



HAPPENINGS

A Regular Diary of Meetings & Events

National

NOVEMBER 1-2 LAA Board of Education Meeting LAA House, 376 Jones Street, Ultimo NSW 2007. Contact: Sue Phillips (02) 692 9233.

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 29-30 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.

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.

DECEMBER 7-8 General Council Meeting, LAA House. Closing date for agenda items 6 November. Contact: Jenny Adams or Sue Phillips (02) 692 9233.

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.

AUGUST 25-29 1985 6th Biennial Australian Medical Librarians Conference to be held at Regent Hotel, Melbourne. Contact: Rick Waterman (03) 347 7699.

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.

ACT

OCTOBER 23 Canberra Online Users Group Meeting 6pm ANU Library, Menzies Building Seminar Room. Janine Schmidt (Insearch/DIALOG) will discuss new developments at DIALOG and will also report on the 7th International Online Information Meeting held in London, December 1983 and the Qld Online Users Group Seminar held at the LAA Conference in August. Contact: Joye Volker (062) 49 2989.

NOVEMBER 13-15 ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User Training Course. Contact: Long Tjhia (062) 470 988.

NOVEMBER 14 LAA Cataloguers Sect ACT Group Annual General Meeting. Seminar Room, Menzies Library, ANU. Contact: Peter Haddad (062) 621 428.

NOVEMBER 26-30 Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory, Business, Legal and Social Science Seminars. Canberra. Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

NOVEMBER 27-29 SDC/Orbit Training Courses New User, Advanced, Chemistry. Canberra. Contact: Katie Blake/Tina Reedman (02) 922 9308 or toll free (008) 22 6474.

NSW

OCTOBER 23 LAA Special Libraries Section Lunchtime Visit 12-1pm or 1-2pm Sydney Opera House Library. Contact: Robyn Jenkins (02) 20 512.

OCTOBER 29 Library & Information Staff Union Annual General Meeting 6pm LAA House, 376 Jones Street, Ultimo. Contact: Susan Sykes (02) 639 2809.

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

OCTOBER 30 NSW Online Users Group Meeting 'The Macquarie Dictionary — an online demonstration and the future for electronic publishing' 6 for 6.30pm The Forum Centre, 35-43 Clarence Street, Sydney. Speaker: Mr Colin Hendrick, Managing Director, Computing 2000 Pty Ltd. Contact: Computing 2000 (02) 232 3101.

NOVEMBER 2 Dinner for Alumnae, present and past staff, all Librarians-in-Residence, members of the School of Library and Information Studies Advisory Committees, to celebrate 10 years of library and information studies at Kuring-gai CAE 7pm for 7.30pm College, Eton Road, Lindfield. Dinner Speaker, Mr H. Bryan, Director-General of National Library of Australia and first Librarian-in-Residence, KCAE. Tickets \$25 per head. Enquiries H. Gilkes (02) 467 9250.

NOVEMBER 3 RARA Meeting 1pm St Marys' Branch Library, Mamre Road, St Marys. Topic: 'Lies, Damn Lies and Statistics'. Speaker: Diana Oliver, Chief Librarian, Sutherland Shire Library. Suzanne Roach, Reference Librarian, Sutherland Shire Library. Contact: Richard Hawkins.

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 8-15 Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory, Business, Refresher, Strategy and Social Science Seminars. Sydney. Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

NOVEMBER 12 LAA NSW Branch, ASA (Sydney Branch), Action Committee on Local Government Records. Panel to discuss: Effects of new legislation on local government records and local history collections including those on public libraries. 6 for 6.30. Light refreshments. History House, 133 Macquarie Street. Welcome to all interested in local studies. Contact: Patricia Ward (02) 337 6214 (ah) and Faye Lawrence (02) 327 7818 (w).

NOVEMBER 14 LAA Special and Medical Libraries Sections Joint Meeting 'New Databases on AUSINET' 6 for 6.30pm ACI Computer Services, 57 Anzac Parade, Kensington. Contact: David Hawkins (02) 217 5006 or John Holgate (02) 339 4058.

