The sixth annual SOAR, a celebration of SOU faculty and student research, performance, and artistic activity, will take place May 14 through May 17. Check out the schedule at sou.edu/SOAR. You are invited to the many free SOAR events in Hannon Library and other campus venues.

**MONDAY, MAY 13**
7:30............Faculty Brass Quintet ($)

**TUESDAY, MAY 14**
12:30-1:00....SOAR Opening Ceremonies
1:00-3:00......Lab & Studio Open Houses
3:00-5:00......Lab & Studio Open Houses
7:00-9:00......Student Film Festival (Varsity Theatre)

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 15**
9:30-11:30....Presentations, Performances & Exhibitions
12:30-4:30....Presentations, Performances & Exhibitions

**THURSDAY, MAY 16**
9:30-11:30....Presentations, Performances & Exhibitions
12:00-1:30....Poster Sessions
1:30-3:30......Presentations, Performances & Exhibitions
4:00-5:00......School/Department Awards Ceremonies
5:00-7:00......SOAR Reception & SOU Author Recognition
8:00.............Theatre: Avenue Q ($)

**FRIDAY MAY 17**
12:30-1:30....Music Recitals
2:00-4:00 .....Theatre on the Green

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**SECOND ANNUAL**

**ASHLAND BOOK AND AUTHOR FESTIVAL 2013**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 22, 2013, 10 AM TO 5 PM**

The public is invited to this free celebration of books and book arts showcasing all facets of literary Southern Oregon. The Festival is an opportunity for area authors, publishers, and book artists to present, read and display their works. Tour the table fair, meet authors of all genres, and attend book readings, writing workshops, calligraphy demonstrations, and panel discussions about Shakespeare, book collecting, mystery and crime writing, and speculative fiction. Explore the library’s Special Collections and view literary gems like Shakespeare’s second and fourth folios. Bring your children! Kids can enjoy a variety of activities, like storytelling and book-making.

Visit the Festival website at www.hanlib.sou.edu/bookfest/ to see a list of participating authors and activity schedules.
**Binary Bumblebees!**

High-resolution images of eighty bumblebees from the SOU Insect Museum can now be viewed at Hannon Library’s digital collections website. The SOU Insect Museum Digital Image Collection showcases images and field collection data of preserved insect specimens that were collected by students, researchers, and amateur collectors from the unique and diverse Klamath-Siskiyou forests ecoregion as well as from many other places around the world.

**Viticultural Resource**

Wine labels, photographs, and other items are being gradually added to the Wine of Southern Oregon digital collection and to Special Collections. Recognizing the importance of collecting and preserving the significant wine history of the Rogue and Applegate valleys, Hannon Library is reaching out to local wineries and vineyards. Enology and viticulture has long been a focus at Hannon Library and collections include 1,100 wine-related books, pamphlets, and ephemera as well as periodicals. Our efforts to preserve local wine history complement the efforts of others around the state, including the Oregon Wine History Archive established by Linfield College in 2011.
E-Resource Update
HANNON LIBRARY IS PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE TWO NEW E-RESOURCES

BizMiner provides access to thousands of industry financial and market reports at the national, state, county, and metro levels. The Industry Financial series contains financials for about 5,000 lines of business and the US Industry Market series provides detailed market statistics for about 6,000 lines of business at the national level. BizMiner also contains detailed market reports at the state, county, and metro level. The School of Business has provided the funds for this new valuable subscription aimed at business students and faculty.

Statistical Abstract of the U.S. is an authoritative and comprehensive summary of statistics on the social, political, and economic conditions of the United States. Previously provided as an annual one-volume book by the U.S. Census Bureau, this continually updated, searchable electronic format of the Statistical Abstract of the U.S. is available through a cooperative arrangement between the U.S. Census Bureau, Bernan Publishing, and ProQuest.

E-resources can be accessed from the library’s website: hanlib.sou.edu. For information, call 541-552-6442.

COMING SOON!
The following e-resources, paid for by the Friends of Hannon Library, will be available within the next few months:

National Geographic Magazine Archive, part of the new National Geographic Virtual Library (NGVL), contains the complete archive of National Geographic Magazine, from the first issue in 1888 until 1994, with color images of all pages in the 1,224 issues, including 160,000 images, 465 map supplements, and detailed indexing of feature articles, map supplements, and advertisements.

Sage Deep Backfile new content will include the full-text of 37 additional journals with coverage beginning at Volume 1, Issue 1 of each title. Each year Sage acquires new journals and we have not updated our backfile for several years. Sage, an important academic publisher, provides journals that are particularly useful in the social sciences, but support all disciplines.

First Fridays in Hannon Library
Join us in Hannon Library for First Friday Art Walks on the first Friday evening of every month from 5:30 to 8:00 p.m. Hannon Library is now a member of the Ashland Gallery Association. Library collections feature a variety of permanent and temporary exhibits. From paintings and photos to historical artifacts and breathtaking sculptures, there’s something to interest just about everyone.

Enjoy live music performed by student virtuosos while viewing the art and artifact collections on display in the library. Guided tours run every half hour from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Visitors are welcome to explore on their own and chat with guest artists.

Admission is free and open to the public. For additional information, contact Library Administration at 541-552-6816 or email libraryevents@sou.edu.

