New Technologies Group
Tuesday, September 4
10:00 – 11:00 A.M.
Instruction Room 1 (4G41)
Ellis Library

At the next New Technologies Group meeting, Andy White from ET@MO will talk about iTunes U at MU. The university has been involved in the iTunes pilot project and will soon make a decision about its future on campus.

He will bring a handout developed by Guy Wilson that compares Blackboard, iTunes, and ERes.

All staff are welcome to attend.

Feedback for Web Pages
To make it easier to send feedback to the Web group, I've added the feedback form to the top of the Staff Web site. Please use the form to report anomalies, annoyances, and any accolades you may wish to share with the Web Advisory Group.

http://mulibraries.missouri.edu/staff/

You may also send an e-mail to MULibraryWebMaster@missouri.edu

Please use the above e-mail address or the form to make sure we can promptly address your requests.

Thanks,
Judy Maseles
The Web Advisory Group

FREE Laptop Anti-Theft Registration and Wireless Key Upgrade

MUPD and Ellis Library Security will be providing a FREE laptop registration and engraving session in Ellis Library for the Fall Semester on Tuesday, August 28th from 9 A.M. to 1 P.M. and on Wednesday, August 29th from 12 to 4 P.M. in the colonnade area. LTS staff will also be on hand to help patrons update the Wireless Equivalent Privacy Key (WEP) on their laptops. All staff and student workers are encouraged to bring their laptops to have registered and/or engraved.

Thanks!
Ellis Library Security
A MULSA Thank You

We had a wonderful turn-out for the New Employee Tea on Tuesday, August 14th, and MULSA would like to thank several people that helped make it possible: Jim Cogswell for his kind words; Kim Bussard of the Veterinary School for providing brochures and a donations box for Barkley House; Shannon Cary and Goodie Bhullar for helping to provide some wonderful library promotional items for our welcome bags; and Felicity Dykas for her generous donations for the pet photo contest.

We would also like to thank Angie Eldridge (Jerri’s daughter) for kindly helping us set up the tables and prepare the refreshments and Dustin Hoffman of Security for helping us with moving tables after the event.

Thank you again for attending our events and please keep reading the NEWS NOTES to watch for future exciting events!

Your MULSA board

MULSA Announcement: Winners of the Pet Photo Contest from the MULSA Tea!

They are:

- 1st place: Colleen Smith, of Cataloging, won a gift certificate from PETCO.
- 2nd Place: Stephen Clayton, of the Missourian Library, won an ornamental cat key hanger.
- 3rd Place: Hayden Murphey of Shelving, won a pair of cat figurines.
- 4th Place: Michael Spears, of the Health Sciences Library, won a pair of snake stuffed animals.

Congratulations to all of our winners!

Fund-raising Announcement

During the New Employee Tea, MULSA raised funds for the Veterinary School’s Barkley House project, which is a proposed temporary residence for people who travel to the Veterinary Hospital with critically ill pets. MULSA collected $33.69 for this project at the Tea. Thanks to everyone who donated.
Salary Letters FYI

Salary Letters for FY08 were mailed yesterday afternoon and should be received this weekend. As in the past, they were mailed to the home address of library employees. The effective date of salary adjustments is August 26th for non-exempt employees (those paid bi-weekly), and September 1st for exempt employees (those paid monthly).

~Leo Agnew
Personnel Coordinator

National College Colors Day is August 31

On Friday, August 31 the third annual National College Colors Day celebration will take place across America.

College Colors Day, which coincides with both “back to school” and the kick-off of intercollegiate athletics, including football, seeks to celebrate and promote the traditions and spirit that make the college traditions great by encouraging fans, alumni, and students to wear apparel of their favorite college throughout the day of Friday, August 31. College Colors Day strives to promote higher education in the United States through increased public awareness and celebrates the achievements of colleges and universities in the United States, acknowledging their critical and fundamental importance to the United States.

To celebrate College Colors Day, MU Libraries employees are encouraged to wear their MU Libraries T-shirts. Please contact Shannon Cary at carysn@missouri.edu if you have not received a T-shirt.