



# HAPPENINGS

## National

- **NOVEMBER 25-26 LAA General Council Meeting.** Sydney. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- NOVEMBER 25** Australian Sports Commission. Seminar: 'Information Services for Australian Sport'. Administration Building, Australian Institute of Sport, Leverrier Street, Bruce, ACT 2615. Time: 8.45 am — 4.45 pm. Cost: \$30 (includes lunch). Contact: Australian Sports Commission, PO Box 176, Belconnen, ACT 2616, (062) 52 1111.
- NOVEMBER 28-29** First National Curriculum Resources Conference. Cost: \$75 LAA members; \$85 non-members. Contact: Lorna McKenzie, SACAE Library (08) 275 5292 or Mara Guglielmi (08) 354 6256.
- **NOVEMBER 30 NZLA/LAA Health Libraries Section. Call for Papers deadline for Joint Conference: 'Health Information: new directions' (November 1989).** Auckland, New Zealand. Contact: Margaret Gibson Smith, Philson Library, University of Auckland, Private Bag, Auckland, New Zealand.
- **JANUARY 17-19, 1989** LAA Information Science Section 1989. **Fourth Australasian Online Information Conference and Exhibition.** Hilton International, Sydney. Contact: Wael Foda ACMS, PO Box 468, Paddington NSW 2021; (02) 332 4622.
- JANUARY 9-20, 1989** Centenary Summer School. Theme of courses: 'A force for change'. The Women's College, University of NSW. Cost: \$150 five days; \$35 one day. Contact: co-ordinator (02) 51 3761.
- APRIL 26-27, 1989** The Institution of Engineers, Australia. Conference: 'New Business Applications of Information Technology'. Melbourne. Registration forms available in December. Contact: The conference manager (062) 70 6549.
- AUGUST 6-11, 1989** Third Asian Pacific Special and Law Librarians' Conference: 'The information investment'. Adelaide Convention Centre, Adelaide. Contact: Ellieservice Convention Management (08) 332 4068.

• **SEPTEMBER 14-16, 1989** LAA Cataloguers' Section: 'Garbage in, garbage out! The need for quality in the age of automation. **8th National Cataloguing Conference.** Hotel Adelaide, Adelaide. Call for papers expires 31 January 1989. Contact: Conference convener, Festival City Conventions, PO Box 986, Norwood, SA 5067; (08) 269 4663 or (08) 339 2975.

• **NOVEMBER 12-17, 1989** LAA/NZLA Medical/Health Libraries Sections. **Joint Conference: 'Information Management — needs and technological imperatives'.** Call for papers: deadline expires 30 November 1988. Replies to: Margaret Gibson Smith, Philson Library, University of Auckland, Private Bag, Auckland, New Zealand.

## NSW

- **NOVEMBER 25** LAA Health Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Management seminar: 'Managing yourself'.** Room 421, Fourth Floor, Mathews Building, University of NSW. Speaker: Peter Quarry, psychologist. Cost: \$50 LAA members; \$75 non-members. Contact: Bronwyn King (02) 633 6261.
- **NOVEMBER 29** LAA Young Ones. **Meeting: end of year function and launch of new job hunting booklet.** Mitchell Galleries, State Library of NSW. Time: 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm. Cost: \$5 (including food and drink). Contact: Mary Baker (02) 875 6289 or Alison Reid (02) 320 1469.
- **NOVEMBER 30** LAA Riverina Regional Group. **AGM.** Meeting Room, Wagga City Library. Time: 7.30 pm. Contact: Sue King (069) 77 1781.
- **DECEMBER 1** LAA NSW Branch. **Council Meeting: 'Information for the Nation'.** Seminar Room 1, State Library of NSW. Speaker: Sue Phillips, campaign director. Time: 6.00 pm. Light refreshments. Contact: Hazel Vickers (02) 51 4960.
- DECEMBER 5** ARLIS/ANZ (Arts Library Society of Australia and New Zealand) NSW Chapter. Meeting and Tour of new building. Library, Upper Floor, Australian Film, Television and Radio School, cnr Balaclava and Epping Road, North Ryde. Time: 4.30 pm. Contact: Virginia Costello (02) 805 6441.
- **DECEMBER 5** LAA North Central Victoria Regional Group. **AGM and dinner.** Time: 6.30 pm. Contact: Lynette Todd (054 403 532).
- **DECEMBER 6** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW). **Christmas Social Meeting.** Contact: Sheila Hawkins (02) 439 5200.
- **DECEMBER 6** LAA New England Regional Group. **AGM and Christmas Function.** Contact: Jean McBride (067) 73 8532.
- **DECEMBER 6** LAA Special Libraries Section (NSW Group). **AGM and Christmas Party.** Arthur Young, Level 17, 83 Clarence Street (between Erskine and Margaret Streets), Sydney. Time 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm (Entrance to building essential by 5.45 pm). Contact: Robin Jenkins (02) 20 512.
- **DECEMBER 6** LAA National Book Council (NSW Branch). **Christmas dinner with presentation of prizes for Literary Review Competition.** Journalists Club, 36 Chalmers Street, Surry Hills. Time: 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm. Cost: \$22 members; \$25 non-members. Cheques to NBC of Journalists Club by 29 November. Contact: Judy Engall (02) 265 7390.

