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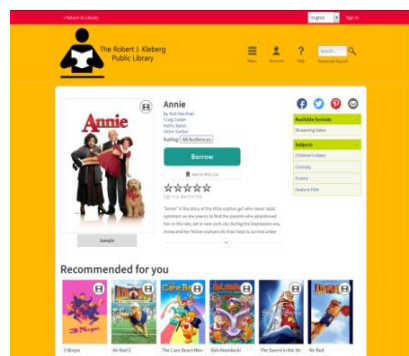
OverDrive® Digital Bookmobile Visits the Library



On Wednesday, November 4, 2015, representatives from OverDrive®, the library's eBook vendor, brought the Digital Bookmobile, a 74 foot-long, high tech trailer, to the library. Over 300 students from Harvey, Harrel, and Sarita Elementary Schools toured the Bookmobile, as the representatives conducted presentations and answered questions. In addition, students were able to browse the library's digital collection on various electronic devices available on the Bookmobile. The highlight of the event was the scavenger hunt the students participated in on the bookmobile. Since the event, the library has seen an increase in students coming in to apply for library cards. Students are accessing not only the digital collection, but also checking out books from the physical collection as well. The Robert J. Kleberg Public Library was the last stop on the Digital Bookmobile's 2015 National Tour, which began in June. The library plans to submit a request to be included on the Digital Bookmobile's 2016 National Tour, so additional area schools can participate in this event. To access the digital collection and services, visit the library's website at www.kleberglibrary.com.

Library Offers Streaming Movies

The library is now offering streaming movies through the library's OverDrive®-powered website. Similar to how Netflix® subscribers access and view their favorite shows on their devices, the library provides patrons access to over 600 streaming, blockbuster movies, provided through three different studio collections - Disney, MGM, and Warner Brothers. The movie collection covers a variety of categories that include Children's, Documentary, Drama, Feature Film, and Romance. There is no cost to stream the movies; however, patrons must be mindful of their Internet provider's data rates for streaming. To access this new service, patrons must have an active Robert J. Kleberg Public Library card, and a device capable of accessing the library's Overdrive®-powered website. For more information or assistance, patrons can visit or call the library at 361-592-6381.



Thanksgiving Holiday



In observance of the Thanksgiving holiday, the library will be closed from Thursday, November 25, 2015 to Monday, November 30, 2015. The library is normally closed on Sundays and Mondays. The library will reopen on Tuesday, December 1, 2015, at 8 a.m. The library wishes everyone a safe and happy holiday weekend.