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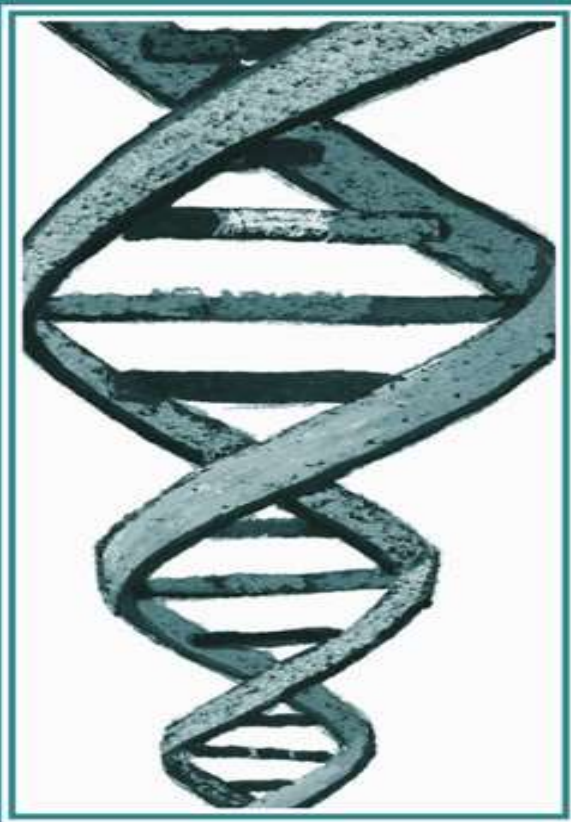
ANNIVERSARY

**SLIDE SHOW
PRESENTATION**

1972 - 2007



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HEALTH SCIENCES
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OF NEW JERSEY

**The
1970s**



Cathy Boss, Ruth Rosensweig, Jane McCarthy, Calvin Zamarelli

HSLANJ HISTORY

1972

- HSLANJ had its beginnings as the New Jersey Hospital Library Association.
- Organizational meeting took place on March 15, 1972, in the lounge of the School of Nursing, Martland Hospital of the College of Medicine & Dentistry of New Jersey.

1st NJHLA Board

Elizabeth McMullen, President
Marie Thompson, Secretary
Sister Paschal, Director
Victoria Gonzalez, Director

Jane McCarthy, President-Elect
Calvin Zamarelli, Treasurer
Bernice Donini, Director

1972

Facts & Statistics in the United States

President: Richard Nixon

Vice-President: Spiro T. Agnew

Population: 209,896,021

Life Expectancy: 71.2 years

Federal Spending: \$230.68 billion

Median Household Income (current dollars): \$9,697

Cost of a 1st Class stamp: \$0.08

Angelyn Challenger

Deborah Heart & Lung Center



Angelyn Challenger, Deborah Heart & Lung Center

1972 Olympics in Munich, West Germany

➤ Tragedy struck when 11 Israeli athletes were killed after eight members of an Arab terrorist group invaded the Olympic Village.

➤ Mark Spitz set an Olympic gold medal record by winning four individual and three relay events, all in world record times.

➤ The United States lost an Olympic basketball game for the first time ever (they were 62-0) when the Soviets were given three chances to convert a last-second inbound pass. The Soviets won 51-50. The U.S. refused the silver medal.



Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

1972

- CAT (Computerized Axial Tomography) Scanning is developed in England.
- The compact disk is developed by RCA.
- Electronic mail is introduced.
- The National Institute of Mental Health & the Surgeon General issue a report that claims exposure to violence on television fosters aggression in children.



HSLANJ HISTORY

1974-1976

- “Provisional Standards for New Jersey Hospital Libraries...” completed by July of 1974.
- In 1975 a survey was taken under the auspices of the New Jersey Hospital Association as part of the preparation for a grant application to the National Library of Medicine. There was an 80% response.



Bergen Pines County Hospital -- c1975

Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>1974</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>1976</u>
Population:	213,853,928	215,973,199	218,035,164
Life Expectancy:	72.0 years	72.6 years	72.9 years
Federal Spending:	\$269.36 billion	\$332.33 billion	\$629.0 billion
Median Household Income (current dollars):	\$11,197	\$11,800	\$12,686

1974

President: Richard M. Nixon
Vice-President: Gerald R. Ford

1975-1976

President: Gerald R. Ford
Vice-President: Nelson A. Rockefeller

LECTURES

NJHWA

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Class given in 1976

Interesting Facts

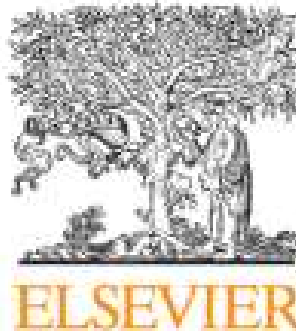
1972-1976

- June 17, 1972, 5 men try to bug the Democratic offices at the Watergate hotel & office complex.
- On February 4, 1974, Patty Hearst, daughter of publisher Randolph Hearst, was kidnapped by the Symbionese Liberation Army.
- August 8, 1974, Richard Nixon becomes the first President to resign.
- The Altair home computer kit allows consumers to build and program their own personal computers. (1975)
- Richard Leakey discovers a 1.5 million year old Homo erectus skull in Kenya. (1976)

