



Books and Bytes on the Bayou

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Big congratulations go out to Thibodaux Branch Assistant Doris for being nominated as a Staff Star 5 times this month!

"Doris is very sweet and always helps with a smile."

- Megha Bhakta, Thibodaux Patron

"Doris was a pleasure to work with. She was very kind and smiled the entire time."

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"Doris is wonderful! She is always pleasant and so knowledgeable."

- Lucy Talbot, Thibodaux Patron

**DO YOU KNOW A STAFF STAR?
ASK FOR A NOMINATION FORM AT ANY
BRANCH CUSTOMER SERVICE DESK!**

What's HOT

AUTHOR *Lafourche Library Staff*

TITLE *The Books We Love*

DUE DATE

DESCRIPTION

08/09

Happy Book Lovers' Day 2018!

If just the sight of books gets you giddy with excitement, you might be a book lover. We should know because books are our business!

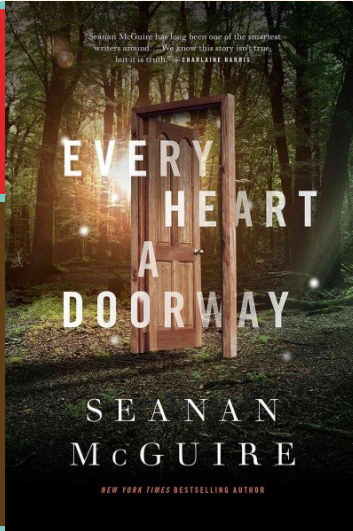


To celebrate Book Lovers' Day, we asked our staff to share their favorite books. Keep reading to discover the books we can't get enough of!



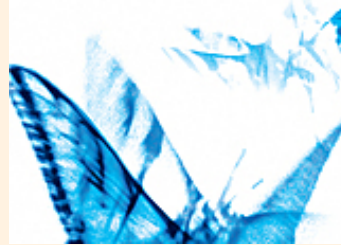
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Every Heart
a Doorway
Seanan McGuire



Catherine's
Favorite
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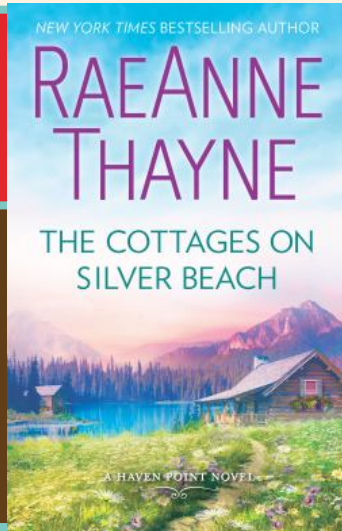
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ALICE
a novel
LISA GENOVA



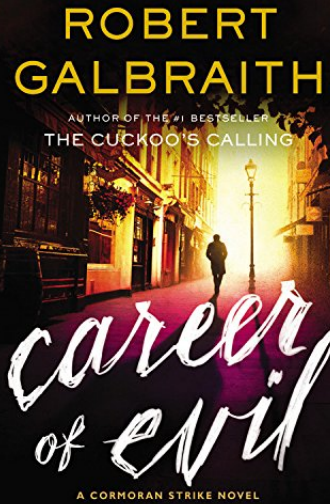
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Lisa Genova

Luticia's
Favorite
Choctaw

Haven Point
Series
RaeAnne Thayne



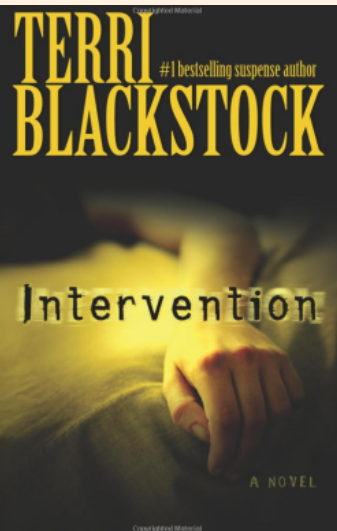
Jolene's
Favorite
Choctaw



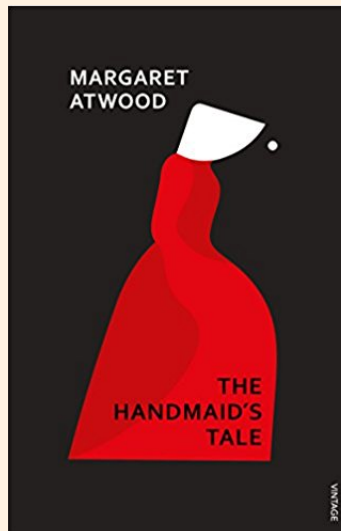
Cormoran Strike
Series
Robert Galbraith

Elizabeth's
Favorite
Thibodaux

The
Intervention
Series
Terri Blackstock



Crystal's
Favorite
Bayou Blue



The Handmaid's
Tale
Margaret Atwood

Skylar's
Favorite
S. Lafourche

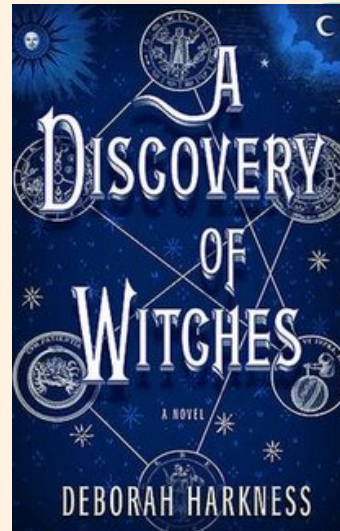
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Wacky
Wednesday
Dr. Seuss



