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The Catholic Library Association

invites librarians and teachers

to join them for

SPRING CONFERENCE PROGRAM

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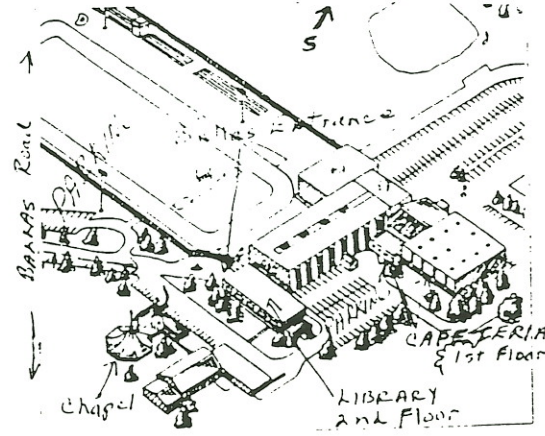
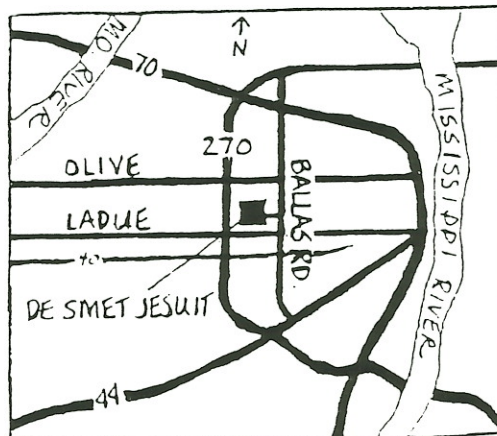
MARCH 19, 1994

Tapping into the Educational, Cultural & Historical Resources of the Area

- 8:00 - REGISTRATION (Foyer of Chapel)
8:30 - EUCHARISTIC CELEBRATION (Chapel)
9:00 -12:30 EXHIBITS Coffee and donuts available. (Cafeteria)
10:30-12:00 GENERAL MEETING Presentations by representatives of educational, cultural and historical institutions of the St. Louis area (Library)
12:00-12:30 CHAPTER AND SECTION BUSINESS MEETINGS (Library)
1:00 - 2:00 LUNCHEON Presentation of Fons Sapientiae Award (Cafeteria)
Reservations must be in by Friday, March 11. Use form on page 15.

CLA members are certain to enjoy their visit to DeSmet Jesuit High School, 233 N. New Ballas Road, St. Louis, MO 63141. DeSmet is a college preparatory school with about 900 students. It is easily accessible from all areas of the city and county. Those who attend the Conference will be able to see the library, chapel and other facilities on the campus. **Please enter from the Ballas side.** An elevator is available in the school.

Questions? Call Hugh Bergman, 721-1200



INFO-PASS UPDATE

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ADD:
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S: 9-9, M-Th; 9-5, F-S
OP: yes

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JOBLINE

Library Director for the Kirkwood Public Library is being sought to manage this single location library with a circulation of 240,000, a staff of 32, and an annual budget of \$500,000. The successful candidate will have:

Masters of Library Science Degree from an American Library Association accredited school

Five years professional library experience

Three years supervisory experience

Automated library computer systems experience

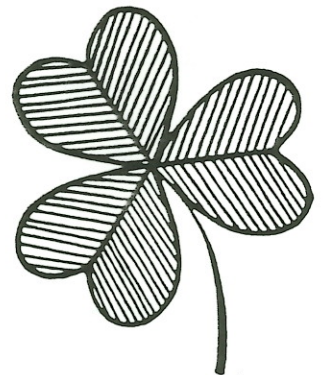
Collection development experience

Demonstrated leadership skills.

We offer a competitive salary and benefit package. Please respond by March 15, 1994 w.

Monroe H. Smith, CSF
Personnel Committee
C/O Kirkwood Public Library
140 E. Jefferson
Kirkwood, MO. 63122

The Kirkwood Library is an equal opportunity employer.



MEMBER-AT-LARGE

The Network Council needs nominations for the one member-at-large vacancy for the Network Council for the term of three years starting in May 1994. We are asking for nominations now. The nominees will be introduced and the vote will take place during the business meeting at the annual dinner in late April or early May. If you would like to nominate yourself or someone else (please check to be sure that the individual is able to accept the nomination), fill out the nomination form below and mail it to the SLRLN, %Bernyce Christiansen, 9425 Big Bend, St. Louis, MO 63119 or FAX to (314) 965-4443 before April 15th. Ballots will be made and distributed at the meeting.

A network council member has about four network meetings plus an annual dinner to attend per year.

