

Events

If Events space is restricted, early notices may be dropped from some issues, reappearing as the date draws closer.

Australian Capital Territory

- **6 October. Launch of Australian Library Week.** Tuggeranong Town Centre Library. Time: 10.30am. RSVP Leanne Ford (06) 254 9078 by 2 October.
- **7 October. Readers Meet Writers.** Alan Gould, winner of National Book Council Banjo Award for Fiction 1992. Venue: Belconnen Town Centre Library. RSVP: Ann Armstrong (06) 207 5696
- **7 October. Book Magic Breakfast.** Canberra Rex Hotel. Time: 7.30am. Cost: \$20. Guest Speaker TBA. Bookings: Leanne Ford (06) 254 0978.
- **9 October. ACT Library Service and ACT Branch.** Literary Pursuit Night. Venue: Woden Town Centre Library. Time: 7.30 for 8.00pm. Bookings: Catherine Zwickert (06) 207 5201.
- **26-30 October. Introduction to INMAGIC. Report Formats and Advanced training courses in Canberra.** Contact Jan Brackley, TRIAD, (03) 696 4866.
- **23-24 November. ACT UCRLS & RAISS. "AARNET - The New Frontier in Communication and Information Services".** Two day seminar and workshop organised by University of Newcastle Libraries. Cost: approx \$250. Final details TBA. Contact: Bet Dracoulis (06) 252 6603.

New South Wales

- **22 September. UCRLS (NSW). 'Award Day! Will it make my day?'** Venue: Seminar Room 1, State Library of NSW. Time 6.00 for 6.30pm. Contact: Daphne Freeder (02) 330 3344 or Caroline Regan (02) 805 7535.
- **24 September. National Information Technology Council.** Seminar on 'Understanding Open Systems Interconnection'. Top speakers, all involved in OSI

developments, implementation and standards. Venue: Powerhouse Museum. Contact: Aust. Computer Soc., (02) 283 5544.

- **7-28 October. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Patents (Oct 7); Chemical Information (Oct 8); Introductory System (Oct 19); Textline on Dialog Free Session (Oct 27, am); Medline Bridging (Oct 28, am). Sydney. Contact: (02) 330 2165.
- **13 October. Library Technicians Section.** Venue: Australian Catholic University, Mackillop Campus, 40 Edward Street, North Sydney. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Isis Bibaoui (02) 692 2551.
- **14 October. NSW Specials Section.** Informal Networking Lunch. Time: 12.00-2.00pm. Venue: Windows on the Park Coffee Shop, Marriott Hotel, 36 College St., Sydney. Bookings essential. Contact: Kaye Parker (02) 369 3963.
- **15 October. Children's & Youth Services Section & Public Libraries Section.** Nancy Booker Honour Lecture: 'Recruitment and retention'. Venue: Council Room, State Library of NSW. Time: 6.30 for 7.00pm. RSVP: Michelle Dowling: (02) 427 5194.
- **16 October. NSW Branch: Job Hunting Workshop.** Practical help with writing applications and cv's, interview techniques, where and how to look for work, etc. Contact: Jo-anne Fuller (02) 906 6000
- **16 October. Library Technicians Section Annual General Meeting.** University of Technology Sydney, Markets Campus Library, Haymarket. Time 6.00-9.00pm. RSVP by 10 October to Isis Bibaoui Tel: (02) 692 2551 or Fax: (02) 692 3689
- **31 October. Raising the profile of the school library.** Contact: Di Simpson (02) 922 3547. Time: 9.00 am-3.00 pm. Venue: Monte St., Angelo College, North Sydney.
- **5 November. Cataloguers' Section (NSW).** 'A catalogue is a reader service'. Speaker: Meg Cameron. Venue: State Library of NSW, Mitchell Galleries. Time: 6.00 for 6.30pm. Contact: Sue Thomas (02) 230 1584.
- **10 November. Library Technicians Section.** Venue: Fisher Library, University of Sydney, Common Room. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Isis Bibaoui (02) 692 2551.
- **16-19 November. AIMA.** 4 day Management Institute level 300 on *Leadership Effectiveness*. For middle and senior manager. Cost: AIMA members/\$455; non-members/

\$520. Sydney. Contact: AIMA, Tel: (06) 262 1223; Fax: (06) 257 1703.

