

# HAPPENINGS

## A Regular Diary of Meetings & Events

### National

**FEBRUARY 16-17 1984** UCLS National Seminar 'Collection Management in Academic Libraries' **Surfers Paradise, Qld.** Contact: Barbara Paton, Central Library, University of Queensland, St Lucia Qld 4067. (07) 377 3249.

**AUGUST 27-31** LAA/NZLA Joint Conference 'Libraries: after 1984'. Contact: Suzanne Best, Intermedia (07) 371 7900.

### Victoria

**FEBRUARY 20-21** RMIT Workshop 'Librarians and micro computing'. Basic computing concepts. **Department of Librarianship, RMIT.** Fee: \$100. First of series in micro computing for librarians. Contact: Sue McGibbony, Technisearch (03) 341 2533.

**FEBRUARY 21** Special Libraries Section Vic Group Meeting 'Promoting Special Libraries' 6 for 6.30pm **Coopers and Lybrand, 461 Bourke Street.** Speakers: Vic Branch President and ALPC representative. Contact: Jan Durkin (03) 602 3666.

**FEBRUARY 21-23** SDC/ORBIT Training Courses. New User, Advanced, Chemistry. **Melbourne.** Contact: Katie Blake/Tina Reedman (02) 922 9308 or toll free (008) 22 6474.

**FEBRUARY 28** LAA Vic Branch Annual General Meeting 6 for 6.30pm **Melbourne CAE, Science Education Building, Room S819.** Followed by panel discussion on 'Staff exchanges'. Contact: Diane Costello (053) 30 1800 X 364.

**MARCH 1** Children's Libraries' Sect Vic Group Annual General Meeting 7.30pm **Balwyn Library, 336 Whitehorse Road, Balwyn Vic 3103.** The film 'The fire in the stone' will be screened. A donation towards the cost of the evening would be appreciated. Contact: Glenda Benness (03) 524 3351.

**MARCH 14** LAA Vic Branch Council Meeting 5.30pm **State Library Conference Room.** Meetings will be held on second Wednesday of each month, same time and place. Dates for future meetings April 11, May 9. Observers are welcome. Contact: Diane Costello (053) 30 1800 x 364.

**MARCH 18** LAA Vic Branch Annual Picnic 12 noon **Wattle Park.** BYO food, drink, family and friends. Contact: Ann Forbes (03) 647 7433.

**MARCH 21** RMIT Workshop 2 'Librarians and micro computing series: hardware and software selection' **Dept of Librarianship, RMIT.** Fee: \$60. Contact: Sue McGibbony, Technisearch (03) 341 2532 x 33 for brochure/bookings.

**MARCH 22** LAA Library Technicians' Section Meeting 6pm for 6.30pm **State Library Theatre.** Speaker: Helen Smeaton, Head of Library Studies, Footscray College of TAFE. Wine and cheese. Contact: Margaret Munro (03) 233 1211 x 261.

**APRIL 3-5** ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User Training Course. Contact: Lewis Rentschler (03) 544 8433.

**APRIL 12** LAA Vic Branch General Meeting 'Retrospective conversion of catalogues'. Speakers, venue and time to be advised in future issues of InCite. Contact: Diane Costello (053) 30 8100 x 364.

### NT

**APRIL 10-12** ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User Training Course. Contact: Lewis Rentschler (03) 544 8433.

### NSW

**FEBRUARY 21** Working Group on Multicultural Library Services (NSW) 'An overview of ESL in NSW' 4.15pm **Function Room, Canterbury Municipal Council Chambers, Beamish Street, Campsie.** Speaker: M. Gray, Superintendent, Adult Migrant Education Service. There will be an opportunity for questions and for an exchange of information about ESL resources. Contact: J. Morison, Earlwood Branch Library (02) 78 4151.

**FEBRUARY 21** LAA School Libraries Section NSW group Annual General Meeting 6.30pm **Metropolitan East Professional Services Centre, Cnr Segenhoe and Avenel Streets, Arncliffe.** A short business meeting followed by a speaker on children's literature. Light refreshments will be provided. All welcome. Contact: Di Simpson wk (02) 922 7983 or hm (02) 95 6516.

**FEBRUARY 21-23** ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User Training Courses. Contact: Gay St. Ledger (02) 662 7011.

**FEBRUARY 28** LAA Special Libraries Sect NSW Group Inspection 6 for 6.30pm **Royal Botanic Gardens Library** and tea under the trees. Inspection begins at 7.15. Assemble in Gardens near new Administration Building. Contact: David Hawkins (02) 217 5006.

**FEBRUARY 23** LAA Special Libraries Section NSW Group Lunchtime Visit 12-2pm **Department of Main Roads Library, 5th Floor, 309 Castlereagh Street Sydney.** Contact: Robin Jenkins (02) 2 0512.

**FEBRUARY 25** NSW Branch Council all day Meeting 9.30am **LAA House, 376 Jones Street, Ultimo.** Observers welcome. Contact: Julie Young (049) 61 7355 or David Hawkins (02) 217 5006.

**FEBRUARY 28-MARCH 2** Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory, Chemical and Medline Seminars. **Sydney.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

**FEBRUARY 28-29** Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory Seminar. **Sydney.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

**FEBRUARY 29** SDC/ORBIT Open Day. **Sydney.** Contact: Katie Blake/ Tina Reedman (02) 922 9308 or toll free (008) 22 6474.

