



# HAPPENINGS

## National

◦ **JULY 16-18 LAA Seventh National Cataloguing Conference: Back to Basics.** Townsville International Hotel, North Queensland. Keynote speaker: Mary K D Pietris, Chief, Subject Cataloguing Division, Library of Congress. For further information contact John McKinlay, James Cook University Library, Townsville, Qld 4811. (077) 81-4472.

**JULY 17-18 School of Librarianship, University of NSW.** Third Forum of Australian Library and Archive History 'Library History in Context'. School of Librarianship, University of New South Wales. Contact: Ida Vincent (02) 697 3438 or (02) 73 1312.

◦ **JULY 21-23 LAA Riverina Regional Group. National Conference 'Libraries Alone: rural and isolated libraries conference'.** Riverina-Murray Institute of Higher Education, Wagga Wagga, NSW. Correspondence: Steering Committee, Libraries Alone, C/- School of Information Studies, RMIHE, PO Box 588, Wagga Wagga 2650.

**JULY 24 AACOBS National Seminar.** Access to information: public responsibility/private initiative, Melbourne. Contact: Marion Newman (062) 621 641.

**AUGUST 31-SEPTEMBER 1 Australian URICA Users Group, AGM.** Venue: Canberra. Contact: Ray Choate, Secretary, c/- Borchardt Library, La Trobe University, Bundoora Vic 3083 (03) 479 2918.

◦ **SEPTEMBER 2-4 LAA Jubilee Celebrations, Canberra, ACT.** Contact: Jenny Gleeson (062) 46 7307. Registration enquiries to David Clark (062) 98 0256.

**SEPTEMBER 3-7 Australian School Library Association's 10th National Conference.** Wrest Point Convention Centre, Hobart. Theme: 'In Perspective: the Past, the Present, the Future.' Speakers: Susan Cooper and Jan Needle. Contact: R. Bennett, c/- 351b Liverpool Street, Hobart 7000. (002) 44 2544.

◦ **SEPTEMBER 5-6 LAA General Council Meeting, Canberra.**

**SEPTEMBER 6-11 The International Council of Museums, Committee for Conservation 8th Triennial Meeting.** Hilton International Sydney Hotel. Cost: Before 1 May 1987 \$250 Delegate Enrolment; \$150 Full-time Stu-

dent. After 1 May 1987 \$300 Delegate Enrolment; \$200 Full-time Student. Contact: ICOM-CC 87 Secretariat, Dulcie Stretton & Associates, 70 Glenmore Rd, Paddington NSW 2021.

**SEPTEMBER 9-12 ABA Conference.** 'Marketing the Book' Seminars will be held for special interest groups, Library Suppliers, Educational Booksellers, Independent Booksellers and Children's Booksellers. Contact: John Nieuwenhuizen or Jane Stephens (03) 419 0400.

◦ **SEPTEMBER 13-17 LAA 7th Biennial Australian Medical Librarians' Conference 'Health Sciences Librarians - the dynamic communicators'.** Hotel Adelaide, Adelaide, SA. Conference Secretariat: 7th Biennial Australian Medical Librarians' Conference C/- Ellisservice Convention Management, PO Box 753, Norwood, SA 5067.

◦ **SEPTEMBER 24-27 LAA Australian Association of Adult Education. National Conference 'Partners in adult learning: libraries and adult education'.** Colonial Motor Inn, Hall's Gap, Victoria. Contact: Marian Letcher, (03) 429 3644 or Peter Fraser, (03) 652 0694.

◦ **SEPTEMBER 28-OCTOBER 2 Special Libraries. Second Asian-Pacific Special and Law Librarians' Conference.** Sheraton Hotel, Turbot St, Brisbane. Contact: Henry Thorburn, Special, (03) 565 2317 or Ann Clarkson (07) 222 3333 or Pamela Bray, Law, (07) 377 2933.

