The UCF Libraries are pleased to announce that together UCF funded and Advanced, Phoebe Carpenter, recently made a $160,000 pledge to the UCF Regional Library located at the BCC/UCF Joint-use campus in Cocoa. The gift will establish the John Archer Carpenter Library Endowment Fund.

Phoebe has served on several UCF boards, including the UCF Foundation Board of Trustees. Her passion for learning and education was cultivated at an early age by her parents. According to Phoebe, “When the idea of UCF was born, my father was chairman of the Florida Board of Regents. Later, he went on to become the chairman of the Florida Senate’s Committee on Education. So education runs in my blood and I feel an obligation to do something constructive to help people advance in their education.”

Thank you, Phoebe, for your generous support of the UCF Libraries. Your gift will greatly impact all UCF students who utilize the BCC/UCF Joint-use Library. If you would like to learn more about the Carpenter Library Endowment Fund, please contact the Library Development Office for a confidential discussion: (407) 823-5982 or dteague@mail.ucf.edu.

Library Exhibits

Victors of the New America

Come and celebrate the work of UCF’s student artists as they exhibit their work dedicated to the UCF Common Theme: The New America: Mirroring the Present through Traditional and Virtual Heritage. This exhibit encompasses physical Cape Canaveral artifacts, historical photographs, and resources will include the study of English, the Humanities, and Renaissance and Elizabethtown Literature. I am going to give the gift because of the joint work being accomplished in the collaboration between UCF and Brevard Community College.

If you would like to learn more about the exhibit, please contact the Library Development Office for a confidential discussion: (407) 823-5982 or dteague@mail.ucf.edu.

National Library Week, April 2006

April is National Library Week. The UCF Libraries will celebrate National Library Week, April 2-8. An exhibit on the second floor of the main UCF Orlando Library will highlight this year’s event. There will be three large display cabinets containing book and CD based exhibits that parallel the three areas of study at the University of Central Florida: www.ucfvirtualheritage.org. This exhibit encompasses physical Cape Canaveral artifacts, historical photographs, and resources will include the study of English, the Humanities, and Renaissance and Elizabethtown Literature.

Today the skyline of Cape Canaveral is a shadow of its glory years. The historic sites here are stilled and the human presence is quite minimal. Visit the UCF Libraries to experience the virtual heritage that can assist in recreating the past.

If you have a query regarding ways you can support the UCF Libraries, please contact the Library Development Office for a confidential discussion: (407) 823-5982 or dteague@mail.ucf.edu.

Virtual Heritage at UCF (June 2006)

Kudos

The UCF Libraries will honor Norman and Jean Gould, and sons Jeffrey and Bruce, on May 17 for their generous support of the UCF Libraries. More details will be forthcoming.

Hold the Date

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