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SPRING 2018 HOURS

WAW Library:

7:30 a.m. – 12:00 a.m.
Mondays-Thursdays

7:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Fridays

9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Saturdays

1:00 p.m. – 12:00 a.m.
Sundays

*Special Collections and
Archives Reading
Room:*

11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.
Mondays-Fridays and by
appointment

*Library Learning
Commons: Always Open!*



Stress Relief at the Library!

Let's face it. The end of the semester is stressful for everyone! The University Libraries and Archives have some activities planned to help make this time a bit easier.

FRIDAY, MAY 4: End of the Year Bash! 11 a.m. – 3 p.m.

The Dogs in the Library will be BACK that day! In addition, we will feature a Make Your Own Sundae Station, games, crafts, activities, and more!

SUNDAY, MAY 6: Pizza Break, 7 p.m.

Be in the Library Learning Commons by or before 7 p.m. for a slice of FREE pizza.

TUESDAY, MAY 8: De-Stress Fest, 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.

DIY crafts, coloring, puzzles, and snacks in the Library Learning Commons.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9: Cookie Break, starting at 11 a.m.

We'll be going around the library building with a book truck full of cookies! Be sure to get one.



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Special Collections and Archives Updates

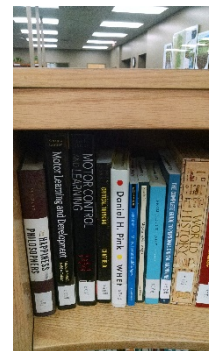
The Literary World of William Allen White is the newest display in Special Collections and Archives' exhibit hall on the first floor. This is the first of two major exhibits celebrating White's sesquicentennial in 2018. Enter his world and explore his forty-eight-year tenure as editor of the Emporia Gazette. Discover the many books he published and the wit and wisdom that made him one of America's beloved writers and earned two Pulitzer Prizes. Learn more about the history behind his most famous editorials and consider their continued relevance today.

In conjunction with the display, Special Collections and Archives is opening their exhibit hall to host events highlighting the literary and performing arts. Individuals and groups interested in participating can contact archives@emporia.edu.

William Allen White-related exhibits are also on view in a display case located in the Learning Commons and on the second floor in a case dedicated to international themes. Look for new Learning Commons exhibits in March, June, September, and November and new international exhibits in April, July, and November.

Library of Congress Classification? What's That?

You may have noticed on the 2nd floor that we have some books with labels that are combinations of letters and numbers. What do those labels mean? The library is preparing for an overall transition of its classification system to organize and shelve physical materials from the Dewey Decimal System to the Library of Congress Classification System.



So, what is this system? The Library of Congress Classification System organizes items by disciplines, and those disciplines are then categorized with a one-letter or two-letter code to start the call number. For example, the code of BF will contain all items classified under the field of Psychology. PN is Literature in general, while PQ can refer to French, Italian, Spanish, and Portuguese literature.

Confused? Don't panic. Our faculty and staff at the Reference/Circulation Desk will help you find any materials quickly and easily!

Research Updates, Spring 2018

Presentations:

Dr. Terri Summey, Professor and Research and Instruction Librarian, presented a poster session on “Emotional-Social Intelligence and Award-Winning Reference and Information Services Librarians” during the Jean Tague-Sutcliffe Doctoral Student Poster Competition at the ALISE Annual Conference in February.

Cynthia Kane, Professor and Director of Instruction and Assessment, and **Dr. Terri Summey** presented “Holding Steady with Changes! Using and Teaching a Discovery Service While Planning for a Transition” at the ALA-ALCTS Holdings Information Discussion Forum, American Library Association Midwinter Meeting, in February.

Cynthia Kane presented on “A Roll of the Dice, and Hedging Your Bets! Using Surveys and Focus Groups as Assessments to Revitalize Your Library Building Space for Academic Success” at the KLA-CULS Annual Conference in April.

Publications:

Art Gutierrez, Associate Professor and Head, Technical Services and Systems, and **Bethanie O’Dell**, Assistant Professor and Virtual Learning Librarian, co-published with Ashley Todd-Diaz an article titled “Using Augmented Reality to Enhance Outreach, Instruction, and Library Exhibits”. The article appears in *Computers in Libraries*, v. 38.1 (January/February 2018), pp. 8-13.

Recognitions:

Dr. Terri Summey was graduated in December 2017 with the Ph.D. in Library and Information Management from Emporia State University.

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