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Welcome to the Monthly eNewsletter from NCCCLA!

This email contains news from NCCCLA members and partners, news items of interest about U.S. community colleges, and upcoming events.

A Note from Our President

Greetings, NCCCLA members!

I hope this message finds you all doing well and off to a great fall semester! It's great to know that our location and dates have been secured for the 2018 NCCCLA Conference at Randolph Community College in Asheboro, NC on Thursday-Friday, March 8-9. A special thank you to Cheryl Ann Coyle for making the site visit and to Debbie Luck at Randolph for graciously agreeing to host the conference. Be sure to read Cheryl's description and update in this issue of the newsletter. It's exciting news and will undoubtedly be a great conference!

One of the many benefits of being a member of NCCCLA is the opportunity for free professional development. I am excited to announce that we will be hosting a **WebEx webinar on Wednesday, October 4 at 2:00 p.m.** Garrison Libby, Reference Librarian from Tidewater Community College, VA, will be doing a repeat presentation from the 2017 NCCCLA Conference on "Getting Started with OER and Textbook Affordability".

Please see the description below:

As textbook prices continue to rise, many institutions are looking to alternatives to keep costs down for students. One such alternative that is growing in popularity is Open Educational Resources (OER) -- openly licensed material that can be revised, reused, and remixed. This session will introduce the basics of OER and open licensing, and discuss the role librarians can play in fostering and promoting OER adoption on campus.

I hope many of you will be able to attend Garrison's webinar on October 4. Please look for future emails regarding registration. In the meantime, if you know you would like to attend please send me an email indicating your interest at goodmans@coastalcarolina.edu

The next Executive Board Meeting will be on Thursday, September 21 at 1:00 p.m. There will be lots of "good stuff" to report in the next newsletter!

My best to everyone,

Sally

Community College Library News

Appointments, Departures & RetirementsSubmitted by Helen Colevins and Colleen Turnage, NCCCS

Appointments

Lisa Wright, Part-time Librarian, Central Piedmont CC

Grace Sharrar, Instruction & Outreach Librarian - Central Carolina CC - Harnett Campus.



Sally Goodman

Coastal Carolina Community College

Grace has her Master's degree in Library Science from UNC-Chapel Hill, where she also worked in the undergraduate library for 2 years. She also completed a research and instruction field experience at Duke University. She has a Bachelor's degree in English, with a minor in Education from Covenant College in Georgia. Grace also studied abroad at Oxford University in England, and at Jerusalem University College in Israel.

Lindy Hall, Library Assistant for Acquisitions - Central Carolina CC - Lee Campus Lindy has her Master's degree in Library Science from San Jose State University, and a Bachelor's degree in Crime, Law, and Justice from Pennsylvania State University where she was a distinguished military graduate in the Army ROTC. Lindy served in the U.S. Army for 6 years and achieved the rank of Captain. Since her military career, she has worked in libraries for 6 years.





Grace Sharrar

Lindy Hall

Departures

Kory Paulus, (secretary for district 5) has left Central Piedmont CC for Wingate University. Some parting words....

"It is with great sadness that I share that I will no longer be within the community college system. I have accepted a new position with Wingate University as one of their Reference and Instruction Librarians as their Nursing and Biology Liaison. I will truly miss all of my community college friends and colleagues. Please keep in touch! Here is my new email address: k.paulus@wingate.edu I am still available to answer any questions related to Evidence-Based Practice/Research! Thank you all for the warm and fuzzy welcome to the community college system and everything I have learned from all of you the past 4 years!"

Sincerely,

Kory Paulus

Retirements

Sharon Smith, Library Director, McDowell Technical CC retires September 1st.

Honors, Kudos & Presentations

Marketing & Outreach

Submitted by Samantha O'Connor, Public Services Librarian, Central Carolina CC

"I would like to invite you to complete a brief survey which seeks to gather information about community college librarians' perceptions of patron access and barriers to library use. It would help me immensely if you could take a few minutes to fill out the survey here:

https://gtrial2017g2az1.az1.gualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV 9Aj7SIjhSTxa6aN

Responses will be used to inform a study on community college student barriers to library use, both online and in the physical library space. **The survey will remain open until September 29**th. It is voluntary and anonymous."

News from the Field - Highlights from District 4

Submitted by Samantha O'Connor - District 4 Director

District 4 met on June 20th at Brunswick Community College. Nora Burmeister of Central Carolina Community College presented on developing privacy policies in academic libraries and we engaged in a very lively discussion afterwards.

Weeding was the project of the summer for most of our district libraries and we discussed plans for discarding weeded materials. Cape Fear Community College has been working hard to ensure all their discarded materials are sent to be recycled. Other libraries have been using book sales to move out weeded materials. A staff

member from Brunswick Community College showed off her Pinterest skills with some crafty table decorations made from weeded books that brightened up our lunch.

Events and Professional Development

"Introduction to Instructional Design for Libraries" eCourse ALA/RUSA - September 11, 2017 to October 20, 2017

In this <u>course</u>, students will learn to use the Instructional Design Process and apply it effectively to library instruction which includes: identifying instructional problems, learner analysis, task analysis, defining instructional objectives, sequencing content, identifying instructional strategies, message design, instructional delivery and evaluation instruments.

