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Bossier Parish Library Historical Center PRESENTATIONS



Presentations can be at the Historical Center (with a tour, if desired) or may be at your classroom or meeting place. Programs are scheduled according to presenter availability.

Contact Pam Carlisle at the Historical Center at 318-746-7717 or

pcarlisle@bossierlibrary.org to schedule a program. Please make your request at least four weeks in advance. It

may be possible to add *supplemental crafts or activities, adjust the age or grade—level of the program, or arrange for other topics* not on this list. Additional notice may be required for custom programs.

Adult/Young Adult

Topics in Local History and Pre-History

- ◆ “Pierre’s Parish: A History of Bossier Parish”
- ◆ “Building a Dream: Rosenwald Schools for African-American Children circa 1915-1930”
- ◆ “Paleo-Indians and Caddo Indians, Early Inventors” – With model tools ❁
- ◆ “Bossier in Slices – Bossier People, Places, and Things” – A collection of stories from Bossier Parish’s past
- ◆ “Sacred to the Memory: Bossier Parish Headstones – Photos and Symbols”
- ◆ “Women Who Made a Difference in Bossier Parish”
- ◆ “Homemade and Home-raised: Bossier Parish Food 1910’s – 1960’s” ❁
- ◆ “Education in Bossier Parish – An Illustrated History” ❁
- ◆ **For teachers especially:** “A Hidden History Resource: The Bossier Parish Library Historical Center”

Genealogy/Family History/Research

- ◆ “Family Who, Where, When: Introductory Genealogy”
- ◆ “Genealogy and Family Reunions”
- ◆ “Do You Own a Radio Set? – What the U.S. Census Takers Need to Know 1790-1930”
- ◆ “André Cailloux – Free Person of Color, Civil War Captain” – A Genealogy Case Study
- ◆ “Practical Preservation: Making Family Mementos Last”
- ◆ “Careers About the Past”

Elementary/Middle School

- ◆ “How Historians Work” (Includes Using Primary Sources)
- ◆ “How Archaeologists Work”
- ◆ Caddo Indian story time program with various themes and crafts available, such as *Tsa Ch’ayah – How the Turtle Got Its Squares* or dugout canoes (*especially suitable for younger grades*)

❁ These programs (*above*) are also available for the Elementary/Middle School age group