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Library Newsletter

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Announcements & Gossip fit to print:

Sappy Holidays!

Our very own Jerry Notaro, librarian extraordinaire, has been awarded (and well deserved) a **Professional Excellence Program** award. Jerry is one of the first librarian recipients of this award. The PEP award recognizes outstanding performance by a professional who has held the rank of University Librarian or University Professor for seven or more years.

We have added two staff members since the last newsletter. Yeah!! They are **Patricia Pettijohn** who splits her time between the Collection Development and Automation Departments and **Rosie Wilson** who has joined the Technical Services Department. Both are already working very hard! **Welcome!**

On Thursday, the library staff once again proved what a creative group we are! The finger food was great and so was the snowman cake! Karilyn shared her recipe for "drunken" hot dogs. Mmm Mmm good!



Administrative News:

For those tired of correcting phone numbers and other information on the old stuff, there is a supply of new letterhead in the storage room cabinet. Let Barbara know when it runs low.

There are no scheduled staff or librarian meetings at this time.



Automation News:

Reminders from Ed:

Update your **library** distribution list if you are not using the default one in the Recipients address book. The default includes all library staff members. Some personal distribution lists do not.

New NOTIS logon procedure: All staff who need to sign in for circulation or technical mode functions must now clear the new abbreviated public access screen and type "csgm". The sign on screen will then appear.

The password requirements from UniPriNT have been removed.



Circulation / Reserve News:

Jackie Jackson has reported that we are still on hold with regard to Palm Harbor and St. Pete High students. Therefore, we are still not giving privileges to IB students and/or faculty.



Collection Development and Special Collections:

The Text and Academic Authors Association is creating an archive of TAA texts at the USF Library at St. Petersburg. The books will be placed in regular circulation. Bookplates will identify these items. There may be a library presentation sometime in January.



Reference Services News:

WilsonSelect now carries a large number of full-text education titles. You can limit to a title by using the "source (exact phrase)" search on the advanced search screen.

ArticleFirst and FastDoc are no longer full text. USF stopped subscribing to EBSCO.

All of the e-journals in OCLC's FirstSearch *Electronic Collections Online* have been cataloged into LUIS, complete with hotlinks, and volume holdings. There are about 115 titles in all.

The option to print or download marked records in WebLUIS is now available!

Libraries can now access a new FirstSearch Bibliographic Instruction Web site (<http://www.oclc.org/oclc/fsbi/index.htm>) from the OCLC Web Site. The Bibliographic Instruction (BI) site provides libraries with tools that help them integrate FirstSearch into their bibliographic instruction programs.

Reminder from Tina:

If you have used OCLC's ECO (Electronic Collections Online) you may have noticed that some of the full-text article links have a ".rif" extension instead of a ".pdf" extension. The .rif files need to have the "RealPage" software that is loaded on machines. Please let me know if you have any difficulties with retrieving these files.

Access to the proprietary databases is licensed to the SUS libraries under specific terms and conditions, most are fairly consistent in their requirements:

1. In-library use is available to anyone who comes into the library.
2. Remote access is limited to employed faculty and staff and registered students.
3. Downloading and printing from individually conducted searches is allowed providing that it is done within the provisions of the copyright laws.
4. Usage is for educational and research purposes and the results are not to be used for profit-making purposes.
5. No content can be resold to anyone.
6. The content is the intellectual property of the publishers/vendors who retain all their copyrights.

Alumni, while not always specifically excluded as a category in the license agreements, are NOT included in any of the categories that are allowed access unless they want to return to one of our campuses and use the databases on site.



Technical Services News:

Taxation for Accountants has changed titles to *Practical Tax Strategies*.

From Pat: New Recreational Reading:

Kingsolver, Barbara	<i>The Poisonwood Bible</i>
Danticat, Edwidge	<i>The Farming of Bones</i>
Roth, Philip	<i>I Married a Communist</i>
Bail, Murray	<i>Eucalyptus</i>
King, Stephen	<i>Bag of Bones</i>
Wolfe, Tom	<i>A Man in Full</i>
Forsyth, Frederick	<i>Icon</i>
Mosley, Walter	<i>Gone Fishin'</i>



Internet & other techie stuff:

From Virginia:

Thomas Regional Directories

http://www.thomasregional.com/newtrd/nc_home.html

Published by the Thomas Regional Directory Company, this searchable directory connects buyers to over 480,000 manufacturers, distributors, and service companies in nineteen US industrial regions from the Greater Allegheny to Southern California. Users may search by product, service, or company name and view company profiles, street addresses, phone, fax, and Web addresses, when available. Other search features include the ability to narrow queries by county, city, or area code and a "company status" option that limits results to minority or women-owned businesses.

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year



Many thanks to all the newsletter contributors!

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