MEMBER-AT-LARGE NOMINATION

I nominate _____ from the _____

_____ Library to be a member-at-large representative to the St. Louis RRegional Library Network for a three year term to begin in May 1994.

Librarian

Library

Return by April 15, 1994



Workshop Presenters

Vicki Lee is a professional bookbinder and conservator.

Pamela Pirio is a solo librarian who studied conservation with Vicki Lee.

Registration Form

for

Saint Louis Regional Library Network Sponsored Workshop on
The Problem of Conservation in Small Libraries
and
A Practical Solution

- . This workshop is limited to 12 participants because of its hands-on activities.
- . It will be repeated on three separate occasions, to allow more people to participate.
- . It is meant to be useful for librarians in small libraries where book conservation is not currently in place.
- . It will be conducted by Vicki Lee and Pamela Pirio.
- . The cost to participants is \$25.00 for member libraries/ \$50.00 for non-member participants.
- . Registrations forms should be completed and returned to SLRLN
- registration is limited to first 12 for each workshop.

First Name	Last Name	

Street Number	Street Name	Apartment Number

City	State	Zip Code

Daytime Telephone	Home Telephone	

Please check the workshop you wish to attend:

closed Thursday, April 28 ** 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
_____ Saturday, April 30 * 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

NO REFUND ON CANCELLATIONS MADE LESS THAN TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO WORKSHOPS.

** Ursuline Academy
341 South Sappington Road
Saint Louis, Missouri 63122

* Washington University
Western Campus
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Clayton, MO 63105

Mail check to SLRLN, % Bernyce Christiansen, 9425 Big Bend, St. Louis, MO 63119. Confirmation forms of your status for workshop will be mailed following your registration.

A . L . A . T E L E S E M I N A R

The St. Louis Community College at Florissant Valley located at 3400 Parshall Road will be the local site for the American Library Association's video teleseminar on customer service in libraries entitled: **Achieving Breakthrough Service - Information in the Service of Knowledge** on May 12, 1994 from 12:00 - 4:00 pm. in the Student Center, Multipurpose Room.

The teleseminar will link Harvard Business School Professor James L. Haskett, live, via satellite, to libraries and library workers across North America. The four hour program will demonstrate how outstanding customer service can create impressive gains in productivity, improve employee and customer retention and satisfaction, and lead to better patronage and higher levels of customer and community support and funding for all types of libraries.

Kathleen Gilroy Associates will accept reservations and payment for attendees at the St. Louis seminar. Their address and telephone number are 1 Story Street, Cambridge, MA 02138, (617) 354-0456 or via fax (617) 354-7111.

Ticket Prices:

Early Bird Registration by March 17

Individual	\$ 39.95
Individual ALA member	\$ 34.95
Groups of 5 - 24	\$ 29.95 per person
Groups of 25 or more	\$ 19.95 per person

After March 17

Individual	\$ 49.95
Individual ALA member	\$ 44.95
Groups of 5 - 24	\$ 39.95 per person
Groups of 25 or more	\$ 29.95 per person

COVENANT THEOLOGICAL LIBRARY

COMPLETES CONVERSION

by James C. Pakala, Library Director

The Buswell Library at Covenant Theological Seminary in Creve Coeur completed the second half of its retroconversion between February 1992 and November 1993 (the project had begun in the late 1970s). A massive weeding project ran concurrently. The card catalog was sold but the shelf list will remain another year until inventory, barcoding, and security stripping are completed.

After reading studies, visiting libraries elsewhere, and placing many phone calls, we have chosen Winnebago's Circulation system, which will be brought up this fall along with a security system. Checkpoint's new electromagnetic system is the one now holding our interest.

Covenant's Library is on OCLC and uses The Library Corporation's Intelligent Catalog for its PACs. Alpha Four relational database software has proved ideal for Acquisitions and numerous other purposes. We found it both sophisticated and easier to set up than similar programs.

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**BOOK CONSERVATION
WORKSHOP**

There are still several places open in the Saturday April 30th workshop. Mail registration form (copy or send page 3) plus check to SLRLN, % Bernyce Christiansen, 9425 Big Bend, St. Louis, MO 63119. Confirmation forms of your status for workshop will be mailed following your registration.



NETnews is published nine times a year by the St. Louis Regional Library Network to report on Network activities, meetings, and items of interest to the membership and wider library community.

News, reviews and comments are welcome. Send information to Bernyce Christiansen, 9425 Big Bend Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63119. You may call Bernyce at the SLRLN office, (314) 965-1305.

A copy of NETnews is sent to each member. Nonmember subscriptions are \$30/year.

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