NOVEMBER 26 Children's Book Council Christmas Party 7pm The Harbour Queen Floating Restaurant at Luna Park. Cost: \$18 for three course buffet, excluding drinks. RSVP before Nov 16. Contact: Children's Book Council, c/- Library Services, 35 Mitchell Street, North Sydney.

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

DECEMBER 1 Riverina Regional Group AGM and LAA Promotional Meeting 9.15am to 1pm Chatters, Rutherglen, then BBQ lunch and wineries tour. Speaker: Louise Lansley, Industrial Information Officer. Contact: Roy Sanders (069) 23 2576.

WA

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.

NOVEMBER 30 ACI Computer Services. Database Builders' Training Course. Contact: John Kelly (09) 321 2859.

Queensland

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.

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NOVEMBER 6 UCLS Committee Meeting 5.30pm. All UCLS members welcome as observers. Contact: Helen Darch (07) 377 2477.

NOVEMBER 7 UCLS and Medical Librarians Sect Joint General Meeting 'A Librarian in China' 5.30pm University of Queensland Central Library Lecture Theatre. Wine and cheese for 6pm. Contact: Margaret Robertson (07) 352 8111.

NOVEMBER 20 Old Branch General Meeting 5.30 for 6pm R 306 Level 3, Resource Centre, Kelvin Grove Campus, Brisbane CAE. Contact: Alex Cutts (07) 392 1488.

DECEMBER 4 Old Branch Annual General Meeting. Details to be advised. Contact: Alex Cutts (07) 392 1488.

Tasmania

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.

Victoria

OCTOBER 26 LAA Public Libraries Section 'Video in Libraries' a Seminar from 1.30 pm-5pm Carrington Library. Contact: Rod Blacker (03) 397 1800.

OCTOBER 27 LAA Children's Libraries Sect Vic Group Country Meeting 'Promoting the bookstock — practical suggestions for your library' 2-5pm Bendigo Public Library, Hargreaves Street, Bendigo. Cost: \$5 LAA/SLAV members, \$7.50 non members, half price students. Contact: Jan Sutton (03) 490 4313 or Prue Menzies (03) 200 1207.

OCTOBER 31 LAA/UCLS Vic Group Seminar 'Collection Management a practical approach' 6 for 6.30pm Swinburne Library Staff Room. Panel of Speakers: Tony Arthur, Ian Douglas, Bill Linklater. Contact: Helen Hayes (03) 341 8322.

OCTOBER 31 Special Libraries Sect Vic Group General Meeting 'Australian booksellers and subscription agents: the next generation and its impact on special libraries' 5.30 for 6.30pm Regent Hotel, West Tower Suite, Collins Street, Melbourne. Speaker Lauri Clarkson and Richard Siegersma, DA Book (Aust) Pty Ltd. Limit 60 people. RSVP Vicki Nicholson (03) 347 8722 or Henning Rasmussen (03) 341 9417.

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NOVEMBER 6-8 SDC/Orbit Training Courses New User, Advanced, Patents. Melbourne. Contact: Katie Blake/Tina Reedman (02) 922 9308 or toll free (008) 22 6474.

NOVEMBER 7 RMIT Information Resources Workshop 'Sources of information about State and Commonwealth governments' 4-9pm. Workshop Leader: Jill Wilson, State Library of Victoria. Cost: \$40, includes light dinner and course notes. Contact: Marianne Broadbent, Co-ordinator (03) 660 2963.

NOVEMBER 7-9 Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory, Government Documents and Sci-tech Seminars. Melbourne. Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

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 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.

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 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. 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.

DECEMBER 3 Special Libraries Section Vic Group Annual General Meeting and Christmas Party. Further details to be advised. Contact: Elaine Alexander (03) 697 5011.

DECEMBER 7 LAA Public Libraries Section Christmas Social Function. Further details soon. Contact: Rod Blacker (03) 397 1800.

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

SA

NOVEMBER 22 UCLS SA Group Annual General Meeting 5.30pm Old Rare Book Room, Barr Smith Library, University of Adelaide. For more details contact: H. Howard (08) 228 5371.

INSERTS

This issue of InCite will contain Ballot Papers for Victorian members and all Queensland issues will contain an insert from the State Library of Queensland.