Leah's
Favorite

Lockport

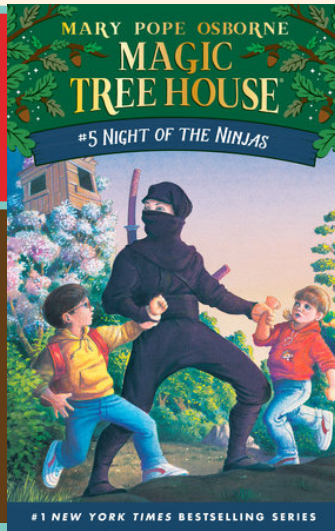


A Discovery
of Witches
Deborah Harkness

Laura's
Favorite

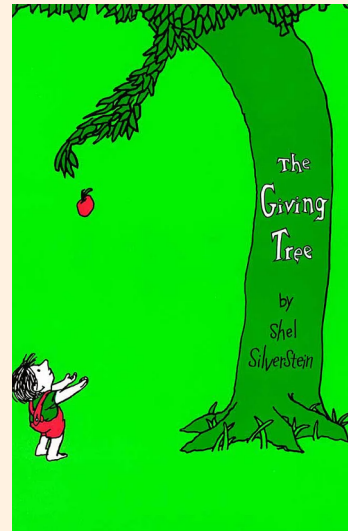
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The Magic
Treehouse Series
Mary Pope
Osborne



Jacob's
Favorite

Golden Meadow

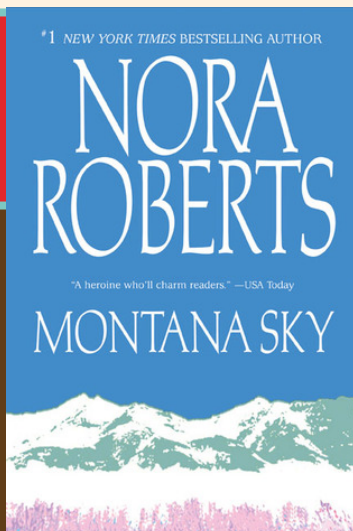


The Giving Tree
Shel Silverstein

Sue's
Favorite

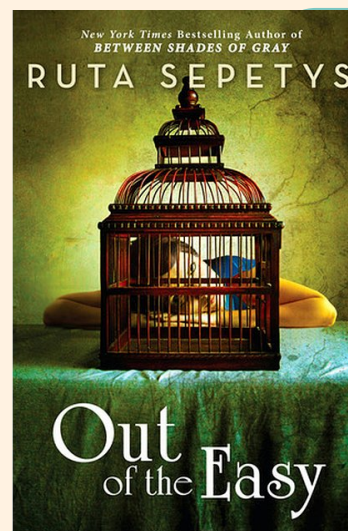
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Montana Sky
Nora Roberts



Dione's
Favorite

S. Lafourche



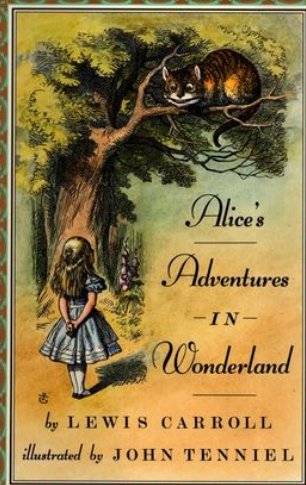
Out of the Easy
Ruth Sepetys

Heather's
Favorite

Lockport

What's HOT

Alice's
Adventures
in Wonderland
Lewis Carroll



Brooke's
Favorite

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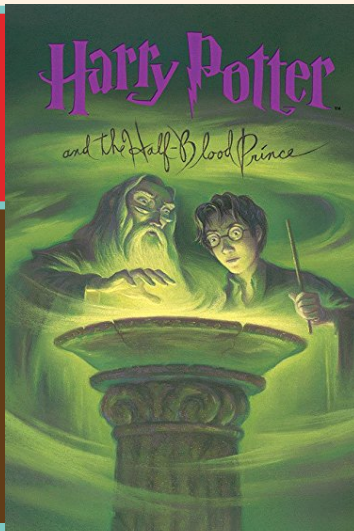


The Rules for
Disappearing
Ashley Elston

Kim's
Favorite

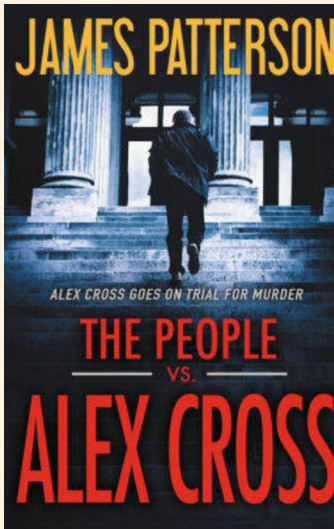
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Harry Potter
and the Half
Blood Prince
J.K. Rowling



Katie's
Favorite

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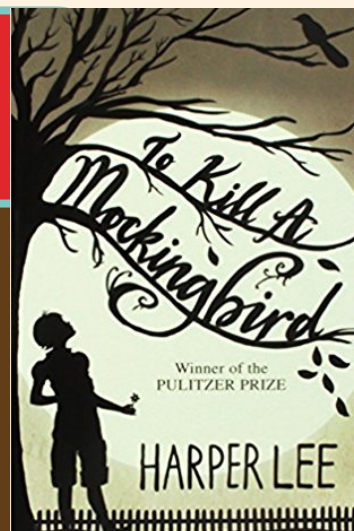


Alex Cross
Series
James Patterson

Kathy's
Favorite

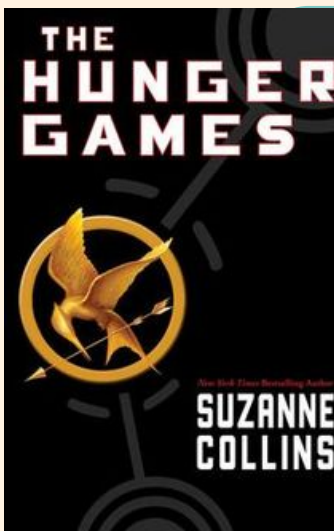
Golden Meadow

To Kill A
Mockingbird
Harper Lee



Helen's
Favorite

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The
Hunger Games
Suzanne Collins

