



2010 Summer Reading Program

Parties

SRP 2010 Kick Off PARTY Saturday, May 29 1 to 3 pm

@ Children's Resource Center

Main June 5: Shrek Party 11-1 pm

Latter July 17: TEEN Pizza/Game Night 5-7

King July 23: Branch Party 12 Noon/AFTER AquaVan

Alvar July 24: Branch SRP Finale 11 am

Finale: ALL ARE INVITED July 31—Watch for updates



Crafts

Main: July 7: Fish Origami: ages 7 and up 11 am

Algiers Regional:

June 8 to July 27 (not July 6): Tuesdays
10:30 am



Alvar: Every Saturday at 2 pm (ages 4-12)

Central City: July 8 and July 22 at 11 am

Children's Resource Center: Please register in advance

Age 6+: Mondays at 11 am: June 14; June 28;
July 12; July 26

Teen Crafts (12+): Tuesday at 1 pm: July 13 &
July 20

Fetch Science (ages 8-10): Sign up in advance
Saturdays at 11 am: June 12; June 26; July 10; July 24

East New Orleans: June 3: 3 pm Flip Flop Craft
July 22 Thurs: Paint a Picture Frame Craft 3 pm

Gentilly: 11 am: July 6 & July 20

Hubbell: Tuesdays at 10:30 am starting June 2

Keller

Saturdays at 2 pm: June 12; June 26, June 24

TEEN Craft: July 10 at 2 pm -- Make a Bracelet

Lakeview: TEEN Craft: June 28 at 7:15 (Monday)
Backpack Craft: July 17 at 11 am (register in advance)

Latter: Groups register in advance

Altered Book Contest (Teen/12+): June 12: 1-3 pm
Begin work

July 17: Submit altered book entries & Pizza &
game night @ 5 pm;

July 24: Winners announced

July 10: Artist Cards & Bottle Cap pins (10+) 1-3
pm

July 13: Candy Sushi Craft (all ages) 10:30 am

July 20: Marble Paper (8+) 10:30 am

King:

TEEN Crafts:

June 10: 1:30 pm Make Ugly Dolls from Stockings

July 15: 1:30 pm Candy Sushi

King: All-Ages Crafts:

June 4: 12:30 pm Make Pirate Musical
Instruments

June 15: 12:30 pm Make Sock Puppets/
Sea Creatures

July 6: 12:30 pm Ocean Puppet Theater

Mid-City: Bastille Day Crafts July 14 at 3 pm

Nix: June 9, 16, 23, & 30 at 3:30. Pirate activity

Sign up online at neworleanspubliclibrary.org & keep your reading log online! Or come in and get a paper reading log. Either way, you can earn prizes and a certificate.



2010 Summer Reading Program Performers

AquaVan: Learn about who lives in the water and how we affect their lives.

Boudreaux: The Zephyrs mascot will be visiting lots of branches this summer—making story time special! Courtesy of the New Orleans Zephyrs.

Brother Roscoe: One of New Orleans' favorite storytellers shares famous stories

Calliope Puppets: Watch, listen and learn as puppets amaze you.

Chuck Perkins: New to New Orleans' Young Audiences Program, this cool poet will get teens excited about writing

Curtis Pierre: World of Percussion. Be ready for lots of action and lots of fun with many instruments.

Irwin Royes, World's Smallest Magician brings his special tricks and reading promotion notions

La Hora de Cuentos: The Stone Center/Pebbles Center presents Latin American stories and activities at the Children's Resource Center. A good time for all!

Longue Vue Gardens: "Life Around our Pond" – hands on activities to learn about turtles and other pond wildlife.

Miss Leddy: The Library's very best own storyteller/performer!



Philip Melancon, Local Singer/Storyteller/Funnyman. Wait until he tells his version of a fairy tale!

Pirates: The Nix Crew are reliving their desperate days on the Spanish Main with kids aged 5 to 8 on four Wednesdays beginning June 9 at 3:30. Come learn pirate talk, pirate songs, make pirate crafts, and you may not have to walk the plank! RRRRRR! Call to register. **Pirates** will also be a theme for the June 15 Story time at Latter at 10:30 am. Sea You There!

Rhythmic Traditions: This duo will bring drumming and dance from around the world to New Orleans teens.

Sally Farrell - Wind in My Feathers/Birds of Prey: Sally Farrell brings live birds of prey to the library so that children can see how these birds live and what they offer their environment.

Save the Lake: Our local environmental group will bring hands-on and interactive youth programs to the Library.

Wetlands Express: Learn about the wild animals and creatures that live in our native Louisiana swamps.

ZOOMobile: See the wild life of New Orleans come inside! Lots of hands-on activity.

Teen Events

**Make Waves @
Your Library**
Ages 11-17

Teens read 6 books to be entered in the "Make Waves" Prize Drawing. Every event they attend counts as an additional Drawing entry.

Chuck Perkins: Main Library Auditorium June 30 at 1 pm

Rhythmic Tapestries: Alvar Branch July 14 at 1 pm

Capoeira: South American self-defense demonstration:
King Branch: Call for details. Will be in July

Teen Game Nights:

June 5: Main 2-4

June 17: Children's Resource Center 5-7 pm (12+)

June 26: Mid-City 5-7 pm

July 3: Main 2-4 pm

July 14: Hubbell 5-7 pm

July 17: Latter 5-7 pm (13+) Pizza & Games