



HAPPENINGS

National

AUGUST 31-SEPTEMBER 1 Australian URICA Users Group, AGM. Venue: Canberra. Contact: Ray Choate, Secretary, c/- Borchardt Library, La Trobe University, Bundoora Vic 3083 (03) 479 2918.

• **SEPTEMBER 2-4** LAA Jubilee Celebrations, Canberra, ACT. Contact: Jenny Gleeson (062) 46 7307. Registration enquiries to David Clark (062) 98 0256.

SEPTEMBER 3-7 Australian School Library Association's 10th National Conference. Wrest Point Convention Centre, Hobart. Theme: 'In Perspective: the Past, the Present, the Future.' Speakers: Susan Cooper and Jan Needle. Contact: R. Bennett, c/- 351b Liverpool Street, Hobart 7000. (002) 44 2544.

• **SEPTEMBER 5-6** LAA General Council Meeting, Canberra.

SEPTEMBER 6-11 The International Council of Museums, Committee for Conservation 8th Triennial Meeting. Hilton International Sydney Hotel. Cost: Before 1 May 1987 \$250 Delegate Enrolment; \$150 Full-time Student. After 1 May 1987 \$300 Delegate Enrolment; \$200 Full-time Student. Contact: ICOM-CC 87 Secretariat, Dulcie Stretton & Associates, 70 Glenmore Rd, Paddington NSW 2021.

SEPTEMBER 9-12 ABA Conference. 'Marketing the Book' Seminars will be held for special interest groups, Library Suppliers, Educational Booksellers, Independent Booksellers and Children's Booksellers. Contact: John Nieuwenhuizen or Jane Stephens (03) 419 0400.

• **SEPTEMBER 13-17** LAA 7th Biennial Australian Medical Librarians' Conference 'Health Sciences Librarians - the dynamic communicators'. Hotel Adelaide, Adelaide, SA. Conference Secretariat: 7th Biennial Australian Medical Librarians' Conference c/- Ellisservice Convention Management, PO Box 753, Norwood, SA 5067.

• **SEPTEMBER 24-27** LAA Australian Association of Adult Education. National Conference 'Partners in adult learning: libraries and adult education'. Colonial Motor Inn, Hall's Gap, Victoria. Contact: Marian Letcher, (03) 429 3644 or Peter Fraser, (03) 652 0694.

• **SEPTEMBER 28-OCTOBER 2** Special Libraries. Second Asian-Pacific Special and Law Librarians' Conference. Sheraton Hotel, Turbot St, Brisbane. Contact: Henry Thorburn, Special, (03) 565 2317 or Ann Clarkson (07) 222 3333 or Pamela Bray, Law, (07) 377 2933.

OCTOBER 6-9 Department of Continuing Education, University of New England. National Conference Continuing Education in the Professions. Armidale NSW. Contact: Gwenith Boland or Darryl Dymock (067) 73 2123.

• **OCTOBER 12** LAA Publications Board Meeting. Contact: Kathy Husselbee (02) 692 9233 or (008) 22 1481.

OCTOBER 16-23 Library Week. Theme: 'Everybody needs a library.'

• **OCTOBER 22-23** LAA Board of Education Meeting. Contact: Louise Lansley (02) 692 9233 or (008) 22 1481.

• **OCTOBER 28-31** LAA Library Technicians Section 4th National Conference of Library Technicians. Regent Hotel, Collins St, Melbourne. Conference Convenor: Margaret Munro, 109 Lincoln Rd, Croydon 3136 (03) 669 7240 bus; (03) 723 2263 ah. Conference Secretariat: Bloomsbury Conference Services PO Box 2368 Richmond South 3121 (03) 428 8226/1983.

• **NOVEMBER 6** LAA Executive Committee Meeting. **NOVEMBER 9-13** AIMA Advanced Management Institute Course, Sydney. Time: (Day 1) 1.00 pm-9.00 pm. (Day 2, 4) 9.00 am-5.00 pm. (Day 3) 9.00 am-9.00 pm. Cost: \$450 (course cost only). Contact: Margaret Trask, Executive Director AIMA PO Box 206, Enmore 2042. Phone: (02) 519 1718.