Queensland

- **6 October. ALIA North Queensland division. AUSTRALIS Seminar.** Venue: James Cook University Library. Time: 7.30pm. Contact: Jane Long: (077) 81 5074
- **13 October. UCRLS meeting.** 'ALIA Biennial Conference report back'. Time 5.00 for 5.30pm. Venue: Round House, Griffith University, Mt Gravatt Campus. RSVP: 9 October. Contact Graham Dawson (07) 864 3257; Fax (07) 864 3994; E-mail G.Dawson@qut.edu.au.
- **22-23 October. Introduction to INMAGIC, Report Formats and Advanced training courses in Brisbane.** Contact Jan Brackley, TRIAD, (03) 696 4866.
- **30 October. Cataloguers' Section.** 'A new image for the catalogue: extending access through imaging technology'. Venue: Room 771, QUT Library, Gardens Point Campus. Time: 12.45pm-5.00pm. Cost: \$30/ALIA, \$35/others.
- **4-6 November. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Science & Technology (Nov 4, pm); Introductory System (Nov 5); Business (Nov 6). Brisbane. Contact: (02) 330 2165.
- **6 November. ACLIS (QLD).** Interactive Multi Media in Libraries: design, direction and evaluation. Time: 8.30am-12.30pm or 1.30pm-5.30pm. Venue: Griffith University, Nathan Campus. Cost \$20/ACLIS members \$25/non-members. Contact: Anne Russell (07) 864 3266 or Liisa Isokargas (07) 875 7466,

South Australia

- **12-15 October. Introduction to INMAGIC. Report Formats and Advanced training courses in Adelaide.** Contact Jan Brackley, TRIAD, (03) 696 4866.
- **27 October. Information Science Section - SA Group.** Data-Star talk and demonstration. Key Speaker: Virginia Furness. Venue: University of Adelaide, Barr Smith Library, Seminar Room B. Time: 4.30 for 5.00pm. Contact: Sherron Hunter (08) 302 3120
- **10 November. Joint AGM & Meeting. Reference & Information Services Section and the Acquisitions Section.** 5.30pm AGM's followed by guest speaker

• Activities organised by ALIA Divisions

► Michael Treloar on 'Tools of the Trade'. Dinner at 7.30pm. Contact: Patrick Condon (08) 228 5374.

• **19 November. Information Science Section - SA Group.** AGM & Demonstration of SALINET. Key Speaker: Susan Ball. Venue: State Library Seminar Room. Time: 4.30 for 5.00pm (Dinner to follow). Contact: Ian Hayden (08) 302 3413.

Victoria

• **25 September. ALIA Vic Branch.** Afternoon seminar. The Real Electronic Library'. Speaker Pat Battin. Venue: Monash University City Office, Exhibition St/Flinders La. Time: 2.00-5.00pm. Contact: Maryna Mews (03) 353 1827

• **7 October. Geelong Regional group.** 'The job market: identifying and promoting your skills'. Venue: Geelong Historical Records Centre. Time: 5.30 for 6.00-8.00pm. Contact: Sue McKnight (052) 271 1352.

• **8,9,12 October. Australian Library Week.** Workshop on marketing and Customer Focus. Venue: CAE City Conference Centre. Bookings accepted for 1, 2 or 3 days. Contact: Margaret Findlay Tel: (03) 818 7160 or Judy Peppard Tel: (03) 651 7226.

• **12 October. Home Library Services Group Meeting.** Venue: Hawthorn City Library, Hawthorn. Time: 10.00am. Contact: Wendy Baker: (03) 557 2815.

