



HAPPENINGS

National

- JUNE 30-July 1 LAA Board of Education Meeting.** LAA House. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- JULY 2-5** Australian Council for Adult Literacy, 12th National Conference. 'Literacy for Living'. Brisbane CAE, Mt Gravatt Campus, Messines Rd, Mt Gravatt. Contact: Jenny Farmer, 21 Trinder Rd, Ashgrove, QLD.
- JULY 13 LAA Publications Board Meeting.** LAA House. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- AUGUST 22-24** Pre IFLA seminar. The Aged, Ethnicity, Information, St Mary's College, University of Melbourne. Cost: \$120 including tea and lunch. Accommodation available at the College at \$30 per day. Contact: Vera Boston (03) 536 1414
- AUGUST 25** IATUL (International Association of Technological University libraries). Pre IFLA/LAA seminar: 'The Potentialities and Limitations of Networking.' Council Chamber, RMIT, Melbourne. Cost: \$50 including lunch. Contact: Don Schauder (03) 573 2157.
- AUGUST 25 LAA Executive Committee Meeting.** LAA House. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- AUGUST 26-27 LAA General Council Meeting.** University of NSW. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- AUGUST 27 LAA Annual General Meeting.** University of NSW. Time: 2.30 pm — 4.30 pm. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- AUGUST 27-29** IFLA Section of Art Libraries. **Pre-Conference Activities:** Includes visits to art galleries in Sydney, Canberra and Melbourne. For enrolment form and program contact: IFLA Section of Art Libraries, AFTRS, PO BOX 126, North Ryde, NSW, 2113. (02) 887 1666.

- AUGUST 27-SEPTEMBER 3** LAA/IFLA Conference. **LAA Biennial Conference.** Aug 27-30; **IFLA Conference** Aug 30-Sept 3. Venue: University of NSW. For a registration brochure or further information contact: Dulcie Stretton and Assoc. (02) 357 6862 or LAA Head Office (02) 692 9233 or (008) 22 1481.
- AUGUST 28** LAA Public Libraries Section. **IFLA/LAA Conference. AGM and dinner.** Time: 6.00 pm AGM, Opera House Reception Hall; 7.00 pm Dinner, Bennelong Restaurant. Cost: \$44 per person (cheques made payable to LAA Public Libraries Section). Bookings: Rod Blacker, Treasurer, Public Libraries Section, 104 Ferguson Street, Williamstown, Victoria 3016, (03) 393 9246.
- AUGUST 28** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Conference dinner,** Watersedge Restaurant, Pier 1. Time: 6.00 pm. Cost: \$27. Contact: M. Morgan (02) 250 0257, J. Scherer (02) 950 3285.
- AUGUST 29** LAA Special Libraries Section **National AGM.** NSW University, Central Lecture Block 6. Time: 5.15 pm. Contact Judy Booth (08) 259 5367.
- AUGUST 29** LAA Special Libraries Section (National). Sydney Harbour **Dinner Cruise** on MV Matilda III. Time: 7.00 pm — 11.00 pm (buses leave UNSW at 6.30 pm) at Pier One after the National Special Libraries AGM (commencing at 5.15 pm). Closing date 19 August. Cost: \$40 inclusive. Contact: Wendy Bartlett ALibrary, Lucas Heights Research Laboratories, Private mail Bag 1, Menai, 2234. (02) 543 3935, or Robin Jenkins (02) 20 512.
- SEPTEMBER 5-6** Commonwealth Library Association. Seminar: 'Library Services in Rural Areas'. Hurstville NSW. Contact: Judith Baskin, PO Box 214, Manuka ACT 2603, (062) 62 1484.
- OCTOBER 14-21** Australian Library Week. Theme: 'Libraries — Always There for You'. National Opening will be held in the State Library of NSW on 14 October. Time: 6.00 pm. Contact: Terry Cheshire (03) 650 2684.
- OCTOBER 17** LAA Joint ASSIG/New England Regional Group/NSW Acquisitions Group/UCLS Meeting: 'Attacking Serials in '88. Various topics including budgeting, nationalisation and currency management. Armidale City Administration Building. Time: 9.30 am — 4.30 pm. Costs \$50 LAA members; 465 non-members. Contact: Vicki Williamson (067) 734 261.
- OCTOBER 20-21** LAA Board of Education Meeting. LAA House. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- NOVEMBER 2** LAA Publications Board Meeting. LAA House. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- NOVEMBER 24** LAA Executive Committee Meeting. LAA House. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- NOVEMBER 25-26** LAA General Council Meeting. Adelaide. Contact: (02) 692 9233.
- JANUARY 17-19** LAA Information Science Section **1989 Fourth Australasian Online Information Conference and Exhibition.** Hilton International, Sydney. Contact: Wael Foda ACMS, PO Box 468, Paddington NSW 2021 (02) 332 4622.