• **NOVEMBER 14-15** LAA UCLS Reference Librarians Conference, Melbourne. 'Reference Services 87 - Meeting the Challenge of the Information Age'. Contact: Ray Choate, Borchardt Library, La Trobe University, (03) 479 2918.

NOVEMBER 16-18 VALA 4th Biennial Conference and Exhibition 'Information Futures: Tomorrow Today'. Contact: Wael Foda (02) 332 4622.

NOVEMBER 18-20 AIMA Review and Update Course, Sydney. Time: (Day 1-3) 9.00 am-5.00 pm. Cost: \$350 (course cost only). Contact: Margaret Trask, Executive Director AIMA PO Box 206, Enmore 2042. Phone: (02) 519 1718.

• **DECEMBER 1** LAA SA Branch. National Seminar: Profit or Perish - information for business, government and the law. Venue: SACAE, Magill Site, Auditorium, 15 Lorne Avenue, Magill. Time: 9.00am - 5.00pm. Cost: \$50 LAA members or \$75.00 non-members. Contact: Geoff Swadling (08) 333 9448.

• **DECEMBER 3** LAA Executive Committee Meeting. **MARCH 24-25 1988** State Library of NSW. First National Conference: Opening Doors for Closed Ears: Library services for deaf and hearing impaired people. Contact: Val Moon Special Needs Librarian, State Library of NSW, Macquarie Street, Sydney (02) 588 4095.

Get in touch with the LAA by fax. The LAA's fax number is 692 0689.

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Tasmania

• **AUGUST 12** LAA Tas Branch. Meeting: Peter Dawe on National Information Policy. Arts Extension Tea Room at the University. Time: 6.15pm. Dinner at Beards Restaurant at 8.30pm following the meeting. Contact: Chris Frey for further details and to reserve a place for dinner (002) 20 2351.

AUGUST 27, 28 ORBIT Search Service Training Courses, Hobart - New User (Aug 27); Refresher (Aug 28) am; Timesavers (Aug 28) pm. Contact: (02) 360 2691 or (008) 22 6474 toll free.

• **SEPTEMBER 4** LAA Tas Branch. Cocktail Party to welcome to ASLA members in Hobart for the Conference. CSIRO Marine Labs. Contacts: Christine Frey (002) 20 2351 and Vicki Esmond-Morgan (002) 30 7467.

• **SEPTEMBER 5** LAA Tas Branch. 50th Anniversary Luncheon. Beach House, Lower Sandy Bay. Cost: \$15 plus drinks for LAA members, original members free. RSVP Janet Thorp (002) 30 7479.

ACT

AUGUST 10-12 ORBIT Search Service Training Courses, Canberra. New User (Aug 10); Refresher (Aug 11) am; Timesavers (Aug 11) pm; Patents (Aug 12). Contact: (02) 360 2691 or (008) 22 6474 toll free.

• **AUGUST 11, 13** LAA Special Libraries Section (ACT Group). Demo of QUAILS, an ILL pc application. Department of Housing and Construction, Central Office, Dickson. Several groups available. Bookings essential, limit of 8. Contact: Bev Orr (062) 48 4743.

• **AUGUST 12** LAA Online Users/UCLS. Meeting: Mary Mico will speak on more economical methods of online searching. ADFA Library Seminar Room. Time: 5.00pm. Contact: Alex Byrne (062) 68 8146.

• **AUGUST 12** LAA Cataloguers' Section, ACT Group. Lunchtime Meeting. Time: 12.30pm. Conference Room, Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, Acton. All Welcome.

• **AUGUST 17-21** LAA Special Libraries Section (ACT Group). Tours of Parliamentary Library. Contact: Bev Orr (062) 48 4743.

• **AUGUST 24-25** LAA and School of Library and information Studies, Kuring-gai College of Advanced Education. Two-day workshop - A User Study. Sessions presented by Hilary Yerbury and Susan Edwards. Enquiries: Rita Frisina (02) 467 9263, Roberta Atwell (062) 89 6630.

• **AUGUST 26** LAA Cataloguers Section (ACT Group). Music Cataloguing Workshop. Library, Canberra School of Music. Time: noon - 2.00pm. Contact: Ann Wellman (062) 46 7832.