13 October. Insearch/DIALOG Seminar. Introductory System. Melbourne. Contact (02) 330 2165.

• **15 October. Special Libraries Section.** Workshop on Customer

Focus. See 8, 9, 12 October for details.

16 October (and 10 Nov and 10 Dec) Introduction to INMAGIC training course in Melbourne. *Report Formats* and *Advanced* courses will be scheduled according to demand. Contact: Jan Brackley, Triad, (03) 696 4866.

• **20 October. School Libraries Section.** Annual Dinner Meeting. Guest Speaker: Fay Nicholson. Time: 7.15pm. Venue: Glencoe Restaurant, Mont Albert. Cost \$27/members; \$32/non-members. Contact: Treasurer (03) 857 9762 (w) or (03) 890 6039 (h).

• **23 October. Victorian School Libraries Section meeting.** Annual dinner. Fay Nicholson, former lecturer at Melbourne State College, speaking on the International Association of School Libraries (IASL) and the International Federation of Library Associations (IFLA). Venue and time to be advised.

• **26 October. Victorian Branch Cataloguers' Section.** Cataloguers' ABN Problems. Venue: RMIT Library Lecture Room. Time: 6.00 for 6.30pm. Contact: Jenny Todd Tel: (03) 429 5177; Fax: (03) 427 0939

• **11 November. RAISS Victorian Group.** 'Presentation Skills - a practical workshop. Speaker: Tanya Slaughter. Time: 9.00-5.00pm. Cost: \$130/non-ALIA; \$110/ALIA. Contact: Jan Miller (03) 370 5244, FAX (03) 375 1248 or Brian Tyrrell (03) 216 8254.

• **17 November. Special Libraries Section.** ACEL Information Pty Ltd. Demonstration of ACEL products with emphasis on CD-ROM products. Venue: Como

Centre, South Yarra. 5.30 for 6.00pm. RSVP by 12 November. Contact: Clare Body Tel: (03) 628 5064, Fax: (03) 628 5049.

1 December. FLIS Training Pty Ltd. Gaining Support for the Special Library within the Organisation. Venue: Meat Market Craft Centre, North Melbourne. Time: 9.30am-5.00pm. Cost: \$160. Contact: Meg Paul Tel: (03) 813 1925.

• **4 December. Victorian Branch Christmas Party.**

4 December. FLIS Training Pty Ltd. Administrative Skills for Library Technicians. Venue: Whitehorse Inn Hotel, Hawthorn. Time 9.30am-5.00pm. Cost: \$160. Contact: Jenn Evans Tel: (03) 813 1925.


• **7 December. Special Libraries Section.** Christmas party and AGM. Venue: Studley Park Reception, Walmer Street, Kew. 5.30-8.30pm. RSVP by 1 December. Cost: \$18/members; \$26/non-members; out of (03) telephone district/\$12. Contact: Margaret McGregor Tel: (03) 284 6266; Fax: (03) 602 5709.

• **7 December. Final Christmas AGM of Home Library Services Group meeting.** Venue: Carringbush Regional Library, Richmond. Time: 10.00am. Contact: Wendy Baker (03) 557 2815.

Tasmania

• **24 September. Northern Areas Regional Group.** Discussion of changes and developments in Library services following amalgamation. Time: 7.30pm. Venue: Library, University of Tasmania, Launceston. Contact:

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14-16 October. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Textline on Dialog Free Session (Oct 14, pm); Introductory System (Oct 15); Medline Bridging (Oct 16, am). Hobart. Contact: (02) 330 2165.

