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LIBRARY GRAND RE-OPENING EXTRAVAGANZA!
BY NYKOL JOHNSON

Join us to celebrate our new space! The library will host a Grand Re-Opening Main Event on Tuesday, February 3rd 4:30-6pm with exciting events. Grand Opening events take place throughout the week, including a library scavenger hunt, raffle, mascot naming contest for our new beloved library fish, and snacks. The first five students to arrive will receive a free Saint Mary’s book bag. Stop in and enjoy the festivities!

IT’S OUR BAG, BABY—RAFFLE PRIZES
BY RACHEL MCGEE

Fresh off the runway, Saint Mary’s book bags are the new black this season! Celebutante Paris Hilton professes, "Normally, my favorite accessory is my dog, Tinkerbelle, but life is too short to blend in. That’s why I sport my Saint Mary’s book bag. Thank you Twin Cities Library! That’s hot."

Be the envy of your friends when you are the first to own a Saint Mary’s book bag! Enter the library’s free raffle and have a chance to win a book bag filled with a bookstore gift certificate, flash-drive, leather bookmark, and more. Three winners will be selected. Don’t miss your chance! Winners will be drawn at the end of the week and notified on February 6th. Stop by the library and enter the raffle any day between February 2-6.

NEW BOOK EXCHANGE
BY NYKOL JOHNSON

The library is happy to announce the addition of a fiction and literary nonfiction book exchange. Revitalize your personal reading collection by bringing in your old copy of "Across Europe by Kangaroo: A Three Month Odyssey Through Europe" (It’s a real book. I swear!) and exchanging it for an exciting romance novel. In order to keep a variety available, and to avoid running out of books, we ask that you bring in a book to exchange. You can keep what you take home or bring it back so someone else can enjoy it. In a book exchange the exchanging is important. Otherwise, we would have to call it a book take. Students, faculty, and staff are all welcome to partake.

YOU CAN TUNE A GUITAR, BUT YOU CAN’T TUNA FISH
BY JANE LITTLEFIELD

Carp diem library patrons and fans! We need your help STAT! Recall that our exalted beta fish mascot, Fitzgerald, passed away in November. After observing the obligatory one week fish grieving period, the Librarians interviewed several candidates and selected a new, more orange mascot. Note his delicate features and pedigreed breeding.

While he has been performing his library duties admirably, he is missing an appropriate moniker. We would like your help in choosing a name* for our mascot. During our Grand Opening festivities we will have a suggestion box available near _____’s bowl. Please submit your ideas! In mid-February we will tally the results, make the top ten suggestions available via an online poll, and you can cast your vote for the name of our mascot. Winner receives an autographed 8x10 glossy once ______ is taught to spell his new name. Stop by the library to learn more about our contest; more info on the poll will be in the next newsletter.

*We will also be taking corporate sponsorship for naming of his stadium/bowl, if the price is right.

THE BIG TEASE: RENOVATION PREVIEW

See it in full size at the Grand Opening!

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