◦ **OCTOBER 12 LAA Publications Board Meeting.** Contact: Kathy Husselbee (02) 692 9233 or (008) 22 1481.

**OCTOBER 16-23 Library Week.** Theme: 'Everybody needs a library.'

◦ **OCTOBER 22-23 LAA Board of Education Meeting.** Contact: Louise Lansley (02) 692 9233 or (008) 22 1481.

◦ **OCTOBER 28-31 LAA Library Technicians Section 4th National Conference of Library Technicians.** Regent Hotel, Collins St, Melbourne. Conference Convenor: Margaret Munro, 109 Lincoln Rd, Croydon 3136 (03) 669 7240 bus; (03) 723 2263 ah. Conference Secretariat: Bloomsbury Conference Services PO Box 2368 Richmond South 3121 (03) 428 8226/1983.

◦ **NOVEMBER 6 LAA Executive Committee Meeting.**  
**NOVEMBER 9-13 AIMA Advanced Management Institute Course, Sydney.** Time: (Day 1) 1.00 pm-9.00 pm. (Day 2, 4) 9.00 am-5.00 pm. (Day 3) 9.00 am-9.00 pm. Cost: \$450 (course cost only). Contact: Margaret Trask, Executive Director AIMA PO Box 206, Enmore 2042. Phone: (02) 519 1718.

◦ **NOVEMBER 14-15 LAA UCLS Reference Librarians Conference, Melbourne.** 'Reference Services 87 - Meeting the Challenge of the Information Age'. Contact: Ray Choate, Borchardt Library, La Trobe University, (03) 479 2918.

**NOVEMBER 16-18 VALA 4th Biennial Conference and Exhibition 'Information Futures: Tomorrow Today'.** Contact: Wael Foda (02) 332 4622.

**NOVEMBER 18-20 AIMA Review and Update Course, Sydney.** Time: (Day 1-3) 9.00 am-5.00 pm. Cost: \$350 (course cost only). Contact: Margaret Trask, Executive Director AIMA PO Box 206, Enmore 2042. Phone: (02) 519 1718.

◦ **DECEMBER 1 LAA SA Branch. National Seminar: Profit or Perish - information for business, government and the law.** Venue: SACAE, Magill Site, Auditorium, 15 Lorne Avenue, Magill. Time: 9.00am - 5.00pm. Cost: \$50 LAA members or \$75.00 non-members. Contact: Geoff Swadling (08) 333 9448.

◦ **DECEMBER 3 LAA Executive Committee Meeting.**  
**MARCH 24-25 1988 State Library of NSW. First National Conference: Opening Doors for Closed Ears: Library services for deaf and hearing impaired people.** Contact: Val Moon Special Needs Librarian, State Library of NSW, Macquarie Street, Sydney (02) 588 4095.



◦ **JULY 21 LAA Special Libraries Section (WA Group).** Security Systems in small libraries. Venue: K.E. Memorial Hospital Library. Time: 5.00pm. RSVP: Brigitte Glockner (09) 380 4115.

◦ **JULY 21 LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group)** WAYRBA Vote Sorting. Teaching Aids and Inservice Centre, Bagot Rd, Subiaco. Time: 4.15pm. Contact: Julia Hancy (09) 332 8099.

◦ **AUGUST 5 LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group)** WAYRBA Vote Sorting. Teaching Aids and Inservice Centre, Bagot Rd, Subiaco. Time: 4.15pm. Contact: Julia Hancy (09) 332 8099.

**AUGUST 7 LAA Schools Section (WA Group)** Launch of 'Online Information Services for Schools: implications for School Libraries' (report of the Section's OLISS Subcommittee) by Dr Warren Loudon, Director-General of Education, St Hilda's Girls School, Bay View Tce, Mosman Park. Time: 5.00pm. RSVP by 5 Aug to: Dept of Library and Information Studies, WACAE (09) 386 0260.