Western Australia

- **25 September. Special Libraries Section.** Sundowner Piano Bar, Orchard Hotel. Time: 5.30 pm. Mentoring. Contact: Penny Tinsley 445 1000 (w).
- **5 October. Australian Library Week. Special Libraries Tour.** United States Information Service. Contact: Local Office.
- **6 October. Australian Library Week. Special Libraries Tour.** Family Planning Association. Time: 2.00 pm. Contact: Local Office.
- **7 October. Australian Library Week. Special Libraries Tour.** Western Mining Corp. Time: 4.00 pm. Contact: Local Office.
- **8 October. Australian Library Week. Special Libraries Tour.** Crown Law Dept. Time: 10.30 am. Contact: Local Office.
- **9 October. Australian Library Week. Special Libraries Tour.** Aboriginal Affairs Planning Authority. Time: 9.15 am. Contact: Local Office.
- **14 October. Health Libraries Section.** Panel discussion on sensitive reference issues. (Joint meeting with Law Librarians section). Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm. Contact: Anne Batt (09) 389 2913.
- **19 October. Special Libraries Section Committee Meeting.** Australian Society of CPAs Library Level 4. Time: 5.00 pm. Contact: Deanne Barrett: (09) 222 7372.
- **20-23 October. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Introductory System (Oct 20); Medline Bridging (Oct 21, am); Textline on Dialog Free session (Oct 21, pm); Beyond the Basics (Oct 22); International Business (Oct 23). Perth. Contact: (02) 330 2165.
- **24 October. Children's and Youth Services Section.** Seminar 'Words are not enough : picture books for everyone'. Venue: South Perth Council Chambers. Time: 9 am-4.30 am. Contact: Eric Morissey (09) 418 0493 or Val Noake (09) 427 3134.
- **27 October. T&D, ALIA/WA**

Branch. Panel Discussion on Performance Indicators. Venue: University House, University of WA. Time: 5.30pm. Cost: \$15/ALIA members, \$18/non members. Contact: Cheryl Hamill Tel: (09) 431 2780; Fax: (09) 431 2522.

- **30 October. Special Libraries Section.** Sundowner Piano Bar, Orchard Hotel. Time: 5.30 pm. Post ALIA Biennial Conference Sundowner. Final sundowner for the year. Contact: Penny Tinsley: (09) 445 1000 (w).
- **2-6 November. Introduction to INMAGIC.** Report Formats and Advanced training courses in Perth. Contact Jan Brackley, TRIAD, (03) 696 4866.
- **11 November. Health Libraries Section.** Committee Meeting. Venue: Library, King Edward Memorial Hospital. Time: 5.00pm. Contact: Brigitte Glockner. (09) 340 1498.
- **12-13 November. 10th National Cataloguing Conference.** Theme: Subject Access. Fremantle. Contact: Judy Clayden, Publicity Convenor Tel: (09) 370 6298; FAX (09) 370 2910.
- **16 November. Special Libraries Section.** Committee Meeting. Australian Society of CPAs Library Level 4. Time: 5.00 pm. Contact: Deanne Barrett: (09) 222 7372 (w).
- **27 November. Special Libraries Section Annual General Meeting and Breakfast.**

National

- **27 September-2 October 1992. ALIA Biennial Conference. Libraries: The Heart of the Matter.** Albury/Wodonga. Contact: ALIA Conference Department (06) 285 1877.
- **2-9 October 1992. Australian Library Week.** Theme: 'Book Magic'.
- **7-9 July 1993. 'Info-Bridges: Linking Australia with Asia'.** Reference and Information Science Section Conference. Venue: Casuarina Campus-Northern Territory University. Contact: Dave Thompson (06) 285 1877 for further details.
- **25-29 August 1993. Specials, Law and Health Librarians Conference: 'Creating Our future'.** Venue: Hotel Conrad, Broadbeach, Queensland. Contact: Dave Thompson (06) 285 1877 for further details.

- **22-24 September 1993. 7th National Library Technicians' Conference: 'The Tech Connection'.** Venue: The Terrace Hotel Adelaide. Contact: Dave Thompson (06) 285 1877 for further details.
- **27-29 September 1993. ALIA 4th National TAFE Libraries Conference.** Canberra. Contact: Dave Thompson: (06) 285 1877 for further details.



International

23-29 September. The International Association of Sound Archives (IASA) and the Australasian Sound Recordings Association (ASRA). 1992 Conference. Canberra. Phone: (06) 257 3299, Fax (06) 257 3256.