Stephanie's
Favorite

Lockport

What's HOT

Rebecca
Daphne
Du Maurier

Charlotte's
Favorite

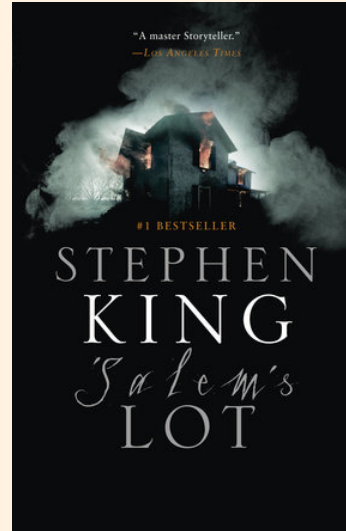
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Salem's Lot
Stephen King

Van's
Favorite

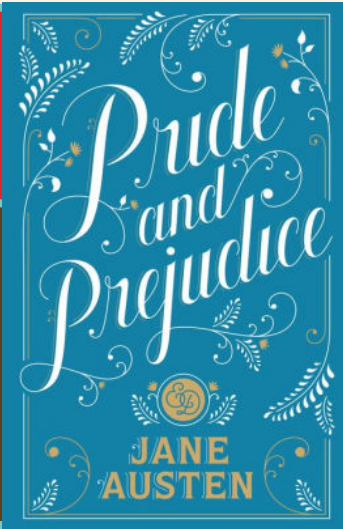
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Pride and
Prejudice
Jane Austen

Sally's
Favorite

Larose



Magi: The
Labyrinth of
Magic Series
Shinobu Ohtaka

Josh's
Favorite

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Something Worth
Celebrating
Charlotte
Bollinger

Rachel's
Favorite

Lockport



The Very Hungry
Caterpillar
Eric Carle

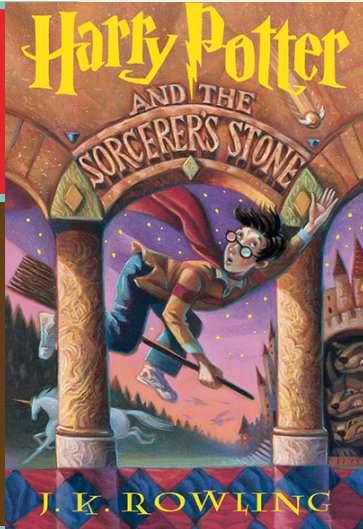
Shannon's
Favorite

Headquarters



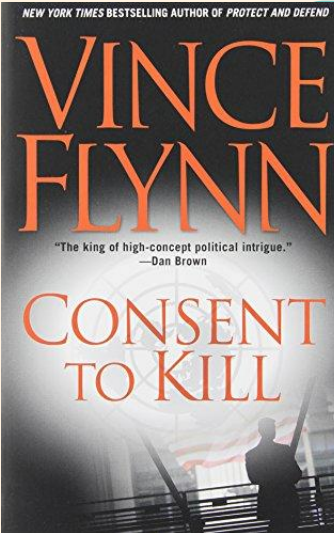
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The Harry
Potter Series
J.K. Rowling



Laura's
Favorite

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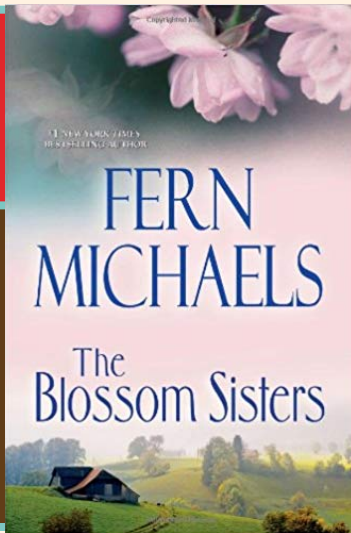


Consent to Kill
Vince Flynn

Dione's
Favorite

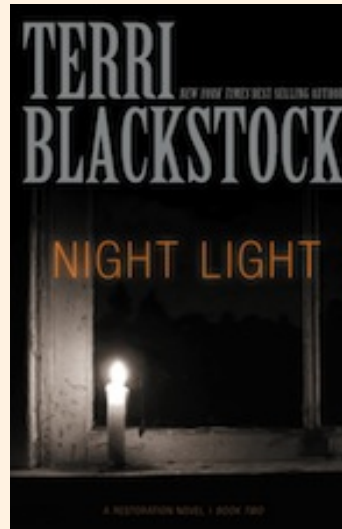
S. Lafourche

The Blossom
Sisters
Fern Michaels



Leah's
Favorite

Lockport



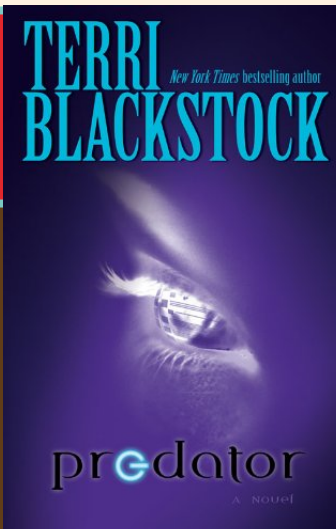
The Restoration
Series

Terri Blackstock

Crystal's
Favorite

Bayou Blue

Predator
Terri Blackstock



Crystal's
Favorite

Bayou Blue



The Center
of Everything
Laura Moriarty

Brooke's
Favorite

Headquarters

Featured Events



YAY! BOOKS!



