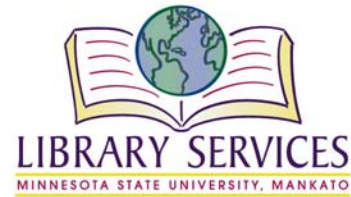




GOOD NEWS

Summer, 2007



Monika Antonelli, Reference/Instruction Librarian

- attended the annual conference of the American Library Association in Washington, D.C., June 21-25, 2007.

Lisa Baures, Educational Resources Librarian

- attended the annual conference of the American Library Association in Washington, D.C., June 21-25, 2007.

Bobby Bothmann, Electronic Access/Catalog librarian

- attended the American Library Association annual meeting in Washington, D.C., 21-25 June 2007, where he also received the Ester J. Piercy Award (see the Feb./Mar. issue of Good News).
- attended the ELUNA conference in Spearfish, SD from June 5 – 8, 2007.

Jeanne Domas, Administrative Assistant

- attended the “Get Motivated” conference in Minneapolis, MN on June 20, 2007.

Kris Hobday, Library Technician, Interlibrary Loan

- attended the “Get Motivated” conference in Minneapolis, MN on June 20, 2007.

Lee Ann Larson, Preservation Technician

- participated in the Blue Earth County Mass Dispensing Exercise located at Lake Crystal Wellcome Memorial High School July 24, 2007. These similar events are being planned throughout the state for the purpose of a pandemic outbreak. The site was set up for a make believe immunization headquarters with a triage and registration site. Over 200 people attended which included workers and participants.

Peg Lawrence, Systems Librarian

- attended the technical seminar and ELUNA Conference June 4-June 8 in Spearfish, SD.
- attended the “Get Motivated” conference in Minneapolis, MN on June 20, 2007.
- attended the annual conference of the American Library Association in Washington, D.C., June 21-25, 2007.

Lola Lemcke, Library Technician, Acquisitions/ERC

- attended the “Get Motivated” conference in Minneapolis, MN on June 20, 2007.

Justine Martin, Instruction Librarian

- attended the Games, Learning, and Society Conference in Madison, WI July 12-13, 2007.

Deb Meissner, Library Technician, Cataloging

- attended the “Get Motivated” conference on June 20, 2007 in Minneapolis, MN.

Rosie Mock, ITS 3

- attended the technical seminar and ELUNA Conference June 4-June 8 in Spearfish, SD.

Joni D. Myers, Library Circulation Manager

- attended ALA in Washington DC, June 21 – 25, 2007.

Mary Nere, Library Technician, Government Documents

- attended the “Get Motivated” conference in Minneapolis, MN on June 20, 2007.

Kathy Piehl, Reference/CCYAB Librarian

- attended the annual conference of the Children’s Literature Association, which met June 13 – 17, 2007, in Newport News, Virginia.
- attended the annual conference of the American Library Association in Washington, D.C., June 21-25, 2007.
- has received a Lucile Cornetet Professional Development Award from the Delta Kappa Gamma Educational Foundation. She will use the funds to enroll in a three-week study program at the Alliance Française in Rouen, France. In addition to attending daily classes, she will live with a French family to enhance development of her language skills. The Lucile Cornetet awards are given to educators to “assist their participation in professional development opportunities through approved professional development providers.” Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, an honor society for women educators, has members in 14 countries.

Joan Roca, Dean of Library Services

- attended the annual conference of the Academic Library Advancement and Development Network in Banff, Alberta, Canada, May 18-21, 2007.
- attended the annual conference of the American Library Association in Washington, D.C., June 21-25, 2007.
- participated as a doctoral defense committee member at the final dissertation defense of a doctoral candidate in the Escola de Biblioteconomia i Documentació at the Universitat de Barcelona, Spain, on July 5, 2007.

Evan Rusch, Government Documents/Maps Librarian

- attended the annual conference of the American Library Association in Washington, D.C., June 21-25, 2007.

Becky Schwartzkopf, Serials Librarian

- attended the North American Serials Interest Group Annual Conference in Louisville from May 31-June 3. She is preparing an article for Serials Librarian based on the tactics session, "Education Trifecta: Win Attention, Place Knowledge, Show Understanding."

Lynne Weber, Access Services Librarian

- attended the 2nd Annual ELUNA Conference in Spearfish, South Dakota, between June 5-June 9. ELUNA is the ExLibris Users of North America.
- attended the annual conference of the American Library Association in Washington, D.C., June 21-25, 2007.
- assisted Peg Lawrence with a Minitex Library Information Network Outreach project at the Minnesota State Fair for six hours on August 24.

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