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Texas State University's Alkek Library Available via TexShare Cards

New Braunfels, TX – Staff from Texas State University's Alkek Library in San Marcos will be in the lobby of the New Braunfels Public Library on Tuesday, July 28th at from 1:30 - 4 p.m. to discuss the benefits of using a TexShare card at their institution, with a short formal presentation offered at 3:00 p.m.

The New Braunfels Public Library has recently become a member library of the Texas State Library's TexShare program and Alkek Library is the closest large university library for residents of New Braunfels. Their holds more than 1.5 million books and is home to the Witliff Collection. New Braunfels Public Library patrons who possess TexShare cards enjoy access to the vast materials at that library and are also allowed to check out them out.

"We're thrilled that staff with Alkek Library will be on hand at our library to explain all that our patrons with TexShare cards may access at Texas State University, only twenty minutes away," said Library Director Gretchen Pruett.

All items borrowed from Alkek Library by TexShare cardholders must be returned there, not to the New Braunfels Public Library. Library patrons interested in obtaining a TexShare card may do so at any service desk in the library.

To learn more about the program, and to find a listing of participating libraries, visit www.tsl.texas.gov/texshare/card.