• **SEPTEMBER** Canberra Online Users Group. Topic: AUSTRALIS. Date and venue to be advised. Time: 5.15pm for 5.30pm. Contact: Cheryl Kadinsky (062) 68 9402.

• **SEPTEMBER 2-4** LAA 50th Anniversary celebration, Canberra. Contact: Jenny Gleeson (062) 46 7307. Registration enquiries to: David Clark (062) 98 0256.



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► **SEPTEMBER 9** LAA Cataloguers' Section ACT Branch. **Lunchtime Meeting.** Time: 12.30pm. Conference Room, Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, Acton. All welcome.

► **OCTOBER** Canberra Online Users Group. Topic: RBIT — effects of new ownership. Date and venue to be advised. Time: 5.15pm for 5.30pm. Contact: Cheryl Kadinsky (062) 68 9402.

► **OCTOBER 8&9** Government Publications Course (Beginners).

► **OCTOBER 13** Government Publications Course (Advanced).

► **OCTOBER 14** LAA Cataloguers' Section, ACT Branch. **Lunchtime Meeting.** Time: 12.30pm. Conference Room, Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, Acton. All welcome.

► **NOVEMBER 11** LAA Cataloguers' Section, ACT Branch. **Lunchtime Meeting.** Time: 12.30pm. Conference Room, Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, Acton. All welcome.

► **NOVEMBER** Canberra Online Users Group. CD-ROM Expo. Date time and venue to be advised. Contact: Cheryl Kadinsky (062) 68 9402.

NSW

► **AUGUST 8** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW Group) Seminar: 'A co-operative venture — teachers and teacher-librarians working together.' Burwood Public School, Conder St, Burwood. Time: 9.00am — 1.30pm. Cost: \$12 LAA members, \$20 non-members. Contact: Jennifer Peasley (02) 925 8146.

► **AUGUST 12** LAA Special Library Section (NSW Branch). **Visit to Standards Association of Australia Library.** SAA, Sydney Information Centre, 7th Floor, Standards House, 80 Arthur Street, North Sydney. Time: 9.30am. (access impossible after 6.00pm). Contact: Wendy Bartlett (02) 543 3935.

► **AUGUST 12** LAA Medical Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Meeting.** Faculty of Medicine Common Room, Bosch Building, University of Sydney. Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm.

► **AUGUST 13** LAA Local Studies Section General Meeting. **Theme: Education for Local Studies Librarianship.** History House, Macquarie Street, Sydney. Time: 6.00pm. Contact: Chrys Meader (02) 60 9333. All welcome.

► **AUGUST 17** LAA UCLS. **Meeting 'Through a Glass Darkly: Telecommunications and Libraries.'** Fisher Library, University of Sydney, Conference Room, 2nd floor. Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm (light refreshments 6.00pm). Speakers: Dr Graham Low, School of Accountancy, University of NSW; Michael Banham, Manager, Network Business Unit, ICL Australia. Contact: at Howard (02) 697 2662.

► **AUGUST 18** ORBIT Search Service Training Course — New User (August 18) am; Timesavers (August 19) pm; Contact: (02) 360 2691 or (008) 22 6474 (toll free).

► **AUGUST 18-20** Insearch DIALOG Seminars. Company Intelligence (August 18) Introductory (August 20), Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

► **AUGUST 19** Libraries of the Social Sciences. (Loss) Meeting. Local Govt & Shires Assn, 11th Floor (for 12th floor), 215-217 Clarence Street, Sydney. Contact: Marguerite Rona (02) 29 7711.

► **AUGUST 20** LAA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation Workshop.** Dry cleaning and basic repair of paper; relaxation, flattening, fumigation. School of Librarianship, University of NSW, Kensington, NSW. Time: 9.30am — 4.30pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 97 3447.

► **AUGUST 26** LAA Public Libraries Section & Local Studies Section (NSW Groups). **Activity: Bicentennial Photographic Archive Project and Laser Picture Studio.** Speaker: Granville May, Project Manager, Bankstown City Library. Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm. Bookings necessary. Contact: (02) 521 0355 and leave message for Diana Oliver.