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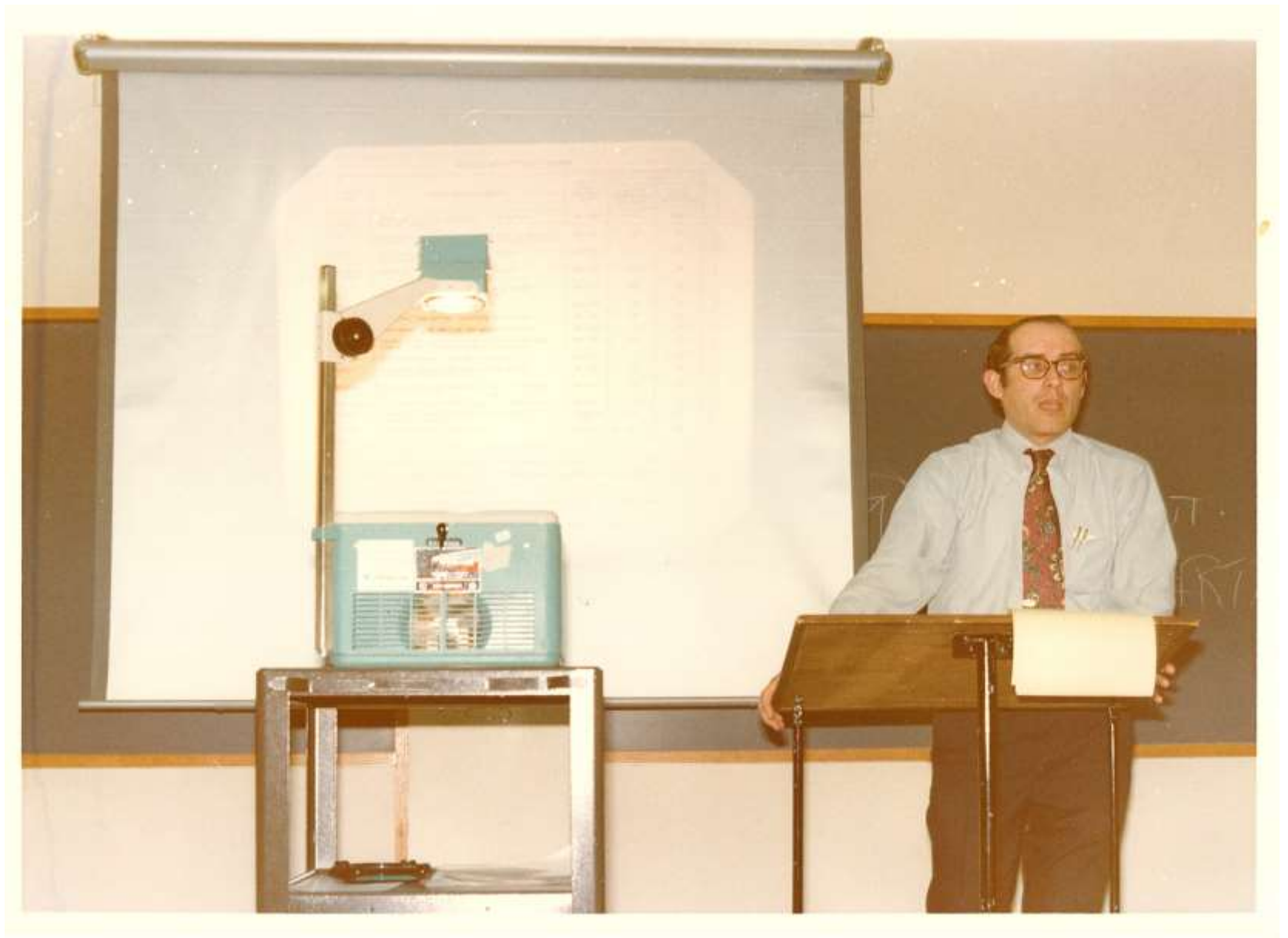
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World & U.S. Events in 1975 & 1976

- April 30, 1975, The city of Saigon is surrendered and remaining Americans are evacuated, ending the Vietnam War.
- September 5, 1975, President Gerald Ford escapes first assassination attempt.
- September 22, 1975, President Gerald Ford escapes a second assassination attempt.
- July 3, 1976, the U.S. Supreme Court rules that the death penalty is not cruel and unusual and is an acceptable form of punishment.
- July 4, 1976, Israeli airborne commandos attack Uganda's Entebbe Airport. 103 hostages held on an Air France plane by pro-Palestinian hijackers were freed.
- November 2, 1976, Jimmy Carter becomes the 39th President.



Donald King, Rutgers School of Library & Information Science,
teaching a class in 1976.

HSLANJ HISTORY

1977-1979

- In 1977, the New Jersey Health Sciences Library Association participated for the 1st time in the Middle Atlantic Health Congress.
- NJHSLA becomes the Health Sciences Library Association of New Jersey (HSLANJ).
- Membership expands to recruit other health sciences libraries in addition to hospital libraries.

