



# PINEY NEWS

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## Hours of Operation

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8:30 am - 6:00 pm  
Friday & Saturday  
8:30 am - 12:30 pm

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Saturday 8 am - 12 pm

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## Happy Birthday

Chatham Branch  
Circulation/Reference Specialist  
Pamela Stevens

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We will be **CLOSED**  
Tuesday, December 24th through  
Thursday, December 26th  
in observance of the Christmas Holidays.



## Jackson Parish Library is proud to Present

### A Christmas Concert

### Featuring

“Madam Dulcimer” Amanda Roberts  
& “Lady Chops” Elizabeth Vidos

**Monday, December 16th**

**3pm- Jonesboro Branch**

**6pm- Chatham Branch**

## Jackson Parish Library Chatham Branch

### Is Proud To Present

### Santa at the Library

**Saturday, December 14**

**10 am till 12 pm**

## Jackson Parish Library Jonesboro Branch

### Is Proud To Present

### A Morning Spent With Santa

**Saturday, December 7**

**9:30 am to 11:30 pm**



**HAPPY  
HOLIDAYS  
FROM THE JPL  
STAFF**



# Community Events

Jonesboro Branch 259-5697

Ho ho ho!

Christmas is the spirit of giving without a thought of getting.

It is happiness because we see joy in people.

It is forgetting self and finding time for others.

It is discarding the meaningless and stressing the true values.

Thomas S. Monson

## Brown's Hearing Jonesboro Branch

December, 17th

10 am- 4 pm

To schedule an appointment call  
1-800-392-1041



SNAP Outreach Coordinator  
Mrs. Jerlisa Elzy  
can assist with your Food Stamp  
Application, with your Simplified  
Report and Redetermination



Friday, December 6th

Chatham  
Branch

9:30 am-11:30 am

Jonesboro  
Branch

1:00 pm-3:00 pm

For immediate assistance  
please call the helpline:

1-888-524-3578

UNDERSTANDING

## Medicare



**Need Help Enrolling in  
Marketplace Health Insurance  
or  
Medicare and Senior Health Products?**

**Amanda Turner**  
Independent Benefits Advisor

Will be available at Jackson Parish Library

By appt only

Please call 318-533-2009

to schedule an appointment.

Come and learn:

- 1) How to Save as Much Money as Possible
- 2) How Insurance Works and What Your Options Are
- 3) How to Determine What Your Costs Will Be
- 4) How to Make Changes Once You are Enrolled



# SERVICES, COLLECTIONS, & MATERIALS AVAILABLE FOR CHECKOUT

## Books For All Ages

From infants to adults, we have something to interest everyone. Fiction, and non-fiction, including LARGE print. VOX books and Launchpad tablets available for children.

## Magazines and Newspapers

We subscribe to a variety of magazines and local newspapers, as well as, Jackson Independent archives beginning in 1913.

## Reference Materials

We offer a wide range of reference books, local high school yearbooks, Doc Jeffress Collection and vast online databases.

## Outreach Services

Bookmobile - provides outreach services to the communities of Jackson Parish.  
Van delivery services for homebound patrons or those with special needs.  
Nursing home programming and craft classes.

## eBooks, Audiobooks & CDs

Many best selling authors are available. Listen to your favorite book while you travel, or work at home.

## Dvd & Blu-ray

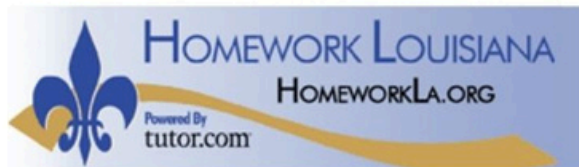
We have a large collection to interest the entire family!

## Genealogy Collection

We have land records, cemetery records, and donated family history, among other miscellaneous items.