◦ **AUGUST 10 LAA WA Branch. Blaise Cronin 'Information marketing: selling what you do best to those who need it most.'** Venue: Mount Plaza Hotel. Time: 8.45am-4.00pm. Cost: \$90 LAA members; \$120 non-members. Bookings: Brigitte Glockner (09) 380 4115.

**AUGUST 12 ACS Computers in Libraries Special Interest Group. Half-day Seminar: Desktop computers in libraries.** Alexander Library Building, Perth Cultural Centre Perth. Time: 2.00-5.30pm. Cost: \$2 non-members; free to members. Contact: Tony Ralli (09) 380 2358.

**AUGUST 18 Library Promotion Council (WA) Meeting.** Alexander Library Building. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext 242.

◦ **AUGUST 24 LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group).** WAYRBA Vote Sorting. Teaching Aids and Inservice Centre, Bagot Rd., Subiaco. Time: 4.15pm. Contact: Julia Hancy (09) 332 8099.

◦ **AUGUST 24 LAA Cataloguer's Section (WA Group) Talk - The realities of an automated system.** Speaker: Jan Riley, All Saints College, Ewing Ave. Bullcreek. Time: 4.30pm. Light refreshments will be served.

◦ **AUGUST 25 LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group) Video Evaluation evening.** Venue: A/V Branch, 296 Vincent Street, Leederville. Time: 4.30pm - 6.00pm. Contact: Irena Dillon (09) 444 0055 or Margaret Phillips (09) 341 4058

◦ **SEPTEMBER 1 LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group).** WAYRBA Vote Sorting. Teaching Aids and Inservice Centre, Bagot Rd, Subiaco. Time: 4.15pm. Contact: Julia Hancy (09) 332 8099.

◦ **SEPTEMBER 7 LAA WA Branch '50 years celebration'.** Location, time to be advised.

**SEPTEMBER 7 Library Promotion Council (WA).** Meeting: '50 years of library promotion'. To coincide with the LAA's 50th Birthday Celebrations. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext. 242.

◦ **SEPTEMBER 7 LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group).** WAYRBA Vote Sorting. Teaching Aids and Inservice Centre, Bagot Rd, Subiaco. Time: 4.15pm. Contact: Julia Hancy (09) 332 8099.

**SEPTEMBER 15 Library Promotion Council (WA) Meeting.** Alexander Library Building. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext. 242.



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## Victoria

**JULY 21** LAA School Libraries Section (Vic Group). **Books and Beyond:** a preliminary skirmish — a discussion of the revision of Books and Beyond. Essendon Technical School Library, 44 Buckley St Essendon Time: 3.30pm. Contact Pam Taylor (03) 341 4595 or Irene ecuwisse (03) 722 9216

**JULY 21** LAA Gippsland Regional Group VIC Branch. **Joint meeting — 'Library funding: public libraries now, who's next, who cares?'**. MOA public library. Time: 7.00pm. Light meals provided. Contact: Bruce Davidson (03) 651 8231.

**JULY 22** LAA Distance in Education Special Interest Group. **AGM and Dinner**, to coincide with 'Libraries one Conference'. Please contact: Craig Grimison (067) 2168 or Gary Gorman (069) 23 2369, if you plan to attend.

**JULY 22** Victorian Online Users Group (VIC Group) Meeting: AUSSTATS — Statistical Information Online followed by AGM. Speaker: Peter Simpson, ABS, Canberra. 1st Floor, Seminar Room, Baillieu Library, Melbourne University. Time: 5.30 for 6.00pm. Contact: Dianna McClellan (03) 479 2924.

**JULY 23** LAA Working Group on Multicultural Library Services (Vic) Meeting: **'TAFE Libraries and Multiculturalism'**. Hawthorn City Library, 584 Glenferrie Rd, Hawthorn. Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm. Contact: Marion King (03) 419 6666 ext. 370.