- JULY 20** LAA NSW Branch Council Meeting. **LAA House.** Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Barb McLean (02) 467 9234.
- JULY 25** LAA Acquisition and Cataloguers Section. **Joint Meeting:** 'Automation and Organisational Change in Technical Services'. Speakers: Jenny Blaville (TAFE); Kay Clarke (Mosman PL); Keir Kirkby (TAFE); Kerrie Talmacs (UNSW). Time: 6.00 pm. Contact: Paul Wilkins (02) 697 2633.
- JULY 26** Australian Information Technology Council. Seminar. 'Open Systems Interconnection: Management Issues and Strategies'. Masonic Centre, Goulburn Street, Sydney. Time: 6.00 pm. Contact: Australian Computer Society (02) 211 5855 or Sue Phillips, LAA (02) 692 9233.
- JULY 26** LAA CE Activity. **Marketing the Librarian: the profession and the individual.** McCallum Room, Holme Building, University of Sydney. Time: 9.00 am — 4.30 pm. Contact: Jennifer Evans, Freelance Library and Information Services (03) 813 1925.
- JULY 28** LAA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation Workshop:** 'Photographic collections.' School of Librarianship, 422 Mathews Building, University of NSW. Time: 9.30 am — 4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.
- JULY 28** LAA Far North Coast Regional Group. **Dinner meeting.** Guest Speaker: LAA President, Alan Bundy. Contact: Chris Taylor (066) 21 7231, Des Stewart (066) 24 0321.
- AUGUST 6** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Seminar: 'Copyright and the School.'** The Metcalfe Auditorium, State Library of NSW, Macquarie Street, Sydney. Time: 9.00 am — 1.00 pm. Cost: \$8 LAA members; \$12 non-members. Contact: Liz Bowring (02) 50 6283; Graham Spindler (02) 240 8803.
- AUGUST 8** BIOSIS Basic training course. University of Newcastle. Cost: free. Contact: Jim Cleary (049) 68 5242.
- AUGUST 8** ARLIS/ANZ (Arts Library Society of Australia and New Zealand) NSW Chapter. Meeting: Private viewing of the exhibition 'The Building of the Century'. Dennis Wolanski Library, Sydney Opera House. Time: 4.30 pm. Refreshments provided. Contact: Paul Bentley (02) 250 7252.
- AUGUST 8** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Committee meeting.** LAA House. Time: 7.00 pm. Observers welcome. Contact: Sheila Hawkins (02) 439 5200.
- AUGUST 9** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Meeting.** State Library of NSW. Time: 6.00 pm. All welcome. Contact: Marian Morgan (02) 250 0257.
- AUGUST 14-20** Australian Society for Medical Research. New South Wales Medical Research Week 1988. Includes free public seminars and a display at the Power House Museum and at various Sydney shopping centres. Contact: Ruth Lilian (02) 27 4461.
- AUGUST 14-25** Australian Academy of the Humanities. International Conference: 'Terra Australis to Australia'. Sydney and Canberra. Contact: The Secretariat, GPO Box 2200, Canberra, ACT 2601, (062) 49 8015, fax (062) 57 3256.
- AUGUST 17** LAA NSW Branch Council Meeting. LAA House. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Barb McLean (02) 467 9234.
- AUGUST 18-21** Children's Book Council of Australia. Children's Book Fair 1988. Lower Town Hall, George Street, Sydney. Time: 9.00am — 7.00 pm Thursday and Friday; 10.00 am — 5.00 pm Saturday and Sunday. Cost: Children free, adults \$2.00. Contact: (02) 909 1364 on 21 and 22 June for bookings.
- AUGUST 28** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Conference dinner.** Watersedge Restaurant, Pier 1. Time: 6.00 pm. Cost: \$27. Contact: M. Morgan (02) 250 0257, J. Scherer (02) 950 3285.
- AUGUST 31** LAA Cataloguers Section (NSW Group). **Mollie Thomson lecture.** Venue to be announced. Speaker: Philip Bryant, Director, Centre for Bibliographic Management, Bath, UK. Time: Evening (to be announced). Contact: E. Greig (02) 805 7542.
- SEPTEMBER 6** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Committee meeting.** LAA House. Time: 7.00 pm. Observers welcome. Contact: Sheila Hawkins (02) 439 5200.
- SEPTEMBER 13** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Meeting.** Fisher Library University of Sydney. Time: 6.00 pm. All welcome. Contact: Marian Morgan (02) 250 0257.
- SEPTEMBER 21** LAA NSW Branch Council Meeting. **LAA House.** Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Barb McLean (02) 467 9234.
- SEPTEMBER 22** LAA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation Workshop: 'Conservation in the Archive'** — simple preventive care, storage and repair techniques. School of Librarianship, 422 Mathews Building, University of NSW. Time: 9.30 am — 4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.
- SEPTEMBER 22** LAA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation Workshop: 'Conservation in the archive'** simple preventive care, storage and repair techniques. School of Librarianship, 422 Mathews Building, University of NSW. Time: 9.30 am — 4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.
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Know someone who's worthy of a LETTER OF RECOGNITION?