## Miscellaneous Services

Mifi Hotspot Lending  
Exam Proctoring Services  
Book Signings  
Adult Book Clubs  
Children, Teen and Adult Programming  
Curbside Pick Up  
Remote Printing  
Interlibrary Loan Services  
Copy, Scan, Fax and Laminating  
Use of Our Computer Lab



**LOAN SHARK**

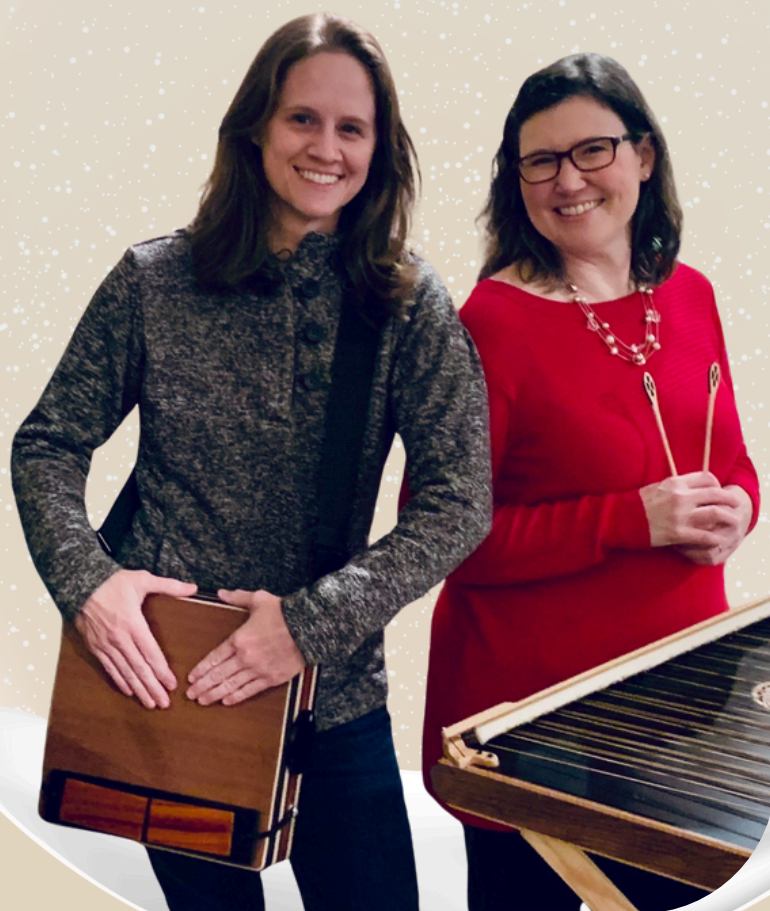


**Chilton Library**  
**Gale Legal Forms**  
**Gale Presents: Udemy (NEW)**  
**Homework Louisiana**  
**Petersons Test Prep**





MERRY CHRISTMAS



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**A Christmas Concert Featuring**  
**“Madam Dulcimer” Amanda Roberts**  
**& “Lady Chops” Elizabeth Vidos**  
**Monday, December 16, 2024**  
**3pm- Jonesboro Branch**  
**6pm- Chatham Branch**



Jackson Parish Library  
Jonesboro Branch  
Is Proud To Present  
A Morning Spent with Santa



When: Saturday, December 7, 2024

Time: 9:30 am to 11:30 am

Swing by our Jonesboro branch to enjoy cookies  
with Mrs. Claus and have your picture made with Santa.

# Artist of the Month

# Terry Terrill

We invite you to come by the library through the month of December and enjoy the display of amazing cutting boards, wooden trays and charcuterie boards all hand crafted by Mr. Terrill.

Mr. Terry has a large, wonderful family. He is a husband to Mrs. Deidre Terrill, a father of five, and is very blessed with 10 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

He spent many years as Maintenance Supervisor at the paper mill and in his free time enjoys traveling with his family in their rv to Colorado when the Aspens are yellow.

He also spends his time helping others. He has spent much time with brotherhood, helping build ramps for people in the area through the First Baptist Church of Jonesboro.

He enjoys seeing the excitement in others over the items he creates and often sells his pieces.





# December Kids Events

## Jackson Parish Library

### Jonesboro Branch



## Storytime

Wednesdays

@10:00 AM

Multi Purpose Room

Ages 0-5

December 4

December 11

December 18

JOIN US FOR BOOKS,  
SONGS, SNACKS, AND  
FUN!