NATIONAL BOOK LOVERS' DAY IS THURSDAY, AUGUST 9



BAYOU BLUE

BOOK LOVERS' DAY

Thursday, 08/09, All Day, All Ages

To celebrate Book Lovers' Day, write your favorite book on our large Book Lovers' poster & have your picture taken.



CHOCTAW

BOOK LOVERS' DAY

Thursday, 08/09, All Day, All Ages

In celebration of Book Lovers' Day, receive a free book from our Friends of the Library Book Sale.



GHEENS

BOOK LOVERS' DAY INITIAL CRAFT

Thursday, 08/09, 3:30 PM, Tweens/Teens

Use recyclable materials to create a bookish craft using your initials!



GOLDEN MEADOW

BOOKMARK GIVEAWAY

Thursday, 08/09, All Day, All Ages

Receive a bookmark when you check out in celebration of Book Lovers' Day!



LAROSE

BOOK BUNDLE GIVEAWAY

Monday, 08/06 - Friday, 08/10, All Ages

Do you love books? We are giving away book bundles to our patrons in honor of Book Lovers' Day, while supplies last.



LOCKPORT

MYTHICAL CREATURE BOOKMARKS

Wednesday, 08/08, 1 PM, Ages 7-17

Book Lovers' Day is right around the corner. Come create a mythical creature bookmark out of cardstock and yarn.



RACELAND

DROP A LINE

Thursday, 08/09, All Day, All Ages

Celebrate Book Lovers' Day by using your favorite book vocabulary (study for O.W.L.S., grab a frindle to write with, and don't forget elevenses).



SOUTH LAFOURCHE

BOOK LOVERS' DAY CRAFT

Thursday, 08/09, 4:30 PM, All Ages

Create a book to celebrate Book Lovers' Day!



THIBODAUX

BOOK LOVERS' DAY BOOK RAFFLE

Thursday, 08/09, All Day, All Ages

Are you a book lover? Enter into our raffle to win free books by some of your favorite authors! There will be book giveaways for all genres & for book lovers of all ages.

A DAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO LOVE TO READ, NATIONAL BOOK LOVERS' DAY ENCOURAGES YOU TO FIND YOUR FAVORITE READING PLACE, A GOOD BOOK (WHETHER IT BE FICTION OR NON-FICTION) AND READ THE DAY AWAY!



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National Senior Citizens Day

We Love
Our Seniors!

National Senior Citizens Day is Tuesday, August 21



BAYOU BLUE Senior Citizens Social

Tuesday, 08/21, 11:15 AM, Adults
Visit the library in honor of Senior Citizens Day. All seniors will be treated to refreshments!



LOCKPORT Senior Social

Tuesday, 08/21, 12 PM, Adults
All local senior citizens are invited to our lunch social to visit with friends in the community while enjoying free lunch.



CHOCTAW Senior Citizens Day: Pokeno

Tuesday, 08/21, 1 PM, Adults
Celebrate Senior Citizens Day by playing a few friendly rounds of Pokeno.



RACELAND Honeybee Pom Poms Craft

Monday, 08/06, 11:30 AM, Adults
At the Senior Citizens Center
Let's make some cute honeybee friends!



GHEENS Gheens Golden Gab Social

Tuesday, 08/21, 2:30 PM, Adults
Seniors are invited to join us to pass a good time in Gheens. Refreshments will be served.



Senior Bingo

Thursday, 08/23, 12:30 PM, Adults
At the Senior Citizens Center
Join us for a special senior bingo at the Senior Citizens Center & win awesome prizes.



GOLDEN MEADOW Senior Citizens Goody Bags & Donuts

Tuesday, 08/21, All Day, Adults
We are celebrating Senior Citizens Day with goody bags & donuts for senior citizens to enjoy, while supplies last.



SOUTH LAFOURCHE Senior Citizens Day Celebration

Tuesday, 08/21, 3 PM, Adults
Seniors can enjoy good conversation & make new friends in celebration of Senior Citizens Day! Coffee & donuts served while supplies last.



LAROSE Senior Citizens Goody Bags

Tuesday, 08/21, All Day, Adults
In honor of Senior Citizens Day, all seniors that come into the library will receive a free goody bag, while supplies last.



THIBODAUX Senior Citizens Day: Name That Tune! & Free Coffee & Donuts

Tuesday, 08/21, 10 AM, Adults
Grab a friend & join us for Senior Citizens Day as we play Name That Tune featuring oldies, but goodies! There will also be free coffee & donuts for those who attend.



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It's a Bee Thing ...



Save the Bees - National Honey Bee Day is Saturday, August 18!



Bayou Blue Garden Bees Yard Decor

Wednesday, 08/15, 3 PM, Tweens/Teens
Make a honeybee yard decoration in celebration of National Honey Bee Day.



Choctaw Honey Bee Craft

Friday, 08/17, 4:30 PM, Ages 4-9
"BEE" sure to make your own honey bee for National Honey Bee Day!



Gheens Honey Bees Story Time

Monday, 08/20, 4:30 PM, All Ages
We will be buzzing around the library after our story time when the children make a busy bee craft.



Golden Meadow *3D Bumblebee Mobile

Thursday, 08/16, 4:15 PM, Kids
This event requires registration
In honor of Honey Bee Day, we are making a bee mobile!



Larose Honey Bee Story Time

Thursday, 08/16, 1 PM, Kids
Join us for honey bee themed stories, finger plays, songs, & dances!



Lockport Bee Happy Painting

Thursday, 08/16, 1 PM, Adults
National Honey Bee day is right around the corner. Participants will be painting an acrylic on canvas of a cute bee & flower.



Raceland A Buzzy Story Time

Tuesday, 08/14, 11 AM, Kids
Join us for bee-themed music, books, crafts, & activities!



South Lafourche Busy Bee Story Time

Tuesday, 08/14, 10:30 AM, Kids
Join us for honey bee themed stories, finger plays, songs, dances, & crafts!