8-10 October 1992. 3rd International Conference on Library Fee-based Services. The theme is: 'Quality Assurance: bringing business practices to bear on non-profit for services delivery'. Tempe, Arizona, USA. Registration before 20 September 1992 is US\$295. Contact: Annette C. Verna, Office of Management Services, Washington DC. Fax: 0011 1 202 462 7849.

18-23 October. New Zealand Library Association Conference 1992. The N Strategy: Actions for Prosperity. Nelson, NZ. Contact: NZLA, PO Box 12-212, Wellington or ALIA. Registrations close 25 September.

30 November-2 December 1992. 5th International Conference New Information Technology. Call for Papers/Invitation to Exhibit. Contact: Min-min Chang, NIT '92, Library HK University Science & Technology, Clear Water Bay, Kowloon, Hong Kong. Telephone: 0011 852 358 6702; Fax: 0011 852 358 1043; E-mail: MINMIN@USTHK.BITNET.

2-7 May. 9th Congress of Southeast Asian Librarians (CONSAL IX). Theme: 'Future Dimensions and Library Development'. Bangkok, Thailand. Call for paper now! Contact: Ms Kultida Boon-Itt, CONSAL IX Secretariat, c/o Centres of Academic Resources, Chulalongkorn University, Phayathai Road, Bangkok 10330, Thailand.

7-10 June 1993. National Congress of IASI. Sport Information in the 90s. Rome. Contact: Maurizio Bruni, Scuola dello Sport, Via dei Campi Sportivi 48, 00197, Rome, Italy. ■