NO REGISTRATION  
REQUIRED



## Art Class

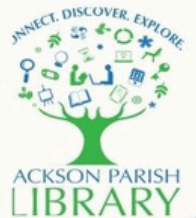
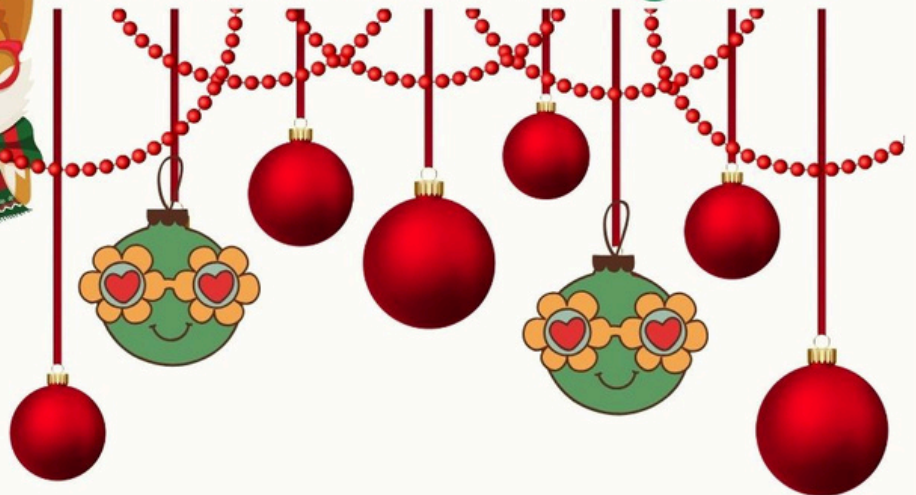
TUESDAY & THURSDAY

@4pm

December 3 & 5

December 10 & 12

December 17 & 19





# Jonesboro Branch Events



## Jackson Parish Library

Is Proud To Present  
Jennifer Morgan Sanford  
with Cricket Wireless

Join us for a FREE class  
to learn cell phone basics!  
Wednesday, December 18th, 2024  
1pm- 2pm



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Authorized Retailer

Good Books



Good Friends

Adult

Book Club

Christmas Party

Wednesday

Dec. 11th @ 2pm



## Bob Ross Painting Challenge Wednesday

December 4th, 2024

@ 2pm.

Join us to "copycat" the one and only Bob Ross.  
We will create our own masterpiece while following his  
instruction. This one is fun, don't miss it!

ADULTS  
Register at the  
Front Desk





**JACKSON PARISH LIBRARY  
BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE  
2024**



**MONDAY**

Sept. 16, 30; Oct. 14, 28; Nov. 25; Dec. 9

9:15-9:45 Long Leaf Apt  
9:55-10:10 (Hodge) Oak & 4th

**TUESDAY**

Sept. 3, 17; Oct. 1, 15, 29; Nov. 12; Dec. 10

8:00-12:00 Weston High School  
1:30-2:30 Cornerstone

**WEDNESDAY**

Sept. 4, 18; Oct. 2, 16, 30; Nov. 13; Dec. 11

9:30-10:00 Piney Wood Estates  
10:10-10:40 Shania Love Bugs  
10:50-11:20 Caney Creek

**THURSDAY**

Sept. 5, 19; Oct. 3, 17, 31; Nov. 14; Dec. 12

8:00-10:00 JH Middle School  
10:15-12:00 Gracepoint

**MONDAY**

Sept. 9, 23; Oct. 7; Nov. 4, 18; Dec. 2, 16

8:30-9:30 North Hodge Assembly  
9:40-10:10 Union Bee  
10:20-10:50 Little Angels

