

THE GOLISANO CHRONICLE

Sharing Library News with the Roberts Wesleyan and Northeastern Community

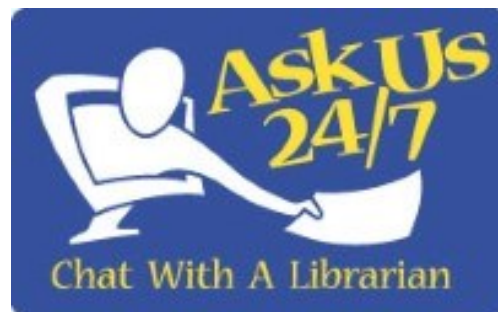
Additional Print Capabilities in Golisano Library

The Golisano Library has recently welcomed a new Toshiba printer! We have acquired a second MOE so that when the first MOE is busy, the second MOE will handle the print jobs. Just select the Moe-Library print option and the printers will share the work. Be sure to check both printers for your print job. Coin copying is still available on the first MOE and EAGLE (upstairs). Copies can be made on the new MOE by using a department account code. All three printers have scanning capability. Both MOEs have been moved behind the printing area where MOE was originally located. The staplers, paper cutter, and pencil sharpener are located in front of the printing wall as well as the recycling bin and wastebasket.



Research Assistance Now Available 24/7

What do you do when it's 3am and you need research assistance? The Golisano Library has recently joined a program called Ask Us 24/7 which provides research assistance 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. If you find that you need help and the library is closed or there are no librarians available to assist you, click on the Ask Us gold button on the right side of all the Library webpages or go to the Library's Ask Us page at <http://roberts.libanswers.com/index.php> and enter your question in the Ask Us 24/7 box under live chat. Your question will be picked up in 2 minutes or less by a librarian from another library who has access to our resources. Take the stress out of research with Ask Us 24/7.



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Golisano Library Team Changes

The Library is very pleased to welcome Phillip Koyoumjian (BA '10) back to our team! Phil will be working part-time as a Reference Librarian this semester, providing reference assistance on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday evenings. Matthew Davis (BA '11) will be continuing to provide his support to the work of the Library as a Systems Assistant, assuming some of the routine tasks that were previously performed by Lynn Brown, Digital Services and Systems Librarian. Lynn left us in December to assume her new position as Director of the Newman-Riga Public Library.



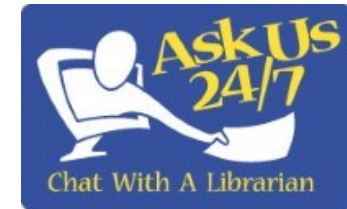
Study Café International Flag Display



The International flag display in the Golisano Library Study Café represents the citizenship of Roberts Wesleyan College students. The display is updated every year to reflect the current international student

population. This year there are 17 countries represented in addition to the United States. The order of the flags is according to the official flag protocol with the home country appearing as the left-most flag, with all other flags appearing in alphabetical order. A list of the flags on display is available on the glass wall near the TV monitor. The flag display was a gift from the class of 2010, with special appreciation to the Veterans Outreach Center for their support.

Congratulations to Erin Bennett!



Erin Bennett, Public Services Librarian, was recognized as

one of the top ten librarians that do an exceptional job in answering questions for our new Ask Us 24/7 service! In addition to her monitoring inquiries from Roberts Wesleyan College and Northeastern Seminary students, she responded to 22 questions answered for other institutions during the month of March! Way to go Erin!

Dr. Barry Hamilton Retires



In order to enhance his primary calling as a researcher and writer, Dr. Barry Hamilton, Theological Librarian and Professor of Historical & Contemporary Theology, retired effective January 30, 2015. Dr. Hamilton has served Northeastern Seminary and Roberts Wesleyan College since 1999. During his tenure, Dr. Hamilton has served in dual roles at both the Library and as faculty member at Northeastern Seminary. We are grateful for his work in the Library, especially in relation to the development of the Library's collections in the biblical, theological, and religious studies. He was also a valuable research consultant for students needing to draw on those library resources. At Northeastern Seminary, in addition to teaching a regular rotation of courses, Dr. Hamilton contributed significantly to the development of the Doctor of Ministry program and the research methodology components of both the doctoral and master's degree programs. Barry has served the College with excellence, dedication, and humility and he will be greatly missed.

Digital Public Library of America



The librarians at Golisano Library wanted to share with you a wonderful resource called the Digital Public Library of America (<http://dp.la/>). It is a consortium of digital collections including books, images, historic records, and audiovisual material from libraries, museums, universities, and colleges around the world. The Library of Congress, HathiTrust, and the Internet Archive have worked together to create the DPLA in order to provide a main point of open access for these invaluable collections. There is no fee required to view the multitude of materials available through the DPLA website. Feel free to check out the website from the link above and explore the collections and how they might be beneficial to you. If you have questions, contact the Golisano Research Assistance Desk, x6499.