► **AUGUST 26** LAA Online Users Group, NSW. **Demo and Discussion of Unexpected Features of the ICAAT Database.** Institute of Chartered Accountants, 37 York Street, Sydney. Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm. Contact: Lartina Rasmussen (02) 250 3208.

► **AUGUST 27** Insearch DIALOG Seminar Beyond the Basics, Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

► **AUGUST 29** LAA Acquisition Section (NSW Group). **One-day Seminar: Acquisitions Basics — what you need to know on the job.** Clairmont Inn. Cost: Full-time students \$27; Acquisitions members \$35; LAA members \$40; non-members \$50. Contact: Liz Faulk (02) 467 9313.

► **AUGUST 31** Kuring-gai CAE School of Library and Information Studies Public Address. Information design for maximum impact. Speaker: Elizabeth Orna, Information Consultant. Venue: Kuring-gai CAE. Time: 7.30pm — 7.30pm. All Welcome Free. Enquiries: Jan McMillan (02) 467 9336.

► **AUGUST 31** Kuring-gai CAE Alumni Association of the School of Library and Information Studies. Annual social function to follow the Public Address by Elizabeth Orna (see details above). Venue: Kuring-gai CAE. Time: 7.30pm. Cost: Hot Buffet supper \$10.50 Alumni Association members; \$12.50 non-members. Cheques

payable to Kuring-gai CAE A/c No. 50T017. RSVP by 7/8/87 Jan McMillan, Kuring-gai CAE, Eton Road, Lindfield, NSW 2070. Contact: Jan McMillan (02) 467 9336 or Karen Vitullo (02) 707 9732.

► **SEPTEMBER 15** LAA Children's and School Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Meeting: An evening with Jan Needle.** Burwood Public School, Conder Street, Burwood. Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm. Cost: \$2 LAA members and \$4 for non-members. Contact: Julie Taylor (02) 707 9728 or Denise Hoeflake (02) 608 4844.

► **SEPTEMBER 15** LAA Special Libraries Section. **Lunchtime visit to Sinclair Knight & Partners Library.** 7th Floor, 1 Chandos Street, St. Leonards. Time: noon — 1.30pm. Contact: Robin Jenkins 20512.

► **SEPTEMBER 24** LAA Bicentennial Activity Conservation Workshop. Dry cleaning and basic repair of paper; care of books, pamphlets, documents, newspapers. School of Librarianship, University of NSW, Kensington. Time: 9.30am — 4.30pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.

► **SEPTEMBER 29** LAA Medical Libraries Section (NSW Group) **Meeting.** Sydney Hospital Medical Library, Macquarie St, Sydney. Guest Speaker: Fiona Mackay Picken. Topic: Management in Medical Libraries. Time: 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm.

► **OCTOBER 6** Art Libraries Society of Australia (ARLIS/ANZ NSW Chapter) meeting. Speaker to be announced. Refreshments provided. Conference Room, City Art Institute, Cnr Selwyn Street and Albion Ave, Paddington. Time 4.30pm. Contact Jill More (02) 339 9520.

► **OCTOBER 12** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Committee Meeting.** Venue: LAA House, 376 Jones Street, Ultimo. Time: 7.00pm. Contact: Christine Hingerty (02) 646 5544.

► **OCTOBER 22** LAA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation Workshop:** Storage and care of photographic collections. School of Librarianship, University of NSW, Kensington, NSW. Time: 9.30am — 4.30pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.

► **OCTOBER 24** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Seminar: Career Paths.** Venue to be advised. Contact: Niki Kalenberger (02) 605 3111.

Victoria

► **AUGUST 7** LAA Acquisitions Section (VIC Group). **One-day Seminar: 'Serials Acquisitions — Automation Overview.'** Box Hill College of TAFE, Dept of Information Studies. Time: 9.00am — 5.00pm. Cost: LAA members and students \$35 non-members \$50. Enrolments to: Max Smith (03) 342 0320 or Joy Sheehan (03) 670 5385.

► **AUGUST 7** LAA VIC Branch. **LAA Gala 50th Birthday Party.** Venue: Queens Hall, State Library. Time: 6.30 — 9.00pm. Cost: \$10. Contact: Bruce Davidson (03) 651 8231.