New Faces in the Library
We are happy to welcome three new employees who are filling essential positions:

Raven Keppinger joined the Hannon Library staff in February as the new Access Services Coordinator. She comes to SOU from California where she received a Bachelor’s degree in Anthropology from the University of San Diego, and a Master’s degree in Anthropology from San Diego State University. Throughout her undergraduate and graduate careers she worked as a library student assistant until she was hired as a full-time staff member shortly before graduation. Keeping with her goal to move back to the Pacific Northwest, Raven worked at the University of California, Santa Cruz library before moving to Ashland. She plans to continue her successful track record of diligent work performance at the public service desk in support of ever-changing culture and diversity of library users. Her goal is to facilitate efficiency of circulating library materials ensuring that library patrons are informed and active users.

Max Brooks joined Southern Oregon University in November as the Career Preparation Coordinator. Prior to arriving in Ashland, he spent six years working in the offices of Career Advising and Planning Services and Undergraduate Student Housing at the University of Chicago. Here at SOU, Max’s goal is to help students and alumni translate their academic foundations into professional success. His services will include individual career advising, managing the CareerLink system, developing online career planning tools, hosting information sessions and presentations, managing the annual Career Fair and other employer visits, and building the number of internship and employment opportunities available for students and alumni. Max is located in room 145 of Hannon Library. Stay up to date on career programs by visiting www.sou.edu/careers and by following Career Preparation on Facebook (SOU Office of Career Preparation) and Twitter (@souCareers).

Jon Jennings, the Learning Commons Program Assistant, received a Bachelor’s degree in Foreign Languages in Dallas, Texas. After moving to Medford, he completed SOU’s Certification of Human Resources Management and worked in the HR department on campus until last summer. Jon also received his MBA from SOU in 2011, and he will be working to complete a Master of Arts in Teaching as well. Realizing the importance of education, he hopes the Learning Commons’ tutoring centers will become recognized by students and parents as an invaluable resource for academic success. While math and writing are currently the only subjects tutored in the LC, it is the goal to increase the services available by offering other subjects in a centralized location. Jon is excited to be involved in this improvement process.
Mark your calendar for May 2 and join us. Lue Douthit will be the keynote speaker at the Friends of Hannon Library Annual Membership Meeting. Douthit, OSF Director of Literary Development and Dramaturgy, has been with the Oregon Shakespeare Festival for nineteen seasons and has been the production dramaturg for more than 39 productions. She has also taught theater courses at SOU. Douthit holds doctorate and master’s degrees in dramatic theory and criticism. This annual event is free and begins with light refreshments in the Meese Meeting Room at 5:30 p.m.

The Friends of Hannon Library Board met monthly all year on the second Monday at 4 p.m. in Hannon Library Room 329. Many thanks to FHL President Ruby Whalley, Vice President Jan Wright, Treasurer Jerry Sonnenschein, and the hardworking members of the Board during 2012-2013:

Michael Ainsworth  Joyce Epstein  Jerry Sonnenschein  Patty Wixon
Laura Baden  Sachi Fujikawa  Gary Streit  Jan Wright
Gerald Cavanaugh  Beth Mogford  Ruby Whalley

This year the Friends of Hannon Library spent nearly $12,000 to purchase books and other library resources. Purchases this year include many expensive reference works including the Encyclopedia of School Crime and Violence (2 volumes), Dictionary of Latin American Cultural Studies, Routledge Handbook of Critical Criminology, Dirr’s Encyclopedia of Trees and Shrubs, and Landmark Supreme Court Cases (3 volumes). The Friends of Hannon Library also purchased 27 books relating to Shakespeare and his times for the Margery Bailey Collection.

For the first time, the Friends purchased expensive e-resources that the library would have otherwise been unable to acquire. These include:

• National Geographic Magazine Archive is the comprehensive digital archive from the first issue in 1888 until 1994, with color images, maps, and searching features.
• Sage Deep Backfile provides the full-text of 37 journals from this important academic publisher with coverage beginning at Volume 1, Issue 1 of each title.

All Friends members are invited to use Hannon Library’s resources and to attend events, which will be announced at www.hanlib.sou.edu. To join the Friends of Hannon Library or renew your membership, use the new online form (www.hanlib.sou.edu/friends/becomeafriend.html) or come into the library.

Gifts to the Friends of Hannon Library are eligible for an Oregon tax credit as an approved cultural organization through the Oregon Cultural Trust. For information go to: www.culturaltrust.org.
You are invited to join us on Thursday, May 2, for the 2013 Friends of Hannon Library Annual Membership Event. Lue Morgan Douthit will present “Playing (Play) Doctor.” Douthit, OSF Director of Literary Development and Dramaturgy, has been with the Oregon Shakespeare Festival for nineteen seasons and has been the production dramaturg for more than 39 productions. She has also taught theater courses at Southern Oregon University. Douthit holds doctorate and master’s degrees in dramatic theory and criticism, and in 1999 she was awarded the Elliott Hayes Award for Outstanding Achievement in Dramaturgy from LMDA (Literary Managers and Dramaturgs of the Americas).

This year’s annual event is free and all are welcome. We will enjoy complimentary hors d’oeuvres at 5:30 p.m. The keynote will follow a short business meeting. The event will be held in Hannon Library’s Meese Meeting Room (LIB 305). For information call 541-552-6816.

I also invite and encourage you to become a member of the Friends of Hannon Library, and if you are a member, to continue your membership. Over forty years ago we began as an organization committed to raising money to buy resources and materials that the University could not afford with its regular budget. Our mission remains vital as the prices of books, journals, and electronic resources continue to rise. The Board of the Friends remains committed to supporting Hannon Library as they provide important new services and resources.

I hope to see you Thursday, May 2, for a no-cost evening of good company, refreshments, and a stimulating keynote by this OSF luminary. I promise you a delightful evening.

—RUBY WHALLEY
FRIENDS OF HANNON LIBRARY PRESIDENT

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