



HAPPENINGS

A Regular Diary of Meetings & Events

National

NOVEMBER 26-28 LAA Education for Librarianship Sect **National Conference** 'The Information Professional' **Melbourne CAE, ERC Lecture Theatre, R132.** Contact: Janette Wright or Pam Kealy, Dept of Librarianship, RMIT (03) 660 2963.

NOVEMBER 26-27 SACAE and ABN **National Workshop** 'ABN and nonbook and teaching resource collection materials: problems and solutions'. Contact: Margareta Nicholas, SA College of Advanced Education Library, Holbrooks Road, Underdale SA 5032 (08) 352 0011 Telex 88420.

NOVEMBER 30 SACAE/LAA SA Branch **National Seminar** 'Learning resources for the health professions and health education in Australia' **SA College of Advanced Education Library, Sturt Site, Sturt Road, Bedford Park 5042.** Contact: Claire Clark (08) 275 5290. Telex 88420.

FEBRUARY 15-19 1985 Second **National Conference** on Multiculturalism in Libraries 'Directions for Diversity'. Keynote Speaker: Sylva Simsova, Principal Lecturer, North London Polytechnic, School of Librarianship. Watch this column for further details. Contact: Vera Boston (03) 370 5244.

MARCH 28-30 1985 Third **National Library Technicians' Conference** **Canberra Rex Hotel, Northbourne Avenue, Canberra City.** Registration Wednesday, March 27. Contact: Robyn Lee (062) 478 176.

SEPTEMBER 1-7 1985 Special Libraries Sect **First Asian-Pacific Special and Law Librarians Conference.** Contact: Christine McLaren (Special) (03) 389 2428. Yvonne Urquhart (Law) (03) 614 1011.

Queensland

SEPTEMBER 26 LAA Library Technicians Group Qld Meeting 'Library Technicians Revisited' 5.30pm **Supreme Court Building.** Contact: Merle McGovern (07) 227 5127.

OCTOBER 2 UCLS **Committee Meeting** 5.30pm. All UCLS members welcome as observers. Contact: Helen Darch (07) 377 2477.

OCTOBER 15-19 Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory, Bioscience, Patents, Refresher, Sci-tech, Strategy **Seminars.** **Brisbane.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

OCTOBER 16 Qld Branch **General Meeting** 5.30 for 6pm **3 306, Level 3 Resource Centre, Kelvin Grove Campus, Brisbane CAE.** Speaker: John McKinlay (James Cook University Librarian). Contact: Alex Cutts (07) 392 1488.

OCTOBER 20 LAA Library Technicians Group **Full Day Workshop** 'Care and Maintenance of AV material' **Kenny House** 9am to 4pm. Contact: Merle McGovern (07) 227 5127.

OCTOBER 30-31 ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User **Training Course.** Contact: George Jotaras (07) 369 5877.

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OCTOBER 10 LAA Cataloguers Sect ACT Group **Meeting** 2.30pm **Seminar Room, Menzies Library, ANU.** Peter Iaddad (062) 62 1428.

OCTOBER 23-25 Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory and Humanities **Seminars.** **Canberra.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

Victoria

SEPTEMBER 21-23 LAA Children's Libraries Section Vic Group **Children's Literature Weekend** 'Written with pictures: evaluating and using picture books with children of all ages' **Bellinzona Guest House, Hepburn Springs.** Registration closes Sept 7. Further information contact: Margaret Fox (03) 872 9513, Caroline Frank (03) 861 6745 or Irene McGinnigle (03) 370 5244.

SEPTEMBER 25 Medical Libraries Sect Vic Group and Public Libraries Sect Vic Group **Joint Meeting** 'Delivery of medical information to the public' 6 for 6.30pm **Lincoln Institute, Room G17, 625 Swanston Street, Melbourne.** Contact: Aina Zalitis (03) 602 1333 X 371.

SEPTEMBER 26 LAA Library Technicians Sect Vic Group **General Meeting** 6 for 6.30pm **State Library Conference Room.** Parking available in courtyard. Meetings in future will be held on last Wednesday of every second month. The last date for 1984 is November 28. All technicians are welcome at these meetings. Membership of LAA not essential. Please come along and show your interest in technicians' issues. Contact: Margaret Munro (03) 235 1509.

OCTOBER 2-4 ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User **Training Course.** Contact: Lewis Rentschler (03) 544 8433.