Facts & Statistics in the United States

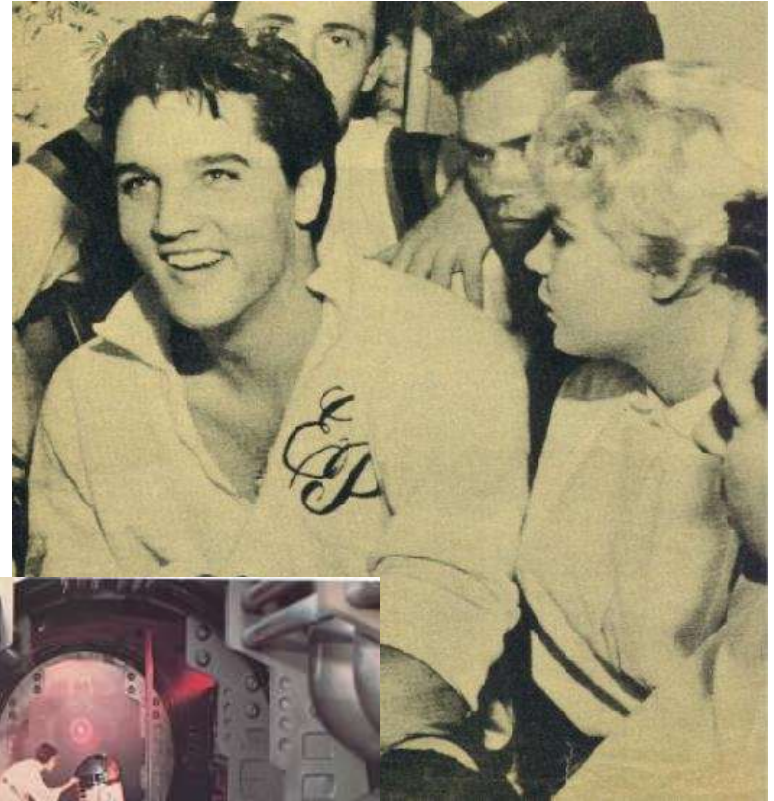
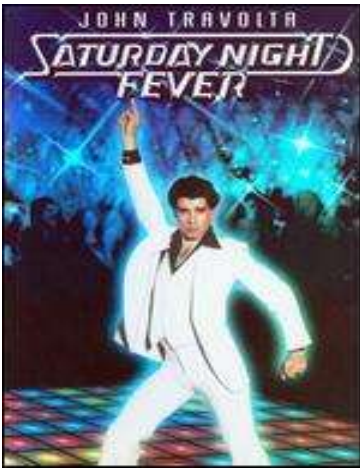
	<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>	<u>1979</u>
Population:	220,239,425	222,584,545	225,055,487
Life Expectancy:	73.3 years	73.5 years	73.9 years
Federal Spending:	\$409.22 billion	\$458.75 billion	\$504.03 billion
Federal Debt:	\$706.4 billion	\$776.6 billion	\$829.5 billion
Median Household Income (current dollars):	\$13,572	\$15,064	\$16,461
Unemployment:	7.1%	6.1%	5.8%



Calvin Zamarelli, Kathy Vick, Marie Thompson & Vernon Bruette

Entertainment News

1977



➤ Elvis Presley dies at Graceland. He was 42.

➤ Star Wars hits theaters and will go on to be the second highest-grossing film of all time.

➤ Saturday Night Fever sparks the disco inferno & the popularity of movie soundtracks.



1977-1979



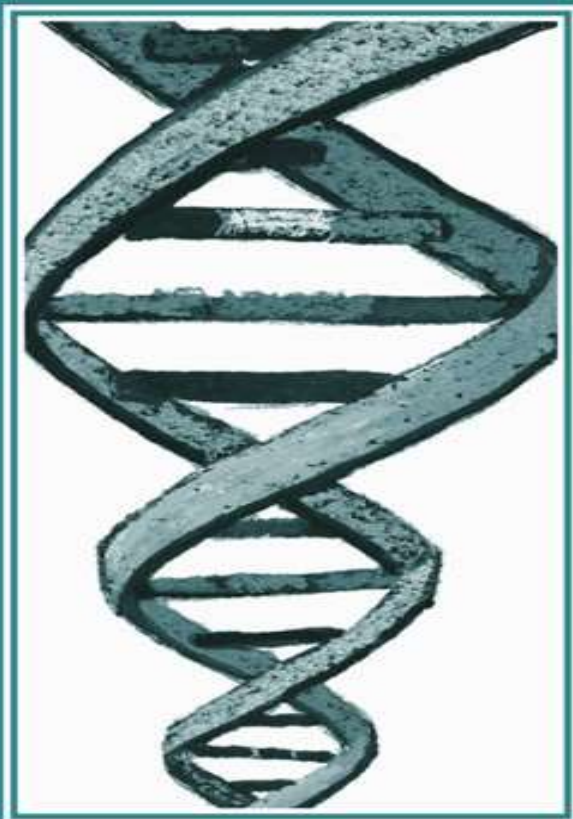
United States & World Events

- In 1977, Jimmy Carter pardons Vietnam draft evaders.
- In 1978, Jim Jones's followers commit mass suicide in Jonestown, Guyana.
- In 1978, Louise Brown, the first test tube baby, is born at Oldham Hospital in London.
- In 1979, there was a nuclear power plant accident at Three Mile Island in Pennsylvania. Radioactive gases and water were released.
- In 1979, Iranian militants seize the US embassy in Teheran and hold hostages. 52 hostages remained in captivity for 444 days.
- The accidental release of anthrax spores at a Soviet bioweapons facility in Sverdlovsk kills several hundred.



Children's Specialized Hospital

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HSLANJ HISTORY

1980

- Finance Committee established.
- Obtained appointment of Liaison from the New Jersey State Library to HSLANJ.
- New Health Sciences Network organized.
- Bylaws revision. (Standing Committee established)

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Cathy Hilman & Chris Connor

1980

Facts & Statistics in the United States

President: James Earl Carter, Jr.

Vice-President: Walter F. Mondale

Population: 227,224,681

Life Expectancy: 73.7 years

Federal Spending: \$590.95 billion

Median Household Income (current dollars): \$17,710

Cost of a 1st Class stamp: \$0.15



Early Literature Searching

1980 Entertainment News



On December 8, 1980, John Lennon of the Beatles is shot dead in New York. Lennon was murdered outside his New York apartment building by Mark Chapman. Every year crowds gather at Strawberry Fields and remember Lennon by singing songs, laying flowers, and holding a silent vigil at 10:50 p.m. ET, the time of the shooting.

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1980 Summer Olympics in Moscow

- Over 32 nations withdrew their athletes from the 1980 Summer Olympics in Moscow in support of the American led boycott to protest the December 1979, Soviet invasion of Afghanistan.
- U.S. President Jimmy Carter pressured the USOC to officially withdraw in April.
- West Germany, Japan, and many other western governments followed suit and withheld their athletes.
- But others, like Britain and France, while supporting the boycott, allowed their Olympic committees to participate if they wished.
- The first Games to be held in a Communist country opened in July with 80 nations competing and were dominated by the USSR and East Germany.



