

President's Message



I am very happy to extend a warm welcome to our new members and to welcome back all who are returning. Your membership is what keeps our organization alive and strong.

I wish to recognize those who regularly turn out to attend LAB events. You are the foundation that makes it all worthwhile. Above all, thanks are in order to the executive board and others who volunteer in various capacities to provide excellent programs and services year after year.

Theater night was almost beyond words to describe how wonderful and magical it was. From the live bagpipers on the street to the playhouse setting to the highland jigs, it was delightful from start to finish and enjoyed thoroughly by all who attended.

Please note that it's not too late to volunteer yourself or one of your colleagues to serve on the LAB executive board. This is a truly rewarding and fun way to gain valuable professional interaction and growth.

Come on out to the general meeting and vote!

Suzy Jones
LAB President

General Meeting

Wednesday, March 30, 2005
6:00 PM

Cocoa Beach Public Library
550 North Brevard Avenue
Cocoa Beach
868-1104
[http://www.brev.org/
locations/cocoa_beach/](http://www.brev.org/locations/cocoa_beach/)

Special Guest Speaker:
Margot Trafford Gould
Adult Programming
Coordinator, Cocoa Beach
Public Library

“Something for Everyone”

Library programming refers to recreational, educational and cultural group activities and events sponsored by libraries for the purpose of:

- providing information.
- increasing awareness and promoting library collections.
- providing publicity for libraries and their resources.
- stimulating interest in reading.

Please attend this meeting to hear Ms. Trafford Gould speak about programming at Cocoa Beach Public Library.



Important News



At this month's spring general meeting, members will receive a copy of the 2005 LAB directory and vote to elect the 2005/2006 slate officers.

If you would like to volunteer to serve as vice president or if you know someone who would make a great candidate, please contact a member of the LAB executive board via the e-mail links on the LAB site or by phone.

Serving on the board is a fun and rewarding experience and well worth the small investment of time it requires. Former board members who have been inactive for at least one year are eligible.

Candidates for office will be announced via the LAB-LIST prior to the March 30 meeting.

Looking Ahead...

The 2005 Banquet is set for Saturday, June 18, at Island Pasta Company in Historic Downtown Melbourne. Watch for details in the summer newsletter.

Contact members of the LAB Executive Board with your ideas, requests, comments or concerns at:

<http://www.lib.fit.edu/lab.>