Gras alive! All Ages.

## All Ages

Tuesday, January 7 & Tuesday, February 4

**Pokémon Club** 4:00 PM

The club engages in trading Pokémon cards, battling with other members using video games or cards, organizing tournaments, cosplay contests and movie nights. All Ages.

Thursday, January 9

**Winter Bingo** 4:00 PM

Tuesday, January 14 & Tuesday, February 11

**Lego Club** 4:00 PM

Get ready to take on exciting LEGO challenges or build whatever you dream up! Drop by our LEGO Club for some hands-on fun and bring your ideas to life-one brick at a time. All Ages.

# CHILDREN & TEEN PROGRAMS

Patterson Branch

985-395-2777

## All Ages

Tuesday, January 21

**Penguin Pom Poppers** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Make a pom pom popper penguin for some winter themed fun! All Ages.

Tuesday, January 28

**Winter Wonderland Slime** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Thursday, February 13

**Valentine Bingo** 4:00 PM

Tuesday, February 25

**Movie: The Wild Robot (PG)** 4:00 PM

Friday, February 28

**Snowstorm Painting** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Create stunning snowstorm art with this simple winter painting project using glue and Epsom salt to capture the essence of stormy winter weather. All Ages.

## Teens

Monday, January 13

**New Year, New Vision** 4:00 PM

As we welcome the New Year, let us manifest our visions and goals by creating DIY Vision Notebooks! Teens.

Monday, February 10

**Paper Hearts** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Craft folded paper hearts as heartfelt decorations or thoughtful notes, adding a personal touch to your Valentine's Day celebrations. Teens.

West End Branch

337-923-6205

## All Ages

Saturday, January 11

**Snow Dough** 11:00 AM

Making snow dough is an easy indoor activity that creates a snow-like substance, promoting sensory play and creativity! All Ages.

Thursday, January 16

**Frozen Party** 6:00 PM

Join us for a fun-filled evening with Frozen-themed games like Pin the Nose on Olaf, Slime, Bingo, Karaoke, a Scavenger Hunt, and more! All Ages.

Wednesday, January 22

**Movie: Despicable Me 4 (PG)** 4:00 PM

Tuesday, January 28

**Winter Bingo** 4:00 PM

Friday, February 14

**Fizzy Heart Art** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Make a heart to hang in your room, creating a colorful eruption that dries into a watercolor masterpiece. All Ages.

Wednesday, February 19

**Mardi Gras Slime** 3:00 PM-5:00 PM

Monday, February 24

**Outdoor Movie: The Lorax (PG)** 4:00 PM

Don't forget to bring your blankets, and dress warm! All Ages.

## Teens

Wednesday, January 15

**Yarn Birds** 4:00 PM

Discover how to create decorative birds from yarn with this step-by-step tutorial. Teens.

Wednesday, February 5

**Registration Required**  
**Paper Heart Wreath** 4:00 PM

This DIY heart shaped wreath, crafted with custom heart shapes, is simple to create and ideal for celebrating Valentine's Day. Teens.

## Sweet Reads

NEW & UPCOMING TITLES



# BABY & TODDLER STORY TIMES

## BAYOU VISTA BRANCH



TODDLER TIME  
TUESDAYS 10:30 AM

January 7–Happy Birthday

Story: A Birthday for Cow

Activity: Decorate a party hat & balloon

January 14–Winter is Wonderful

Story: A Day in the Snow with The Very

Hungry Caterpillar

Activity: Puffy paint snowballs

January 21–Time for Mother Goose

Story: Humpty Dumpty

Activity: Put Humpty Dumpty together again

February 4–Will You Be My Valentine?

Story: If You'll Be My Valentine

Activity: Heart butterfly

February 11–Happy Make a Friend Day!

Story: Find a Friend

Activity: Handprint friendship wreath

February 18–Music

Story: Every Little Thing

Activity: Musical shakers

February 25–What's In My Toolbox?

Story: Whose Tools?