**TUESDAY**

Sept. 10, 24; Oct. 8; Nov. 19; Dec. 3, 17

8:00-12:00 Quitman High School  
1:15-1:45 Clay Methodist Church

**WEDNESDAY**

Sept. 11, 25; Oct. 9, 23; Nov. 6, 20; Dec. 4, 18

8:00-12:00 Quitman High School

**THURSDAY**

Sept. 12, 26; Oct. 10, 24; Nov. 7, 21; Dec. 5, 19

8:00-2:00 JH Elementary School

  
**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**

# Chatham Chit Chat

318.249.2980

318.249.2981 FAX

www.jacksonparishlib.org

chathambranch@jacksonparishlib.org

Monday December 16 @ 6pm



**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6**

**9:30 AM – 11:30 AM**

**ADULT CRAFT CORNER**  
**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11**

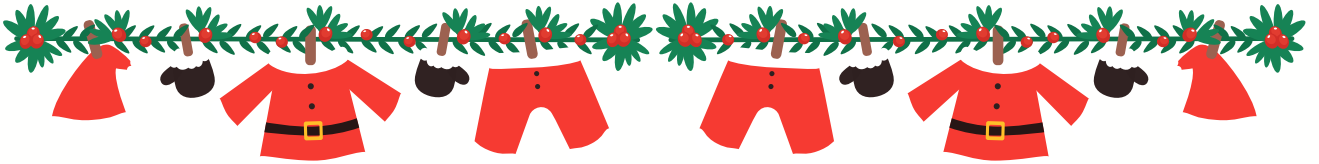
**2 PM**

*Council on Aging  
Chatham Meal Site  
Monday  
December 16  
10:45am*

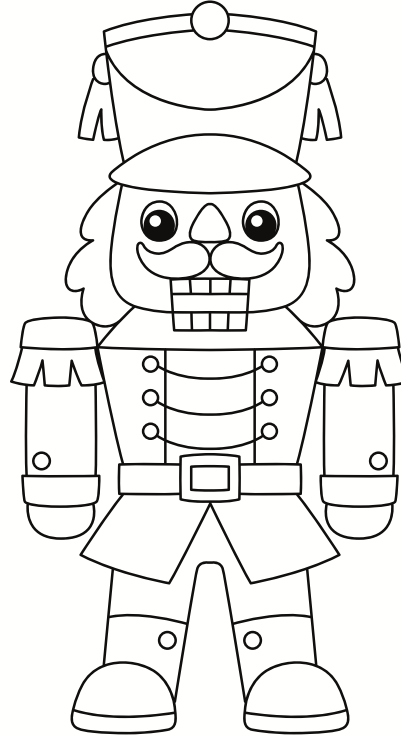
**WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 18**

**@ 2:00 PM**  
• 2012  
• PG  
• 1H 40M





Design your own  
Stocking  
Tuesday, Dec 3  
10am & 430pm



Art Class  
Tuesday  
Dec 10  
@  
10am & 430pm

Draw  
a  
Nutcracker



Tweens & Teens

Pop-Up Art

Thursday, Dec 5 @ 430pm

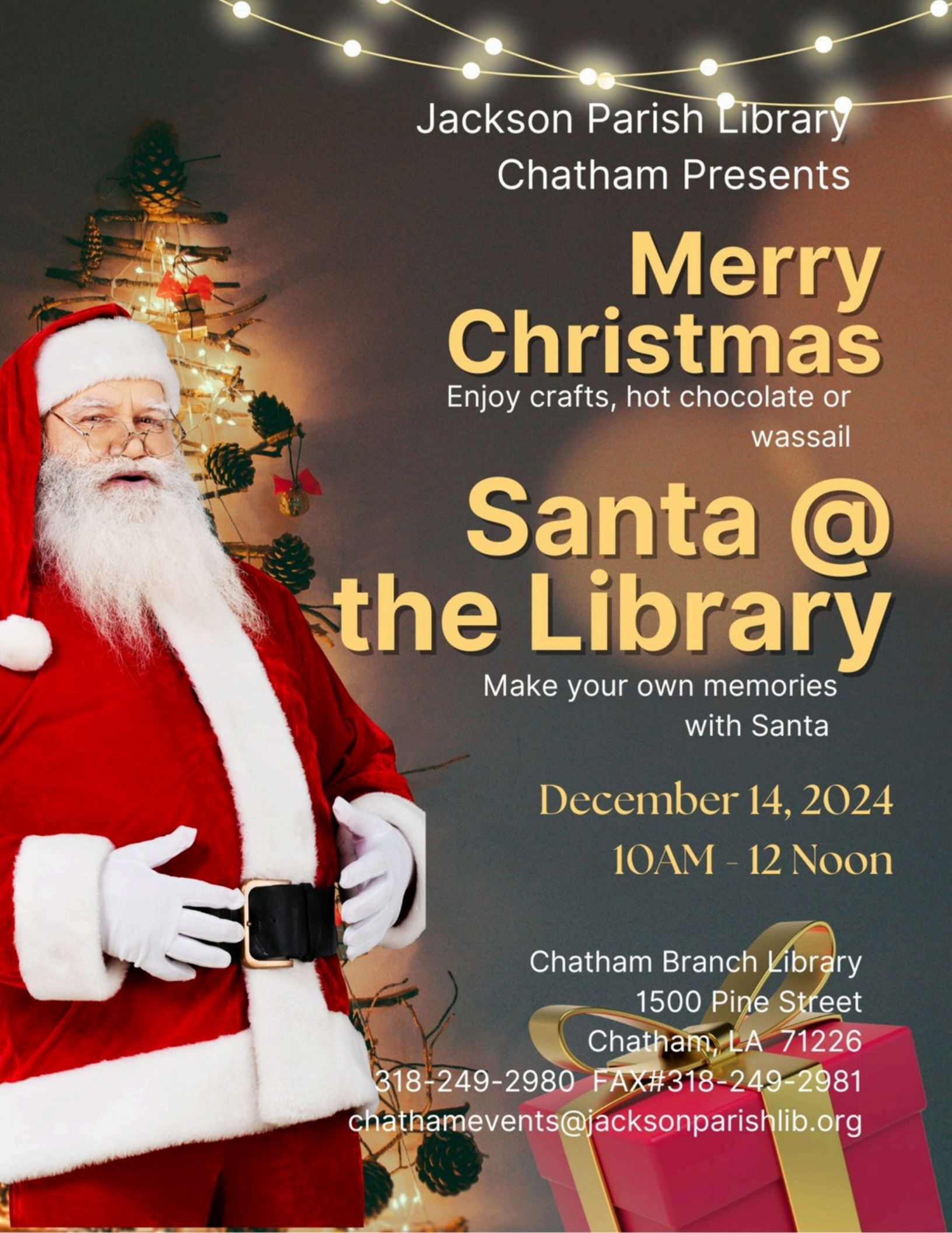
**SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7**

