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Sarasota County libraries and AARP offer free tax return assistance

Sarasota County libraries and the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP) are offering free assistance with the preparation of 2011 tax returns through April 17.

AARP Tax-Aide volunteers are available to assist with filing federal returns at the following locations:

- Fruitville Library, 100 Coburn Road, Sarasota
- Gulf Gate Library, 7112 Curtiss Ave., Sarasota
- Jacaranda Library, 4143 Woodmere Park Blvd., Venice
- Selby Library, 1331 First St., Sarasota.

Days and times vary by location.

For more information, contact the Sarasota County Call Center at 941-861-5000 or visit the libraries website at www.sclibs.net, and click on Taxes.

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