Webinar Series: Designing and Implementing Effective Surveys State Library of NC - September 22 & 29, 2017

This <u>two-part webinar</u> series sponsored by the State Library will provide an introduction to survey planning, design, and implementation. Participants will learn to identify when to use surveys; how to write effective, actionable, and unbiased survey questions; gain a basic understanding of how to use a popular survey creation tool; and learn about designing, validating, piloting and implementing effective surveys.

How to expand your college library with an eReading platform OverDrive - October 5, 2017

OverDrive is offering a <u>free webinar</u> on how libraries are leveraging digital content to expand their reach and engagement while saving space for in-demand amenities like study tables and group collaboration rooms.



NCLA 62nd Biennial Conference October 17-20, 2017, Winston-Salem, NC

Conference Website

Early bird registration ends September 22, 2017

Librarians Build Communities 2017 Food Drive will be held at the conference.



ForwardFocus Conference

October 27, 2017 at Illinois Central College, Peoria

<u>Registration</u> for the sixth annual ForwardFocus Conference is now open. This year's conference is dedicated to Open Educational Resources (OER) in community colleges. The conference will be held at Illinois Central College, Peoria campus, with a virtual option for attendees to join us from their desk.

Search for more opportunities at:
The Train Station (State Library of North Carolina)
NCLA (North Carolina Library Association)

From the CJCLS Listserv

Trending this month - Chat Reference Services*

<u>LibraryH3lp</u> is very inexpensive. There is an unlimited number of queues, so the library could have one, and the writing center could have one, etc. Widgets can be embedded into Libguides, library databases, and within Canvas. It produces an FAQ also that is very handy to use.

Zendesk Chat (formerly Zopim) - can be placed into Moodle, on the library website and even inside EBSCOhost databases. It's a seamless and free way to chat with students at the point of need. Upgraded packages can be purchased.

*Zoom (not cited on the CJCLS Listserv) is a conference and chat service platform used by the NCCCLA Conference planning committee with great success. For more details, please contact Cheryl Ann Coyle, CPCC

NCCCLA 2017 Conference Highlights

Engaging Generation Z: High School Students in Community College Libraries Presenters: Mary Anne Caudle, Saundra Pinkham, Millie Sparks, Catherine Tingelstad, and Christine Vasica

If your library has begun serving students in Early College or another high school program, you might ask yourself, "What now?" In this session, panelists from the five community college libraries discussed topics including collection development, book clubs and other programming, outreach and instruction for teens and teachers, and polices and procedures to make library services and spaces work for everyone.

Engaging Generation Z - Presentation

10 Tips for Working with Early College and Teenage Students - Handout
YA Book Club Q & A - Handout
Popular Books from Craven CC's ECHS Book Club - Handout

Making Friends & Influencing Decisions: Planning a Student Advisory Board in a Community College Library

Presenters: Lisa Shores and Tim Hunter, Rowan-Cabarrus Community College

This presentation investigated Library Student Advisory Boards (LSAB) as an apparatus for building student-focused libraries. This was the first in a series of three presentations that are planned for the next two NCCCLA Conferences.

Making Friends & Influencing Decisions - Presentation

NCCCLA Conference 2018 News!

Submitted by Cheryl Ann Coyle, CPCC, NCCCLA Conference Committee Chair

We are excited to announce that the **2018 NCCCLA Conference** will be held at **Randolph Community College in Asheboro, NC on Thursday, March 8th and Friday, March 9th, 2018**. The Committee has been hard at work and our first big item has been checked off the list. We are thrilled to announce that the 2018 NCCCLA Conference will be held in beautiful Randolph County!



Randolph Community College is located in the center of Randolph County, in close proximity to the Asheboro Zoo. The library is nestled within walking distance to the <u>Conference Center</u> that we will be using for the event, which is also located on the community college property. The beautiful landscaping and exquisite conference site will be a warm and welcoming place for us. We will have spaces to greet the familiar faces, welcome our friends and chat with vendors. The classrooms are spacious and can easily accommodate us. For those who are mindful of the environment, we would like to note that the Conference Center is a LEED certified building.

You will be hearing more from us soon! There are still a lot of plans to make and we can't wait to see what the presentation proposals will bring us this year!

NCCCLA Private Facebook Group

Do you use Facebook to keep on top of library related news? Join our <u>private group</u> to share ideas, news and other pressing information that cannot wait until the next newsletter comes out. If you have any questions on how to utilize this resource, please contact NCCCLA webmaster <u>Angela Davis</u>.



Please join our Facebook Group!

On the lookout for NCCCLA Life Members!

Help us share NCCCLA news and updates with our Life Members. If you have an email address for any of these individuals below or know where they worked, please contact Jackie Kilberg at jkilberg@waketech.edu with that information. Thank you!

| Lytton Barker | Anthony Chung |
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| Inez Bell | Barbara Clark |
| Elizabeth Bowser | Royce Ellis |
| Elsie Gray Pernell | Robert Foeller |
| Zelma M. Thomasson | Dr. Ben Fountain |
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