**MARCH 1-2** Wollongong City Library Two Day Conference 'Practical Action'. A conference on the practical aspects of library services to disabled persons within a Community/Regional setting. Contact: Co-ordinator Valerie Moon (042) 29 9111 x 291 or Joan de Wet (042) 29 9111 x 292.

**MARCH 6-8** SDC/ORBIT Training Courses New User, Advanced, Patents. **Sydney.** Contact: Katie Blake/Tina Reedman (02) 922 9308 or toll free (008) 22 6474.

**MARCH 7-8 & 20-21** Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Embase, Business, Patents and Legal Seminars. **Sydney.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

**MARCH 10** NSW Branch Council General Meeting 'Work level standards for librarians and library technicians' 2pm **Conference Room 1, Building D, Sydney Technical College Library, Mary Ann Street.** Contact: Rosemary Wickham (02) 230 3434 or Carol Pogany (02) 219 9505.

**MARCH 21** NSW Branch Council Monthly Meeting 5.30pm **LAA House, 376 Jones Street, Ultimo.** Dates for future meetings - April 18, May 16, June 20, July 14, August 15, September 19, October 17, November 28, December 19. Observers welcome. Contact: Julie Young (049) 61 7355 or David Hawkins (02) 271 5006.

**MARCH 22** NSW Branch Council Annual General Meeting 6 for 6.30pm **Galleries State Library of NSW.** Speaker to be announced. Contact: Julie Young (049) 61 7355 or David Hawkins (02) 217 5006.

**MARCH 27** NSW Branch Open Meeting 'Keep the bastards honest: have your say in General Council'. Open meeting for NSW Branch members to contribute their ideas, opinions etc to General Council 6 for 6.30pm. **Galleries, State Library of NSW.** Contact: Julie Young (049) 61 7355 or David Hawkins (02) 217 5006.

**MARCH 28** ANZAAS (NSW) Symposium 9am to 6.15pm **Australian Graduate School of Management, University of NSW.**

**APRIL 7** Canowindra High School Course 'Literary Update 5-10 years' 9am to 3.30pm **Canowindra High School, Brown's Avenue, Canowindra NSW 2804.** Contact: A. Bidulph (063) 44 1305.

### Queensland

**FEBRUARY 20** Queensland Online Users' Group Meeting 'The I.P. Sharp financial and economic databases' 5.30 for 6pm **Lecture Theatre, Level 1, Central Library, University of Queensland.** Speaker: Steve Tucker from I.P. Sharp. Contact: Russell Kendrick (07) 377 2211.

**MARCH 20-22** ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User Training Course. Contact: George Notaras (07) 369 5877.

**MARCH 22** ACI Computer Services. Database Builders' Training Course. Contact: George Notaras (07) 369 5877.

### ACT

**MARCH 5-6** Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory Seminar. **Canberra.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

**MARCH 6-8** ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User Training Course. Contact: Long Tjhia (062) 47 0988.

### Tasmania

**FEBRUARY 22** LAA Tas Branch Meeting 'A Decade in the State Library' 8pm **University of Tasmania, Arts Extension Common Room.** Speaker: Laurie Brown. Contact: Jane Coatman (002) 71 8664.

**MARCH 14-15** Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory Seminar. **Hobart.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

**MARCH 21** LAA Tas Branch Dinner Meeting 'Welcome to new members' 6.30pm **University of Tasmania, Senior Common Room.** Speaker: Warren Horton, State Librarian of Victoria and 1984 LAA President. Contact: Jane Coatman (002) 71 8664.

### WA

**MARCH 21** LAA WA Branch AGM, Sharr Medal Presentation and Dinner 7pm **Oyster Beds Restaurant, 26 Riverside Road, East Fremantle.** Cost: \$20.00 RSVP with payment to Karen Anderson, Rooney Library, before March 16. Contact: (09) 420 4646.

**MAY 22-24** ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User Training Course. Contact: John Kelly (09) 321 2859.

### SA

**MARCH 13-16** SDC/Orbit Open Day & Training Courses New User, Advanced Patents **Adelaide.** Contact: Katie Blake/Tina Reedman (02) 922 9308 or toll free (008) 22 6474.

**MARCH 26-30** Insearch/DIALOG. DIALOG Introductory, Refresher, Strategy, Medline, Embase, Legal and Social Sciences Seminars. **Adelaide.** Contact: (02) 264 6344 or (02) 218 9790.

**MARCH 27-29** ACI Computer Services. AUSINET New User and Advanced User Training Course. Contact: (08) 268 1933.


### Overseas

**FEBRUARY 28-MARCH 1** Fifth International Conference 'Contemporary Issues in Academic and Research Libraries' **Hilton Hotel, Boulder, Colorado USA.** Contact: Dr Peter Spyers-Duran, Conference Chairman, University Library and Learning Resources, California State University, Long Beach, CA 90840 USA.

**APRIL 5-8** Annual Bologna Children's Book Fair. Contact: Fiera del libro per ragazzi, Piazza Della Costituzione 6 40128, Bologna, Italy.

**MAY 6-18** University of Maryland, College of Library and Information Services **Library Administrators Program.** Contact: Mrs Effie Knight, Library Administrators Development Program, College of Library and Information Services, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland, 20742, USA.

**AUGUST 19-25** 50th IFLA General Conference in Kenya. Theme: The basis of library and information services for national development. Contact: Joseph Nyamulu, 4/437 Flemington Road, North Melbourne, Vic. 3051. (03) 329 1136.



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