Activity: Tool Belt



## BERWICK BRANCH



TODDLER TIME  
WEDNESDAYS 10:30 AM

January 8–Winter Welcome

Story: Winter Is Here

Activity: Cotton Ball Snowman

January 15–Cool Colors

Story: Penguins Love Colors

Activity: Colorful penguins

January 22–Sparkling Snowflakes

Story: Snowflake

Activity: Wooden snowflake ornament

January 29–Polar Bears

Story: Polar Bear, Polar Bear,

What Do You Hear?

Activity: Polar bear puppet

February 5–Chomp, Chomp

Story: Chomp! Zoo

Activity: Tiger puppet

February 12–Share a Story

Story: Love From Sesame Street

Activity: Valentine box

February 19–Happy Hearts

Story: The Day It Rained Hearts

Activity: Heart-shaped chalk art

February 26–Mambo to the Library

Story: Who Got the Baby in the King Cake?

Activity: Paper plate king cake



## FRANKLIN LIBRARY



TODDLER TIME  
FRIDAYS 10:30 AM

January 10–Forest Friends

Story: Snow Scene

Activity: Tissue art snow scene

January 17–Snug as a Bug

Story: Bug on the Rug

Activity: Craft stick ladybug

January 24–Over the Mountain

Story: The Bear Went Over the Mountain

Activity: Coloring book

January 31–Grouchy Groundhogs

Story: Ten Grouchy Groundhogs

Activity: Groundhog flower planter

February 7–Giggles & Grins

Story: Going to the Dentist

Activity: Tooth brush painting

February 14–Hooray for Valentine's Day

Story: Happy Valentine's Day

Activity: Heart necklace

February 21–Purple, Green & Gold

Story: I Know My Louisiana Colors

Activity: Mardi Gras color collage

February 28–Mardi Gras Stomp

Story: Dinosaur Mardi Gras

Activity: Dino mask



## CENTERVILLE BRANCH



TODDLER TIME  
THURSDAYS 10:30 AM

January 16–A Chilly Day

Story: William's Winter Nap

Activity: A melted snowman

February 13–Happy Valentine's Day

Story: Little Blue Truck's Valentine

Activity: Heart thumbprint art



## PATTERSON BRANCH



TODDLER TIME  
MONDAYS 10:30 AM

January 6–Little Penguins

Story: Five Little Penguins

Activity: Cotton ball penguins

January 13–Wishing For Snow

Story: Snowy, Blowy Winter

Activity: Snowman in a Bag

January 27–Winter Hats

Story: Hats are Not for Cats!

Activity: Magic colored hats

February 3–Did Groundhog See His Shadow?

Story: Go to Sleep, Groundhog!

Activity: Hand and footprint groundhog

February 10–Hello Valentine

Story: The Valentine Express

Activity: Tissue paper painted hearts

February 17–A Day for Teddy Bears

Story: Teddy Bear Patterns

Activity: Coloring matching teddy bears

February 24–Buzz Bees

Story: Bees Are Our Friends

Activity: Bubble wrap bee hive



## WEST END BRANCH



TODDLER TIME  
THURSDAYS 10:30 AM

January 9–Do You Want to Build a Snowman?

Story: The Snow Dance

Activity: Fingerprint snowman scene

January 16–Waddle Waddle

Story: Penguins, Penguins, Everywhere!

Activity: Water bottle penguin pal

January 23–Polar Animals

Story: Save the Arctic

Activity: Newspaper polar bears

January 30–Mittens

Story: Chicken in Mittens

Activity: Mitten painting

February 6–Bubble Gum, Bubble Gum In a Dish

Story: Bubble Gum, Bubble Gum

Activity: Paper plate gumball machine

February 13–Fun with Friends

Story: There Was an Old Lady Who

Swallowed a Rose

Activity: Yarn art

February 20–Big Machines

Story: The Digger and the Flower

Activity: Paper plate dump truck

February 27–Eyes & Eye Glasses

Story: Arlo Needs Glasses

Activity: Crazy glasses



## BABY CLAP

Baby Story Time

& Tap

Patterson Branch

Saturday, January 25

11:00 AM

Bayou Vista Branch

Saturday, February 22

11:00 AM



# ADULT PROGRAMS

## Bayou Vista Branch 985-399-9866

**Monday, January 6**  
**Rearview Mirror Hanging Decor** 10:30 AM  
Design a unique rearview mirror charm perfect for personalizing your car. Adults.

