



St. Martin
PARISH LIBRARY

BEYOND THE STACKS

March THROUGH TIME



2023

CONTACTING YOUR LOCAL BRANCH

St. Martinville

201 Porter St., St. Martinville

Phone: 337-394-2207 x223

E-mail: stmestmartinparishlibrary.org

Hours: Mon-Thurs 8:00am-8:00pm

Fri 8:00am-5:00pm

Sat 8:00am-12:00pm

Parks

1012 Martin St., Parks

Phone: 337-342-2690

E-mail: parks@stmartinparishlibrary.org

Hours: Mon-Thurs 10:00am-6:00pm

Fri 9:00am-5:00pm

Sat 8:00am-12:00pm

Breaux Bridge

205 N. Main St., Breaux Bridge

Phone: 337-332-2733

E-mail: bbestmartinparishlibrary.org

Hours: Mon-Thurs 8:00am-8:00pm

Fri 8:00am-5:00pm

Sat 8:00am-12:00pm

Cecilia

2460 Cecilia Senior HS Hwy, Breaux
Bridge

Phone: 337-667-7411

E-mail: cec@stmartinparishlibrary.org

Hours: Mon-Thurs 8:00am-6:00pm

Fri 8:00am-5:00pm

Sat 8:00am-12:00pm

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ONE TIME ONLY

Acadian Memorial and Heritage Festival

Visit the library's booth & enjoy an Acadian Storytime

Evangeline Oak Park: Sat., March 18 at 9:45AM-3PM

Speak Antique*

Join estate sale expert, Cheryl Cockrell, to learn the tricks of finding antique treasures.

Bring one item in for a free appraisal.

Breaux Bridge: Tues., March 28 at 6 PM

St. Martin Parish Schools Art Showcase

Stop by to view amazing art created by the parish's Talented Arts Students.

All Branches: March 11-23 during branch hours

Preserving Your Heritage*

Bring photos, stories, news articles, recipes, and heirlooms from your family and ancestors to share with others and hear about how to preserve these materials from Hilliard Museum preservation expert Misty Pride.

Cecilia: Fri., March 24 at 2 PM

GENERAL PROGRAMS

Take Home Craft

Sundial

Available for pickup at all branch locations beginning March 1 while supplies last. Directions and materials provided.

NEW Banking 101*

Check Writing - "How To", some "Do's and Don'ts" and other helpful information about balancing your check book and/or bank statement.

Breaux Bridge: Mon., March 13 at 6 PM

St. Martinville: Wed., March 29 at 6 PM

In partnership with Community First Bank & Farmers-Merchants Bank.

Stitch & Chat Sewing Club

New members welcome.

Cecilia: Wed. March 1 & 15 at 12 PM

Breaux Bridge: Wed. March 8 & 22 at 1 PM

NEW TechConnect*

Learn e-mail basics: how to create an account, send e-mail, & add attachments. Bring your own device or indicate needs on registration sign up.

St. Martinville: Mon., March 13 at 5:30 PM

Breaux Bridge: Mon. March 27 at 5:30 PM

Recycled CD Coaster Craft*

Cecilia: Wed., March 8 at 4 PM

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Breaux Bridge: Wed., March 1, 22, & 29 at 6 PM

March 8 & 15 at 6:30 PM

Teen & Adult Craft*

DIY Clothesline Photo Frame- Bring your own photos if you have them.

Parks: Mon., March 6 at 4:15 PM

Breaux Bridge: Mon., March 20 at 4:15 PM

*Registration Required

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ADULT PROGRAMS

Book Club

New members welcome.

"I've Got Your Number" by Sophie Kinsella
Breux Bridge: Wed., March 22 at 3 PM
St. Martinville: Thurs., March 23 at 3 PM
Parks: Wed., March 29 at 3 PM

NEW Night of the Unboard*

Featured Games: Deception & Love Letter
Join us for board game night! Play a featured board game, or choose your own from our collection.
St. Martinville: Thurs., March 9 at 6 PM

NEW Cecilia Book Club

New members welcome.

"A Murder in Time" by Julie McElwain
Cecilia: Thurs., March 23 at 12 PM

YOUTH PROGRAMS

NEW Breakoutedu*

(middle-high)

Stranger Things: Trapped in the Upside Down
See if you can solve the puzzle to breakout of the box escape room-style.
St. Martinville: Mon., March 13 at 4 PM
Breux Bridge: Mon., March 27 at 4 PM

Traditional Storytime

finger plays, songs, flannel board, & more
(preschool)

Cecilia: Tues., March 7 at 10 AM
St. Martinville: Wed., March 8 at 10 AM
Breux Bridge: Thurs., March 9 at 10 AM

NEW Pajama Party Storytime

(preschool-elementary)

Come dressed in PJs for a party before bed!
Breux Bridge: Wed., March 22 at 6 PM
St. Martinville: Thurs., March 23 at 6 PM

Old-Fashioned Irish Craft: Paper Leprechaun*

(primary-elementary)

St. Martinville: Wed., March 15 at 4:00

NEW S.T.E.M. Playground

Free play with our STEM Collection. Parents enjoy coffee and downtime.

Parks: Thurs., March 2 at 4:30 PM
St. Martinville: Thurs., March 9 at 4:30 PM
Cecilia: Thurs., March 16 at 4:30 PM
Breux Bridge: Thurs., March 30 at 4:30 PM

NEW S.T.E.M. Libratory*

(primary-elementary)

Enjoy a read aloud & a related STEM challenge.
Parks: Tues., March 7 at 4:30 PM
St. Martinville: Tues., March 14 at 4:30 PM
Breux Bridge: Tues., March 21 at 4:30 PM
Cecilia: Tues., March 28 at 4:30 PM

Follow the Rainbow!*

(preschool-primary)

Join us for a St. Patrick's Day celebration complete with a fun story, directed drawing, and a rainbow necklace craft!
Breux Bridge: Fri., March 17 at 10 AM

*Registration Required



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NEW REGISTER ONLINE NOW!

Scan the QR Code below to register for any programs marked with a star (*).



DID YOU KNOW?

The library doesn't end in the stacks. See what other resources are available.

NEW Parish Poll

Stop by your local branch to cast your vote!
Are you experimental with your crawfish boil or more traditional?

- Corn & Potatoes or nothing at all-
- I've never had it the same way twice!-

NEW Teen Advisory Board

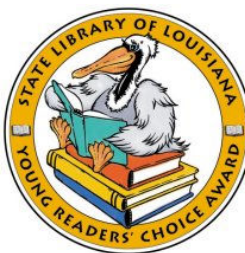
(middle-high)

Seeking teens to join our library's advisory board to help suggest, plan, and implement library programs as well as to advocate to peers. Applications due April 1st.

Apply now on our website!

NEW Louisiana Reader's Choice

In conjunction with the State Library of Louisiana



- Scan the QR Code to view the book list for 2022-2023
- Read 3 LRC books to be eligible to vote.
- Read all the books from 1 list to receive a certificate from the state library.
- Come in at the end of April to vote for your favorite Louisiana Reader's Choice book!