**DECEMBER 6** Libraries in Financial Enterprises (LIFE) Committee. End of the year meeting. Arthur Young, Level 17, 83 Clarence Street, Sydney. Time 4.00 pm. LIFE Christmas dinner. Enzuccio's Italian Restaurant, cnr King and Sussex Streets. Time: 7.30 pm. Cost: \$27 approximately. All LIFE, LAA Special Libraries Section and staff are welcomed. Contact: Louise Butler (02) 231 5877.

**DECEMBER 8** Australian Law Librarians' Group (NSW Branch). General Meeting. Level 9, Law School Library, University of Sydney, cnr King and Elizabeth Streets, Sydney. Time: 12.00 noon — 2.00 pm. Contact: Sandra Barrkman (02) 259 2427.

**DECEMBER 8-15** Insearch DIALOG. Seminars: 'Patent' (8 December), 'Introductory system' (15 December). Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790. • **DECEMBER 9** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Christmas Party.** State Library of NSW. Contact: Marian Morgan (02) 250 0310.

• **DECEMBER 9** LAA Riverina Regional Group. **Meeting: 'Friends of the Library'.** Speaker and venue TBA. Contact: Sue King (069) 77 1781.

• **DECEMBER 13** LAA Acquisitions Section (NSW Group). **Christmas drinks and food.** Le Chifley Cafe restaurant, Chifley Arcade, 4 Castlereigh St/5 Elisabeth Street. Time: 6.30 pm. Contact: Pam Glock (02) 230 1452.

• **DECEMBER 21** LAA NSW Branch. **Council Meeting.** LAA House. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Barb McLean (02) 467 9234.

**JANUARY 16** Insearch DIALOG. Down Under Update. Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

• **JANUARY 20, 1989** LAA Cataloguers and Information Science Sections (NSW Groups). **Workshop: 'Thesaurus construction'.** State Library of NSW. Speaker: David Batty, information scientist. Cost: \$60 LAA members; \$70 non-members. Limited numbers. Contact: Frances Taylor (02) 265 9691.

## Victoria

- **NOVEMBER 25** LAA Health Libraries Section (Vic Group). **AGM/Christmas Party.** H. G. Furnell Room, 3rd Floor, Mercy Maternity Hospital. Speaker: Bruce Davidson, President, Vic Branch. Time: 6.00 pm for 6.30 pm. Cost: \$2 Section members; \$3 others. Contact: Anne McLean (03) 450 5636 (RSVP before 16 November).
- **NOVEMBER 25** LAA Cataloguers Section (Vic Group)/Edlib (Vic Group). **Joint workshop on cataloguing education.** Room 4.08, Building 22, RMIT. Time: 9.30 am — 1.00 pm. Contact: Priscilla Warr (03) 669 9929 or Cherryl Schauder (03) 660 2900.
- **NOVEMBER 28** LAA Acquisitions Section (Vic Group). **Xmas function/dinner.** Kooyong LTAV Club House, 489 Glenferrie Road, Hawthorn. Time: 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm. Cost: \$30 LAA members; \$45 non-members. Contact: Joy Sheehan, Tait Bookshop, (03) 670 5385; fax (03) 670 7675 (RSVP by 18 November).
- **NOVEMBER 29** LAA Library Technicians Section (Vic Group). **Talk: 'The merits of job exchange for library technicians'.** Venue: TBA. Speaker: Ms Sherri Bowker, Canadian library technician. Time: 6.00 pm. Contact: Sharon Pimm (03) 813 3666.
- NOVEMBER 29** Joint VALA/CAVAL Award Dinner. Asti's Restaurant, 680 Swanston Street, Carlton. Time: 7.00 pm. Cost: \$35 (send payment to VALA, PO Box 2342V, Melbourne 3001 by 11 November). Contact: Michael Metcalfe (03) 429 5177.
- NOVEMBER 29** InMagic Users Group. **AGM.** 2nd Floor, Board Room, Small Business Development Corporation, 100 Exhibition Street, Melbourne. Time: 4.30 pm for 5.00 pm. Contact: Jeff Evans (03) 655 3300.
- NOVEMBER 30** Online Users Group (Vic). Meeting: 'The Age goes online' followed by Christmas Party. Speaker: Sibylle Noras. Contact: Maria Gallipoli (03) 829 6565.
- DECEMBER 1-2** Insearch DIALOG. Seminars: 'Agriculture and environment' (1 December pm), 'Introductory system' (2 December). Melbourne. Contact (02) 218 9790.
- DECEMBER 2** Course: 'Preservation of Materials'(2). Box Hill College of TAFE. Cost: \$40. Contact: Pam Naylor (03) 895 1412.
- **DECEMBER 2** LAA Geelong Regional Group. **Christmas Capers: gourmet buffet meal catered by Gail Thomas.** Davidson Restaurant, Fenwick Street, Geelong. Speaker: Dr Magnus Clarke. Time: 6.30 pm for 7.00pm. Cost: \$12.50 members; \$15 non-members. Contact: Sue Bone (052) 26 4849.
- **DECEMBER 2** LAA Public Libraries Section (Vic Group). **Christmas Party.** Phantom India. Time: 7.30 pm. Contact: Jane King (03) 429 3644.
- **DECEMBER 5** LAA Special Libraries Section (Vic Group). **AGM and Christmas party.** Contact: Susan Molyneux (03) 658 0658.
- DECEMBER 8** Meeting: 'The role of the library technician'. Box Hill College of TAFE. Contact: Pam Naylor (03) 895 1412.

