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A New Look for the Library

Those returning to the library at the start of the new semester were in for a surprise. The second floor has been totally remodeled with new carpeting, ceiling and lighting and a new coat of paint. All of the shelves have been repainted and realigned, with wide aisles to give an airy, spacious appearance, with plenty of natural light. The former audio-visual area in the southwest quadrant of the second floor has been transformed into a state-of-the-art forty-seat electronic classroom, equipped with two Smart boards and laptops for each student. Smart technology enables instructors to use a more interactive approach to teaching and to integrate graphics, Power Point slides, DVDs and videos seamlessly into their presentations. The Smart Classroom is already a popular place for classes. It may be booked for workshops and meetings by faculty and staff who have received proper



The second floor houses the library's periodicals collection

training in the use of the room. Call John Petrunak at x5286.

The library's second floor is also headquarters for two new programs on campus. The old Media Lab has been converted into the office of the Director of the Nursing Program, Diane Jedlicka. The space formerly occupied by the Curriculum Library is now home of the Academic Support Center, run by Gretchen Walsh, Director, and Mary Jo O'Neill, Assistant

Director. Equipped with a large classroom, new computers, and four rooms for tutoring and individual study, the Center supports the College's Learning Differences program. To learn more about the Academic Support Center, come to the Open House on Thursday, November 3rd from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m. There will be food, fun and conversation. RSVP by October 30th to Mary Jo O'Neill at x5184 or moneill@ndc.edu.

The Falcon Café Is Open!

Something new is brewing at the library. The Falcon Café opened on October 16th as part of the Legacy Walkway dedication ceremony. The name was selected by student government as a result of a campuswide contest. The lucky winner is Brianna Lumpkin, who received a \$100 gift certificate to the new venue. The coffee shop is located in the former lounge area on the library's first floor by the east

entrance. As an added convenience, that entrance is now open during hours the Café is open (Monday-Friday 8 am-8:30 pm; Saturday 8 am-5:30 pm; Sunday CLOSED). Another set of doors leads into the library during library hours, allowing visitors a shorter trek to the building, especially during inclement weather. The Falcon Café will offer regular, decaf and flavored coffees, an extensive selection

of specialty coffee drinks, gourmet teas, hot cocoa, desserts and muffins. The Café is equipped with drops for laptops and will provide a convenient place for a quick snack before, between or after classes and a relaxing place for clubs to meet or friends to congregate. Bookshelves will be stocked with games, books, magazines and newspapers. Mini art shows and live music may be added at a later date.

Where Is It?

The library renovation has resulted in many changes in the location of things in the library. Here is a short guide to where things are now:

- *Curriculum Library*—now on the first floor by the Juvenile Collection
- *Kits, records and audio-tapes*—opposite the windows on the north wall of the Curriculum Library
- *Videos*—in the aisle between the Curriculum Library and the Theology section
- *Law Collection*—dispersed among the first floor reference and circulating collections
- *Microform and microfiche reader/printer*—north wall of



the second floor next to the Academic Support Center

- *Drops for laptops*—by the seating area to the left of the top of the stairs on second floor, on the pillar next to front display case on first floor
- *Lounge area*—to the right of the top of the stairs on the second floor
- *Study tables and carrels*—in the northeast quadrant of the second floor (the corner closest to the Administration Building)
- *Map cases*—next to the wall map on the second floor
- *Photocopier*—next to the bulletin board under the stairs on the first floor



Library Expands Hours

In an effort to better accommodate patrons, the library will soon increase the hours it is open. New hours will be Monday-Thursday 9 a.m.-10 p.m.; Friday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; WECO Fridays 9 a.m.-8 p.m.; Saturday 9 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. The new hours will become effective on October 30th.

Gallery Talk



LakeView #22, one of Jones' later works.



Marvin Jones

Marvin Jones Opening

Over 60 people attended the opening reception for our current exhibit, "Marvin Jones: Intellect Meets Primitive," with a capacity crowd present to hear the gallery talk by Cathy Jones. The exhibit, a retrospective of the career of the nationally known artist, also explores the relationship of his extensive collection of primitive and outsider art to his artistic output. If you haven't stopped by the Clara Fritzsche Library to see the show, you still have time. The exhibit has been held over through October 31st! For more on the show, go to: www.notredamecollege.edu/library/gallery.htm.

Our Gallery in the News

The Clara Fritzsche Library Gallery is featured in the *Cleveland Magazine 2005 City Guide* as one of Cleveland's "hip galleries." Last year it was

listed as one of the "Top 75 Art Galleries and Art Neighborhoods in Cleveland" in the November 2004 *Cleveland Magazine*. Galleries were chosen for "the quality and display of the shows exhibited and the method of selection."

Our gallery was also the recipient of an Ohio Humanities Council grant for last spring's exhibit, "Symbolic Beauty: Croatian Textile Design." The exhibit received national and international coverage when the collector of the folk dress in the exhibit, Stjepan Vlahovich, did an interview for the Croatian World Network, headquartered in New York City. The interview, along with extensive photographs of the exhibit, was archived on the internet, allowing our gallery to reach people all over the world.

Upcoming Events

November 17 - December 16, 2005: Imagiscapes II, a showing of digital art by collaborators Sheila N Markowitz and Judy Blattner Klein. Paintings, photographs and found objects are digitally scanned and layered to build texture, color and detail into a final composite image of art and imagination. Both artists have exhibited extensively and won many awards before their collaboration. This show marks a return to the Clara Fritzsche Library Gallery for Klein, who exhibited as part of the "Orange Art Center Printmakers" show in 2001. An opening reception will be held on Thursday, November 17th from 7 to 9 p.m. For more information, contact Karen Zoller at x5267.