**JULY 23** Insearch DIALOG Introductory Seminar. Melbourne. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

**JULY 27** LAA Vic Branch General Meeting: **Prof. Bernard Vavrek 'Technology and the Isolated Library'**. Institute Function Room, RMIT. Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm. Contact: Bruce Davidson (03) 651 8231.

**JULY 27** LAA Geelong Regional Group. Meeting: **Buying books — ideas on acquisitions**. Speakers: Lyn Ferguson; Ross Coleman, Acquisitions Librarian, Deakin Univ; Harri Muller, Librarian, Bell Park High School. Venue: Belmont Public Library, High St Belmont. Time: 7.00pm.

**JULY 28** LAA Government Publication Special Interest Group. Meeting: **Chris Hurley and Bruce Smith, Public Record Office. 'Documenting Victoria's Administrative History'**. PRO Search Room, 4th Floor, 318 Little Bourke Street, Melbourne. Time: 6.00 for 6.30pm. Contact: Jill Wilson (03) 602 9254.

**JULY 29** VALA Meeting Future Directions of ABN. Speakers: Fran Awcock; Dennis Richardson; Hans Iroenwegen. Telecom Theatre, 199 William St, Melbourne. Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm. Contact: Liz Oley (03) 19 1400.

**JULY 30** LAA Special Libraries Section (Vic Group) General Meeting: **'Defence Information Services — 10 years on'**. Defence Regional Library, VIC/TAS, 350 Stilda Rd, Melbourne, Vic. Panel of defence librarians to speak. Contact: Elaine Alexander (03) 697 5011.

**AUGUST 3** LAA Cataloguers Section (Vic Group) Meeting: **An Afternoon with Mary K.D. Pietris**. An opportunity to hear her Townsville Paper 'LCSH — Past Imperfect, Future Indicative.' This will be followed by an open forum to discuss local issues, or issues related to LCSH. Institute Function Room, RMIT. Time: 2.00pm — 4.00pm (meeting) followed by drinks and dinner. Contact: Priscilla Warr (03) 669 9929.

**AUGUST 4** LAA School Libraries Section (Vic Group). 34 Queensberry Street, Carlton. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Maelor Himbury (03) 336 1233 or (03) 374 1902 ah.

**AUGUST 3-4** AISV School Libraries Sub-Committee Conference 'School Library Automation: programs and problems'. Social Club, Penleigh and Essendon Grammar School, Keilor East, Vic. Cost: \$70; students \$35. Contact: Jenny Toyne (03) 654 4322.

**AUGUST 5-7** Preston College of TAFE Phillip Institute of Technology 'Industrial Relations in Libraries: issues and skills'. Venue Learning Resource Centre, Preston College of TAFE, Preston, Vic. Contact: Pat Stewart (03) 479 3345 or Brian Sheehan (03) 353 9105.

**AUGUST 7** LAA Acquisitions Section (VIC Group). **One-day Seminar: 'Serials Acquisitions — Automation Overview'**. Box Hill College of TAFE, Dept of Information Studies. Time: 9.00am — 5.00pm. Cost: LAA members and students \$35 non-members \$50. Enrolments to: Max Smith (03) 342 0320 or Joy Sheehan (03) 670 5385.

**AUGUST 7** LAA Vic Branch. LAA Gala 50th Birthday Party. Venue: Queens Hall, State Library. Time: 6.30 — 11.00pm. Cost: \$10. Contact: Bruce Davidson (03) 651 8231.

**AUGUST 7-8** Victorian Adult Literacy Council. Conference: 'Literacy Matters'. Gordon Technical College, Geelong. Contact: David Tout (03) 652 0690.

**AUGUST 10-31** BIOSIS (BioSciences Information Service) Free Seminars: Basic (Aug 10); Advanced (Aug 11); Med/BIOSIS (Aug 17-18); BioBusiness (Aug 25)am; BioBriefings '87 (Aug 25)pm; Zoo Record (Aug 31). Venue: Library, Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research, Melbourne. Contact: Jo Marshall (03) 345 2577.