► **AUGUST 7-8** Victorian Adult Literacy Council. Conference: 'Literacy Matters'. Gordon Technical College, Geelong. Contact: David Tout (03) 652 0690.

► **AUGUST 10-31** BIOSIS (BioSciences Information Service) Free Seminars: Basic (Aug 10); Advanced (Aug 11); Med/BIOSIS (Aug 17-18); BioBusiness (Aug 25) am; BioBriefings '87 (Aug 25) pm; Zoo Record (Aug 31). Venue: Library, Walter and Eliza Hall Institute of Medical Research, Melbourne. Contact: Jo Marshall (03) 345 2577.

► **AUGUST 11** Insearch DIALOG Introductory Seminar, Melbourne. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

► **AUGUST 17** LAA Vic Branch. **Meeting:** Margaret Trask, Executive Director of The Australian Information Management Association 'Management Education and AIMA'. Institute Function Room, RMIT. Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm. Contact: Bruce Davidson (03) 651 8231.

► **AUGUST 23-25** Australian and New Zealand Theological Library Association. Conference. Ridley College, 160 The Avenue, Parkville, VIC 3052. Contact: Barbara Darling (03) 387 7555 (w) or (03) 380 5110 (h).

► **AUGUST 24-26** ORBIT Search Service Training Courses, Melbourne — New User (Aug 24); Refresher (Aug 25) am; Timesavers (Aug 25) pm; Patents (Aug 26). Contact: (02) 360 2691 or (008) 22 6474 toll free.

► **AUGUST 26** Inmagic Users Group Meeting: Demonstration of ACOA filing system on Inmagic and new thesaurus module from Triad. Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology, Dept of Information Science, Room 11, Level 3, Building 22. Time: 4.30pm. Contact: Laura Maquignaz (03) 419 7055 or Lyn Bishop (03) 249 1234.

► **AUGUST 27** LAA Geelong Regional Group. **Meeting:** Davidson Restaurant, Geelong Technical College, Fenwick Street, Geelong. Time: 6.00pm. Cost \$10 for a 3-course meal (fully licensed — bar service only). Contact: Sue Mahoney (052) 26 3332.

► **AUGUST 28** LAA UCLS (Vic Group) **Workshop on Computer Aided Instruction.** Topics will include — CAI as an educational resource, CAI in reader education, planning and implementing CAI programs in libraries. Monash University. Fee: \$35 LAA members, \$45 non-members. Contact: Leigh Oldmeadow (03) 565 2652.

► **AUGUST 28** LAA School Libraries Section/Children's Section (Vic. Group) and SLAV. **Joint Meeting.** Room

S819 Science Education Bldg, Melbourne CAE, Swanston St, Carlton. Time: 6.30pm. Speakers: Roseanne Turner of Penguin Books and illustrator Jane Tanner. Cost: \$3 refreshments provided. Contact: Pam Taylor (03) 341 4595.

► **SEPTEMBER 1** LAA School Libraries Section (Vic Group). **Meeting.** 234 Queensberry Street, Carlton. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Maelor Himbury (03) 336 1233 or (03) 374 1902 ah.

► **SEPTEMBER 1-3** Insearch Ltd DIALOG Seminars. Beyond the Basics (Sept 1); Introductory (Sept 2); Company Intelligence (Sept 3), Melbourne. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

► **SEPTEMBER 5-6** History of the Australian Booktrade Seminar. RMIT Institute Function Room. Time: 10.00am — 4.00pm (both days). Cost: \$50; \$35 for one day. Bookings by 14 August: Sue McGibbonney (03) 660 5131 or (03) 660 5133. Further information contact: Graeme Johanson, (03) 660 2900 ext 78.

► **SEPTEMBER 7** LAA Information Management and Consulting Association (IMCA). **One-Day Seminar 'Computers in Information Management'** Management House, Melbourne. Time: 9.00am — 5.00pm. Cost: \$80 for LAA members; \$100 non-members; Contact: Meg Paul (03) 813 1925 or IMCA, GPO Box 2128T, Melbourne 3001 for program and registration.

► **SEPTEMBER 9-12** ABA Conference and Trade Exhibition, World Trade Centre, Melbourne. Over 80 publishers exhibiting. For cost and further details contact the ABA (03) 387 5422.

