NEWS | Helen J. Wertheim Libraries Endowment

Helen Wertheim is a University of Arizona alumna who established multiple endowments at the UA this past year. University Libraries is grateful to be one of the beneficiaries. Helen says: “I chose the UA Libraries because the library is the intellectual hub of any university.” Because this endowment does not have specific criteria, the Libraries will be able to determine what programs Helen's gift supports. Read more.

Photo: UA Foundation

NEWS | Honoring Barbara Allen

Barbara began work at the University in 1986. During her tenure here, she has worked at the Poetry Center where she developed enduring lifelong ties; The Center for English as a Second Language teaching refugees English and serving as a teacher’s assistant; the Center for Creative Photography; and for University Libraries in many capacities including administration and most recently as an integral member of Delivery, Description, and Acquisitions.

Barbara Allen will be retiring from UA Libraries in November and the Libraries will be accepting donations in Barbara’s name for the Kenneth Gerber Library Endowment Fund, which supports acquisitions in Clinical Psychology. Please make checks payable to: “UA Foundation” and note the purpose. Or give online at: Kenneth Gerber Library Endowment. Donation questions: Sara Krusenstjerna, 520 621-3485

AUDIO | Mariachi and Corridos

Did you miss our two musical events during Hispanic Heritage Month? On September 22, local filmmaker Daniel Buckley gave a lecture on the history of mariachi, accompanied by performances from Mariachi Aztlán de Pueblo High School. On October 6, Bob Diaz, Special Collections curator for the performing arts, discussed the corrido, a Mexican folk ballad. Listen to the recordings online:

- "Affirmations and Surprises: Following the Transformation of Youth Mariachi and Folklórico in Tucson"
- "Una Noche de Corridos"

UPCOMING EVENT | Library Cats Tech Breakfast
Breakfast
Saturday, October 29, 2016
9–11 a.m.

Bring your friends and family to the Main Library during Homecoming weekend. We'll be honoring Rhonda McKeamey who started our technology lending program ten years ago as an ASUA Senator. You'll have the opportunity to try out the latest technologies from virtual reality to 3D scanning and printing. You can also enjoy a free continental breakfast. RSVP online.

UPCOMING EVENT | USS Arizona:
Memorials and Memories
Thursday, November 3, 2016
6–8 p.m.

Join us for our last event commemorating the 75th anniversary of the bombing of Pearl Harbor. Associate Professor Susan Crane from the Department of History will present "Remembering and Forgetting with Memorials," while Director of Special Collections Steve Hussman will follow with "Through Sailors’ Eyes: Exploring the History of the USS Arizona Through Primary Resources". RSVP Online.

Photo: Detail of Training Crew at San Diego Naval Training Center Before Being Sent for Duty on the USS Arizona, 85-9-5,1936, USS Arizona Collection

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