**AUGUST 11** Insearch DIALOG Introductory Seminar, Melbourne. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

**AUGUST 23-25** Australian and New Zealand Theological Library Association. Conference. Ridley College, 160 The Avenue, Parkville, VIC 3052. Contact: Barbara Darling (03) 387 7555 (w) or (03) 380 5110 (h).

**AUGUST 25** LAA Geelong Regional Group. **Social evening**. Gordon Technical College. Time: 6.00pm. Cost: To be confirmed.

**AUGUST 26** Inmagic Users Group Meeting: Demonstration of ACOA filing system on Inmagic and new thesaurus module from Triad. Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Dept of Information Science, Room 11, Level 3, Building 22. Time: 4.30pm. Contact: Laura Maquignaz (03) 419 7055 or Lyn Bishop (03) 249 1234.

**AUGUST 28** LAA UCLS (Vic Group) **Workshop on Computer Aided Instruction**. Topics will include — CAI as an educational resource, CAI in reader education, planning and implementing CAI programs in libraries. Monash University. Fee: \$35 LAA members, \$45 non-members. Contact: Leigh Oldmeadow (03) 565 2652.

**SEPTEMBER 1** LAA School Libraries Section (Vic Group). Meeting. 234 Queensberry Street, Carlton. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Maelor Himbury (03) 336 1233 or (03) 374 1902 ah.

**SEPTEMBER 23** LAA Geelong Regional Group. Meeting. Speaker: Peter Dawe, President Library Association of Australia. Venue: Geelong Regional Library. Time: 8.00pm.

## ACT

**JULY 21** Public Contact Workshop. Full Day. University House, ANU. Cost: \$50.00 LAA members, \$75.00 non-members, includes lunch and morning and afternoon tea. Applications to reach Roberta Atwell, c/- Department of Veteran Affairs, PO Box 21, Woden, ACT 2606 by 19 June. Contact: (062) 896 630 (W) (062) 515 667 (H).

**JULY 27** LAA Cataloguers Section (ACT Group). **LCSH Workshop with Mary K. Pietris**. National Library Theatre. Time: 2.00pm-5.00pm. Contact: Diana Dack (062) 62 1425.

**JULY 28** LAA Cataloguers Section (ACT Group). **Half-day Seminar led by Mary K. Pietris**, (Chief, Subject Cataloguing Division, Library of Congress on Library of Congress Subject Headings). Contact: Diana Dack (062) 621 425.

**JULY 28** LAA ACT Branch. Presentation of LAA Letter of Recognition to Bob Barnes of ANU. Combined function with ANU Friends of the Library. Venue: McDonald Room, R.G. Menzies Building, ANU Libraries.

**AUGUST 6-7** Insearch DIALOG Seminars. Company Intelligence (August 6) am; Sampler (August 6) pm; Introductory (August 7) Canberra. Contact (02) 218 9790.

**AUGUST 10-12** ORBIT Search Service Training Courses, Canberra. New User (Aug 10); Refresher (Aug 11)am; Timesavers (Aug 11)pm; Patents (Aug 12). Contact: (02) 360 2691 or (008) 22 6474 toll free.

**AUGUST 24-25** LAA and School of Library and Information Studies, Kuring-gai College of Advanced Education. **Two-day workshop — A User Study**. Sessions presented by Hilary Yerbury and Susan Edwards. Enquiries: Rita Frisina (02) 467 9263, Roberta Atwell (062) 89 6630.

**SEPTEMBER 2-4** LAA 50th Anniversary celebration, Canberra. Contact: Jenny Gleeson (062) 46 7307. Registration enquiries to: David Clark (062) 98 0256.