## THE GENERAL RECORDS DISPOSAL SCHEDULE FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN NSW

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- **DECEMBER 9** LAA Vic Branch. **Xmas Party.** Cuthbert Room, Melbourne Cricket Ground. Time: 6:00pm — 8:30 pm. Cost: \$15 LAA members; \$20 non-members. Enquiries and bookings: Vic Branch Office (03) 427 0071 (RSVP by 2 December).
- **DECEMBER 14** LAA Vic Branch. **Branch Council Meeting.** Seminar Room, State Library of Victoria. Time: 5:30 pm. Contact: Vic Branch Office (03) 427 0071.
- **DECEMBER 14** LAA Children's Libraries Section (Vic Group). **An evening of food and wit.** Centro Cafe, South Melbourne. Guest speaker: Terry Denton. Time: 7:00 pm. Cost: \$28.50. Contact: Jo Leonard (03) 650 5622; Andrew Matengon (03) 566 0368.

## WA

- **NOVEMBER 25** LAA UCLS (WA Group). **End of academic year cocktail party.** Private Room, Matilda Bay Restaurant. Time: 5:30 pm — 7:30 pm. Cost: \$15 members; \$20 non-members. Contact: Jane Klobas (09) 388 2015. (RSVP plus cheque to PO Bx 777 Subiaco 6008).
- **NOVEMBER 25** LAA Special Libraries Section (WA Group). **AGM and breakfast.** Woodside Offshore Petroleum Cafeteria, 1 Adelaide Terrace, Perth. Time: 7:00 am. Cost: \$10. Contact: Karen White (09) 224 4186.
- **NOVEMBER 25** LAA Special Libraries Section (WA Group). **Sundowner: 'Conversation, fun and meeting new faces'.** Foyer bar, Hyatt (Merlin) Hotel. Time: 5:30 pm — 7:30 pm. Contact: Judy Morrissey (09) 328 2844.
- **DECEMBER 5-8** Insearch DIALOG. Seminars: 'Legal applications' (5 December pm), 'Introductory system' (6 December), 'MEDLINE' (7 December). 'Agriculture and environment' (8 December). Perth. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

## ACT

- **NOVEMBER 25** Australian Sports Commission. Seminar: 'Information Services for Australian Sport'. Administration Building, Australian Institute of Sport, Leverrier Street, Bruce, ACT 2615. Time: 8:45 am — 4:45 pm. Cost: \$30 (includes lunch). Contact: Australian Sports Commission, PO Box 176, Belconnen, ACT 2616, (062) 52 111.
- **DECEMBER 7** LAA UCLS (ACT Group). **AGM and lunch.** Upstairs at the Private Bin. Speaker: Eric Wainwright on 'The merits of organisational change: are the public convinced?'. Time: 12 noon. Cost: \$17. Contact: Trish Andrew (062) 688 146 (RSVP and payment by 1 December).
- **DECEMBER 8** LAA ACT Branch. **AGM.** Parliament House. Time: 5:30 pm. **Tour of Parliamentary Library.** Time: 6:00 pm. **Presentation of fellowship and dinner.** Time 6:30 pm. Cost: \$30 (for dinner). Contact Jennefer Nicholson (062) 77 2758.
- **DECEMBER 14** LAA Cataloguers Section (ACT Group). **Lunchtime Meeting.** Conference Room, Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, Acton. Time: 12:30 pm. All welcome. Contact: Helen Johnstone (062) 43 4252.
- **DECEMBER 15** LAA Special Libraries Section (ACT Group). **AGM and lunch.** DAINAM Vietnamese Restaurant, Sydney Building, 27 East Row, Civic. Contact: Susan White (062) 46 2902 (RSVP by 6 December).

