



newsletter

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General Meeting

Date: Wednesday, September 29, 1982
Time: 7:30 p.m.
Place: Rm. 5022, 5th Floor, Library Building
Lakehead University

It is anticipated we will have several speakers with information on "Recent Developments in Chancellor Paterson Library" at Lakehead University.

Proposed topics are: On-line searching
Government documents
Northern studies
Automation in the Acquisitions Dept.

At the annual dinner meeting in April, 1982, the following were chosen as the executive for 1982-83 for OALT/ABO, Thunder Bay region:

President: Karen Chivers
Past President: Judy Sennett
Secretary/Treasurer: Betty-Ann Bes
Co-Ordinator: Carolyn Christie
Director: Helen Heerema
Newsletter Editor: Marjorie Coleman
Membership/Mailing Person: Anna Girardin

Congratulations and best wishes for continued success to the 1982 graduates of the School of Library Technology, Lakehead University. They are: Carol Cameron, Elizabeth Carlson, Nancy Critchley, Cecile Davidson, Susan Dugas, Gale Frauenfeld, Carolyn Heynes,

Helen Hyvarinen, Anne Kent, Mary Kamau, Dianah Muiyuro, M. Gail Robinson, Susan Sajna and Maureen Shaw.

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For all those unfortunates unable to attend, for those who dozed through it, and for those committee members too tired to know what was going on--here is a brief report on the OALT Conference hosted by Thunder Bay Region as seen by Karen Chivers.

On May 13-15, 1982, the Thunder Bay Regional Branch of OALT was host to the 9th annual OALT/ABO Conference. One hundred and three out-of-town delegates (including those from other areas of Northwestern Ontario) were in attendance. All of the workshops were successful with Online Searching and Telidon attracting most of the delegates. Along with the successful workshops, the planned social activities were very much appreciated by the delegates.

One of the social events held within the Conference structure was a Library Technology School Reunion. Forty-five people, including long-time graduates, new graduates and present faculty of the Lakehead University program attended. Telegrams, telexes, telephone calls and letters were received from past faculty and graduates who were unable to attend. Graduates renewed friendships with former classmates and traded the usual outrageous stories of undergraduate days in Library Tech. Pictures and yearbooks of various graduating classes were available to examine.

The 10th Annual OALT/ABO Conference will be held in Sudbury, Ontario.

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