► **SEPTEMBER 23** LAA Geelong Regional Group. **Meeting.** Speaker: Peter Dawe, President Library Association of Australia. Venue: Geelong Regional Library. Time: 8.00pm.

► **OCTOBER 6** LAA School Libraries Section (Vic Group). **Meeting.** 234 Queensberry Street, Carlton. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Maelor Himbury (03) 336 1233 or (03) 374 1902 ah.

► **OCTOBER 9-11** LAA Children's Libraries Section (VIC Group) **Weekend Workshop: Be Prepared! resources, materials and programs for the Bicentennial year.** Erskine House, Lorne, VIC. Time: after dinner on 9 October until mid-afternoon 11 October. Cost: \$140 LAA members, \$160 non-members. Contact: Glenda Bennett (03) 872 9513 or Eileen Nelson (03) 568 1011 ext 253 or Margaret Aitken (03) 669 9830.

► **OCTOBER 14** LAA — Gippsland IAE Continuing Education Program. **Time Management Workshop.** Gippsland Institute of Advanced Education, Switchback Rd, Churchill. Time: 5.00pm — 9.00pm. Cost: \$40 LAA members; \$60 non-members. Contact: Joe Hallein (051) 220 375.

► **OCTOBER 29** LAA Geelong Regional Group. **Meeting. Sue Mahoney 'First Aid — emergency situations and how to deal with them'.** Library Seminar Room, Gordon Technical College. Time: 8.00pm.

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• **AUGUST 10** LAA WA Branch. **Blaise Cronin 'Information marketing: selling what you do best to those who need it most.'** Venue: Mount Plaza Hotel. Time: 8.45am — 4.00pm. Cost: \$90 LAA members; \$120 non-members. Bookings: Brigitte Glockner (09) 380 4115.

AUGUST 12 ACS Computers in Libraries Special Interest Group. Half-day Seminar: Desktop computers in libraries. Alexander Library Building, Perth Cultural Centre, Perth. Time: 2.00 — 5.30pm. Cost: \$2 non-members; free to members. Contact: Tony Ralli (09) 380 2358.

• **AUGUST 18** Library Promotion Council (WA) Meeting. Alexander Library Building. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext 242.

• **AUGUST 24** LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group). WAYRBA Vote Sorting. Teaching Aids and Inservice Centre, Bagot Rd., Subiaco. Time: 4.15pm. Contact: Julia Hancy (09) 332 8099.

• **AUGUST 24** LAA Cataloguer's Section (WA Group). **Demonstration of MIC-MARC by Jan Riley** 'The realities of an automated system' — All welcome. All-Saints College, Bull Creek. Time: 4.30pm. RSVP by 21 August to: Jan Riley (09) 332 5344. Light refreshments will be served.

• **AUGUST 25** LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group) **Video Evaluation evening.** Venue: A/V Branch, 296 Vincent Street, Leederville. Time: 4.30pm — 6.00pm. Contact: Irena Dillon (09) 444 0055 or Margaret Phillips (09) 341 4058.

• **SEPTEMBER 1** LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group). WAYRBA Vote Sorting. Teaching Aids and Inservice Centre, Bagot Rd, Subiaco. Time: 4.15pm. Contact: Julia Hancy (09) 332 8099.

• **SEPTEMBER 7** LAA WA Branch '50 years celebration'. Location, time to be advised.

SEPTEMBER 7 Library Promotion Council (WA). Meeting: '50 years of library promotion'. To coincide with the LAA's 50th Birthday Celebrations. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext. 242.

• **SEPTEMBER 7** LAA School Libraries Section (WA Group). WAYRBA Vote Sorting. Teaching Aids and Inservice Centre, Bagot Rd, Subiaco. Time: 4.15pm. Contact: Julia Hancy (09) 332 8099.

SEPTEMBER 15 Library Promotion Council (WA) Meeting. Alexander Library Building. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext. 242.

• **SEPTEMBER 23** LAA Special Libraries Section (WA Group) **Viewing of Domsday Project Video.** Venue: ALB. Time: 5.30pm. Contact: Peter Maskell (09) 350 7256.