**OCTOBER 8&9** Government Publications Course (Beginners).

**OCTOBER 13** Government Publications Course (Advanced).

## NSW

**JULY 17** LAA (NSW Branch) 50th Anniversary **Celebration Dinner**. Anecdotal addresses will be given by: J. Annot, W. Radford, and J. Robinson. The evening will have a 1930's dress theme (optional). The Australian Wine Centre, 21 Circular Quay West, Sydney. Time: 7.30pm for 8.00pm. Cost: \$26 per ticket. RSVP by 3 July to Ida Vincent (02) 697 3438.

**JULY 18** LAA NSW Branch. **All Day Branch Council Meeting with Regional Representatives**. Contact: Frank Willems (047) 35 3211 or Tanya Whitmarsh (02) 427 5194.

**JULY 22** LAA Distance Education Special Interest Group. **AGM and Dinner, to coincide with 'Libraries Alone Conference'**. Please contact: Craig Grimison (067) 73 2168 or Gary Gorman (069) 23 2369 if you plan to attend.

**JULY 23** LAA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation Workshop**: Storage and care of Photographic collections. School of Librarianship, University of NSW, Kensington NSW. Time: 9.30 am-4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.

**JULY 24** LAA Cataloguers' Section, NSW Group. Meeting: **Developments in LCSH**. Mary K.D. Pietris, Chief, Library of Congress Subject Cataloguing Division. YWCA, 15 Wentworth Avenue, Darlinghurst. Time: 9.15am — 12.00 noon. Cost: \$5. All Welcome. Reservations: Eugenie Greig (02) 805 7525 by 17 July.

**JULY 27** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group) **Committee meeting**. TAFE Library, Mary Ann Street, Ultimo. Time: 6.00pm. Contact: Jan Harris (02) 521 0351.

**JULY 28-30** Insearch DIALOG Introductory Seminars. Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

**AUGUST 1** Conservation of Library Materials SIG. Visit to Preservation Laboratories, NLA, Canberra. Departing from University of Sydney at 8.00am and returning at 7.00pm. Cost: \$40 LAA members; \$50 non-members. Contact: Trevor Mills (02) 692 4162.

**AUGUST 3** Australian Serials Interest Group. Meeting. Main Library, University of NSW, Kensington, Sydney, NSW. Contact: ASIG, PO Box 709, Toowong Qld 4066.

**AUGUST 4** Art Libraries Society of Australia (ARLIS/ANZ NSW Chapter) Meeting. Conference Room, Australian Film & Television & Radio School, U-BIX Bldg, 13 Giffnock Avenue, North Ryde. Speaker to be announced. Refreshments provided. Time: 4.30pm. Contact: Sue Boaden (02) 883 710.

**AUGUST 8** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW Group) Seminar: **'A co-operative venture — teachers and teacher-librarians working together'**. Burwood Public School, Conder St, Burwood. Time: 9.00am-3.30pm. Cost: \$12 LAA members, \$20 non-members. Contact: Jennifer Peasley (02) 925 8146.

**AUGUST 12** LAA Special Libraries Section (NSW Branch). **Visit to Standards Association of Australia Library**. SAA, Sydney Information Centre, 7th Floor, Standards House, 80 Arthur Street, North Sydney. Time: 5.30pm. (access impossible after 6.00pm) Contact: Wendy Bartlett (02) 543 3935.

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• **AUGUST 12** LAA Medical Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Meeting.** Faculty of Medicine Common Room, Bosch Building, University of Sydney. Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm.

**AUGUST 18-20** Insearch DIALOG Seminars. Company Intelligence (August 18) Introductory (August 20), Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

**AUGUST 19** Libraries of the Social Sciences. (Loss) Meeting. Local Govt & Shires Assn, 11th Floor (for 12th Floor), 215-217 Clarence Street, Sydney. Contact: Marguerite Rona (02) 29 7711.

• **AUGUST 20** LAA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation Workshop:** Dry cleaning and basic repair of paper; relaxation, flattening, fumigation. School of Librarianship, University of NSW, Kensington, NSW. Time: 9.30am - 4.30pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.