Pre and Post Conferences; Special Interest Group Meetings; ALIA Section Meetings

- 25 September. CODIANZ Meeting. 9.30-4.30 pm and 26 September. 9.30-4.30 pm. Venue: Trade Union Training Authority. Contact: Marion Bannister (069) 215 244.
- 25 September. CODIANZ Dinner. Venue: Commercial Club.
- 25-27 September. "Intelligent Library Systems: a Workshop and Conference". (CIIM/ELISS-NSW). Fee: \$150; Students \$100. Venue: CSU, Wagga. Transport to Albury/Wodonga. Contact: John Weckert (069) 222 372 for further details.
- 26 September. Country Public Library Association Meeting. 9.00-5.00 pm and 27 September. 9.00-1.00 pm. Venue: SS&A Club. Contact: Anne Burnett (060) 238 197.
- 26 September. Country Public Library Association Dinner. 7.30 pm. Venue: Hume Inn.
- 26 September. URICA Meeting and Dinner. 9.00-6.00 pm. Dinner 7.00 for 7.30 pm. Venue: Commercial Club. Contact: Karen Ward-Smith (03) 522 3234.
- 26 September. Working Group on Library Systems Interconnection. 2.00-6.00 pm. Venue: TBA. Contact: Kerry Webb (06) 262 1535.
- 26 September. ARLIS/ANZ Meeting. 2.00-5.00 pm and 27 September. 9.00-1.00 pm. Venue: Art Gallery.
- 26 September. Reference and Information Services Librarians Section Seminar. 9.00 am-5.00 pm. Venue: Wodonga Civic Centre.
- 26 September. ARLIS/ANZ Dinner. 7.30 pm. Venue: Thai Lotus Restaurant. Contact: Margaret Shaw (06) 271 2532.
- 27 September. ALIA Board of Education Meeting. 1.30 pm-3.30 pm. Venue: Carlton (Explorer Room) Contact: Rose Hockham (06) 285 1877.
- 27 September. Librarians of Distance Education Centres Meeting and Lunch. 10.00 am-1.00 pm. Venue: Charles Sturt University-Murray Library Seminar Room.
- 27 September. University, College and Research Libraries Section National Seminar. 'Converging Technologies - Divergent Applications: the Future of Information Services to the Academic Community'. Time: 9.30 am-4.00 pm. Venue: Commercial Club. Contact: Linda O'Brien (06) 201 5092.
- 28 September. ALIA Victorian Branch Cocktail Party. 4.30-6.30 pm. Venue: TBA. Contact: Eva Fisch (03) 479 2926.
- 28 September. ALIA Reference and Information Service Section. AGM. Venue: Commercial Club. Wodonga. The Section dinner will be held on the same evening also at the Commercial Club from 7.30pm. Cost: \$26.00 for 3 course meal, beverages not included. Dinner tickets must be purchased by 14 September. Enquiries: Susan Bray Tel: (03) 344 8322.
- 28 September. Distance Education Special Interest Group Biennial General Meeting. 5.30-6.30 pm. Venue: Carlton (Hume Room). Contact: Pam Pitkeathly (02) 646 6486.
- 28 September. Acquisitions Section Annual General Meeting and Dinner. 7.00 pm. Venue: The Commercial Club, 618 Dean St, Albury. Contact: Jenni Jeremy (08) 302 6720.
- 28 September. Local Studies Section Meeting. 5.00-8.00 pm. Venue: Albury Library. Contact: Judy Washinton (02) 427 5194.
- 28 September. Reference and Information Services Librarians Section Annual General Meeting and Dinner. AGM-6.00-7.00 pm. Dinner-7.30 pm. Venue: Commercial Club. Contact: Erica Maxwell (03) 3133296.
- 29 September. Public Libraries Section Dinner. 7.00 pm. Venue: Pfeiffers Winery. Contact: Sue Noble (03) 553 0255.
- 29 September. ELISS National Section Meeting. 4.30-5.30 pm. Venue: Carlton (Lounge). Contact: Jennifer Evans (03) 813 1925.
- 29 September. Health Libraries Section AGM. Venue: Conference Room, Commercial Club Albury. Time: 5.30pm. Contact: Brigitte Glockner (09) 340 1498.
- 30 September. Charles Sturt University alumni get-together. Breakfast meeting. Venue: The Pancake Parlour, 555 Dean Street, Albury. Time: 7.00am. Contact: Maxine Rochester, (069) 222 584.
- 30 September. Australian Library and Information International Services. 12.15-1.45 pm. Venue: Carlton (Hume Room). Contact: David Thompson (06) 285 1877.
- 30 September. LISPD-People with Disabilities Meeting. 10.00-12.00 pm. Venue: ACPAC Theatre. Contact: Jan Murray (03) 341 8615.
- 30 September. Environment and nature conservation librarians. Networking luncheon. Time: 12.30pm at the Commercial Club, Albury. Contact: Roxanne Missingham, Tel: (06) 250 0206; Fax: (06) 250 0399.
- 1 October. Asia and Pacific Special Interest Group Annual General Meeting and Dinner. AGM-5.30 pm, Dinner-7.00 pm. Venue: Bahn Thai Restaurant. Contact: Susan MacDougall (06) 201 2645.
- 1 October. Cataloguers Section Annual General Meeting and Dinner. AGM-5.00 pm-6.00 pm. Dinner-7.00 for 7.30 pm. Venue: Hovell Tree Inn. Contact: Dr Jack Nelson (02) 697 3438.
- 1 October. Children's & Youth Services Section Annual General Meeting and Dinner. AGM-5.00-6.30 pm, Dinner-7.00 for 7.30 pm. Venue: Commercial Club. Contact: Jill McCallum (30) 881 8453.
- 1 October. ALIA Special Libraries Section Annual General Meeting and Dinner. Annual General Meeting 6.00-7.00pm. Dinner 7.00pm onwards. Venue: Hume Inn. Motions for discussion at the Annual General Meeting are to be forwarded in writing to the Secretary, Special Libraries Section, C/- Ann Hanger, Manager (Library Services) Department of Primary Industries, GPO Box 46 Brisbane QLD 4001. Contact: Ann Hanger (07) 239 3104.
- 1 October. University, College and Research Libraries Section Dinner. 7.30 pm. Venue: Kinross Woolshed. Contact: Judy Churches (06) 249 3443.

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