NYS Coordinated Collection Development Grant Received



Roberts Wesleyan College, along with ten other Rochester Regional Library Council institutions, receives funds from the NYS Coordinated Collection Development Aid (CCDA), administered on behalf of the NYS Library. This program promotes regional coordination of collection development in academic libraries by providing grants based on enrollment conditions. These conditions include constitutional eligibility to receive state aid, membership in a library council, and full participation in interlibrary loan/resource sharing programs. Roberts Wesleyan College receives over \$5,300 toward purchase of library materials that can be loaned or used by patrons of the other libraries in the consortia. The plan includes responsibility for the Golisano Library to purchase materials in the Health Administration and Social Work subject areas.

Library Instruction Provided Upon Request

The Librarians at Golisano Library are happy and willing to provide library instruction for classes, teaching your students how to acquire and manage the resources available to them through the Library. They can either come to your classroom or provide instruction in the Library Instruction Labs. Please contact Erin Bennett, the Instruction Librarian, to discuss the particulars of the class and assignment and to schedule the instruction session: Bennett_Erin@roberts.edu or 594-6141. Erin will explain how to reserve the Instruction Lab by completing the Library Instruction Lab Request Form on the Library website. You may also contact the Library Liaison for your subject area for assistance. Faculty who wish to use the Instruction Lab but do not need a Librarian may complete the Library Instruction Request Form by selecting services on the Golisano website home page, Request a Room then the Request Form (gold button). You will receive a confirmation email when the reservation is complete.



Check Out Our Leisure Reading Collection



The Leisure reading collection is a rotating collection of new books including both fiction and non-fiction selections. Books are added periodically throughout the year and are available for borrowing. The non-fiction features biographies, current issues, sports, and politics. The fiction collection features contemporary authors such as Grisham, Kingsbury, Albom, Macomber, and Clancy, as well as many others. The collection is located on the lower level of the Library next to the newspaper and periodical shelving. Come and browse!

Golisano Library Encounters Emily Dickinson

Recently Erin Bennett, Public Services Librarian, and Holly Yates, Circulation and Interlibrary Loan Supervisor, were fortunate enough to be chaperones on the Emily Dickinson trip to Amherst, MA in conjunction with the class taught by Professor Tim Vande Brake. The 3-day trip included visiting both a public library and a college library to view their Emily Dickinson special collections, as well as touring the house that she lived in and her brother's house next door. There was also time to explore downtown Amherst and nearby Northampton. Overall, the trip was a great success and the library was able to build relationships with students and faculty that will continue for years to come.



Campus Closeup: Therapy Dogs in Golisano

Students enjoyed a welcome break from studying for exams with the visit of therapy dogs from Lollypop Farms. This time of year, most students can be found completing final projects or studying for their final exams in the Golisano Library. Staff from the Library invite these therapy dogs to campus every semester to give students a quick break and some canine encouragement to finish out the year. Learn more about the Therapy Dog Team program on Lollypop Farms' website:

www.lollypop.org

Here is a link to campus closeup video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E9IMkLc0nOw>



Golisano Library Graduate Research Room Closing May 30, 2015

The Golisano Library Graduate Research Room will be closing effective May 30. Due to the renovations of the Smith Science Center during the 2015-2016 academic year, this library space is being temporarily repurposed as a much-needed classroom for next year. The library is sensitive to the needs of the RWC and Northeastern Seminary graduate students, so we are designating some spaces on the lower level for graduate student use. There will be three rooms with key checkout available as well as designated carrels and computers on the west side of the lower level of the building. We want to reassure our students that it is the college's intent to restore the Graduate Research Room to its current configuration and use for the 2016-2017 academic year. Questions sent to Esther Gillie, Director of Library Services, Gillie_Esther@roberts.edu

Congratulations to Our Golisano Library Graduates!

On Saturday, April 25th the Golisano Library Team honored our student workers who were graduating with a formal dinner party in the Fireside Reading Room. We appreciate their contributions to the operation of the library during all our open hours and are thankful for the friendships that we have formed with them over the years. Congratulations to: Ohoud Al-Osais, Andrea Fattore, Sean Guthmiller, Rachel Hust, Sumi Leonard, Jody Otabara, Caitlyn Schiano, Sarah Schwartz, Sarah Spencer, Sam Thorold, and Rachel Varner!



Golisano Library Summer Hours Begin May 11

Mondays-Thursdays 10am-8pm
Fridays 10am-3:30pm
Saturdays Noon-4pm
Sundays Closed