Library Web Site Upgraded

If you haven't checked out the library's web site recently, you may be surprised by the new and improved version. A library history section has been added, along with an art gallery page listing current and past exhibits. The Tolerance Resource Center site has been greatly enhanced, growing from one page to a web site with separate pages for a history and timeline chronicling all of the past programming and activities of the Center plus online bibliographies on teaching about

the Holocaust and Native Americans. Also added is a tribute to Notre Dame College alumna and adjunct professor Maggie Kocevar, who first conceived the idea of a center devoted to tolerance, diversity and anti-bias issues on the Notre Dame campus. The library staff extends its thanks to Stuart Smith and the web team for their assistance with this project. To view the library web site, go to www.notredamecollege.edu/library/.

Library Announces Changes in Media Service

Due to changes necessitated by the library remodeling project, the library is no longer responsible for media service, media production or media setups. Only equipment necessary for viewing and listening to media housed in the library or for library presentations has been retained, with the remaining items transferred to the Administration Building. In the meantime, requests for multimedia projector and laptop setups should be directed to Chris Riddle at x5356 until 1pm

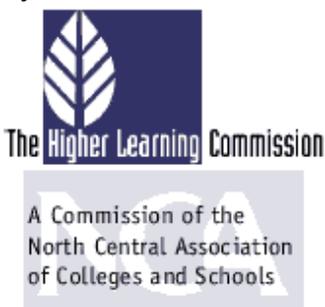
weekdays; Mike Kiec at x5227 after 1pm weekdays; and Garry Seman at x5386 on WECO weekends. Requests for setup or service of other equipment should be directed to John Petrunak at x5286 until further notice. The library staff appreciates your patience during this period of transition.



How Are We Doing?

In March 2007 Notre Dame will be evaluated by The Higher Learning Commission of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. This accreditation process will determine the direction the College will take in the future. In preparation for this visit by the North Central Visiting Team, the College will engage in a self-study that will assist in establishing a cycle of strategic planning, enabling Notre Dame College to continue to improve and grow.

To aid in this process, the library is conducting a user study. Please take a few minutes to complete the Library User Survey included with this newsletter. When you've completed it, drop the survey in the library mailbox in the mailroom or into the box on the library circulation desk by November 30th.



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Employee Profile: Ken Gibson

Ken Gibson, Library Intern, has been working at our library since November, 2004, primarily during evenings and weekends. Ken brings experience from his work at Cleveland Heights-University Heights Public Library to his job at the Clara Fritzsche Library, where he is in charge of serials control and the



Ken Gibson is ready to help you.

Curriculum Library. Ken is presently enrolled in Kent State University's School of Library and Information Science, where he is working on his M.L.I.S.. If you see him behind the circulation desk or getting the mail, please say "hello."

Mystery Photo

If you can identify the artifact pictured on the first page and where it is in the library, send your answer to kzoller@ndc.edu. The first person to respond correctly will win a \$10 gift certificate to the Falcon Café.

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OhioLINK Update

Good news for OhioLINK users! You may now keep your OhioLINK books for up to four renewal periods instead of just one. As an added service, the library will automatically keep renewing the book for you and notify you when the last renewal period is reached. Books with a hold on them may be recalled at an earlier time, however.

ProQuest Nursing Database Added In support of Notre Dame's Nursing Program, the library subscribes to three nursing databases. Designed to meet the needs of researchers in healthcare facilities as well as students enrolled in nursing programs at academic institutions, the ProQuest Nursing Journals database offers full-text coverage of articles from more than 270 leading nursing and related journals and indexing starting in 1988. EBSCO's Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition provides nearly 590 scholarly full-text journals focusing on many medical disciplines, with a strong focus on nursing and allied health. Also featured are abstracts and indexing for over 625 journals, the *USP Pharmacopoeia DI: Volume II Advice for the*

Lay Patient and *Stedman's Medical Dictionary*. CINAHL (Nursing and Allied Health) indexes the literature of nursing and allied health from 1982 to the present. Articles from more than 1,000 journals are covered, as well as books, pamphlets, dissertations, audiovisuals, software and more.



Lexis/Nexis is back! In support of the Intel Program, Lexis/Nexis is once again available to Notre Dame faculty, students and staff. Access it by simply going to the OhioLINK homepage (www.ohiolink.edu) and clicking on "Find articles and more with OhioLINK databases by name," then clicking on "Lexis/Nexis Academic". No additional password is required other than the usual OhioLINK user

name and barcode needed to access books and journal articles.

Digital Media Center Adds Content OhioLINK recently added 550 videos from the Films for the Humanities and Ambrose Video collections to its Digital Media Center bringing the total to over 1,750 videos available to students, faculty and staff. The videos are available for viewing and downloading for temporary storage only and may be shown in class, linked from course pages and utilized for research. Some instructors are already using these materials on a regular basis and can attest to the value of these resources, which would not be affordable to our library if not for OhioLINK.

In addition to these videos, the Digital Media Center also includes 54,000 digital images of art work and architecture from around the world, historical photographs, letters and other documents from Ohio museums, libraries and universities, satellite images of Ohio and audios of bird songs. For more information on the Digital Media Center, go to dmc.ohiolink.edu/ or contact Karen Zoller at x5266.

Remember...

- The library has a freestanding bookdrop to the left of its main (south) entrance. This may be used to return books and audio-visual materials when the library is closed.
- The library recycles. Place cans, glass and #1 and #2 plastic containers in the red recycle bin by the circulation desk on the first floor and the blue bin on the second floor. Place paper in the grey wastepaper basket next to the copier. 
- The 10-digit barcode number on your campus ID is your library card number — carry it with you!
- The Clara Fritzsche Library should be the starting point for all research on campus
- Don't be afraid to ask questions — we're here to help!