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Library Newsletter

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Announcements & Gossip fit to print:

SAPL will be hosting a reception in honor of the presidential papers collection being donated by the Miller Family on Friday, April 30th, 1999.

The Board of Directors of the Southwest Florida Library Network has announced that Barbara Stites Goodwin will be their new Executive Director beginning March 1, 1999. Many of us remember Barbara from her participation in Suncoast Information Specialists (SIS) and as director of TBLC.

Administrative News:

Patricia Pettijohn (POY 124, x3580) and Rosie Wilson (POY 213, x3403) are not in the campus telephone directory. Please make note if you have not already done so.

Automation News:

USF/SPJC student id numbers (215...) are not in the proxy database and will not be added in the future. SJPC students taking classes on this campus and SPJC faculty cannot access proprietary (Lexis/Nexis, FirstSearch, etc.) databases via the Virtual Library from remote (i.e. off campus) locations.

Federal Tax Forms (98.2, Final Version) is loaded at the standalone machine. Load the CD and double click the Federal Tax Forms icon. Adobe Exchange opens up. Go to File, scroll down and select item 2 in the recently used files list called all_list.pdf. This opens a 157-page pdf file that is a list of form names with hotlinks to the forms themselves. You can either scroll through the list or click the binoculars on the toolbar to search by a keyword like "extension." You will then move to that place in the big list and be able to link to the actual form.

JAWS for Windows is a screen reader for the visually impaired. Karilyn Jaap is handling training and scheduling

Circulation / Reserve News:

The hydraulic wheelchair is available at the Circulation desk.

We are providing library services to community college students, besides those from SPJC who are taking classes at USF. The basics are:

Use **LPEC** (instead of LPER) for ALL community college personnel.

The patron codes are: **LCFA** for ALL CC faculty
LCSF for ALL CC staff
LCSP for SPJC/USF students (i.e. those SPJC students enrolled in USF classes on this campus with the special USF/SPJC green and yellow ID)
LCST for all other CC students

We have a listing at Circulation for the codes for each Florida Community College, and this code needs to be put into the record carefully. A sample record with instruction is in the manual. The instructions for all community college transactions are in the white binder marked **SPJC/USF students**).

When a CC student asks for privileges, a record must be put in our system for them. They will need to fill out the patron form at Circulation. Then input the barcode # from their id, using the PC closest to the exit.

The PCs at Circulation give access to the FCLA site that provides validation for CC patrons. The site has been bookmarked. Click on the site and then fill in the CC patron's social security number. A copy of the site and examples have been placed in the instruction binder.

SPJC has extended privileges to members of the public who hold a public library card. We have already had questions from the general public about using our library "because JC allows them to use their library". This does not involve us; it is a JC service only.

Collection News:

Alexander, Caroline	Endurance Shackleton's legendary Antarctic expedition
Amis, Martin	Night Train
Barker, Pat	The Eye in the Door
Barrett, Andrea	The Voyage of the Narwhal
Borges, Jorge Luis	Collected Stories
Cunningham, Michael	The Hours
Freeman, David	One of Us
Gates, David	Preston Falls
Godshalk, C S	Kalimantan
Goodman, Allegra	Kaaterskill Falls
Harrison, Jim	The Road Home
Hellenga, Robert	The fall of a sparrow

Hillerman, Tony	Finding Moon
Hospital, Janette	Oyster
Kittredge, Mary	Cadaver an Edwina Crusoe Medical Mystery
Koontz, Dean	Mr. Murder
Lehrer, Jim	Fine Lines
Lurie, Alison	The Last Resort
Makine, Andrei	Once upon the River Love
McDermott, Alice	Charming Billy
McEwan, Ian	Enduring love
Miller, Andrea	Casanova in love
Millhauser, Steven	Martin Dressler the tale of an American dream
Minot, Susan	Evening
Moore, Lorrie	Birds of America
Morton, Brian	Starting out in the evening
Munro, Alice	The Love of a Good Woman
Nadas, Peter	A Book of Memories
Norman, Howard	The Museum Guard
O'Nan, Stewart	A world away
Perry, Anne	Ashworth Hall
Powers, Richard	Gain
Price, Richard	Freedomland
Raeburn, Michael	The Chronicle of Opera
Saramago, Jose	Blindness
Schine, Cathleen	The Evolution of Jane
Soos, Frank	United Field Theory
Thomson, Rupert	Soft!
Tremain, Rose	The way I found her
Trevor, William	Death in Summer
Updike, John	Bech at Bay
Urquhart, Jane	Away

Reference Services News:

Bibliographic data now displays with the full-text for the two IAC databases, *Academic Index* and *Business Index*.

Announcing new *Virtual Library / WebLUIIS* acquisitions:

America: History and Life
Associations Unlimited
Historical Abstracts
GenderWatch
Ethnic NewsWatch
Health Reference Center--Academic

Science's Next Wave

Ulrich's International Periodicals Directory (online database available via WebLUIS)

IDEAL

Online electronic equivalent to 174 Academic Press journals and to selected titles from other publishers. Major IDEAL subject areas cover:

Biomedical Sciences, Economics, Business, Law, Finance, Engineering and Material Sciences, Life Sciences, Mathematics and Computer Science, Physical and Environmental Sciences, Psychology, and Social Sciences

New JSTOR Content

American Quarterly
Australian journal of Chinese affairs
Journal of southern history
Journal of Symbolic Logic
Nous
Philosophical perspectives
Philosophical quarterly
Philosophical review
Philosophy and Public Affairs
Population studies
Review of Financial Studies
Shakespeare quarterly
Sociology of Education

Codes for Current Contents files:

ABES Agriculture, biology & environmental sciences
ARHU Arts & humanities
CLMD Clinical medicine
ETAS Engineering, computing & technology
LISC Life sciences
PCES Physical, chemical & earth science
SBSC Social & behavioral sciences

Technical Services News:

There is a new location for packets of maps in the Reference area. The row of shelves that face the back of the atlas cases has been designated as "Map Shelves".

Signs on each end of the row say "Map Shelves", and each packet of maps has a label above the call numbers that reads "Map Shelves". These packets are part of the circulating collection.

There is also a user's message in USF Catalog for each record indicating this location.

Humor:

"You see, I don't believe that libraries should be drab places where people sit in silence, and that's been the main reason for our policy of employing wild animals as librarians." -- Monty Python

Will Manley's column entitled *New Year Resolution* in the January issue of *American Libraries* was interesting. Last year at FLA, Manley stand-up routine was decidedly anti-patron; library users bore the brunt of much of his humor. This column is a little kinder, sort of...

Many thanks to all the newsletter contributors!

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