Librarian's Meeting Notes Sept. 14 2004 11:00 Room 438

Attending: David Scott, Jessica Rush, Carrie Forbes, Rick Bearden, Scott Atwell, Joe Weber, Melinda McMartin, Anne Kelly, Richard Cochran, Yuri Konovalov, Leah Monger, Paul Kammerdiner

Dean's Comments:

- The Dean distributed two articles on the future of libraries and encouraged all to read as we may need to begin to justify our existence to the administration
- The Dean has been charged with a task to write a justification for two
 positions (all Deans have this challenge). This will help the VPAA decide
 on where scarce resources can best be allocated.

Announcements:

- Leah
 - Leah opened the discussion portion of the meeting with a discussion on Nature. It was decided at this time to continue with a print subscription as there are concerns about the electronic version.
 - Kluwer. Previously, she distributed a list of titles we can add to our Kluwer subscription list. If there is interest, let her know.
- Rick
 - o There is a link about UNIV 290 on the main page of the web site
 - He will be putting a link to MRI access information up later in the day as it has a rather unique way to get in.

Jessica

- Jessica introduced and began a long discussion about the way to service our off-site constituents.
- Rick agreed to draw up some policies along with Jessica and Carrie for a future meeting. The consensus is this issue is not going away so we need to address it now

With no further business the

Meeting adjourned at 12:00 with no objection

Respectfully submitted:

David Scott