Thibodaux *Family Bee Hive Craft

Saturday, 08/18, 9:30 AM, All Ages
This event requires registration
Create your own family bee hive using pots, paint, and some creativity!

Honey Bee populations are in rapid decline, & they need your help! Here are a few simple things you can do to save the bees:

- Do not use pesticides, fungicides, or herbicides on plants in your garden.
- Put out a small water bowl for bees to drink from on hot summer days.
- Plant your garden with native and bee friendly plants.
- Do not weed your garden - weeds are a source of food for bees!



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Make the Grade with Your LPPL!



Get ready for a brand new school year with these events!



BAYOU BLUE

Back to School Story Time

Monday, 08/06, 10:30 AM, Kids

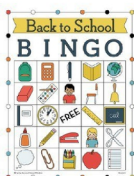
Join us for back to school themed rhymes, songs, activities, & stories for kids!



Back to School Grab Bags

Monday, 08/06, All Day, All Ages

Students, pick up your back to school grab bag while supplies last!



CHOCTAW

Back to School Bingo

Tuesday, 08/07, 10:30 AM, Grades K-12

Win school supplies to get ready for the new school year!



*Back to School Desk Caddy

Monday, 08/20, 4:30 PM, Ages 5-17

This event requires registration

Get organized this school year with a unique DIY desk caddy.



Jenga Book Bag Keychain

Wednesday, 08/29, 3 PM, Ages 12-17

Personalize your book bag with a DIY keychain using Jenga blocks & scrapbook paper!



GHEENS

Emoji Backpack Tags

Thursday, 08/16, 3:30 PM, Tweens/Teens

Create a backpack tag shaped like an emoji!



GOLDEN MEADOW

Back to School Social

Wednesday, 08/01, 4 PM, All Ages

Come have a bit of fun before school starts during our 6th Annual Back to School social! Play games for a chance to win prizes. Refreshments served.



Back to School Story Time

Wednesday, 08/08, 4:15 PM, Kids

Join us for back to school stories & crafts!



LAROSE

Duct Tape Pencil Toppers

Wednesday, 08/01, 1 PM, Kids & Teens

Make cool toppers for your pencils just in time for school by using duct tape!



Back to School Story Time

Thursday, 08/02, 1 PM, Ages 0-5

Join us for back to school themed stories, finger plays, songs, & dances!



Chalkboard Notebook

Tuesday, 08/07, 4 PM, Tweens/Teens

Create a cool notebook using chalkboard paint & a notebook!



Back to School Bingo

Wednesday, 08/08, 1 PM, Kids & Teens

Are you ready to go back to school? Play bingo to win school supplies!

More Back to School Events on the Next Page!

Featured Events



LOCKPORT

Pipe Cleaner Pencil Topper

Friday, 08/10, 3:45 PM, All Ages

Using puffy pipe cleaners, googly eyes, & glue, we're making the perfect back to school craft - pipe cleaner pencil toppers.



RACELAND

Ready for Class Craft

Thursday, 08/02, 4 PM, All Ages

Get your note-taking materials ready with a personalized notebook.



Pencil Us In Craft

Thursday, 08/09, 4 PM, Kids

It's the first day of school & you've got to have a place to store your stuff. Try your hand at these nifty critter pencil pouches.



Learning Group

Thursday, 08/09, 3 PM, All Ages

Thursday, 08/23, 3 PM, All Ages

Have a big test or a giant essay due? Or maybe you just want to brush up on some skills? Join in this group where we'll have live tutors, review help, & fun games.



Just in Case Craft

Thursday, 08/16, 4 PM, Tweens/Teens

We know big book bags & distant lockers are little help when you need to find a pen for the big test. So craft this case that will leave no questions to its contents.



Chalked for Success Craft

Tuesday, 08/21, 4 PM, Tweens/Teens

When you need that quiet for studying or to write a quick message, this "chalkable" sign is perfect for you.



Phonics Detectives

Wednesday, 08/08, 4 PM, Kids

Wednesday, 08/22, 4 PM, Kids

Boost your reading and writing skills while earning badges for success.



SOUTH LAFOURCHE

Back to School Bingo

Monday, 08/06, 4:30 PM, Kids

Play bingo to win school supplies!



THIBODAUX

Back to School Craft

Thursday, 08/02, 1 PM, All Ages

Students of all ages are invited to create a special teacher gift for Back to School Month. The teacher gift will be a bouquet of flowers made from pencils.



Back to School Story Time

Wednesday, 08/15, 10:30 AM

Join us for a back to school themed story hour that ends with a school bus craft!



Back to School: Comic Book Magnet Craft

Monday, 08/20, 5 PM, Ages 11-16

Need a cool & creative magnet for school to-do lists & to show off those high test scores? Create a magnet featuring your favorite superhero or comic book character.

We are Ready to Help You Make This School Year a Success!

Here are just some of the ways we can help:

- HomeworkLA.org (Free Online Tutoring)
- Required Reading Books
- Study Rooms
- World Book Online Encyclopedia
- Research Topic Books
- Free Wi-Fi
- Online & In-Print Test Prep
- Computer & Internet Access
- Tumblebook Library
- Computer Classes
- Research Databases
- Rosetta Stone
- STEAM Programming
- Story Times
- Educational Playaway Launchpads & Views
- Printing & Faxing Services
- Library Field Trips
- School Outreach
- After-School Programming
- Evening Hours
- Book-a-Librarian (One-on-One Help on Any Topic)
- A Growing & Diverse Collection with New Items Added Daily

BACK to SCHOOL



And Much, Much More!



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AUGUST HAS NEVER BEEN SO HOT! *Read-a-Romance Month 2018*

Hi, my name is Dione & I'm addicted to reading romance. I've read thousands of romance books & I can't get enough. So it's only fitting that I am promoting Read-a-Romance Month in August! My love affair with romance started as a teenager when my grandmother & aunt finally let me read their Harlequin & Silhouette paperback romances. I was instantly hooked.