Joanne
Searle
1982

HSLANJ HISTORY

1981-1983

- Archives Committee activated.
- Long Range Planning Committee established.
- Special Interest Group for Nursing.
- Nursing Libraries Resources Section.
- An Interlibrary Loan plan was presented at the March 1981 meeting of HSLANJ, amplified by an audiovisual presentation developed by Kathleen Moeller. The plan went into effect on June 1, 1981.
- In 1982, the Medical Library Association and the New York State Library Association published manuals regarding standards of health science libraries in hospitals.
- In 1983, a contest was held to choose a name for the HSLANJ newsletter. Rosary Gilheany won the contest with the name “HSLANJ Speaks.”

Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>	<u>1983</u>
Population:	229,465,714	231,664,458	233,791,994
Life Expectancy:	74.1 years	74.5 years	74.6 years
Federal Spending:	\$678.25 billion	\$745.76 billion	\$808.38 billion
Federal Debt:	\$994.8 billion	\$1137.3 billion	\$1371.7 billion
Median Household Income (current dollars):	\$19,074	\$20,171	\$20,885
Unemployment:	7.6%	9.7%	9.6%
President: Ronald W. Reagan			
Vice-President: George Bush			

1984
Chris
Connor &
Joanne
Searle





World & U.S. Events 1981 to 1983

- January 20, 1981, Ronald Reagan takes oath as 40th President.
- President Reagan is wounded in an assassination attempt on March 30, 1981.
- May 14, 1981, Pope John Paul II wounded by gunman.
- July 7, 1981, Reagan nominates Judge Sandra Day O'Connor as first woman on the US Supreme Court.
- John W. Hinckley, Jr. found not guilty because of insanity in shooting of President Reagan on June 21, 1982.
- On June 30, 1982, the Equal Rights Amendment fails ratification.
- The second space shuttle Challenger makes a successful maiden voyage on April 4, 1983.
- 237 US Marines are killed in a terrorist explosion in Beirut on October 23, 1983.



Entertainment News

1981-1983



1981

- MTV goes on the air running around the clock music videos.
- Pacman-mania sweeps the country.
- *Raiders of the Lost Ark*, *On Golden Pond*, & *Chariots of Fire* are released in the theater.

1982

- Michael Jackson releases *Thriller*, which sells more than 25 million copies.
- John Belushi dies of a drug overdose at the age of 33.
- *Cats* opens on Broadway.
- *E.T* and *Tootsie* are released in the theater.

1983

- More than 125 million viewers watch the last episode of *M.A.S.H.*
- Singer Karen Carpenter dies of complications from Anorexia Nervosa at age 32.
- Movies released in the theater: *The Big Chill* & *Terms of Endearment*





Denver 1984
Joann Mehalick &
Betty Garrison

Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

1981-1983



1981

- AIDS is first identified in the U.S.
- IBM introduces its first personal computer, running MS-DOS.
- The FDA approves the use of artificial sweetener, aspartame. (NutraSweet)

1982



- A permanent artificial heart is implanted in a human for the first time in Dr. Barney B. Clark at University of Utah Medical Center in Salt Lake City.
- MRI diagnostic machines are introduced in Britain.

1983



- “Crack” cocaine is developed in the Bahamas & soon appears in the U.S.
- The FCC authorizes Motorola to begin testing cellular phone service in Chicago.

Denver, 1984
Debbie Michaels



HSLANJ HISTORY

1984-1986

- HSLANJ becomes an Allied Member of the New Jersey Hospital Association.
- HSLANJ had an informational exhibit at the New Jersey Library Association Annual Meeting.
- HSLANJ sponsored their first Medical Library Association CE Course.
- HSLANJ meetings were put on a cost recovery basis.
- The one day Retreat for Board Members was initiated.

MLA
Convention
Denver, 1984



Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>1984</u>	<u>1985</u>	<u>1986</u>
Population:	235,824,902	237,923,795	240,132,887
Life Expectancy:	74.7 years	74.7 years	74.7 years
Federal Spending:	\$851.85 billion	\$946.39 billion	\$990.34 billion
Federal Debt:	\$1564.7 billion	\$1817.5 billion	\$2120.6 billion
Median Household Income (current dollars):	\$22,415	\$23,618	\$24,897
Unemployment:	7.5%	7.2%	7.0%
President: Ronald W. Reagan			
Vice-President: George Bush			

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1986 – Aileen Tannenbaum, Kathy Moeller & Joann Mehalick



World & U.S. Events 1984 to 1986

- January 10, 1984 – The US & the Vatican exchange diplomats after 116-year hiatus.
- May 7, 1984 – Soviet Union withdraws from Summer Olympic Games in the U.S., and other bloc nations follow.
- January 20, 1985 – Ronald Reagan takes oath for his second term as the 40th president.
- March 11, 1985 – Soviet leader Chernenko dies at 73 and is replaced by Mikhail Gorbachev.
- April 26, 1986 – Major nuclear accident at Soviet Union's Chernobyl power station.
- June 11, 1986 – The U.S. Supreme Court reaffirms abortion rights.

On January 28, 1986, the *Challenger* Space Shuttle exploded 73 seconds after liftoff, killing all 7 crew members, including schoolteacher Christa McAuliffe.



Crewmembers were (left to right, front row) astronauts Michael J. Smith, Francis R. (Dick) Scobee and Ronald E. McNair; and Ellison S. Onizuka, Sharon Christa McAuliffe, Gregory Jarvis and Judith A. Resnik.

