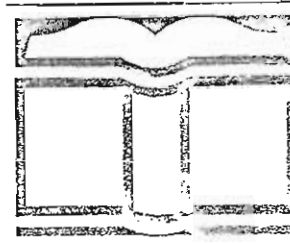


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NEWSLETTER

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February Workshops: Saturday February 10 was the date of our workshops. We were pleased to welcome Alexis Jamieson from SLIS, and Sandra McIntyre of Statistics Canada.

Ms. Jamieson presented a review of the new Anglo-American Cataloguing Rules (AACRII); Ms. McIntyre covered services provided by Statistics Canada for libraries and individuals.

We were pleased to have 17 people, 5 non-members, come out for this event. All seemed to feel that it was time well spent.

Nominations

We have some candidates for our next executive, but we are still searching for other interested individuals - please contact Nancy McCormick 433-0855-evenings if you are interested.

ANNUAL MEETING: Dinner Meeting, Tuesday March 6, 1979 at the Latin Quarter at 6:30 p.m.

Please pay careful attention to the enclosed announcement and follow the instructions. It is important that we have a quorum at this meeting in order to hold the elections and be able to vote on any important decisions that may arise. Please try to attend this meeting.

A Reminder : Annual Fees are due on April 1, 1979 be sure to renew your membership for the coming year. Membership forms will be available at the Annual Meeting.

Provincial News

Watch for the beginning of a new branch: Georgian Bay Regional Branch are having growing pains and we hope to welcome them at the Annual Conference in Toronto in May.

Nominations for Provincial executive to date: President: Susan Williamson
Vice-Pres. Dorothy Kew
PR Co-or.: Nancy Mack

If anyone else is interested in holding a positions on the Provincial executive or even interested in representing London as the Director please contact Jacquie Jessup, 438-3970 home or 438-7224 ex. 35 Bus.

1978-79 London Executive: President: Nancy McCormick
Vice- Pres.: Heather Chisnall
Sec.-Tres. : Linda Bone
Director : Jacquie Jessup
Student Rep: Nancy Tait

WHO WILL BE THE 1979-80 London Executive? Come to the ANNUAL MEETING
to find out !!

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

1979 Annual Meeting of the London Regional Branch of OALT/ABO
will be held on Tuesday March 6, 1979 at 6:30 p.m. at the Latin Quarter
(basement meeting room) Dinner Meeting, London, Ont.

Cash Bar	<u>Menu</u>	[Dinner at 7:00]
at	Juice Salad	Melba Toast/Crusty Roll
6:30 p.m.	Short Ribs of Beef,	Vegetable & Potato of the day
	Desert Beverage	(Coffee, Tea, Milk)

at a cost of \$7.50/ person (including gratuity & tax) Dress - Casual

Members please enclose with RSVP \$5.00 as your contribution towards this dinner meeting. (\$2.50 will be covered by the branch.)

Please return RSVP, money or proxy in enclosed envelope by MARCH 1, 1979.

If for some reason you are unable to attend the Annual Meeting, please help us by filling out the proxy form below. Be sure that someone who will be attending the meeting will represent you. Please return the form with the RSVP in the enclosed envelope. Thank you.

I, _____, hereby authorize _____
to exercise my vote in proxy on all matters arising at the 1979 Annual Meeting.

Signed: _____

RSVP ANNUAL MEETING 1979 - LATIN QUARTER DINNER MEETING OALT/ABO

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone #: _____

I will attend ___ / I will not attend ___ meeting on Tues. March 6, 1979

Please enclose a check or money order for \$5.00 for the meal if you plan to attend,

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OALT/ABO EXECUTIVE AND BOARD MEMBERS the following is a summary of some of the more important details of the 1979 Conference.

WORKSHOPS

There will be three sessions for each workshop, and what we have tried to do, is to have a variation of the workshop for each session, thus providing the participants in-depth workshops, and a choice of a specific aspect of each workshop -- this will be in-keeping with our theme DIMENSIONS.