The General Council may on the recommendation of the Honorary Awards Committee present a letter of recognition to a person or an institution or organisation who/which has rendered a significant, specific service to a library or libraries, to the LAA or to the promotion or development of libraries or library science or who has over a period demonstrated significant services well over the call of duty in these fields.

Nominations for Letters of Recognition may be made at any time, and will be considered at the first available meeting of the Honorary Awards Committee.

For further information and/or nomination forms contact: the Assistant Executive Director, LAA, 376 Jones Street, Ultimo NSW 2007, (02) 692 9233.

NSW

- JUNE 24** LAA Young Adult Librarian's Network, Public Libraries Section (NSW Group) and Children's Libraries Section (NSW Group). One-day seminar. Young Adult Services in Public Libraries: where we are at and where are we going? Seminar Room 1, State Library of NSW. Time: 9.00 am — 5.00 pm. Contact: Jan Millard (02) 646 4222; Julie Brook (02) 521 0452.
- JUNE 30** LAA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation Workshop:** 'Conservation in the archive' simple preventive care, storage and repair techniques. School of Librarianship, 422 Mathews Building, University of NSW. Time: 9.30 am — 4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price (02) 697 3447.
- JULY 4** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Seminar: 'Online'**, to be held at Cumberland College of Health Services, Lidcombe. Cost: \$65 LAA members, \$80 non-members. Contact: Jan Harris (02) 524 3803.
- JULY 7-19** Insearch DIALOG. Seminars: Introductory (7 July); DIALOG 88 (19 July). Contact: Robin Kench (02) 218 9790.
- JULY 12** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Meeting.** Fisher Library University of Sydney. Time: 6.00 pm. All welcome. Contact: Marian Morgan (02) 250 0257.
- JULY 28** LAA Special Libraries Section. **Meeting: 'Negotiating skills/ Transactional Analysis'**. State Library of NSW. Time: 5.30 for 6.00 pm. Tour of the Library following meeting. Contact: Rosemary McLauchlan (02) 227 3769.
- JULY 15** Department of Government. Conference: Freedom of Information for NSW. Sydney University, McCallum Room, Holme Building. Time: 9 am — 4.15 pm. Cost: \$75 (including lunch). Contact: (02) 692 2313 before 10 July.
- JULY 18** LAA School Libraries Section (NSW Group). **Committee meeting.** LAA House. Time: 7.00 pm. Observers welcome. Contact: Sheila Hawkins (02) 439 5200.
- JULY 20** Faculty of Education, University of Sydney. Lecture: 'Writing for children.' University of Sydney. Speaker: Katherine Paterson. Time: 7.30 pm. Contact: Geoff Williams (02) 692 2222.

versity of NSW, Reader Education Room. Time: 9.30 am — 4.30 pm. Cost: \$50 LAA members \$65 non-members. Contact: Rhonda Barry (02) 234 9840.

• **OCTOBER 11** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Meeting.** State Library of NSW. Time: 6.00 pm. All welcome. Contact: Marian Morgan (02) 250 0257.