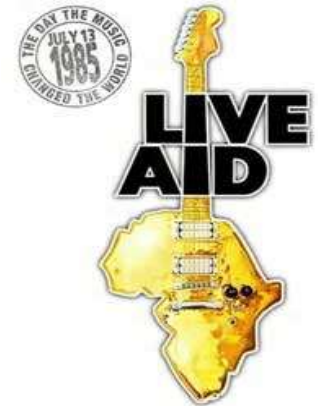


1984

- The Cosby Show airs on NBC.
- The Supreme Court rules that taping television shows at home on VCRs does not violate copyright laws.

Entertainment News

1984-1986



1985

- Dozens of top-name musicians & bands perform at the Live Aid concerts in Philadelphia & London to benefit African famine victims.

1986

- Barry Diller, head of News Corp., creates Fox, the 4th television network.
- The Oprah Winfrey Show hits national television.
- The Television Bureau of Advertising announces that Americans watch T.V. more than 7 hours a day.



Kathy Moeller - 1987 - Receiving *MLA Hospital Librarian Section* Hospital Librarian of the Year Award

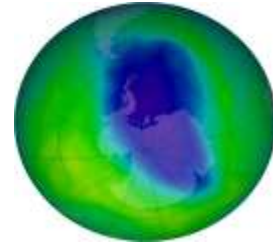
Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

1984-1986



1984

Apple introduces the user-friendly Macintosh personal computer.



1985

British scientists report the opening of an enormous hole in the earth's ozone over Antarctica.



1986

The first genetically-engineered vaccine, for Hepatitis B, gains FDA approval.



Joanne Searle & Michelle Brewer
15th Anniversary Party

HSLANJ HISTORY

1987-1989

- The first HSLANJ achievement award was given to Jack Conway, Librarian at Jersey City Medical Center.
- HSLANJ members participated in the formation of the New Jersey 6 Regional Library Cooperatives.
- HSLANJ purchases a computer for committee work.
- The 15th Anniversary celebration was held at Scanticon in March.
- The New Jersey Medical Society asked HSLANJ for input on health science library standards for their use in the accreditation process for continuing medical education activities in hospitals.
- Our members' UCMP journal holdings are input into the NJ Union List of Serials for resource sharing purposes.

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1987 – 15th Anniversary – Scanticon – Estelle Brodman

Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>1987</u>	<u>1988</u>	<u>1989</u>
Population:	242,288,918	244,498,982	246,819,230
Life Expectancy:	74.9 years	74.9 years	75.1 years
Federal Spending:	\$1003.91 billion	\$1064.14 billion	\$1143.17 billion
Federal Debt:	\$2346.1 billion	\$2601.3 billion	\$2868.0 billion
Median Household Income (current dollars):	\$26,061	\$27,225	\$28,906
Unemployment:	6.2%	5.5%	5.3%
President: Ronald Reagan/George Bush (1989)			
Vice-President: George Bush/J. Danforth Quayle (1989)			



World & U.S. Events 1987 to 1989

- May 4, 1987 – US Supreme Court rules that Rotary Clubs must admit women.
- May 17, 1987 – Iraqi missiles kill 37 in an attack on US Frigate *Stark* in the Persian Gulf; Iraqi President Hussein apologized for attack.
- July 7-10, 1987 – Oliver North, Jr. tells Congressional inquiry that higher officials approved his secret Iran-Contra operations.
- January 2, 1988 – US & Canada reach a free trade agreement (NAFTA).
- December 21, 1988 – Pan Am flight 747 explodes, because of a terrorist bomb, over Lockerbie, Scotland, killing 259 people on board & 11 on the ground.
- March 24, 1989 – The Exxon Valdez Tanker ruptures & sends 11 million gallons of crude oil into Alaska's Prince William Sound.



1987 – 15th Anniversary – Scanticon
Elsalyn Palmisano-Drucker & Estelle Brodman



1987 – 15th Anniversary – Pat Regenbergs - Scanticon

Student Demonstrations in Tiananmen Square

April – June, 1989

Tens of thousands of Chinese students took over Beijing's Tiananmen Square protesting their government and their party.

- The demonstration began after the death of Hu Yaobang, the former Communist Party leader, who had been ousted 2 years earlier.



- The students asked that Hu's reputation be restored & later their demands expanded to include democratic reform.
- A hunger strike was launched when their demands were ignored.
- Communist Party leaders began to worry about losing their authority & on June 3, a massive military contingent was ordered into the Square and told to attack.
- Thousands were killed. Tanks & artillery were used against students & citizens.



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Library Consortium**



1988 – Leila Hover & Maria Robinson

The Berlin Wall

1961-1990



- On August 13, 1961, Berlin residents awoke to a barbed-wire barrier between the communist East and noncommunist West.
- The barbed-wire barrier became a concrete wall 12 feet high & 103 miles long.

- There were only 2 crossing points, one being Checkpoint Charlie.
- It is estimated that over 400 people died trying to flee East Germany during the Cold War.
- On November 9, 1989, news spread that there were no longer any restrictions on travel in either direction and private citizens began to demolish sections of the wall.





1987

- thirtysomething debuts on ABC
- Movies: *Moonstruck*, *Wall Street*, & *Fatal Attraction*

Entertainment News 1987-1989



1989

- 98% of US homes have at least 1 television
- Ted Turner starts Turner Network Television (TNT) & buy's MGM's film library
 - CDs outsell vinyl records for the first time



1988

- Lucille Ball dies at the age of 87



Guy St. Clair
&
Cathy Boss

1988



Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

1987-1989



1987

- Prozac released for use by Eli Lilly & Company.
- AZT wins FDA approval for use in the treatment of AIDS.

1989

- Human gene transfer developed.
- First World Wide Web server & browser developed by Tim Berners-Lee of England.
- Peter Deutsch, McGill University, develops Archie, an archive of FTP sites, the first effort to index the Internet.