@ 10:00 AM

- 2024
- PG
- 1H 44M

LUKE WILSON GREG KINNEAR  
**YOU GOTTA BELIEVE**

Ho ho ho!  
Merry Christmas



Jackson Parish Library  
Chatham Presents

# Merry Christmas

Enjoy crafts, hot chocolate or  
wassail

# Santa @ the Library

Make your own memories  
with Santa

December 14, 2024

10AM - 12 Noon

Chatham Branch Library  
1500 Pine Street  
Chatham, LA 71226

318-249-2980 FAX#318-249-2981  
[chathamevents@jacksonparishlib.org](mailto:chathamevents@jacksonparishlib.org)

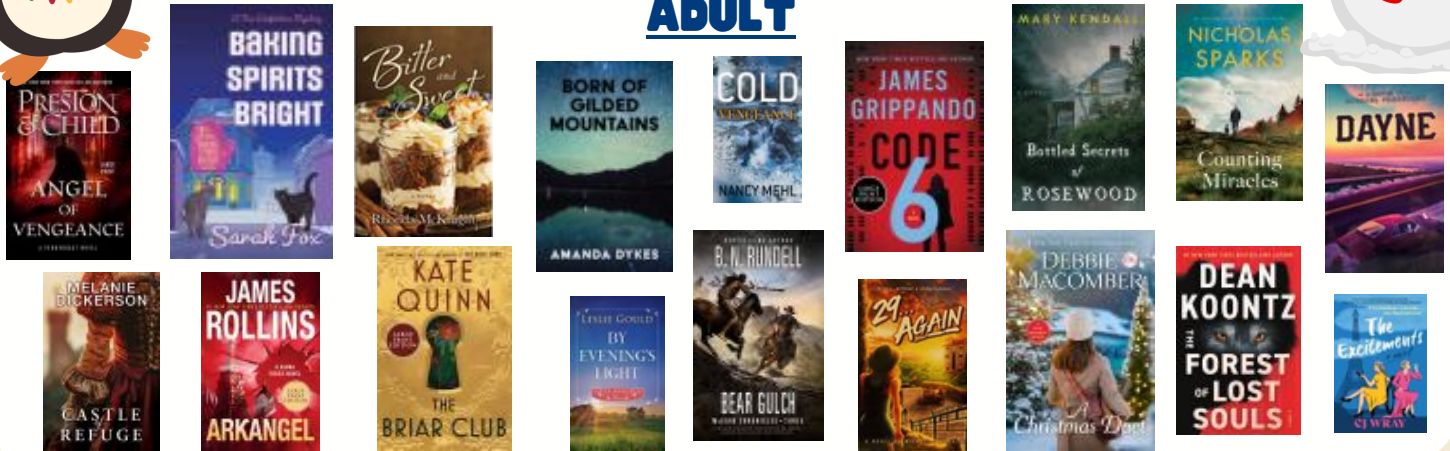




# New Arrivals



## ADULT



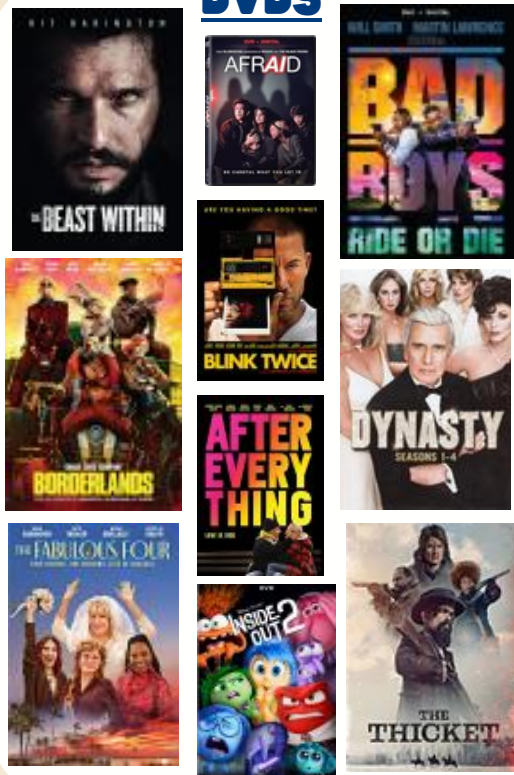
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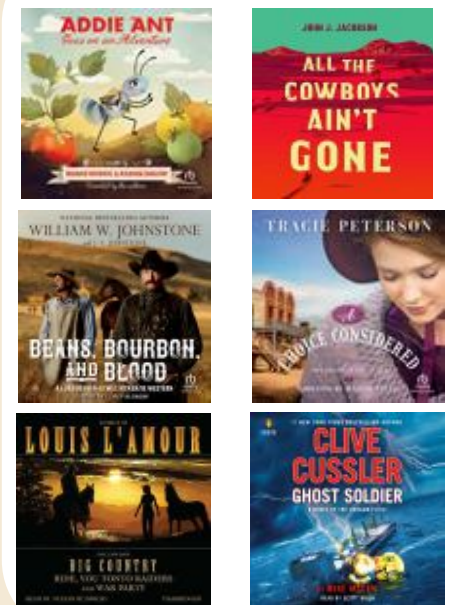
## YOUNG ADULT



## DVDS



## AUDIO



# December 2024

## Chatham Branch



SUN

MON

TUE

WED

THU

FRI

SAT

1


**Check Out  
Fitness  
9 am**

Play  
Grow  
Read  
10 am  
& 4:30 pm

**Check Out  
Fitness  
9 am**

TnT  
4:30 pm

**SNAP  
9:30 am to  
11:30 am**



Supplemental  
Nutrition  
Assistance  
Program  
Putting Healthy Food  
Within Reach