OCTOBER 11 ARLIS/ANZ (Arts Library Society of Australia and New Zealand). NSW Chapter. Meeting will include tour of Stage 2 of the Museum. Library, Powerhouse Museum (Stage 1), Mary Ann Street, Ultimo. Time: 4.30 pm. Refreshments provided. Contact: Lana Das (02) 217 0257.

• **OCTOBER 17** LAA Joint UCLS/ASSIG/New England Regional Group. Armidale

Serials seminar: Various topics including budgeting, funding, currency management and rationalisations. Armidale City Council Chambers. Time: 9.30 am-4.30 pm. Details to be finalised. Contact: Rhonda Barry (02) 234 9840.

• **OCTOBER 19** LAA NSW Branch Council Meeting. LAA House. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Barb McLean (02) 467 9234.

• **OCTOBER 28** LAA Central Western Regional Group. **Meeting: 'Oliver Twist reborn: putting a case to administrators.'** Macquarie Regional Library, Dubbo. Time: 2.00 pm. Contact: Margaret Macpherson (063) 33 2732.

• **NOVEMBER 8** LAA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). **Meeting.** All welcome. Contact: Marian Morgan (02) 250 0257.

• **NOVEMBER 16** LAA NSW Branch Council Meeting. LAA House. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Barb McLean (02) 467 9234.

• **OCTOBER 21-23** Joint LAA Children's/School Libraries Section (Vic Group). **'Expanding Horizons: librarians working with young people.'** Conference with support from SLAV. Blythwood Grange Sebastopol, Ballarat. Contact: Nola Schlegel (03) 870 5399, (03) 299 1434 (ah).

Tasmania

• **JULY 4** LAA Tas Branch. Meeting. University Club, Hobart. Speaker: Louise Lansley, LAA Manager, Education and Industrial Services. Time: 4.30 pm. Contact: Vicki Esmonde-Morgan (002) 307 521.

• **JULY 5** LAA Northern Areas Regional Group. Meeting. Speaker: Louise Lansley, LAA Manager, Education and Industrial Services. Time: lunchtime. Venue to be announced. Contact: Nella Pickup (002) 954 294 or 322 642.

• **JULY 9** LAA Tasmanian Branch. **Joint workshop: Library Publicity and Marketing Techniques.** Time 9.30 am Cost: \$20 members: \$25 non-members, \$15 students. Contact: John Houghton (002) 63 7131.

• **JULY 13** LAA Tasmanian Northern Areas Regional Group. **Meeting.** Sir John Ramsay Library, Launceston General Hospital, Frankland Street. Time: 7.30 pm. All welcome. Contact: Nella Pickup (002) 32 2642.

• **JULY 14** LAA Tasmanian Branch. **Meeting.** A panel of speakers will discuss Public Library Services for the Ethnic Community in Tasmania. Adult Migrant Education, 175 Collins Street, Hobart. Time: 7.30 pm. All welcome. Contact: Jill Adamski (002) 20 1407.

• **AUGUST 9** LAA Tasmanian Branch. **Meeting.** 'Java Le Grande: the enigma of the Dieppe Maps'. Time: TBA. Speaker: Helen Wallis, Map Librarian, British Library. All welcome — sponsored by Tasmanian Historical Research Association. Contact: (002) 30 7521.

• **AUGUST 24-25** LAA Tasmanian Branch. **Two one-day workshop/seminars: 'Information Needs for the 1990s; Studying Information needs.'** Speaker: Dr Tom Wilson, Professor of Information Studies, Sheffield. Further details to come. Contact: (002) 30 7521.

• **SEPTEMBER 6-7** LAA Tasmanian Branch. **Two workshop/seminars on advocacy.** Speaker: Ernie di Mattia, President and Executive Director, Ferguson Library, Stamford, Connecticut, USA. All welcome. Further details to come. Contact: (002) 30 7521.

• **SEPTEMBER 7** LAA Tasmanian Northern Areas Regional Group. **Meeting.** Time and venue to be decided. Speaker: Ernest di Mattia, President and Executive Director, Ferguson Library, Stamford, Connecticut, USA. All welcome. Contact: Nella Pickup (003) 32 3642.

WA

• **JUNE 24-28** LAA Library Technicians Section. Leigh Evans, National President, LTS, will be visiting WA. Contact: Shelley Peggs (09) 380 2351.