OCTOBER 3-4 Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory **Seminar.** **Melbourne.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

OCTOBER 4 RMIT Young Adult Libraries and Literature **Workshop** No 1 'Young adults who are they? What are their needs?' 6-9pm **RMIT Union House, Institute Function Room.** Workshop Leaders: Mrs N.T. Thomas (Dept of Social Sciences RMIT), Dr Bob Hoernel (Policy Officer, Youth Affairs Council of Vic). Cost: \$15 (incl supper), for all four sessions \$50. Contact: John Adams (03) 660 2963. Brochure and bookings: Glenda Key or Sue McGibbony (03) 660 2532.

OCTOBER 5 ACI Computer Services. Database Builders' **Training Course.** Contact: Lewis Rentschler. (03) 544 8433.

OCTOBER 10 LAA Vic Branch Council **Meeting** 5.30pm **State Library Conference Room.** Meetings will be held on second Wednesday of each month, same time and place. Contact: Diane Costello (053) 30 1800 ext 364.

OCTOBER 10 RMIT Information Resources **Workshop** 'Sources of information about lifestyles, leisure, sport, recreation and tourism' 4pm to 9pm **Footscray Institute of Technology.** Workshop Leader: Fran Hegarty (ACPIRST Co-ordinator, Footscray Institute of Technology). Cost: \$40 (includes light dinner and course notes). Contact: Marianne Broadbent co-ordinator (03) 660 2963. Bookings: Glenda Key or Sue McGibbony, Technisearch (03) 660 2532.

OCTOBER 11 Medical Libraries Sect Vic Group **Meeting** 'Peer review and quality assurance' 5.30 for 6pm. Speaker: Dr Ken Sleeman. Contact: Aina Zalitis (03) 602 1333x371.

OCTOBER 11 RMIT Young Adult Libraries and Literature **Workshop** No 2 'Literature for young adults — trends and developments' 6-9pm **RMIT Union House, Institute Function Room.** Workshop Leaders: Ms Kay Ronai (Penguin Books), Nadia Wheatley (Children's author), panel of B. Soc. Sci. (Librarianship) students. Cost: \$15 incl supper, \$50 for all four sessions. Contact: John Adams (03) 660 2963. Brochure and bookings: Glenda Key or Sue McGibbony (03) 660 2532.

OCTOBER 18 LAA Vic Branch **General Meeting** 'Industrial Relations'. Speakers, venue and time to be advised in future issues of InCite. Contact: Diane Costello (053) 30 1800 x 364.

NOVEMBER 3 Riverina Regional Group **Meeting** 'Selecting books for children in libraries' 12 noon **809 Delaney Street, Albury.** Speakers: Irene McGinnigle (Moonee Valley Regional Library), Glenda Benness (Caulfield Public), Eileen Nelson (Oakleigh Public), Margaret Aitken (State Library of Vic). Contact: Anne Burnett, Upper Murray Regional Library Service, Albury (060) 21 1122.

NOVEMBER 10 Australian Society of Indexers **Seminar** 'Issues facing indexers' 9.30am to 5pm. Cost: \$30 lunch provided. Contact: Sue Harvey (03) 418 7220.

NOVEMBER 14 & 21 RMIT Dept of Librarianship. Librarians and Microcomputing **Workshop Course** 65/84 'Down loading of databases and professional user front end packages, 5-9pm. Fee: \$60. Bookings: Technisearch, Glenda Key (03) 341 2532, 341 2533.

NOVEMBER 26 International Federation for Documentation, Regional Commission for Asia and Oceania (FID/CAO) **8th Congress in Melbourne.** Public Seminar 'Information Products: Packaging and Promotion for Practitioners'. Contact: Hans Groenewegen, Caval Ltd, Suite 8, 5th Floor, Ampol House, 792 Elizabeth Street, Melbourne.

NOVEMBER 28-29 Australasian URICA Users Group **Third National Workshop** on 'Current and future URICA developments' Melbourne. Fee: \$120. Closing date Friday, October 26 (late fee \$10). Enrolments limited to allow exploration of URICA modules. Contact: Jan Stewart, Preston College of TAFE (03) 479 3227.

DECEMBER 14 LAA Vic Branch **Christmas Cocktail Party** 5.30 to 8pm **Menzies at Rialto.** Contact: Ann Forbes (03) 647 7433.

NT

OCTOBER 10 LAA NT Branch **Careers Night.** Panel of library technicians, external studies people, public librarians and other interested persons to discuss study opportunities and problems in the field of librarianship. **Casuarina High School.** Contact: Julii Tyson (089) 22 0250.