AUTOMATION

- a) C. I. Systems of Canada - Robin Inskip.
- b) Informart
- c) UTLAS, UNICAT, TELICAT

At each session, we would like the following information covered before the conductor talks about their system: Why automation? What are the advantages of automation in specific functions such as acquisition, circulation etc.

GOVERNMENT DOCUMENTS

- a) International
- b) Provincial/Municipal
- c) Federal

This workshop can either take the form of tours of the Robarts, Legislative, Municipal & Robarts libraries respectively or it can be conducted by one or more people. If tours are preferred, we would have to find out whether these libraries will be open to us on Saturday.

Probable conductors for this workshop -- Mrs. G. Walmsey, Georgian Bay Regional Library or Brian Land, Faculty of Library Science.

ALTERNATIVES FOR LIBRARY TECHNICIANS

Areas to be covered: How does one freelance?
What types of alternatives are there for library workers?

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Guest Speaker at Saturday Luncheon: John Columbo
Thursday: Invitation to tea with Pauline McGibbon, (80 max)
at her residence.

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How does one prepare for this change, especially if background is predominantly in the library field?

What to highlight on a resume?

Conductors to tell of personal experiences.

- a) Susan Klement - Freelance librarian (authority on alternative)
- b) Barbara Land - Library technician who is now personnel of Brampton Public Library
- c) Resnick and Charndoff - 2 library technicians who freelance.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

- a) Canadian Book Centre - Phyllis Yaffe, Director
- b) Programs - Rita Cox, Parkdale Branch, Toronto Public Library
- c) Stereotyping in Children's Literature - Sherrill Cheda

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- a) Don Cook - U of T, Faculty of Library Science or Gordon Bean, Ryerson

SERVICES

- a) National Library
- b) CISTI
- c) Statistics Canada

Background of these services, ie. availability, general information.

TOURS

- a) Royal Ontario Museum
- b) Ontario Institute of Studies in Education
- c) Spaced out library or Store Front Library OR Fisher Rare Book Library, University of Toronto.

EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION IN MANAGEMENT

- a) Judi Orlicky

AUDIO VISUAL

- a) National Film Board - Dan Rodgers (film)
- b) OECA - Gordon McLean (video tapes)
- c) OISE - care, maintenance, cataloguing, storage of AV materials.

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BUDGETING & BOOKKEEPING

- a) Rick Brown, Accounting Instructor at Niagara College who is teaching accounting principles to library technicians. This workshop is aimed at people having some dealings in this area.

PUBLIC RELATIONS

- a) Orientation
b) Ethnic Communities or Outreach programs
c) Book mobiles

COMMUNITY INFORMATION SERVICES

- a) Dorothy Templin, Central Ontario Regional Library System OR Trudy Town, Northern Services, Toronto Public Library.

The schedule for the Conference (generally)

Thursday night - reception
Friday morning - business meeting
 afternoon- workshop
 - Greek supper
Saturday a.m. - workshop
 - speaker at lunch
 - workshop

The 1979 Conference will be held at New College, University of Toronto (St. George - Downtown Campus). The price at present looks like \$45 for rooms and \$11/day for 3 meals or \$6 for breakfast and lunch. An entertainment committee is looking into various restaurants, plays etc. that might be of interest to members. There will be no banquet. We will have the usual exhibits and kits.

FURTHER INFORMATION WILL BE POSTED IN THE PROVINCIAL NEWSLETTER AS IT BECOMES AVAILABLE/AS THE ABOVE INFORMATION CHANGES STATUS.

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"DIMENSIONS" is workshops, exhibits, tours and réceptions.

"DIMENSIONS" is business, education and entertainment.

PLAN TO ATTEND!!!

If you wish to receive registration forms please write to the address on this letter or call:

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 15 Rockford Rd.
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Co-ordinator: Peta Shelton
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