• **JULY 1** LAA WA Branch and Australian Copyright Council CE Activity **Copyright Workshop.** Alexander Library Theatre, Perth Cultural Centre, Perth. Time: 9.00 am — 1.00 pm. Cost: \$40 LAA members; \$50 non-members. Contact: Anthea Warner, Sydney (02) 957 2941.

JULY 11-15 Insearch DIALOG. Seminars: Introductory (11 July), Beyond the Basics (12 July), Patents (13 July), Business (14 July), DIALOG 88 (15 July). Perth. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

JULY 19 LAA Library Technicians Section (WA Group) **Annual Dinner.** Lady Ponsonby's Restaurant, Picadilly Square (Aberdeen St cnr Lord St) East Perth. Cost: \$20 per head excluding drinks (licenced). All Technicians members and non-members welcome as well as student technicians. Contact: Shelley Peggs for details (09) 380 2351 (W).

JULY 19 The Storytelling Guild (WA). An evening of storytelling and anecdotes. The Park Recreation Centre, Corner of Gloucester and Kent Street, Victoria Park (Board Room). Time: 7.30 pm. Contact: Jenni Woodroffe (09) 367 4759 (ah).

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Come to lunch! Sunday 28 August 1988, UNSW Matthews Building (209) at 1.00 pm — 2.00 pm. Bring a sandwich and join in a discussion about continuing education for library para-professionals.

Pam Pitkeathly is researching this topic and wants to involve both library technicians and librarians in questions/answers about staff development needs. All welcome.

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Victoria

JULY 5 Insearch DIALOG. Introductory Seminar. Melbourne. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

• **JULY 6** LAA Vic Branch. Presentation of Metcalfe Medallion to Anne Casey and Conferral of Fellowship of LAA on Michael Ramsden by LAA President Alan Bundy at RMIT. Contact: Bev Kirby (03) 819 1265.

• **JULY 12** LAA Special Libraries Section (Vic Group). **General Meeting.** Ansett Airlines of Australia Technical Library: talk and tour (including the aircraft overhaul facility). Engineering Base, Operations Road, Melbourne Airport. Time: 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm. Limit of 30 participants. Contact: Alicia Bliszczyk (03) 339 5404, RSVP 5 July.

JULY 27 INMAGIC Users Group. Meeting: A look at Healthnet, Smartkey and some INMAGIC applications. Contact: Laura Maquignaz (03) 419 7055.

• **JULY 29** LAA Geelong Regional Group. **Personal Computer Workshops.** Gordon Technical College Learning Resource Centre. Time: 9am — 5pm. Cost: LAA members \$45; \$55 non-members. Contact: Karen Kealy or Elke Dawson (052) 26 3331.

AUGUST 1-2 Association of Independent Schools of Victoria Inc. School libraries Sub-Committee. Conference: Children's and adolescent Literature 'Reading, listening and growing. Social club, Penleigh and Essendon Grammar School, Rachele Road, Keilor East. Cost: \$70 members; \$140 non-members; students \$50. Contact: Jenny Toyne (03) 654 4322.

• **AUGUST 4** LAA CE Activity — **Conference. Marketing the Librarian:** the profession and the individual. Townhouse Hotel, 701 Swanston Street, Carlton. Time: 9.00 am — 4.30 pm. Contact: Jennifer Evans, Freelance Library and Information Services (03) 813 1925.

• **AUGUST 9** Joint LAA Geelong Regional/SLAV Groups. Informative tour of CSIRO's Animal Health Laboratory and Library. Bookings essential due to security requirements. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Helen Wood (052) 26 5222.

AUGUST 10 VALA Meeting. Topic: Telecom Research Library's use of the ADLIB computer system. Telecom Research Laboratories Library, 770 Blackburn Road, North Clayton. Time: 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm. Speaker: David Richards. All welcome. Contact: Michael Metcalfe (03) 429 5177.

SEPTEMBER 20 VALA Meeting. Topic: The DYNIX system at Melbourne City Libraries. Administrative Headquarters, Melbourne City Libraries, 12-18 Myers Place, Melbourne. Time: 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm. Speakers: Ruth Cameron and Karen McCallum. All welcome. Contact: Michael Metcalfe (03) 429 5177.