Romance at its core is all about finding THE ONE & living happily ever after. What can possibly be wrong with that? I love romance because it's usually an easy, fun read that takes me away from my everyday life. It's full of love & maybe a conflict or two that is fixed by the end of the book.

Our library has some phenomenal books by authors who really excel in writing romances. We do have some of those paperbacks I mentioned on our library shelves, but you can usually find more in our paperback exchange area of the library. We also have eBook options with our cloudLibrary & hoopla apps.

The library has all types of romance books in book & eBook format: contemporary, erotic, historical, paranormal, Christian, inspirational, romantic suspense, & young adult.

Whatever your taste in romance might be, our library has the book for you!

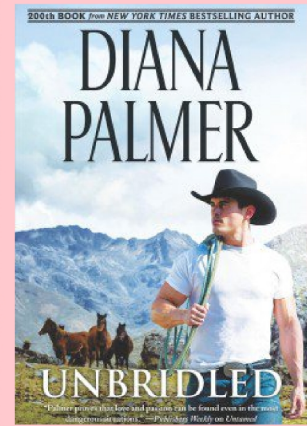
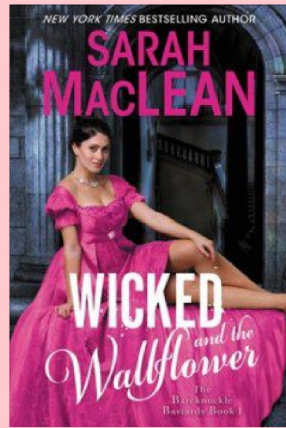
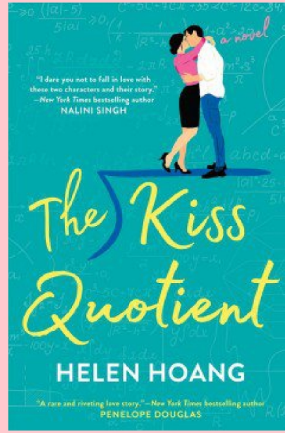
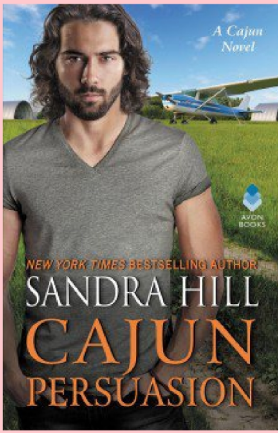


Dione David is a Reference Librarian at our South Lafourche Branch

CHECK OUT SOME OF DIONE'S FAVORITE ROMANCE WRITERS!

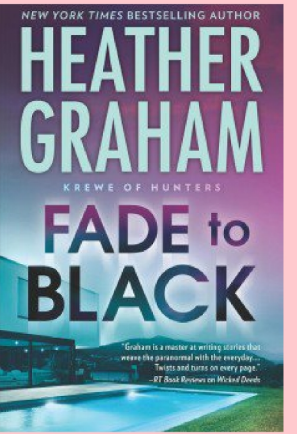
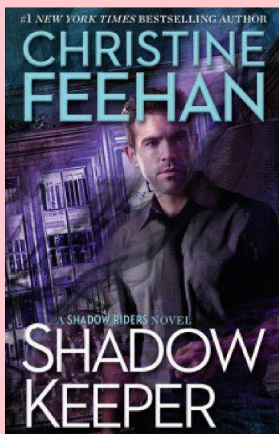
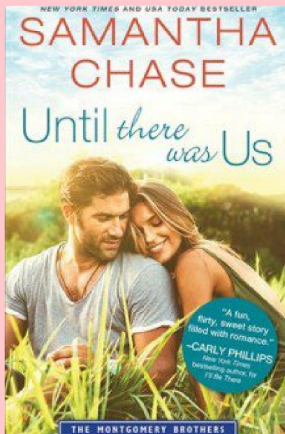
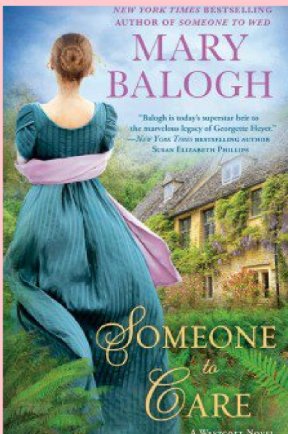
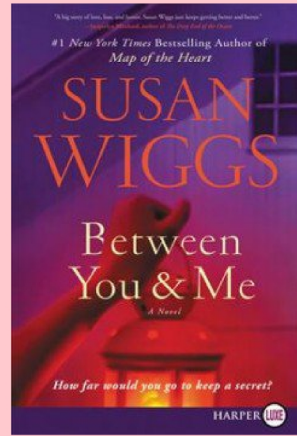
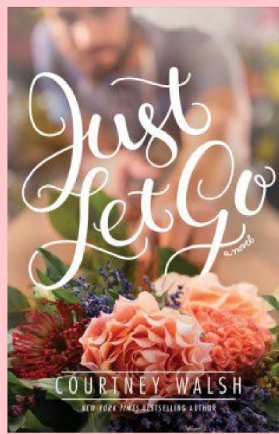
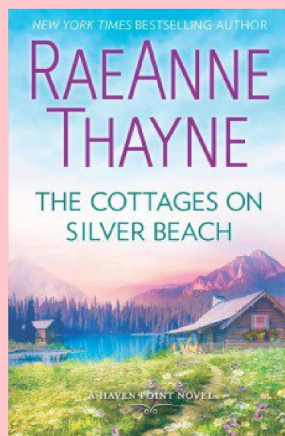
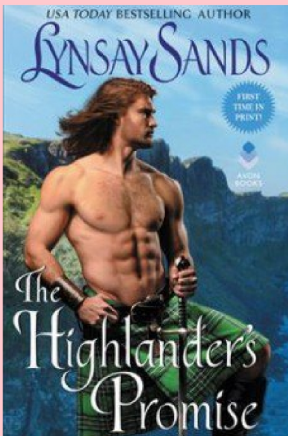


"Some of my personal favorite romance authors are Robyn Carr, Jill Shalvis, Lori Foster, Susan Elizabeth Phillips, Kat Martin, and I could go on & on. I just found a new author, Shannon Stacey, that I am currently immersed in & would highly recommend." **13**



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TOP PICK!