OCTOBER 16 Library Promotion Council (WA). Annual Dinner. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext. 242.

OCTOBER 20 Library Promotion Council (WA) Meeting. Alexander Library Building. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext. 242.

• **OCTOBER 31** LAA Special Libraries Section (WA Group) **Student Projects Seminar.** Venue: Curtin University, Dept of Library Information Studies. Time: 2.00pm. RSVP: Peter Maskell (09) 350 7256.

NOVEMBER 17 Library Promotion Council (WA) Meeting. Alexander Library Building. Contact: Lorraine Stivey (09) 459 7011 ext. 242.

• **AUGUST 20** LAA SA Branch Golden Jubilee Dinner. A dinner to celebrate the Golden Jubilee of the LAA. University of Adelaide, Staff Club. Speakers: Miss L. Anderson, Mr I. Raymond and Ms Anne Hazell. Time: 8.00pm. Cost: \$20. Contact: Jennifer Redding, SACAE, Magill Campus, Magill, SA 5072.

• **SEPTEMBER 3** LAA — SA Branch **Back to the Workforce Seminar.** Topics — Online acquisitions, cataloging and database searching demonstrations, children's librarianship, library employment. SACAE, Underdale Campus, Holbrooks Rd, Underdale. Time 9.30am — 3.30pm. Contact: Pat Martin-Turner (08) 343 3270.

SEPTEMBER 8-11 Insearch Ltd DIALOG Seminars. Patents (Sept 8); Introductory (Sept 9); Science and Technology (Sept 11), Adelaide. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

• **SEPTEMBER 16** LAA Public Libraries Section (SA Branch) **Library Visit. Delivering the Goods — how special libraries can help you.** Department of Agriculture, Library, 15th Floor, 25 Grenfell Street, Adelaide. Time: 3.00pm — 5.00pm. (One of a series of visits aimed at increasing Public Librarians awareness of information resources relevant to Local Government.) Contact: Peter Hill (08) 352 5467 or (08) 352 5033.

• **OCTOBER 14** LAA Public Libraries Section (SA Branch) **Library Visit. Delivering the Goods — how special libraries can help you.** Venue: State Reference Library, North Terrace, Adelaide. Time: 2.00pm — 5.00pm. (One of a series of visits aimed at increasing Public Librarians awareness of information resources relevant to Local Government.) Contact: Peter Hill (08) 352 5467 or (08) 352 5033.

• **AUGUST 10** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld) Continuing Education Activity. Computer Applications for Library Technicians — a three hour seminar. Time: 6.00 pm. Venue to be advised. Contact: Christine Cameron (07) 846 2516 ah.

AUGUST 14 AACOBs Seminar: Acquisitions Rationalisation 'To what extent is the rationalisation of the acquisitions programs of the major Brisbane libraries desirable and feasible?' Queensland Museum Lecture Theatre, Queensland Cultural Centre. Time: 9.00am — 5.00pm. Cost: \$8.00 (tentatively). Contact: Bruce Edwards (07) 275 7134.

• **AUGUST 26** LAA Special Libraries Section (Qld Group). **Evening Meeting: 'Q-COM text retrieval system'**. Speaker: Brian Cleveland. Lasmo Energy Australia, 15th Floor, CML Building, 300 Queen Street, Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm. Contact: Ann Clarkson (07) 222 3333.

• **SEPTEMBER 5** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld) **Meeting at the Gold Coast** — venue to be notified. Contact: Christine Cameron (07) 846 2516 ah.

• **NOVEMBER 7** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld) **Meeting and Post Conference Brunch.** 93 Elms Road, Rocklea. Time: 10.30 am. Contact: Christine Cameron (07) 846 2516 ah.

• **DECEMBER 12** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld) **Annual General Meeting.** Time: Noon. Contact: Christine Cameron (07) 846 2516 ah.

JULY 26-31 International Association of School Librarianship 16th Annual Conference: 'The School Library - Gateway to Knowledge'. Venue: Hotel Saga, Reykjavik, Iceland. Registration Fee: IASL — members US\$150 non-members US\$180. Contact: Ms Sigrun Klara Hannesdottir, IASL Conference Chair, 1987, University of Iceland, Reykjavik, Iceland.