Movie Mania  
10 am



8

**Check Out  
Fitness  
9 am**

Play  
Grow  
Read  
10 am  
& 4:30 pm

**Check Out  
Fitness  
9 am**

12

13

Santa  
@  
the Library  
10 am  
to 12 pm


15

Council on Aging  
Chatham  
Meal Site  
10:45 am

Lady Chops &  
Amanda Roberts  
Concert  
6 pm

17

Movie Mania  
2 pm



19

20

21

22

**Check Out  
Fitness  
9 am**

CLOSED

CLOSED

CLOSED

27

28

29

**Check Out  
Fitness  
9 am**

CLOSED


Merry Christmas



# DECEMBER 2024

## JONESBORO BRANCH



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	Children's Art Class 4 pm	Storytime 10:00 am Adult Crafternoon 2 pm	Children's Art Class 4 pm	 SNAP 1 pm to 3 pm	Spend your morning w/ Santa 9:30am-11:30 am
8	9	Children's Art Class 4 pm	Storytime 10:00 am Adult Book Club 2 pm	Children's Art Class 4 pm		
15	Lady Chops & Amanda Roberts Concert 3 pm	Children's Art Class 4 pm Brown's Hearing 10 am - 4pm	Storytime 10:00 am Cricket Wireless cell phone class 1pm	Children's Art Class 4 pm		
22		CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED		
29		CLOSED				