1988

- NASA scientist James Hansen warns congress of the dangers of global warming and the greenhouse effect.



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HSLANJ HISTORY

1990-1992

- NJLA & HSLANJ form the NJLA Aids Task Force.
- HSLANJ members Kathy Moeller, Joan Fierberg, and Michelle Volesko attend the White House Conference on Library & Information Services held in July in Washington D.C.
- The HSLANJ Board decided that educational programs should be developed on an annual basis. The Vice President is responsible for the 3 General Meeting programs with the Education Committee's assistance.
- The 20th Anniversary Celebration honors past presidents.



Kathy Moeller – 1991 – Overlook Hospital

Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>1990</u>	<u>1991</u>	<u>1992</u>
Population:	249,438,712	252,127,402	254,994,517
Life Expectancy:	75.4 years	75.5 years	75.8 years
Federal Spending:	\$1252.52 billion	\$1323.63 billion	\$1380.86 billion
Federal Debt:	\$3206.6 billion	\$3598.5 billion	\$4002.1 billion
Median Household Income (current dollars):	\$29,943	\$30,126	\$30,636
Unemployment:	5.6%	6.8%	7.5%
President: George Bush			
Vice-President: J Danforth Quayle			

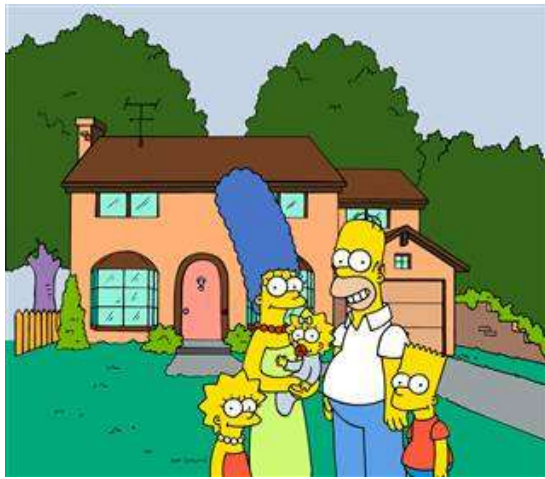


World & U.S. Events 1990 to 1992

- June 11, 1990 – US Supreme Court overturns law banning flag burning.
- August 2, 1990 – Iraqi troops invade Kuwait, setting off the Persian Gulf War.
- August 31, 1990 – East & West Germany reunite.
- April 3, 1991 – Cease-fire ends Persian Gulf War.
- November 15, 1991 – US indicts two Libyans in the 1988 bombing of Pan Am Flight 103 over Lockerbie, Scotland.
- February 1, 1992 – Bush & Yeltsin proclaim a formal end to the Cold War.
- April 9/July 10, 1992 – General Manuel Noriega, former leader of Panama, is convicted in US court and sentenced to 40 years on drug charges.
- November 24, 1992 – US forces leave Philippines, ending nearly a century of American military presence.



AIDS Task Force –1992
Janice Sweeton & Cathy Weglarz



1990

- *The Simpsons* debut on Fox.
- *Seinfeld* debuts on NBC.



Entertainment News 1990-1992



1992

- Compact discs surpass cassette tapes as the preferred medium for recorded music.
- There are 900 million television sets in use around the world; 201 million are in the US.
- Johnny Carson hosts *The Tonight Show* for the last time.

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1990-1992



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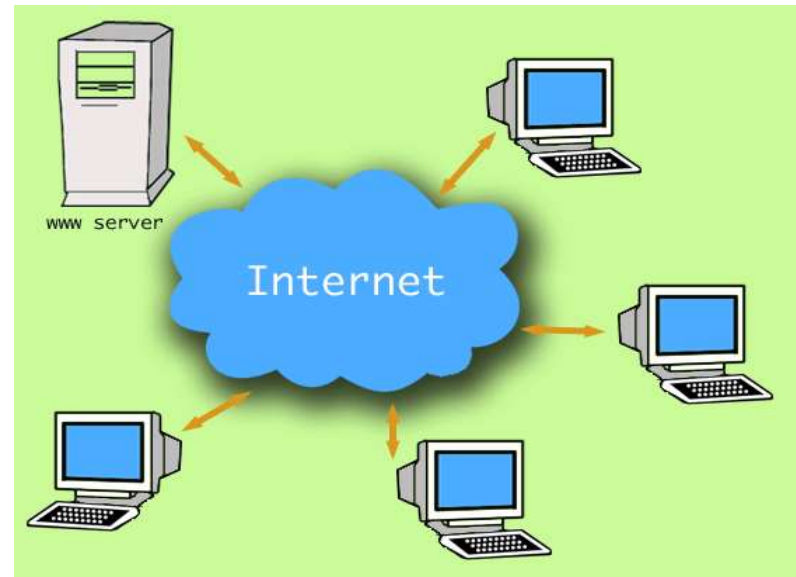
- The Hubble Space Telescope is launched.
- President Bush signs the Clean Air Act.

1992

- A text-based Web browser is made available to the public.

1991

- The 1st cholera epidemic in a century sickens 100,000 & kills more than 700 in South Africa.
- Gopher, the first user-friendly internet interface is created at the University of Minnesota.



HSLANJ HISTORY

1993

- Carla Tobias & the Hospitality Committee produced the HSLANJ Membership Manual.
- The Awards Committee was created & the 1st Health Science Librarian & Hospital Administrator awards were presented.

Librarian of the Year: Philip Rosenstein (given posthumously)

Administrators of the Year: Paul Hoyt & Karen Theodore (Christ Hospital)

- The AIDS Task Force creates the pamphlet *Aids Answers* & programs were given in all of the RLC regions.