AUGUST 12-14 IFLA Official Publications Section Pre-Conference Seminar 'Official Publications: an Undervalued Library Resource'. Contact: Geoffrey Hamilton, Official Publications and Social Sciences Service, The British Library, Great Russel Street, London WC1B 3DG. Ph 01-323-7561, tlx 21462.

AUGUST 12-15 IFLA Working Group on Newspapers. Symposium on Newspaper Preservation and Access, London. Contact: Valerie Nurcombe, 8 Kingfisher Dr, Over, Winsford, Cheshire CW7 1PF, UK Fax 061 941 6124

AUGUST 13-15 IFLA Section on Library Services to Multicultural Populations Conference on 'Multiculturalism and Libraries: Issues and trends'. Commonwealth Institute, London. Contact: Neville Price, North Kensington Libraries, 108 Ladbroke Grove, London W11 1PZ UK, or Radha Rasmussen, Graduate School of Librarianship, Monash University (03) 565 2958.

AUGUST 15 IFLA Preconference Seminar 'The Challenge of Education and Training for Information Technology' Dept of Librarianship, Brighton Polytechnic Brighton, England. Cost: US\$45 Contact: Bill Bartenbach, Computer Services, The H.W. Wilson Company, 950 University Ave., Bronx, NY 11432 USA by 15 July.

AUGUST 16-21 IFLA 53rd Council and General Conference. Brighton UK. Contact: Rob Palmer, Library Association, 7 Ridgmont Street, London WC1E 7AE, UK. Telex: 21897 LALDNG.

AUGUST 23-SEPTEMBER 4 The British Council. Seminar: 'Organisation and management of smaller specialised libraries'. Course 753. Working sessions and accommodation will take place in an hotel in central London. Cost: Stg 1010 residential only. Contact: The British Council, PO Box 88, Edgecliff, NSW 2027.

SEPTEMBER 28-OCTOBER 2 International Research Society for Children's Literature Conference, Cologne, Germany. Theme 'Books for Children, Books for Adults — the relationship between'. Registrations by 15 June to: Dagmar Grenz, Arbeitsstelle Fur, Kinder-und Jugendliteratur, Richard-Wagner-Strasse 39, D-5000 Cologne 1 FRG.

OCTOBER 12-15 Informatics 1987. International Information Management Congress. Contact: IMC 87, PO Box 34404, Bethesda, MD 20817, USA. (301) 983 0604; Tlx: 6714921 IMC UW.

DECEMBER 8-10 11th International Online Information Meeting. Novotel, London, England. Contact: Learned Information Ltd., Woodside, Hinksey Hill, Oxford OX1 5AU England. Tel. 0865 730275. Telex 837704 Inform G.

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POSITION VACANT

REFERENCE AND READERS ADVISER LIBRARIAN

Applications are invited and will be received by the undersigned until 4.00 pm on 28 August, 1987, for the position of Reference and Readers Adviser Librarian with Council's Library Service.

Hawkesbury Shire is a rapidly developing area, 65km north west of Sydney, with a population of 45,000 and with significant growth anticipated over the next decade. The Library Service consists of a Central Library at Windsor, a branch Library at Richmond and a Local Educational Resources Network which involves the educational institutions of the Shire.

Council is seeking a person who will provide a reference and information service to the community and Council through the exploitation of all available resources, including other collections, and to provide an advisory service to library users.

Applicants should be professionally qualified with relevant degree or diploma and/or eligible for professional membership of the Library Association of Australia. Applicants will require a minimum of three (3) years' library experience and preference may be given to applicants with public library experience.

The position may involve some shift work and work on Saturday mornings.

Conditions of employment will be as defined in the Local Government Salaried Officers' Award and salary will be that applicable to a Librarian Grade 7, presently \$443.90 per week.

Applications should be in writing and include a contact phone number and be accompanied by copies only of two (2) recent references, if possible. Envelopes should be marked 'Confidential — Position Vacant'.

Further information, including a statement of duties, may be obtained from the Personnel Officer, Mrs Kaye Madden on (045) 77 4822.

G.M. McCully, Council Chambers,
Shire Clerk/General WINDSOR, 2756.
Manager

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