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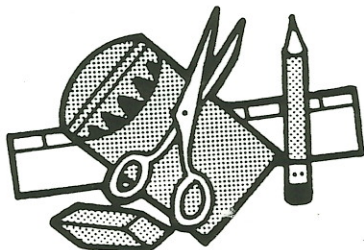
St. Louis Regional Library Network presents

BOOK CONSERVATION WORKSHOPS

Does your library need help with book conservation and mending? The SLRLN is sponsoring three workshops that will teach your staff how to mend books and provide your library with a box of tools to use in mending books in your institution. Attendees will return with some mended books and the knowledge and materials needed to continue practicing these new skills. Learn to do mylar covers, tip-ins, encapsulations and wrap-arounds.

Vicki Lee is a professional bookbinder and conservator at Missouri Botanical Gardens Library. Pamela Pirio who has studied conservation with Vicki, is the librarian at Stupp Teacher Resource Center. These three workshops will be limited to the first 12 people who register for each session. Be sure you are included, register now. Besides the toolbox, and two manuals, your lunch and snacks are included in registration. Each person is to bring 5 books with different mending needs to workshop.

Mail registration form or copy (green center sheet) plus check to SLRLN, % Berlyce Christiansen, 9425 Big Bend Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63119. Confirmation forms of your status for workshop will be mailed following your registration.



EBONY Editor to Speak [✶] During Black History Month

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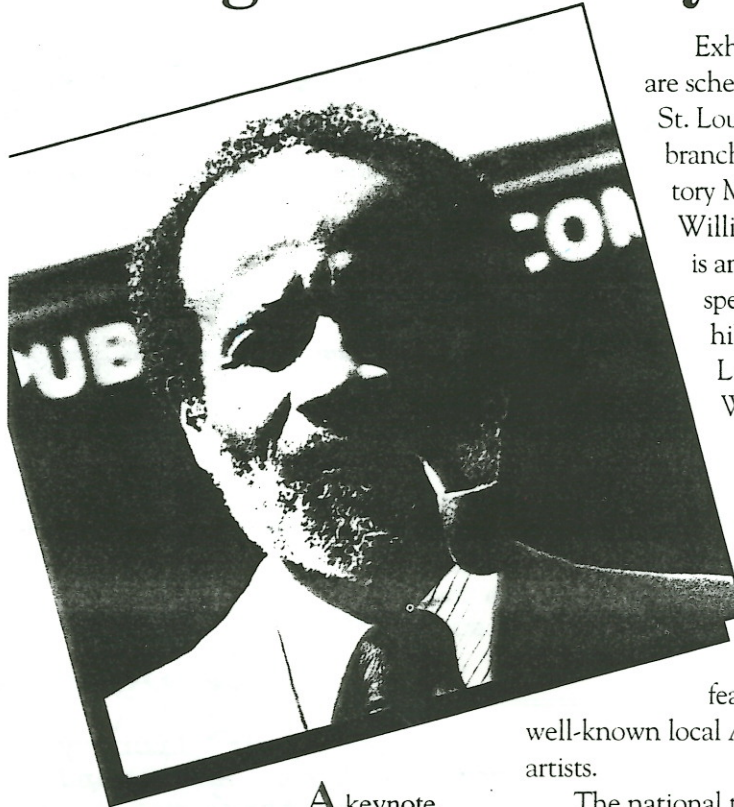
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A keynote address by the editor of *EBONY* magazine will highlight the St. Louis Public Library's celebration of Black History Month in February. Lerone Bennett, Jr. will speak at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Feb. 27 in the Great Hall of Central Library, 1301 Olive Street.

Exhibits and activities are scheduled at each St. Louis Public Library branch during Black History Month. U.S. Rep. William L. Clay, Sr. is among the scheduled speakers. Two exhibits, one at Central Library and one at Walnut Park Branch, are from the Anacostia Museum, which is affiliated with the Smithsonian Institution.

Other exhibits feature the works of well-known local African-American artists.

The national theme of this year's celebration is "Empowering Afro-American Organizations: Present & Future."

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Black History Month Calendar of Events

Programs

Tuesday, Feb. 1, 10-11:15 a.m.: Storytelling by Bobby Norfolk. Buder Branch.
Thursday, Feb. 3, 1:30-2:45 p.m.: Young Audiences performance: "Laugh & Learn." Machacek Branch.
Saturday, Feb. 5, 2-3:15 p.m.: Lecture by poet Quincy Troupe. Walnut Park Branch.
Tuesday, Feb. 8, 1:30-2:45 p.m.: Young Audiences performance: "Laugh & Learn." Carpenter Branch.
Thursday, Feb. 10, 6-7:15 p.m.: Lecture by Willette Dotson. Cabanne Branch.
Friday, Feb. 11, 1-2:15 p.m.: Storytelling by Patricia McKissack. Carondelet Branch.

Saturday, Feb. 12, 2-3:15 p.m.: Lecture by Toni Cade Bambara. Julia Davis Branch.
Monday, Feb. 14, 10-11:15 a.m.: Storytelling by TAIFA. Kingshighway Branch.
Wednesday, Feb. 16, 4-5:15 p.m.: Storytelling by Charlotte & Fred Hill. Barr Branch.
Thursday, Feb. 17, 11 a.m.-12:15 p.m.: Storytelling by Gladys Cogswell. Baden Branch.
Saturday, Feb. 19, 2 p.m.: Lecture by U. S. Rep. William L. Clay, Sr. Lashly Branch.
Monday, Feb. 21, 10:30-11:45 a.m.: St. Louis Black Repertory Company performance: "Sweet Clara and the Quilt." Divoll Branch.
Saturday, Feb. 26, 2-3:15 p.m.: Lecture by Ella Jenkins. Central Library.



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Patron Saint of Bookbinders

The Problem of Conservation in Small Libraries
and
A Practical Solution

A Workshop
Offered by the
Saint Louis Regional Library Network

Join other librarians for the day, to learn through direct, hands-on experience, how to perform basic conservation applications.

Learn to appreciate the book as a physical object.

Take with you your own conservation tool box and the skills to use it.

Workshop Schedule

9:00 - 10:00 A.M.	The Book as a Physical Object <ul style="list-style-type: none">. Attitudes towards conservation, preservation and restoration. Threats to books. Handling books
10:00 - 10:15	Break
10:15 - 12:00	Introduction to Conservation Tool Box <ul style="list-style-type: none">. Introduction to tools. Uses of tools. Assembly of tool box
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch
1:00 - 3:00	Conservation Methods and Applications <ul style="list-style-type: none">. Mylar covers. Tip-ins. Encapsulations. Wrap-arounds

If conservation and preservation of books and materials are a problem in your library because you lack staff time, budget and know-how to put measures into place this workshop is meant for you.

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:

- _____ Saturday, February 26 * 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
- _____ 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.

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Ralston Purina Company's Library and Information Services Department has an opening for a Coordinator, Search Services.

To qualify, you must have an ALA-accredited MLS and professional library experience. Online (particularly using Dialog), CD-ROM and manual searching skills in the fields of business and science are necessary. Familiarity with IBM PC's and Word for Windows, Excel and DBase software packages is needed. Good oral and written communication skills are required.

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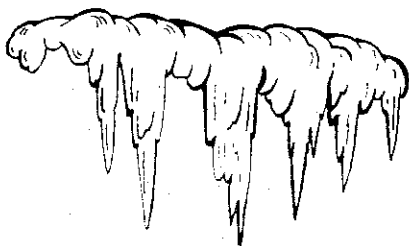
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