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# **SOCIAL NETWORKING:**

## **WHERE IS EVERYONE**

## THEY'RE ON FACEBOOK OF COURSE!

Another staff training opportunity, sponsored by the Library Instruction Team--All are welcome.

**Facebook for Libraries**--Aimee deChambeau & Darren Chase Friday, Mar. 27, 10:00 AM, Classroom A

A brief introduction to ways libraries & librarians use this social network to enhance services and build community.



#### **STONY BROOK EVENTS:**

April 17 is Earth Day. During previous years the campus has drawn its staff and others from the community to the academic mall. This year will be no different. Mark your calendars for a lively day of activities and exhibits.

Part of this day is set aside for Pride Patrol. You wear casual clothing to beautify an area on our campus. Complete the form you received in the interoffice mail and send it back to the office listed on the form. Then on April 17 join the others from the library at the fountain. There you will get assigned to an area that needs some improvement. Gloves and water are provided. You can get rid of some winter weight and feel good about yourself and the campus!



### **PUBMED CENTRAL:**

Washington, D.C. – March 12, 2009 – President Obama signed into law the 2009 Consolidated Appropriations Act, which includes a provision making the National Institutes' of Health (NIH)

Public Access Policy permanent.

Heather Joseph, spokesperson for the Alliance for Taxpayer Access noted, "Thanks to the work of a wide coalition of patients, libraries, researchers, publishers, students, and taxpayers, the results of NIH-funded research can be accessed – and used – in ways never before possible. The successful implementation of this policy will unlock the potential of this research to benefit the public as a whole."

For more information, and a timeline detailing the evolution of the NIH Public Access Policy beginning May 2004, visit the ATA Web site at <a href="http://www.taxpayeraccess.org">http://www.taxpayeraccess.org</a>.