SEPTEMBER 28 INMAGIC Users Group. Meeting: Biblio-What does it offer you? RMIT, Department of Information Sciences, Building 22, Room 11, Level 3. Contact: Laura Maquignaz (03) 419 7055.

• **OCTOBER 11** LAA Geelong Regional Group. **'Promoting your library.'** Contact: Sue Bone (052) 26 4849.

OCTOBER 12 VALA Joint meeting with ADDA. Topic: Evaluation of MEDLINE on CD-ROM with a panel of users and four suppliers. All welcome. Contact: Liz Oley (03) 819 1400.

ACT

- **JUNE 27-30** Insearch DIALOG Seminars. Patents (June 27), Science and Technology (June 28), Introductory (June 29). Canberra. Contact: (02) 218 9790.
- **JULY 1** LAA UCLS (ACT Group) and Acquisitions Section (ACT Group). **Seminar: The Taxation Incentives for the Arts Scheme — who benefits?** Drawing Room, University House, ANU. Speakers: John Thompson, National Library; John McPhee, Australian National Gallery and many others. Time: 9.00 am. Cost: \$55 LAA Members; \$80 Non-members. Cheques: payable to LAA Acquisitions Section (ACT Group). Contact: Alex Byrne (062) 68 8114.
- **JULY 6** LAA ACT Branch Council Meeting. Seminar Room, Lower Ground Floor, R.G. Menzies Building, ANU. Time: 5.15 pm. (062) 49 4251.
- **JULY 13** LAA Cataloguers Section (ACT Group). **Lunchtime meeting.** Conference Room, Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, Acton. Time: 12.30 pm. All welcome. Contact: Helen Johnstone (062) 43 4252.
- **JULY 21** LAA CE Activity — Conference. **Marketing the Librarian: the profession and the individual.** Ainslie Hotel. Time: 9.00 am — 4.30 pm. Contact: Jennifer Evans, Freelance Library and Information Services (03) 813 1925.
- **JULY 27** LAA ACT Branch. Lunch and presentation of student prizes. Old Canberra House (ex Staff Centre) ANU. Time: 12.00 noon — 2.00 pm. Speaker: Sue Kosse. Cost is individuals choice. Contact: Catherine Lewis (062) 72 7782.
- **AUGUST 10** LAA Cataloguers Section (ACT Group). **Lunchtime meeting.** Conference Room, Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies, Acton. Time: 12.30 pm. All welcome. Contact: Helen Johnstone (062) 43 4252.
- **AUGUST 14-25** The Australian Academy of the Humanities. 'Terra Australis to Australia'. Sydney and Canberra. Contact: The Secretariat, GPO Box 2200, Canberra, ACT 2601, (062) 49 8015, fax (062) 57 3256.
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SA

- **JUNE 27** LAA Acquisitions Section (SA Group). **Evening meeting.** University of Adelaide Staff Club. Speaker: Gail Mahon (Murphy Sisters Bookshop) and Terry Neil (The Bookshelf) discuss the operations of their bookshops. Time: 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm. Contact: Shirley Devereux (08) 354 6642.
- **JULY 28-29** BIOSIS training program. Basic course (28 July), Advanced course (29 July). Cost: free. Contact: (08) 372 2735.