1993 – HSLANJ Officers, Board, Committee Chairs & Members



Duressa Pujat & Cathy Weglarz

1993

Facts & Statistics in the United States

Population: 257,746,103

Life Expectancy: 75.5 years

Federal Spending: \$1408.68 billion

Federal Debt: \$4351.4

Median Household Income (current dollars): \$31,241

Unemployment: 6.9%

Cost of a 1st Class stamp: \$0.29

President: William J. Clinton

Vice-President: Albert Gore, Jr.



World & U.S. Events 1993

April 17, 1993 – 2 police officers convicted in Los Angeles on civil rights charges in Rodney King beating.

June 5, 1993 -- 22 UN troops were killed in Somalia.

June 14, 1993 – Ruth Bader Ginsburg appointed to Supreme Court.

October 4, 1993 – Yeltsin's forces crush revolt in Russian Parliament.

October 5, 1993 – China breaks nuclear test moratorium.

November 18, 1993 – South Africa adopts majority rule constitution.

November 30, 1993 – Clinton signs Brady bill regulating firearms purchases.

1993 World Trade Center Bombing

- On Friday, February 26, 1993, an explosion occurred in the public parking garage of the World Trade Center in New York City.
- 6 people were killed & over a 1,000 were injured in the explosion.
- Property damage was estimated at one half billion dollars.
- The bombing was carried out by a group headed by Ramzi Yousef.
- Ramzi Yousef is now serving a 240-year prison term.
- Eyad Ismoil was accused of driving the van that carried the bomb into the World Trade Center's underground parking garage.
- In all, 6 Islamic militants were convicted in the bombing and sentenced to life in prison.

Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

1993

- According to the World Health Organization, tuberculosis will be a threat to more than 30 million in the next decade.
- The FDA approves the use of the synthetic hormone bovine somatotropin (BST) to increase milk production in dairy cows.
- The first humans cloned. (Cells taken from defective human embryos that were discarded in an infertility clinic are grown in vitro and develop up to 32-cell stage and then are destroyed.



HSLANJ HISTORY

1994-1996

- The Support Group of New Jersey was engaged to assist in developing a strategic plan for HSLANJ.
- A mission statement was developed and goals & objectives were established at a 2 day retreat.
- The Strategic plan was implemented.
- The committee structure was reorganized and several new permanent committees were added.
- HSLANJ Listserv begins.

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1994 – MLA Convention – San Antonio

Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>1994</u>	<u>1995</u>	<u>1996</u>
Population:	260,289,237	262,764,948	265,189,794
Life Expectancy:	75.7 years	-----	-----
Federal Spending:	\$1460.84 billion	\$1519.13 billion	\$1572.41 billion
Federal Debt:	\$4643.7 billion	\$4921.0 billion	\$5207.3 billion
Median Household Income (current dollars):	\$32,264	\$34,076	\$35,492
Unemployment:	6.1%	5.6%	5.4%
President: William J. Clinton			
Vice-President: Albert Gore, Jr.			



1996 – MLA Convention – Kansas City

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World & U.S. Events

1994 to 1996

- April 29, 1994 – South Africa holds its' first interracial national election; Nelson Mandela is elected President.
- August 13, 1994 – Major league baseball players strike.
- October 7, 1994 – US sends forces to Persian Gulf.
- March 14, 1995 – Russian space station Mir greets the 1st American guest.
- March 20, 1995 – Nerve gas attack in Tokyo subway kills 8 & injures 1,000s.
- October 16, 1995 – Million Man March draws hundreds of thousands of African-American men to the capital.
- December 5, 1996 – Clinton appoints Madeleine Albright as the first female US Secretary of State.





1994 – HSLANJ Officers, Board, Committee and Chairs



Cathy Weglarz

Famous People in the News 1994-1996



- June 18, 1994 -- O.J. Simpson arrested in the killing of his wife, Nicole Brown Simpson & her friend, Ronald Goldman.
- January 24, 1995 – O.J. Simpson's criminal trial begins in California.
- October 3, 1995 – O.J. Simpson found not guilty of murder by a Los Angeles jury.

- January 6, 1994 -- Olympic figure skater Nancy Kerrigan is attacked.
- January 13, 1994 – 3 arrested in attack.
- Shawn Eckardt told the FBI that Jeff Gillooly, Tonya Harding's ex-husband, was behind the attack.
- Tonya Harding eventually admitted that she knew about the attack after the fact but failed to come forward.





1995 – HSLANJ Hospitality Committee collating the manual



Pat Regenber, Juliette Ratner, Mary K. Joyce & Kathy Moeller

Oklahoma City Tragedy (April 19, 1995)

- On April 19, 1995, a massive bomb inside a rental truck exploded at the Murrah Federal Building in downtown Oklahoma City.
- 168 men, women, and children were killed. Hundreds were injured.
- The bombing of the Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma is the deadliest act of domestic terrorism in the U.S. to date.
- 90 minutes after the explosion, Timothy McVeigh was pulled over by an Oklahoma Highway Patrol officer for driving without a license plate.
- Before he was released on April 21, McVeigh was recognized as a bombing suspect & was charged with the bombing.
- Terry Nichols, McVeigh's ex-Army buddy, surrendered to police in Herington, Kansas, after he discovered he was wanted for questioning. He was later charged in the bombing.
- Timothy McVeigh was convicted of federal murder charges & executed on June 11, 2001.
- Terry Nichols was convicted on federal & state bombing charges & is serving multiple life prison sentences.



1995 – Michelle Brewer – Receiving Librarian of the Year Award



1996 – HSLANJ meeting

Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

1994 to 1996

1994

- White House launches web page.



- The FDA approves the Flavr Savr tomato, the 1st genetically-engineered food product.

1995

- Drs. Ian Wilmut & Keith Campbell create the world's 1st cloned sheep, Megan & Morag, from embryo cells.