**Monday, February 3**  
**Elvis Valentine Decor** 10:30 AM  
Elvis captured it perfectly in his iconic song, "Love Me Tender." Keep the spirit of love alive throughout the year by displaying his cherished words in your home with a DIY sign. Adults.

## Berwick Branch 985-385-2943

**Saturday, January 4**  
**Button Chicken** 11:00 AM  
Make decorative chicken decor using buttons and canvas! Adults.

**Tuesday, January 7,14,21,28**  
**Tuesday, February 4,11,18,25**  
**Calm Coloring** 1:45 PM  
Coloring can be an effective way to relax, unwind, and even improve your mental wellbeing. Join us each Tuesday for our adult coloring sessions and experience the benefits for yourself. Adults.

**Thursday, January 9**  
**Acadiana Elder Law Presentation** 6:00 PM  
Acadiana Elder Law Clinic, Inc. presents an informative session focused on estate planning. Discover the significance of establishing a plan to protect your assets and loved ones. The speaker will address various topics, including wills, trusts, probate, and more. Adults.

**Saturday, February 1**  
**Macrame Keychains** 11:00 AM  
This beginner macrame keychain adds a cute boho vibe to your style, with an easy step-by-step tutorial for making your own. Adults.

## Centerville Branch 337-836-1717

**Tuesday, January 7**  
**Let's Get Organized!** 4:00 PM  
Join us in creating personalized organizational clipboards, perfect for the office, or home. Adults.

**Tuesday, January 14**  
**Tuesday, February 11**  
**Adult Coloring** 10:30 AM  
Adult coloring is an easy and enjoyable way to unwind and tap into your creative side. Adults.

**Tuesday, February 4 -Part 1**  
**Tuesday, February 11-Part 2**  
**Clay Ring Holder Workshop** 4:00 PM  
Participate in our two-week workshop to create and decorate a jewelry dish using air-dry clay along with simple embellishment techniques. Adults.

## Franklin Library 337-828-5364

**Saturday, January 18**  
**Registration Required**  
**Decorative Cutting Boards** 11:00 AM  
Enhance your kitchen's decor with a beautifully hand-painted wooden cutting board. Adults.

**Saturday, February 15**  
**Mardi Gras Upcycle Decor** 11:00 AM  
Transform an old glass bottle into a stunning work of art using beads, feathers, and paint. Adults.

## Patterson Branch 985-395-2777

**Wednesday, February 12**  
**Black History Trivia** 6:00 PM  
Celebrate Black History Month by showcasing your knowledge! Test yourself with trivia focused on African American icons and historical events. Additionally, enjoy a variety of chips in tribute to George Crum, the African American chef and inventor. Adults.

# ADULT PROGRAMS

West End Branch

337-923-6205

Friday, January 3, 17, 31

Friday, February 14, 28

Spanish 101

11:00 AM

Join us for a beginners class to learn how to speak Spanish! Adults.

Monday, January 6, 13, 27

Monday, February 3, 10, 17, 24

Art Workshop

1:30 PM

The weekly art workshop is open to artists of all levels to explore painting, drawing, and mixed media. It offers a space for sharing ideas, inspiration, and techniques while connecting with a community of art enthusiasts. Adults.

Saturday, January 18

**Registration Required**

Cinnamon Roll Workshop

10:00 AM

Discover a simple recipe for delicious cinnamon rolls featuring bold cinnamon flavor and rich vanilla icing, creating the ultimate treat! Attendees, please bring two mixing bowls. Adults.

Thursday, January 23

**Registration Required**

Candle Painting

4:00 PM

Transform ordinary candles into beautiful creations that showcase your personal style using a few supplies and some time. Enjoy experimenting with various techniques and colors! Adults.