• **AUGUST 29** LAA Acquisitions Section (NSW Group). **One-day Seminar: Acquisitions Basics - what you need to know on the job.** Clairmont Inn. Cost: Full-time students \$27; Acquisitions members \$35; LAA members \$40; non-members \$50. Contact: Liz Faulk (02) 467 9313.

**AUGUST 31** Kuring-gai CAE School of Library and Information Studies Public Address. Information design for maximum impact. Speaker: Elizabeth Orna, Information Consultant. Venue: Kuring-gai CAE. Time: 6.30pm - 7.30pm. All Welcome Free. Enquiries: Jan McMillan (02) 467 9336.

**AUGUST 31** Kuring-gai CAE Alumni Association of the School of Library and Information Studies. Annual social function to follow the Public Address by Elizabeth Orna (see details above). Venue: Kuring-gai CAE. Time: 7.30pm. Cost: Hot Buffet supper \$10.50 Alumni association members; \$12.50 non-members. Cheques payable to Kuring-gai CAE A/c No. 50T017. RSVP by 7/8/87 Jan McMillan, Kuring-gai CAE, Eton Road, Lindfield, NSW 2070. Contact: Jan McMillan (02) 467 9336 or Karen Vitullo (02) 707 9732.

• **SEPTEMBER 15** LAA Children's and School Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Meeting: An evening with Jan Needle.** Burwood Public School, Conder Street, Burwood. Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm. Cost: \$2.00 LAA members and \$4.00 for non-members. Contact: Julie Taylor (02) 707 9728 or Denise Hoeflake (02) 608 4844.

• **SEPTEMBER 24** LAA Bicentennial Activity Conservation Workshop. Dry cleaning and basic repair of paper; care of books, pamphlets, documents, newspapers. School of Librarianship, University of NSW, Kensington. Time: 9.30am - 4.30pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.

• **SEPTEMBER 29** LAA Medical Libraries Section (NSW Group) **Meeting.** Sydney Hospital Medical Library, Macquarie St, Sydney. Guest Speaker: Fiona Mackay Picken. Topic: Management in Medical Libraries: Time: 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm.

**JULY 27-29** ORBIT Search Service Training Course: Brisbane. New User (July 27); Refresher (July 28) and Timesavers (July 28)pm; Patents (July 29). Contact: (02) 360 2691 or (008) 22 6474 toll free.

• **JULY 29** LAA Special Libraries Section, (QLD Branch Lunchtime meeting. **Visit to Comalco Library and Demonstration of Innagic.** Comalco Library, 15th floor Comalco Place, 12 Creek Street, Brisbane. Time: noon 2.00pm. Contact: Catherine Fitzgerald (07) 226 1711.

• **AUGUST 6** LAA Cataloguers Section (QLD Group) an UCLS (Qld Group). **Joint Activity: Catalogue enrichment - destiny or delusion.** University of QLD, Centre Library, Lecture Theatre. Time: 5.30 for 6.00pm. Contact: Helen Demack (07) 357 7077 ext 328.

• **AUGUST 10** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld) Continuing Education Activity. Computer Application for Library Technicians - a three hour seminar. Time 6.00 pm. Venue to be advised. Contact: Christine Cameron (07) 846 2516 ah.

**AUGUST 14** AACOBs Seminar: Acquisitions Rationalisation 'To what extent is the rationalisation of the acquisitions programs of the major Brisbane libraries desirable and feasible?' Queensland Museum Lecture Theatre Queensland Cultural Centre. Time: 9.00am - 5.00pm. Cost: \$8.00 (tentatively). Contact: Bruce Edwards (07) 275 7134.

• **SEPTEMBER 5** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld) **Meeting at the Gold Coast** - venue to be notified. Contact: Christine Cameron (07) 846 2516 ah.

