

Dartmouth College Library Staff Association The Annual Report 2010-2011



The Staff Association Establishes the Sarah Jo Buckingham Award at its May 2011 Meeting.

In two separate votes at its May 2011 meeting, the Dartmouth College Library Staff Association Executive Board created a new Merit award to honor those men and women who perform outstanding service on the behalf of the Association. In the first unanimous vote the Merit award was created. In the second unanimous vote the Merit award was named after our friend and former work colleague, Sarah Jo Buckingham who passed away in the Summer of 2010. The award will acknowledge the individual who displays Integrity, Dignity, Stewardship, and Service. These attributes Sarah herself exemplified so often in her many years of service to the Dartmouth College Library. The Sarah Jo Buckingham Award will be bestowed at each Spring Meeting. The former Scholarship Committee will be renamed the Scholarships and Award Committee, and will work to determine each year's recipient.



Sarah Jo Buckingham and her daughter, Helen Jack.

This is the Official Annual report of the Dartmouth College Library Staff Association.

2010 DCLSA Craft Fair is a Success.

In spite of the difficult economy, the Dartmouth College Library Staff Association's Annual Craft Fair was an enormous success. The Craft Fair was held on November 19, 2010 in Alumni Hall at the Hopkins Center featuring over forty vendors selling a wide range of handcrafted items. There was also a cake raffle and a baked goods table. DCLSA Craft Committee Chairs Marilyn Milham and Danelle Sims organized the complex event extremely well. Many volunteers worked to help set up the event and to staff tables. The jazz band Green Room, with Paddock's David Bowden, performed at the event, adding to the festive atmosphere at the start of the holiday season. Proceeds from the DCLSA Craft Fair are used to support library staff members with educational scholarships and athletics.

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July – The DCLSA hosts a luncheon event at EBAs for Library staff.

August – Goodie Corriveau, Chair of the Programming Committee sets up a successful Tree Tour of the campus that is held on September 1, 2010.

September - The DCLSA hosts the annual Service Awards in the 1902 Room. Jeffrey Horrell, Librarian of the College, presents the Awards.

October – The Social Committee creates Halloween baskets and distributes them for the holiday. A special meeting to examine IRS status is held.

November - The DCLSA Craft Fair is held in Alumni Hall at the Hopkins Center. The event is well-attended and a success.

December - The DCLSA hosts the annual Holiday party in the 1902 Room with live music by Green Room.

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January – Jeremy Klockars accepts the Member-At-Large position vacated by Melissa Hutson’s departure.

February – Archive Committee reports on its on-going work.

March – The Executive Board considers co-sponsoring with the Library Diversity Committee a Luncheon Learn called “The Museum in Modern Egypt.”

April – The DCLSA hosts luncheons in the Webster Room at the Hanover Inn.

May - The Board votes to create a Merit Award for distinguished service. The Board votes to name the award for Sarah Jo Buckingham.

June - The DCLSA holds its Spring meeting with cupcakes from the Cupcake Queen.

Dartmouth College Library Staff Association Affirms Its Tax Exempt Status.

This year, the DCLSA affirmed its tax exempt status as an independent organization with the Internal Revenue Service. Treasurer Peggy Sleeth led our efforts to prepare the application, and we were approved in April of 2011. The DCLSA owes Peggy many thanks for all the work that she did in preparing and submitting our application. Peggy weighed our options, sought expert tax advice, reviewed our highly detailed paperwork, and achieved our goal. This was an important accomplishment this year for the organization.