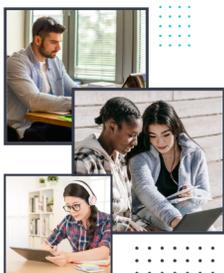
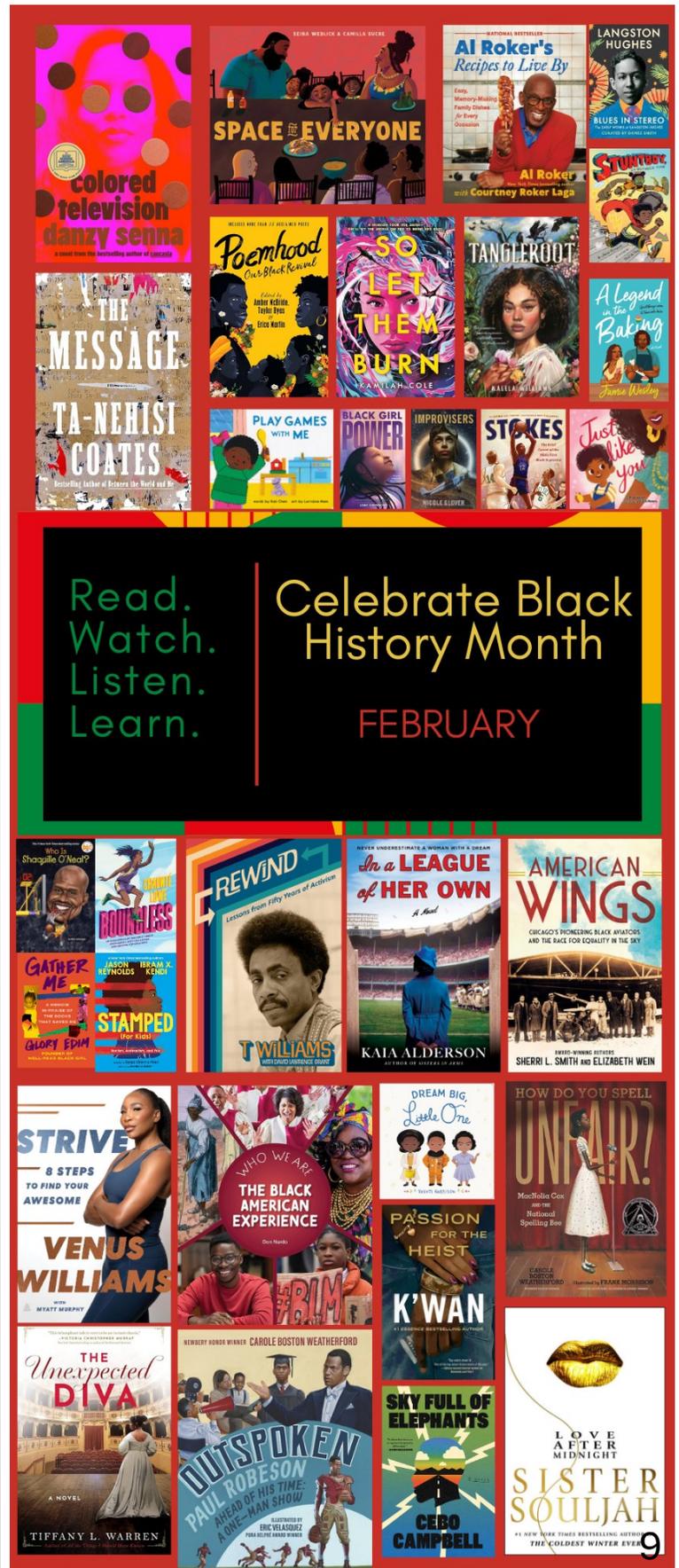
Thursday, February 20

**Registration Required**

Mardi Gras Headpiece

6:00 PM

Showcase your flair for Mardi Gras by crafting your very own stunning headpiece. Adults.