• **NOVEMBER 7** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld) **Meeting and Post Conference Brunch.** 93 Elms Road Rocklea. Time: 10.30 am. Contact: Christine Cameron (07) 846 2516 ah.

• **DECEMBER 12** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld) **Annual General Meeting.** Time: Noon. Contact: Christine Cameron (07) 846 2516 ah.

**Queensland**

**JULY 15-18** Australian Mining and Petroleum Law Association Ltd Eleventh Annual Conference Sheraton Hotel, Brisbane. Contact: Executive Officer, AMPLA 160 Queen St, Melbourne 3000.

• **JULY 21** LAA Cataloguers Section (QLD Group). **Meeting: Recent developments in LCSH.** Speaker: Mary Pietris (from the Library of Congress). Venue: State Library of Qld, Conference Room, Australian Estate Bldg, 24 Macquarie Street, Teneriffe. Time: 5.00pm for 5.30pm. Contact person: Ann Huthwaite (07) 358 4588.

**Tasmania**

• **JULY 17** LAA NARG (TAS). **Meeting:** 24 Watchon Street, Launceston, TAS 7249. Time: 7.30pm. Guest Speaker: Carmel Denholm. Contact: Nella Pickup (003) 954294.

**SA**

• **JULY 15-17** LAA UCLS (SA Group). **Workshop: 'Communication in Libraries', presented by John Kaye.** Venue: SACAE (Magill Campus). Contact: Joan Manners (08) 228 5349.

• **JULY 22** LAA Public Libraries Section (SA Branch) **Library Visit. Delivering the Goods - how special libraries can help you.** South Australian Health Commission, Library, 3rd Floor, State Bank, 158 Rundle Mall, Adelaide (One of a series of visits aimed at increasing Public Librarians awareness of information resources relevant to Local Government). Contact: Peter Hill (08) 352 5033.

• **AUGUST 20** LAA SA Branch Golden Jubilee Dinner. A dinner to celebrate the Golden Jubilee of the LAA. University of Adelaide, Staff Club. Speakers: Miss L. Anderson, Mr I Raymond and Ms Anne Hazell. Time: 8.00pm. Cost: \$20. Contact: Jennifer Redding, SACAE, Magill Campus, Magill, SA 5072.

• **SEPTEMBER 3** LAA - SA Branch **Back to the Workforce Seminar.** Topics - Online acquisitions, cataloging and database searching demonstrations, children's librarianship, library employment. SACAE, Underdale Campus, Holbrooks Rd, Underdale. Time 9.30am - 3.30pm. Contact: Pat Martin-Turner (08) 343 3270.

• **SEPTEMBER 16** LAA Public Libraries Section (SA Branch). **Library Visit. Delivering the Goods - how special libraries can help you.** Department of Agriculture Library, 15th Floor, 25 Grenfell Street, Adelaide. Time: 3.00pm - 5.00pm. (One of a series of visits aimed at increasing Public Librarians awareness of information resources relevant to Local Government.) Contact: Peter Hill (08) 352 5467 or (08) 352 5033.

• **OCTOBER 14** LAA Public Libraries Section (SA Branch) **Library Visit. Delivering the Goods - how special libraries can help you.** Venue: State Reference Library, North Terrace, Adelaide. Time: 2.00pm - 5.00pm. (One of a series of visits aimed at increasing Public Librarians awareness of information resources relevant to Local Government.) Contact: Peter Hill (08) 352 5467 or (08) 352 5033.

• **OCTOBER 19** LAA Public Libraries Section (SA Branch). **Workshop. 'Friends of the Library Groups.** Venue: To Be Announced. Time: 1.30pm - 4.30pm. Contact: Ruth Grgurich, Noarlunga Library, (08) 382 1022.

• **OCTOBER** LAA SA Branch **Two-Day Country Conference** Topics being determined by a poll. TAFE College, Mount Gambier. Speakers to be determined. Contact: Chris Harrison (08) 363 1672.

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