

# Burton Library Newsletter

## LIBRARY WEBSITE

The Library staff has updated the library webpage to make it more user-friendly and easier to navigate. All of our resources can be found either through a search box in the center of the library page or through links on either side of the library page. We have eliminated extra pages of resources. We have also added a “new book” widget at the bottom of the page. Please check it out and let us know if you have any questions.

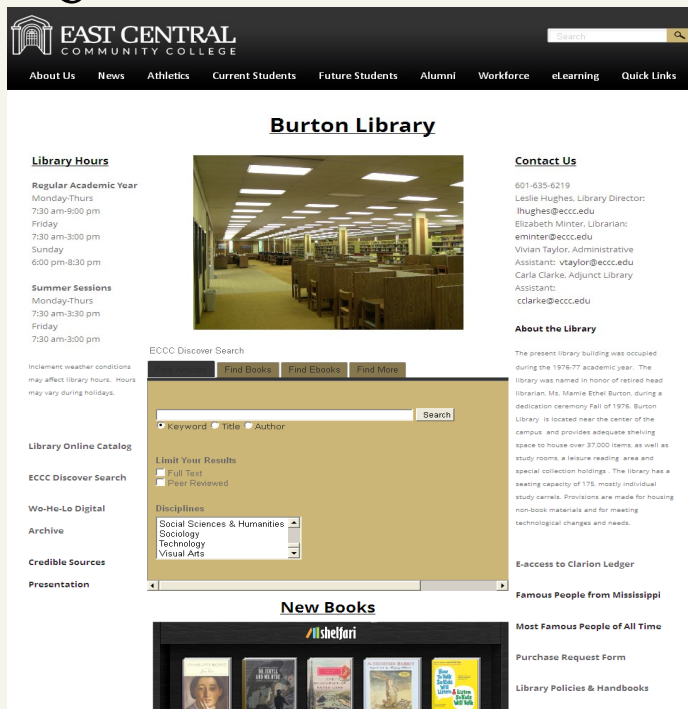
## LIBRARY RECLASSIFICATION PROJECT

The Library staff began the reclassification project in Spring 2010. The project involved taking all of the items in the collection, finding the Library of Congress call number for them and using that number in place of Dewey Decimal for organization on the shelves. This required changing records in the online catalog and replacing the spine labels, then re-shelving them in the new classification scheme on the shelves. While this process was time-consuming, it was deemed necessary, in order to get students familiar with the Library of Congress classification that they will see in college and university libraries. The reclassification project was finished in Summer 2013.

## FUTURE GOALS

The Library staff is continuing to work with the Alumni Association to digitize materials from the Memorabilia Room. After the *Wo-He-Lo* Annuals were digitized, we decided that it was necessary to digitize the *Tom-Tom* newspapers since they were becoming very brittle. We hope that they will be available for viewing online by the Spring 2014 semester.

The Library staff is planning to catalog the items in the Memorabilia Room so that they will be searchable in the library’s online catalog. We would also like to have a picture of the item in the record. We are hoping to begin this project in Summer 2014.



## **NEW RESOURCES**

(Please contact library staff for database log-in information)

### **EBSCO DISCOVERY SERVICE (EDS, Warrior Search)**

With EDS, researchers can conduct a discovery search of their library's entire collection on a single, powerful search platform—including databases, special collections, eBooks, catalog records, archives and a wide range of digital content available through their library. Users have the option of conducting a discovery search from the Basic Search Screen which provides a single search box, or the Advanced Search Screen which allows users to search with search modes, expanders, limiters and disciplines.

### **Associate Program Source Plus**

The database covers a wide-range of subject areas to cover key studies in two-year college settings; from cosmetology to fashion design, to biotechnology to health information technology, plus dozens more equally varied areas of study. This database is accessible under Warrior Search.

### **AtoZ the World**

This database is the world's most thorough country-by-country resource for learning about culture and customs worldwide. It consists of 175 Country Guides of 100+ topics each. No other single resource covers so many topics so well for so many countries.

### **Auto Repair Reference Center**

This database contains do-it-yourself repair and maintenance information on most major manufacturers of domestic and imported vehicles. New repair procedures, TSBs and updates are added to the product on a regular basis. All of the content has been created by ASE certified technicians.

### **Biography Reference Center**

Containing many of the top-ranked biographical reference collections and magazines, this database offers a comprehensive collection of full-text biographies, as well as thousands of unique narrative biographies. This resource provides superior coverage for several of the most popular and heavily-researched biographies and genres, including those contained within *Biography Today* and *Biography* (both dating back to the first issue published).

### **Community College Collection eBook Subscription in EBSCO**

Focused on the academic and trade information needs of community colleges, this multidisciplinary collection contains more than 48,000 titles, covering topics across programs and fields of study in key subject areas such as the Humanities and Social Sciences, Business, Science & Technology, and Literary Criticism.

### **NBC Learn**

This resource is a collection of primary source videos, newsreels, documents, and images that can be used for research, projects, and in classroom and online teaching. It contains over 10,000 resources, with short 2-5 minute videos that are engaging, relevant and inspiring.

### **Nursing Reference Center**

This database provides nurses with evidence-based resources that they can access for quick reference at the point-of-care including: Quick Lessons providing disease and condition overviews that map to the nursing workflow; Evidence-Based Care Sheets providing summaries of what is known about a disease or condition and the best treatment options; Nursing Cultural Competencies providing information on how to treat patients from diverse cultures ;Patient education handouts; Point-of-care drug information.

### **Points of View**

This database contains many topics, each with an overview (objective background/description), point (argument) and counterpoint (opposing argument). For each topic, this database also offers a *Guide to Critical Analysis*, which helps the reader evaluate the controversial topics. The *Guide to Critical Analysis* enhances students' ability to read critically, develop their own perspective on the issues, and write or debate an effective argument on the topic.