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# BOOK CLUB

## Adult Book Club

  
**Berwick Branch**  
 Last Wednesday of each month  
 2:00 PM

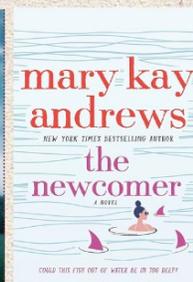
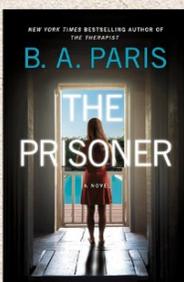
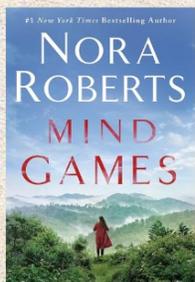
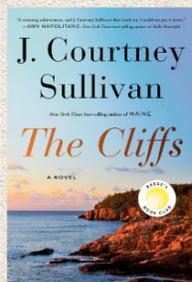
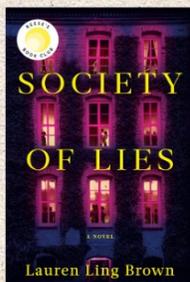
**January 29-** Society of Lies by Lauren Ling Brown  
**February 26-** The Cliffs by J. Courtney Sullivan

  
**Centerville Branch**  
 3rd Tuesday of each month  
 10:30 AM

**January 21-** Mind Games by Nora Roberts  
**February 18-** The Prisoner by B.A. Paris

  
**Franklin Branch**  
 2nd Thursday of each month  
 4:00 PM

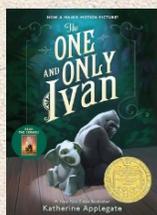
**January 9-** The Night the Lights Went Out by Karen White  
**February 13-** The Newcomer by Mary Kay Andrews



## Youth Book Club

  
**Berwick Branch**  
 Grades 4-8  
 Last Thursday of each month  
 4:00 PM

**January 30-** The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate  
**February 27-** The One and Only Bob by Katherine Applegate



# MEMORIALS

## •Louise Beverly

*The Shift to Student-Led: Reimagining Classroom Workflows with UDL and Blended Learning* by Catlin Tucker & Katie Novak

Donor: Dr. Roland Degeyter

## •Emma Chauvin

*The Genius of Empathy: Practical Skills to Heal Your Sensitive Self, Your Relationships, and the World* by Judith Orloff

Donor: Dr. Roland Degeyter

## •Linda Hood

*The Cut Flower Handbook: Select, Plant, Grow and Harvest Gorgeous Blooms* by Lisa Mason Ziegler

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## •Charles Parker, Sr.

*Fly-Tyer's Guide to Making Fishing Flies: Includes Step-By-Step Instructions for Typing and Identifying Over 100 of the Most Successful Fishing Flies* by Martin Ford

Donor: Dr. Roland Degeyter

## •Gretchel Porche

*The Players' Coach: From Bradshaw to Manning, Brady and Beyond* by Tom Moore

Donor: Dr. Roland Degeyter



## •William Robicheaux

*Plants for the Winter Garden: Perennials, Grasses, Shrubs and Trees to Add Interest in the Cold and Snow* by Warren Leach

Donor: Dr. Roland Degeyter

## • Karl Young, Jr.

*Why We Love Football: A History in 100 Minutes* by Joe Posnanski

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The Library's Memorial program is a special way to remember loved ones and friends who have passed away. Patrons may donate funds to purchase library books in someone's memory while making general suggestions regarding the subject or genre. Materials are selected and bought by the acquisitions department. A memorial plaque is placed in the book and after processing, the donor and the honoree's family are notified. Direct donation of actual materials is discouraged as these are often not in compliance with the collection selection policy. For more information, please contact your local library.



St. Mary Parish Library  
206 Iberia Street  
Franklin, LA 70538

## Upcoming Library Closures

New Year's Day January 1  
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day January 20



### Main Library—Alex P. Allain

206 Iberia St  
Franklin, LA 70538  
Phone 337-828-5364  
Fax 337-413-0145  
Mon-Fri 8:30 AM-5:30 PM  
Sat 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

### Library Headquarters

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