VOX
by Christina Dalcher
(Berkley)

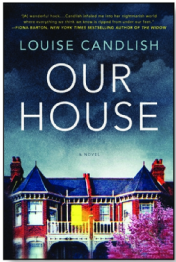
"In the future world depicted in *Vox*, women are limited to speaking 100 words per day. Readers will want to shout every word in their heads, hoard every book in their libraries, and second guess the words of every person in their lives. A captivating, timely book that explores women's rights in a fast-paced, compelling story."

—Jennifer Gaenzle, Fort Fairfield Public Library, Fort Fairfield, ME



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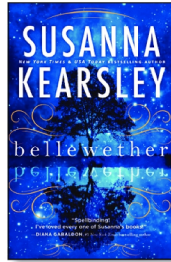
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OUR HOUSE
by Louise Candlish
(Berkley)

"Full of secrets and surprises, *Our House* poses the question, "How well do you know the person you live with?" An attempt to co-habitate for the sake of the children leaves divorced mom Fiona alone and out in the cold. Readers will have a hard time putting down this twisty domestic suspense novel. Even after the last page is turned, the characters will linger."

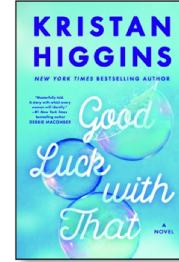
—Annette Herbst, Columbia County Rural Library, Dayton, WA



BELLEWETHER
by Susanna Kearsley
(Sourcebooks Landmark)

"A character-driven story with a nice surprise twist, this gothic-style fiction, set in 1759 Long Island, will not disappoint Kearsley's many fans. Readers who enjoy good doses of romance, history, and magic will be pleased."

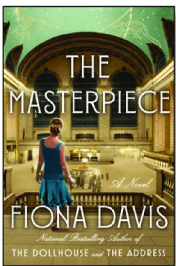
— Julie Raynor, High Point Public Library, High Point, NC



GOOD LUCK WITH THAT
by Kristan Higgins
(Berkley)

"Emerson, Georgia, and Marley met as teens at a "fat camp." When one of them dies young, the others are forced to confront their own struggles with self-esteem and acceptance. With equal measures of humor and heartbreak, this book sparks questions about society's idea of the perfect size and explores how body image can have far-reaching effects."

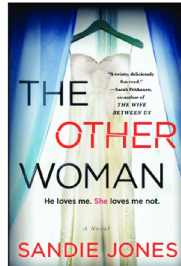
— Claudia Silk, Fairfield Public Library, Fairfield, CT



THE MASTERPIECE
A Novel by Fiona Davis
(Dutton)

"Disparate decades of New York City are capably brought to life through two strong and resourceful female characters in Davis's latest work. At the center is the Grand Central Terminal, which served as an art school in the 1920s, is threatened with demolition in the 1970s, and connects the threads of Clara Darden's and Virginia Clay's lives. Well researched and captivating."

—Kelly Baroletti, Wantagh Public Library, Wantagh, NY



THE OTHER WOMAN
A Novel by Sandie Jones
(Minotaur Books)

"Emily thinks she's found the man of her dreams in Adam. But when she meets Pammie, the woman she hopes will be her future mother-in-law, things take a sinister turn. Fast-paced, gripping, and ultimately satisfying."

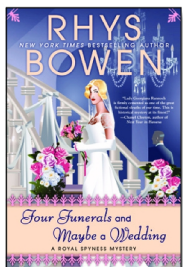
— Jenny Moore, Hillsboro Public Library, Hillsboro, OR



RUST & STARDUST
A Novel by T. Greenwood
(St. Martin's Press)

"Disturbing crime fiction based on real events that inspired Nabokov's *Lolita*. In 1948, fifth grade Sally Horner is kidnapped by a man pretending to be a police officer."

— Ninoshka Aviles, Osceola Library, Osceola, FL



FOUR FUNERALS AND MAYBE A WEDDING
by Rhys Bowen
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"The 12th book in the Royal Spyness mystery series finds our heroine, Georgie, juggling all manner of details as she prepares for her upcoming marriage to Darcy. A fun, breezy mystery."

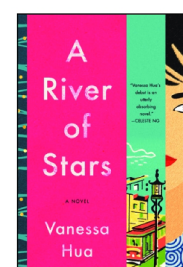
—Cori Dodds, Derby Public Library, Derby, KS



MEET ME AT THE MUSEUM
A Novel by Anne Youngson
(Flatiron Books)

"A touching epistolary novel about an English farmer's wife and a museum curator who may be in for an unexpected second act."