Queensland

- **JULY 1** LAA Library Technicians Section (Qld Group). Meeting. Time: 7.30pm. Contact: Jenny Green (07) 227 6164 (W).
- **JULY 4** LAA Cataloguers Section (Qld Group). **Meeting: Lee McGregor** (State Archivist) will speak on 'Accessing Archival Material' — material arrangement and public rights of access. State Library of Qld, Lecture Theatre (Level 2). Time: 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm. (Wine and cheese precede meeting.) Contact: Jocelyn De Glas/Marilyn Stephens (07) 275 7164.
- **JULY 11** LAA Qld Branch. **Evening seminar:** Promotion and marketing Part 2. Details to be advised. Contact: George Eichinski (07) 377 2420.
- **JULY 15** ACLIS/AV Sub-Committee (Qld). Seminar: New Technologies — Telecommunications Services. State Library of Qld, Cultural Centre, South Brisbane. Speaker: Roy Lundin. Time: 8.30 am — 12.30 pm. Cost: \$20 — 1 seminar; \$35 — 2 seminars; \$10 — members, students and unemployed (per seminar). Contact: Gulcin Cribb (07) 377 3479.
- **JULY 18** LAA Special Libraries Section (Qld Group). **Evening meeting.** Theme: Time Management. Speaker: Elizabeth Gillard. Time: 5.30 pm for 6.00 pm. Venue to be announced, nominal fee for this event. Contact: Robin Galagher (07) 224 4109.
- **AUGUST 1** BIOSIS training program. CSIRO Cunningham Laboratory. Basic course. Cost: free. Contact: (07) 377 0297.
- **AUGUST 4-5** BIOSIS training program. CSIRO Cunningham Laboratory. Advanced course (4 August) and the BioBusiness database course (5 August, am). Cost: free. Contact: (07) 377 0297.
- **AUGUST 12** ACLIS/AV Sub-Committee (Qld). Seminar: New Technologies and Interactive Resources. State Library of Qld, Cultural Centre, South Brisbane. Speaker: Roy Ward. Time: 8.30 am — 12.30 pm. Cost: \$20 — 1 seminar; \$35 — 2 seminars; \$10 — members, students and unemployed (per seminar). Contact: Gulcin Cribb (07) 377 3479.
- **SEPTEMBER 18** Seminar on Negotiation of Salary Packages. Bardon Professional Development Centre. Time: 9.00 am — lunchtime. Those from out of Brisbane wishing to attend EXPO may care to attend. More details later. Contact: Aliston Bowles (07) 369 8937.

Northern Territory

- **JUNE 28-30** LAA Library Technicians Section. Leigh Evans, National President, LTS, will be visiting Alice Springs. Contact: Carmel McRobert (089) 52 5044.
- **JUNE 30/JULY 2** LAA Library Technicians Section. Leigh Evans, National President, LTS, will be visiting Darwin. Contact: Jeff Gregory (089) 89 7177.

Overseas

- **JULY 24-30** International Association for School Librarianship Conference, Kalamazoo Michigan, USA. Theme: Great Expectations: standards, innovative programs and new technology. Contact: IASL, PO Box 1486, Kalamazoo, Michigan, 49005, USA.
- **AUGUST 22-26** International Exhibition of Management and Exploitation Techniques for Archives. Palais des Congres de Paris, France. Contact: Archiv'88, 55, Quai Alphonse Le Gallo — B.P. 317 92107 Boulogne Billancourt Cedex, Tel (1) 49 09 60 72, Telex 632 580 F, Fax (1) 49 09 60 47.
- **AUGUST 28-SEPTEMBER 1** 4th FID International Federation of Documentation Conference and Congress. Helsinki, Finland. Theme: Information, Knowledge, Evolution. Contact: Finnish Society for Information Services, PO Box 1025, SF-00101 Helsinki, Finland.
- **SEPTEMBER 8-11** CHINA International Symposium on New Techniques and Applications in Libraries. English will be the working language of the Symposium. Contact: Xu-Ting-qi, Secretary-General, Library, Xi'an Jiaotong University, Xi'an, Shaanxi, Peoples Republic of China.
- **SEPTEMBER 26-30** 21st Congress of the International Board on Books for Young People. Theme: 'Children's Literature and New Media'. Oslo, Norway. Contact: Ena Noel (02) 32 5075.
- **OCTOBER 17-22** International Congress of Scientific and Technical Information. Venue: International Conference Centre, Havana, Cuba. The Institute of Scientific and Technical Documentation and Information (IDICT) of the Academy of Sciences of Cuba. Contact: IDICT, Apartado postal 2019/Telex 511203/La Habana 2, Cuba.
- **OCTOBER 24-26** 10th International Federation for Information and Documentation. Commission for Asia and Oceania (FID/CAO) General Assembly and Congress: 'The Use of New Information Technologies in Developing Countries'. Conference Centre, Institute of Scientific and Technical Information of China (ISTIC), Beijing, China. Contact: Barry Burton, President FID/CAO, Hong Kong Polytechnic, Hung Hom, Kowloon, Hong Kong. Phone: 852-3-640694. Telex: 38964 Polyx Hx. Fax: 852-3-7658274.
- **NOVEMBER 2-6** Second European Conference of Medical Libraries, Bologna, Italy. First announcement call for papers. Contact: Professional Conference Organiser, Studio E.R. Congressi, Via Riva Reno 47, 40122 Bologna, Italy. Tel. 051/ 235293; telex 58 3286 Ercong I; Telefax 051/235296.
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