Got Fines? Give Food!
UML Food for Fines
Sept 12—Sept 25

Do you have current library fines? If so, you may want to take advantage of the UML Food for Fines program running September 12 to 25.

For each non-perishable food contribution you make, the Libraries will reduce your fines by $2 (to a maximum reduction of $20). Collected food is donated to the University of Manitoba Food Bank, which provides assistance to students in need.

Food donations will be accepted at all University of Manitoba libraries, including the hospital libraries.

Unsure if you have a library fine? Call us or check “My Library Account” from the library’s website.

What’s New at the Library?

September is often the time to start something new, whether going back to school or beginning new projects for the coming year. The VGH Library would like to remind all hospital staff and physicians that we are here to support your information needs for patient care, management and continuing education. We have lots of new things to share so our newsletter is two pages long this month. As always, contact us with any questions.

New Website! http://libguides.lib.umanitoba.ca/victoria
The July VGH Library newsletter featured our new website design. All the University of Manitoba libraries have switched to a new look that still connects you to great online resources. Key features include:

- Quick search boxes on the main page for UpToDate, PubMed, E-Journals, E-Books, Databases and the library catalogue.
- My Library Account for renewing books online
- Guides for discipline-specific e-resource toolkits and topic guides

Just a note: our old website address will still work for the next few months then you’ll want to bookmark the new address or add it to your favourites. Our website address too long to remember? You can get to any of the Health Sciences Libraries pages via http://umanitoba.ca/libraries

New Loan Periods! Term loans and no fines for most overdues
As of August 15, the University of Manitoba Libraries (UML) have changed book loan periods and fines policies. Now most of our books will be signed out for term loans with three standard due dates:
December 15, April 15, August 15. Key points to remember:

- Books not returned by the term loan due date will be overdue, but can still be renewed up to 3 times.
- No fines are charged for regular overdue items; items overdue at 30 days will be billed as lost.
- Recall fines have increased to $3.00/item/day. Any UML book can be “recalled” if another borrower places a hold on it. A new due date notice is generated and fines are charged when the recalled item is overdue.
**New Books!**

We’ve received many new books over the last few weeks. If you haven’t seen one of our new book lists (distributed in print to all departments), here’s a **sampling** of some of the new titles. You can also check our website for a running list of newly-received items and even subscribe to an RSS feed of all new materials. See us or contact us to request any titles.

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