— Marilyn Sieb, L.D. Fargo Public Library, Lake Mills, WI



A RIVER OF STARS
A Novel by Vanessa Hua
(Ballantine Books)

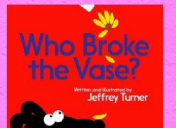
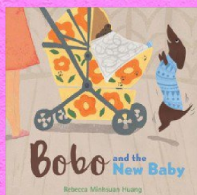
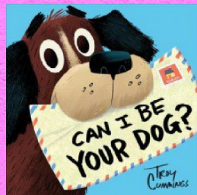
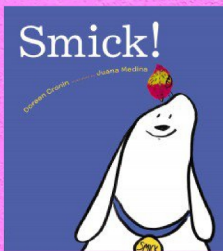
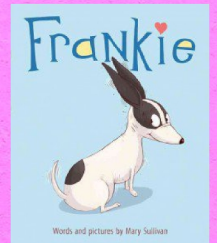
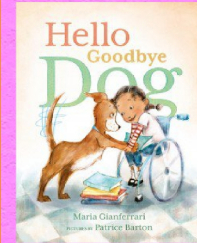
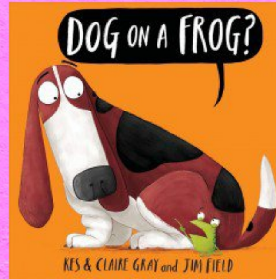
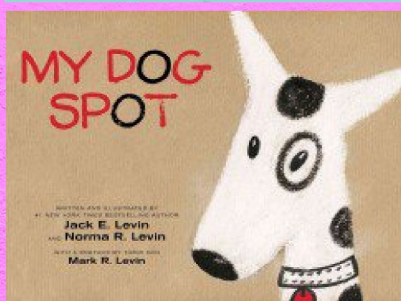
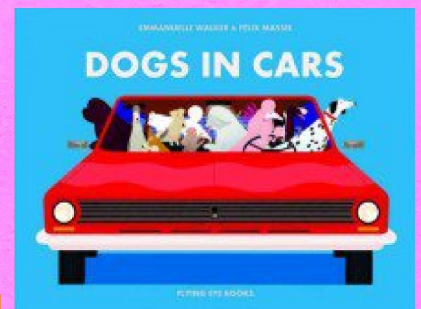
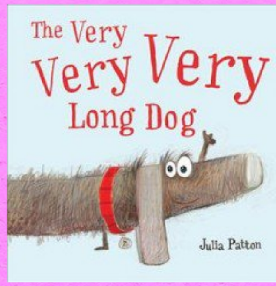
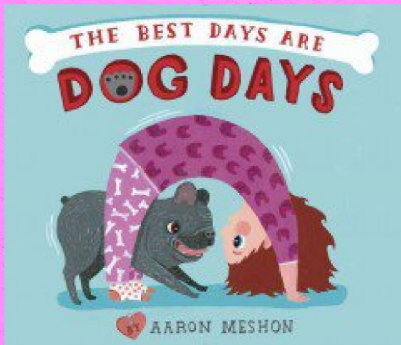
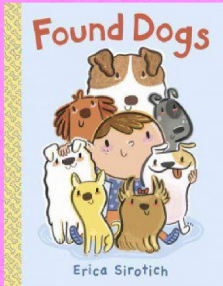
"A Chinese woman makes her way to America with her unborn daughter, determined to make a life for them both. For readers who enjoy modern immigration stories like *Behold the Dreamers* and *Little Fires Everywhere*."

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Meet Suzanna Darda Lockport Branch Page



Suzanna, AKA Sue, Darda has worked for Lafourche Libraries for 28 "wonderful years," spending the first 11 years in a part-time position before moving to full-time in 2001. At the branch, Sue shelves books, DVDs, audiobooks, video games ... basically anything that is checked out & returned, Sue shelves it! While shelving, she also helps patrons find items in the stacks. About two years ago, Sue spearheaded Lockport's very successful "Get Fit" workout program, which features low-impact walking exercises four days a week. Sue also loves that she gets to help out Lockport area patrons who are physically unable to visit our libraries. She performs outreach for The Broadway Center & homebound patrons, delivering new books & DVDs to them every week. When asked what's her favorite thing about her job, Sue replied, "Helping patrons find the items they want & need. I also love meeting new people who move to the area, & associating with long-time patrons on a daily basis. My job is fulfilling, & I look forward to retiring with LPPL."

When not working, Sue loves hunting with her longtime partner, Willis. She's especially excited because hunting season is coming up - "I am ready to be back in the deer stand, & I want to bring down a big buck!" Family is also very important to Sue, so it's no surprise that she enjoys spending all the time she can with her grandchildren. Her son, Alex, & his wife, Tara, have two children, Aiden & Abbey, who are the light of Sue's life. Willis's family also treats Sue like family, & bring extra joy into her life. Lastly, you can't work at a library without having some good book & TV recommendations to share. When asked for her favorites, Sue said, "My favorite movie is War Room. My favorite book is The Giving Tree, & Dancing with the Stars is amazing!"

Q&A With Suzanna!

- It's BACK-TO-SCHOOL time in AUGUST! What was your favorite thing about BACK-TO-SCHOOL when you were a kid?
I lived out on the water & we had no neighbors, so going back to school was fun because I was able to see all of my friends again.
- Our Resource of the Month is ROSETTA STONE - Which language would you most like to learn with ROSETTA STONE?

Spanish

- AUGUST is NATIONAL SANDWICH MONTH - What is your all-time favorite sandwich?



When my dad would go trapping, my mom would fix him a lunchmeat sandwich and put it in his lunch box. It had the taste from the lunch box, & it was like candy! My sister-in-law & I used to share the uneaten sandwich. There was nothing like the taste of that sandwich!

- AUGUST 27 IS NATIONAL BANANA LOVERS' DAY. Are you a banana lover, & if so, what is your favorite dish to make with bananas?
I love bananas! My favorite dish is tied between banana nut bread & banana split.

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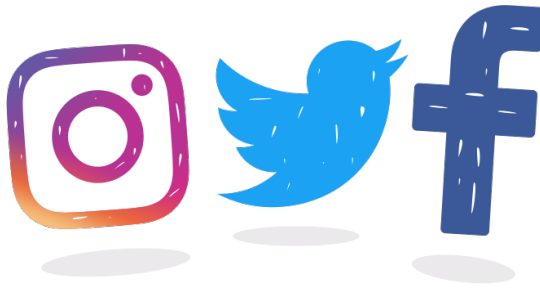
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