## Queensland

- **NOVEMBER 29** LAA UCLS (Qld Group). **AGM and informal dinner.** Jenny McCarthy's home, 41 Tucker Street, Chapel Hill, Qld 4069. Time: 6:00 pm. Free. Contact: Lesley Speer (03) 352 8320.
- **NOVEMBER 30** LAA Special Libraries Section (Qld Group). **AGM and Christmas party.** City Council Club, 21st Floor, BCC Administration Building, Ann Street. Speaker: Representative of the Women's Investment Network. Cost: \$5 (excluding drinks and parking). Contact: Allison Bowles (07) 368 7176.
- **DECEMBER 6** LAA Qld Branch. **Christmas meeting.** Staff Lounge, Brisbane CAE, Kelvin Grove Community Building. Speaker: Sue Kosse. Time: 6:00 pm. Cost: \$23 (includes dinner, drinks, music, prizes). Contact: Robyn Smith (07) 352 8373.
- **DECEMBER 10** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld Group). **AGM and Christmas Luncheon.** Jann's Place, 892 Brunswick St. New Farm. Time: 12:00 noon. Cost: TBA. Jenny Green (07) 227 6164 (w) or (07) 846 3583 (h).
- **DECEMBER 13-14** Insearch DIALOG. Seminars: 'Introductory system' (13 December), 'Beyond the basics' (14 December). Brisbane. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

## Tasmania

- **DECEMBER 7** LAA Tasmanian Branch. **Christmas dinner.** CSIRO Marine Laboratories. Time: 7:30 pm for 8:00 pm. Cost: \$20 members; \$25 non-members; \$15 NARG members and students. Contact: Christine Frey (002) 20 2351 (RSVP by 1 December).
- **DECEMBER 14** LAA Tasmanian Branch. **AGM.** State Library Staff Lounge. Time: 5:30 pm. All welcome. Refreshments provided. Contact: Christine Frey (002) 20 2351.

## SA

- **NOVEMBER 25** Introduction to Legal Research. University of Adelaide. Speakers: Julie Cassidy, Richard Finlay, Elizabeth Naumczyk. Time: 8:45 am — 5:30 pm. Cost: \$70 (including materials, buffet and refreshments). Contact: Elizabeth Naumczyk (08) 228 5558.
- **DECEMBER 7** LAA Special Libraries Section (SA Group). **AGM and Breakfast.** The Left Bank Cafe, 165 Pulteney Street. Time: 7:30 am. Contact: Wendy Bromell (08) 210 0685.
- **DECEMBER 6** LAA Cataloguers Section (SA Group). **AGM.** SACAE Library, Underdale. Speaker: Bob Voegt, manager, PLAIN. Time: 5:30 pm — 6:00 pm. Contact: M. Nicholas (08) 354 6645.
- **DECEMBER 9** LAA Special Libraries Section (SA Group). Seminar: 'ABN in Special Libraries'. Speaker: Warrick Cathro. Time: 2:00 pm. Cost: \$10 LAA members; \$12 non-members. Contact: Charmian Mitchell (08) 259 6059 (RSVP by 6 December).

## Northern Territory

- **DECEMBER 2** LAA Special Libraries Section (NT Group). **AGM and Christmas Lunch.** Lee Regency. Time: 12:30 pm onwards. Contact: Penelope Campbell (089) 89 5028 (RSVP by 25 November).

