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Minutes
Cataloger' Technical Group
Wednesday, October 1, 2008

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Call to Order

- The meeting was called to order at 9:35 am.

Announcements

- Niles Library will be hosting the LC traveling exhibit on Ben Franklin for approximately 6 weeks.

Approval of last meeting's minutes

- The minutes of the August 5, 2008 meeting were approved as amended.

CCS Reports

- Administrator's Report
  - No report.
- Trainer's Report
  - No report.
- Database Manager's Report
  - Experimental Wiki Cataloging Manual.
    - Will be hosted by Lake Villa
    - Please look at the format and forward suggestions to anyone on the SCRAP committee.
  - OCLC WorldCat Local
    - Close to ready to roll out
    - Can keep eSerials up to date
    - Test libraries
      - Zion-Benton
      - Niles
      - DesPlaines
  - Release 3.2.1
    - On the test server at the beginning of November
- Authorities Librarian's Report
  - LC subject headings
    - 6 subject headings proposed by CCS were all approved in one week
    - Changes
      - Insurance now in direct order
      - Finished movie genre headings – splitting TV from film
  - MARCIVE will go next week
  - Non-Latin references

- Now part of OCLC authority records
- Currently can't be handled by our system.
- See Virginia's handout for more information and examples.
- Leave non-Latin characters (880 fields) in catalog records – they display properly.

Committee Reports
- SCRAP – Jane Levine
  - Continue Wikification of the Cataloging Manual
  - Finalized Chapter 7 of the Cataloging Manual, on children's materials.
- Acquisitions Committee – Evelyn Kaehler
  - No report.
- Continuing Education Committee – Laura Cloud
  - Will be meeting later today.
- Database Management Task Force – Carol Pinson
  - No report.

Cataloging Issues
- Proposal for GMD qualifiers for videogames.
  - Proposal: Change the 245 subfield h GMD qualifier to the videogame platform.
    - Motioned by Jane Levine (WNK)
    - Seconded by Jeff Ahrens (RLK)
  - Motion passed by unanimous vote.
  - Draft list of GMD qualifiers:
    - Wii
    - PlayStation
    - PlayStation 2
    - PlayStation 3
    - Xbox
    - Xbox 360
    - GameCube
- Handling digital discs that are added to DVDs.
  - Background
    - Coming now with some new DVDs
      - Some added to a packaged DVD (rubberbanded together)
      - Some are part of the packaged item (legitimate from publisher)
      - Some are mentioned on the packaging, but not part of the original packaging
    - Most carry an expiration date and need a code to download
  - In OCLC, may or may not be mentioned in the catalog record

- When present, add a 500 note "Accompanying material may vary" to catalog record.
- If choose to circulate, make some mention of what the second item is in the catalog record.
- If choose not to circulate, add a public note to the item record.

SIRSI Issues
- Roger Anderson went through the highlights of the Symphony 3.2 release notes.
- Document and report to Roger things that you could do in the C-client that you can no longer do in the Java client.
- When 3.2.1 is loaded on the test server, please look at it.

OCLC Issues
- WorldCat Local
  - Roger went over a change every library needs to make to their profile in OCLC for WorldCat Local to work.
  - Searches WorldCat first and then feeds into our local catalog for shelf status
    - Goes by ISBN first, then ISSN.
    - Can do as a front page, where your catalog searches start.
    - Can do as an add-on, where your searches start in your local catalog and then go into WorldCat.

Other Issues
- The revised by-laws were sent to Executive Committee for approval.
- We brainstormed workshop topics, including:
  - How to use the new Wiki toward the end of the fiscal year
  - Foreign language material review
  - Series statements
  - Multi-volume record review
  - New Java tips & tricks
  - Repeat review of past topics
  - Review "does it really belong on this record?"
- Ken may have a list of big overall Java changes that may impact cataloging.
- 029 field added to the junktag list.

Adjournment
- The meeting was adjourned at 11:32 am.

Next meeting
- December 3, 2008 at Niles
- Treats: Glenview

Attendance

ALK: Patty Pearsall
CLK: Debbie Hayes
CPQ:
DPK: John LaValie
DUK: Karin Nelson
EAK: Laura Cloud, Tanvee Mahadik, Brian Christensen
EVK: Evelyn Kaehler
GCK: Becky Halcli
GVK: Sue Kim, Phyllis Corrigan
HUK: Calah Goehring, Candy Schumacker
LFK: Ann Limoges, Jian Tan
LNK: Shao-Chen Lin
LVK: Lois Wessale, Suzanne Ginsparg
MJK: Kathy Milfajt
MUK: Ingrid Amberg, Anita Santoro
NBK: Barb Mayer, Joyce Horvath
NIK: Joel Hahn, Betty Zhan, Ann Pasnick, Barbara Sanders
PHK: Kimberly Last
PRK: Linda Egebrecht, Carol Pinson
RLK: Jeff Ahrens
WLK:
WNK: Jane Levine, Mark Swenson
ZIK:
CCS: Virginia Seward, Roger Anderson, JoAnne Holmes