THE GOLISANO CHRONICLE

Sharing Library News with the Roberts Wesleyan and Northeastern Community

Banned Books in the Library

Banned Books Week 2015 ran from September 27th-October 3rd this year and Golisano Library participated in the celebration. The purpose of the annual celebration is to extol the freedom to read and to bring awareness to the danger that banning books from libraries poses to intellectual freedom. There was a display in the library of frequently challenged and banned books that belong to our library. A special aspect of our display is the section with banned classics, for which Sally Green, former Collections Services Assistant (and her husband, Bob) and Matt Davis Systems Assistant, designed and produced beautiful book jackets to give these older books a fresher look. The library Instagram account (@golisanolibrary) also featured photos of library faculty and staff with

their favorite banned books from our collection.



Golisano Library Science & Nursing Archive Display



To celebrate the opening of the Crothers Science and Nursing Center, the B. Thomas Golisano Library provided a retrospec-

tive exhibition of the science and nursing programs at Roberts Wesleyan College. On display in the Library's Archives Reading Room and archives display cases on the second floor were early scientific instruments, letters, photographs, and promotional materials from the early years of science and nursing at Roberts. Of particular interest is the nursing uniform of Dorothy Whittingham, the founder of the nursing program at Roberts.

Golisano Library Social Media Presence

Golisano Library is now on Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook! We post frequently about news, events, programs, displays, and more. Be sure to follow us:

Twitter: @GolisanoLibrary—If you tweet or post a photo from the library, be sure to use the hashtag #LoveGolisanoLib

Instagram: @GolisanoLibrary



Open Mic Night at Golisano Library

There was an open mic night in the library's Study Café on October 22. Pictured is Jae Newman from the Department of Language and Literature, who read from his new book of poetry called *Collage of Seoul*. Other faculty and students read poetry, rapped, and performed music. It was a great night!



Curriculum Center Reorganization Project

If you've been to the second floor of the Golisano Library recently, you may have noticed a bit of disorganization in the Curriculum Center area. There is a method to the madness, as we are currently reorganizing all 4,000+ books in our juvenile literature collection. When the project is com-

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ment when the project is complete. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact Kellie Barbato, Golisano Outreach Librarian and liaison to the School of Education and Social Work.

Research Assistance Available

One of the services we provide here at the library is the ability to request a library appointment with a librarian. If you have an assignment or research project for which you need research help and you would like to meet with a librarian, you can go to the library's main page, mouse over the Research tab and scroll down and click on Request Appointment. Fill out the form with the appropriate information. There is an option to choose a specific librarian, or you can leave it as No Preference and a librarian who is available will set up an appointment with you. If you are struggling with finding articles or other resources for your assignment, make an appointment with a librarian today and get the assistance you need!



Thumbs Up to Sally Green!

Sally Green, former Collection Services Assistant, completed a service project for the Abbey of the Genesee. She had been working for the past year on repairing their collection of 40 psalters that are used for the daily services at the Abbey. Sally was able to use her craftsmanship and expertise to repair many of the bindings and loose pages. Sally visited the Abbey to see their renovated chapel, meet Father Anthony (pictured with Sally) and receive his thanks on behalf of the monks.

Thank you Sally for living out the Roberts key emphasis on service!



Golisano Library Suggestion Box Online

Do you have a suggestion for the library? You can now submit your suggestion through the online form found on our library webpage under the Contact tab. All



suggestions will be reviewed and forwarded to the appropriate person for follow-up. If you would like a response to your suggestion, you can enter your contact information on the suggestion form and someone will be in touch with you. You can also come into the library and use our suggestion box located under the LCD monitor at the Resource Desk.

Therapy Dogs Return to the Library



The Golisano Library again hosted therapy dogs from Lollipop Farms to help relieve the end of semester stress. The students have expressed their

appreciation of this event and so the library staff has continued with the tradition. Students can take a break from studying for finals and visit with some friendly and lovable dogs!

Matthew Ballard: Tour Guide

Matthew Ballard, Collection Services Librarian, recently welcomed students from Roberts to Mt. Albion Cemetery for a tour. Students from Brenda McQuillan's SWK 705 visited Albion as part of a daylong session focused on grief and bereavement. The morning was spent at Christopher-Mitchell Funeral Home and transitioned into lunch and a short lecture at the Hoag Library followed by the cemetery tour. Matthew is the historian for Orleans County and led the class on a two hour walk through the beautiful historic cemetery. His program focused on cemetery symbolism, imagery and burial practices from the early 19th century.



Scholastic Book Fair At Golisano Library

November 16th-19th, Golisano Library hosted a Scholastic book fair. The book fair featured young adult and adult titles in addition to a large variety of children's books. A project in conjunction with the Department of Teacher Education, all proceeds from the book fair will go towards purchasing new materials for the Juvenile

Literature collection, which is used heavily by teacher education students.

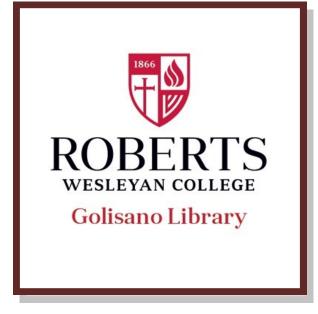
Give the Gift of READING!

Updated International Flags in Library Café

The International flag display in the Library Café has been updated to reflect the citizenship of Roberts Wesleyan College



students. The home country flag appears as the left-most flag, with all other flags appearing in alphabetical order. A special thank you is extended to the Class of 2010 for the initial donation, as well as the Offices of Student Life, Facilities, Global Education, and the Golisano Library for their work in continuing the tradition.



Golisano Library Leisure Reading Collection

The library offers a leisure reading collection on our first floor, loaded with fun and interesting items that are sure to pique the interest of all readers. The collection contains just over 200 adult fiction and non-fiction titles as well as young adult and graphic novels. As part of our leisure reading program, new materials are cycled into the collection on a monthly basis to replace older items. So rest assured, there will always be something new when you are ready to check out your next book! Faculty and staff are invited to provide suggestions for new leisure materials and can sign up for an account through McNaughton, our leisure reading vendor. Just contact Matthew Ballard, Collection Services Librarian to get started. The library can provide you with a detailed guide on how to browse available materials and make suggestions for ordering!





Yankee Moves to Memphis

Golisano Outreach Librarian Kellie Barbato has published an article in the Music Library Association Newsletter which outlines her personal journey from State University of New York at Buffalo graduate work to the University of Memphis. The Library team is pleased that her journey has brought her back to Rochester to join us in the Golisano Library as a professional librarian! Click here for a link to the article: http://

newsletter.musiclibraryassoc.org/index.php/newsletter/article/view/172/179

Golisano Game Night

On Thursday, November 20th, a game night was held in the Library. We are grateful for the donation of nine new board games to the library collection by Dr. Joel Hoomans of the School of Business and Millennium Games in Henrietta. The library provided snacks and bottled water, and everyone had a good time taking a break from studying for a little while. We plan to hold another game night every semester so keep your eyes peeled for one in spring 2016!