## Overseas

- **DECEMBER 6-8** Online Information 88. 12th International Online Information Meeting Olympia 2, London. Themes include: hypertext, machine translation, gateways and electronic libraries. Contact: Jean E. Mulligan, Learned Information (Europe) Ltd, Woodside, Hinksey Hill, Oxford, OX1 5AU, Tel (0865) 73 0275, Telex 837704 Inform G, Fax (0865) 736354.
- **JANUARY 15-27, 1989** The British Council. Course: Academic Library Management — Course 871. Aston Management Centre, Birmingham, United Kingdom. Cost: \$1,265. Contact: The British Council, PO Box 88, Edgecliff NSW 2027 (02) 326 2022.
- **FEBRUARY 13-16, 1989** 53rd New Zealand Library Association Conference. Christchurch, NZ. Theme: 'Making Contact'. Complementary program for librarians as individuals: Alternative Process. Contact: Conference '89 Committee, c/ Canterbury Public Library, PO Box 1466, Christchurch, New Zealand.
- **FEBRUARY 22-25, 1989** International Conference on Bibliographic Databases and Networks. New Delhi, India. First Announcement. Contact: Barbara Doyle for copies of First Announcement and registration forms (062) 62 1666.
- **APRIL 3-7, 1989** Third International Conference on the Application of Micro-Computers in Information Documentation and Libraries. First call for papers. Contact: Hilary Ghani, Department of Library and Information Studies, University of Technology, Loughborough, Leicestershire LE11 3TU, UK, 44 509 223059.
- **APRIL 5-8, 1989** Association of College and Research Libraries. Fifth National Conference. Cincinnati, Ohio. Contact: American Library Association, 50 East Huron Street, Chicago, Illinois. USA. 60611.
- **APRIL 18-20, 1989** Optical Information Conference and Exhibition. Contact: Jean E. Mulligan, Learned Information (Europe) Ltd, Woodside, Hinksey Hill, Oxford, OX1 5AU, Tel (0865) 730275; Telex 83 7704 Inform G; fax (0865) 736354.
- **MAY 15-17, 1989** International Council on Archives (ICA). Symposium: 'Converging disciplines in the management of current records'. National Archives of Canada, Ottawa. Contact: Winston A. Gomes, symposium co-ordinator, Government Records Branch, National Archives of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N3. Tel: (819) 953 5711; Telex 053 3367.
- **AUGUST 20-26, 1989** IFLA Annual Conference including a seminar on 'Freedom of the press' on 24 November by IFLA Working Group on Newspapers. Paris. Contact: Eve Johanson, Secretary, IFLA Working

Group on Newspapers, UK, Tel: 44 1 323 7362 or Else Delaunay, France, Tel: 33 47 03 8402, Telex 21462.  
**SEPTEMBER 14-17, 1989** First International Conference and Exhibition: 'Bibliographic Access in Europe'. University of Bath, England. Organisers: Centre for Bibliographic Management in collaboration with LIBER and EFLC. Cost: \$250 (conference fee including accommodation). Free admission to exhibition. Contact: Centre for Bibliographic Management, Library, University of Bath, Bath BA2 7AY, England. Tel: (0011) 44 225 826580.  
**• NOVEMBER 12-16, 1989** NZLA/LAA Health Libraries Sections. **Joint Conference: 'Health Information — new directions'.** Auckland, New Zealand. Contact: Margaret Gibson Smith, Philson Library, University of Auckland, Private Bag, Auckland, New Zealand.

### Exchange position wanted

Anne Marie Lynch is the Subject Librarian for Teacher Education at the Underdale Campus of the South Australian College of Advanced Education. The library of this multi-campus College serves a student population of approximately 12,000. Her brief covers the academic and practical aspects of the junior primary and primary teacher education programs. There is also some involvement with the secondary education program. Her duties include liaison with academic staff, selection of resources, organisation and maintenance of the Teaching Resources Collection — a special collection within the library providing user education sessions as well as database searching — and supervision of part-time staff.

She would like to exchange her position for the year 1989 for a position in the Readers' Services section of a similar library in Melbourne.

For further information contact Anne Marie Lynch, 8/30 Henry Street, Payneham, SA 5070; (08) 354 6254 or (08) 336 2379 (ah).

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## HEAD OF SOUND LIBRARY

(NSW)

\$29,400-\$31,100

The position co-ordinates all operations of the ABC's Sound Library in Sydney, including staff supervision, training, budgeting, purchasing, and collection development. At present the staff of eight manage a collection of more than 150,000 discs, serving both ABC Radio and Television. The person we are looking for will have an excellent ability to communicate with staff and management, to promote the Library's services to users, and to liaise with the record industry. There will also be the challenge of planning for the Library's move into a new ABC site at Ultimo.

It is vital to have a good understanding of ABC Radio broadcasting and the role of the Sound Library in supporting ABC programs.

The position requires a very wide knowledge of the recorded music repertoire, as well as managerial skills of a high order. Professional library qualifications are also highly desirable.

Initial enquiries may be directed to Lawrence Dunne on (02) 339 2818.

Applications quoting reference number ZNR8W81 should be sent to the Employment Officer (Radio), ABC, GPO Box 9994, Sydney 2001. Please mark your envelope "Application - Confidential". Applications close 30.11.88.

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