NSW

SEPTEMBER 15-OCTOBER 3 State Library of NSW Australian Library Week **Exhibition** 'Contemporary Designer Bookbindings'.

SEPTEMBER 24 NSW Special Libraries Section **Meeting** 'Converting Print to Electronic Data' 6 for 6.30pm **8th Floor, Commonwealth Banking Corporation, cnr Martin Place and Pitt Street** (Martin Place entry). Speakers: D. Poth, Leigh Mardon (optical character recognition), C. Dowd, SAZTEC (bulk data input). Contact: Graham Whittall (02) 235 8527.

OCTOBER 2-5 NSW Special Libraries and Online Users Group Information Technology Month **Online Demonstration** 11am to 3pm **Qantas House.** Volunteer demonstrators welcome. Contact: Graham Whittall (02) 235 8527 or Rosemary McLaughlan (02) 238 3769.

OCTOBER 10 LAA Cataloguers' Sect NSW Group **Fourth Annual Mollie Thomson Lecture** 'Some thoughts on the future of union catalogues' 6 for 6.30pm **Conference Room, Fisher Library, University of Sydney.** Speaker: Eoin Wilkinson, Librarian, Macquarie University. Contact: Andrew Wells (02) 662 3331 or Kate Nerlich (02) 88 9084.

OCTOBER 13 School Libraries Sect NSW Group **Seminar** 'Aboriginal studies — resources to support the curriculum' 9am to 3.30pm **South Sydney High School, Walsh Avenue, Maroubra.** Cost: \$6 LAA members, \$12 non members. Course no. 84/15/219. Contact: Elizabeth Hughes, Marist Brothers Boys' School, 31 Banks Avenue, Daceyville (02) 349 3774.

OCTOBER 16-18 ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User **Training Course.** Contact: Gay St Ledger (02) 662 7011.

OCTOBER 17 NSW Branch Council **Monthly Meeting** 5.30pm **LAA House, 376 Jones Street, Ultimo.** Dates for future meetings — November 28, December 19, Observers welcome. Contact: Julie Young (049) 61 7355 or David Hawkins (02) 217 5006.

OCTOBER 29-NOVEMBER 2 Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory, Biosciences, Chemical and Sci-tech **Seminars.** **Sydney.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

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Tasmania

SEPTEMBER 27 LAA Tas Branch Second Quarterly **Lunchtime Meeting.** John Bailey will talk on the subject of comparisons of librarianship between the UK and France. 12.30pm **Black Buffalo, North Hobart.** Contact: Bert Elson (002) 38 9292.

NOVEMBER 29 Third Quarterly **Lunchtime Meeting** 12.30pm **Black Buffalo, North Hobart.** Open meeting for members, husbands and wives. Speaker: Austin Steele, Director of Tasmanian Film Corporation to talk about the Corporation and his previous work in the BBC. Contact: Bert Elson (002) 38 9292.

WA

OCTOBER 4 Public Libraries Section **Meeting** 'Evaluating your library services' 3 for 3.30pm **Subiaco Exhibition Hall.** Speaker: Margaret Redfern, Lecturer at the School of Librarianship & Information Studies, Polytechnic of North London. Contact: Ruth Allender (09) 271 2340.

OCTOBER 8-12 Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory, Bioscience, Chemical, Patents, Sci-tech **Seminars.** **Perth** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

OCTOBER 23-25 SDC/Orbit **Training Courses** New User, Advanced, Chemistry. **Perth.** Contact: Katie Blake/Tina Reedman (02) 922 9308 or toll free (008) 22 6474.

NOVEMBER 27-29 ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User **Training Course.** Contact: John Kelly (09) 321 2859.

Overseas

SEPTEMBER 23-27 International Federation for Documentation (FID) **42nd Congress** in the Netherlands. Theme: 'The Use of Information in a Changing World' plus an FID/ET pre congress workshop September 17-20 on 'Curriculum Development in a Changing World' plus an NFAIS Seminar on 'Indexing in Perspective' September 21-22. Contact: FID 22nd Congress Secretariat, PO Box 90402, 2509 LK The Hague, Netherlands (or Peter Judge on (062) 48 4527).

OCTOBER 9-13 19th IBBY **Biennial Congress.** **Nicosia, Cyprus.** Contact: Ena Noel (02) 32 5075.