1996

- Approximately 45 million people are using the Internet, about 30 million of those are in North America.
- Dr. Ian Wilmut & his team clone the world's 1st sheep from adult cells. The lamb was born in July of 1996 and was named Dolly.



Mary Anne Toner & Claudia Allocco
1996 HSLANJ Meeting



1996 – Mary Scanlon's Retirement Party



Cathy Boss, Kay Marchok, Mary Scanlon & Pat Regenberg

HSLANJ HISTORY

1997-1999

- HSLANJ celebrates its' 25th Anniversary at the Shadowbrook Inn.
- HSLANJ Web site debuts thanks to Barbara Reich & Kathy Moeller.
- Aids Task Force updates poster and *AIDS Answers*.
- HSLANJ distributes full color poster designed by Louise Yorke to all member libraries.
- Board approves motion to move all HSLANJ resources and communications to Internet & web-based formats by January 1, 2001.
- First *ePulse* newsletter is published in electronic as well as printed format.

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1996 – PR Committee

Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>1997</u>	<u>1998</u>	<u>1999</u>
Population:	267,743,595	270,298,524	-----
Federal Spending:	\$1635.33 billion	\$1675.88 billion	\$1716.95 billion
Federal Debt:	\$5498.9 billion	\$5750.4 billion	\$5978.5 billion
Median Household Income (current dollars):	\$37,005	-----	-----
Unemployment:	4.9%	4.5%	4.2%
President: William J. Clinton			
Vice-President: Albert Gore, Jr.			

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Kay Marchok & Pat Regenber



World & U.S. Events

1997 to 1999

- May 11 & 13, 1998 – India conducts 3 atomic tests despite worldwide disapproval.
- January 21, 1998 – President Clinton accused in White House sex scandal with Monica Lewinsky.
- August 7, 1998 – US embassies in Kenya & Tanzania bombed.
- December 19, 1998 – House impeaches President Clinton along party lines on 2 charges, perjury & obstruction of justice.
- February 12, 1999 – Senate acquits Clinton; rejects censure move.
- April 20, 1999 -- Two gunmen entered a suburban high school in Jefferson County, Colorado, and opened fire on the students. 13 students were killed and 21 were wounded.
- July 16, 1999 – John F. Kennedy, Carolyn Bessette Kennedy & Lauren G. Bessette are lost at sea when a plane he was piloting disappears near Martha's Vineyard.
- The world awaits the consequences of Y2k.



Ribbon Cutting for Joanne Searle's Library,
Morristown Memorial



Eleanor Silverman, Patti May, Mary K. Joyce, Rekha Gandhi
& JoAn Petersen

Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

1997 to 1999

1997

- US spacecraft begins exploration of Mars.
- US company launches the 1st commercial spy satellite.



1998

- The *Athena* probe finds frozen water on the moon.
- 77-year old Senator John Glenn returns to orbit in the space shuttle *Discovery*.



1999

- Doctors in Louisville, Ky. Perform the 1st human hand transplant in the US, replacing the severed left hand of a New Jersey man with one from a recently dead donor.



Nancey Ryder-Cunningham, Duressa Pujat,
Robb Mackes, & Erica Moncrief



MLA Convention – Philadelphia -- 1998



Entertainment News 1997-1999

1997

- The controversial television ratings system debuts on cable stations & broadcast networks.
- J.K. Rowling's *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone* is published in the U.K.



1999

- Chicago Tribune film critic Gene Siskel dies at the age of 53.

1998

- The Harry Potter book comes to the U.S. as *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*.
- Frank Sinatra dies of heart attack at the age of 82.
- An estimated 76 million viewers watch the last episode of *Seinfeld*.

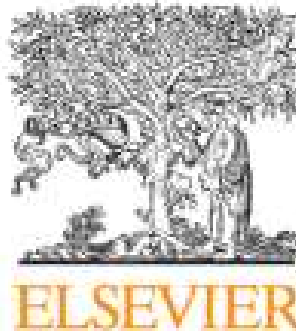


Barbara S. Reich, Duressa Pujat & Elaine Lembeck

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Vicki Sciuk and JoAn Petersen
2001 HSLANJ Award Ceremony

HSLANJ HISTORY

2000 - 2002

- ✓ HSLANJ celebrates 30th Anniversary at the PNC Arts Center in Holmdel, NJ. **(Guest speakers include Dina Matos McGreevey, 1st Lady of New Jersey, and Norma E. Blake, New Jersey State Librarian)**
- ✓ Laura Gasaway presents a Continuing Education course titled, “Copyright Law in the Digital Age,” at Kessler Institute for Rehabilitation.
- ✓ Kathy Moeller presented the Continuing Education course titled, “Government Resources in Consumer Health.”
- ✓ The Group Licensing Task Force was formed.

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2001

Barbara S. Reich & Duressa Pujat
Dr. & Mrs. John Apovian, MD



2001 – Eleanor Silverman, Rekha Gandhi & Elaine Brogan

Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>2000</u>	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>
Population:	281,421,906	281.4 million	290 million
Federal Spending:	\$1,788.83 billion	\$1,864 billion	\$2,011 billion
Federal Debt:	\$5,674.2 billion	\$5,807 billion	\$6,228 billion
Unemployment:	4.0%	4.8%	5.8%
President:	William J. Clinton	George W. Bush	-----
Vice-President:	Albert Gore, Jr.	Richard Cheney	-----



Michelle Brewer & Angela Harris-Scriven
New Jersey Hospital Association -- 2001



World & U.S. Events 2000 to 2002

- ✓ April 22, 2000 – Elian Gonzalez, at the center of an international dispute, is reunited with his father after federal agents raid Miami relatives' home.
- ✓ October 12, 2000 – U.S sailors on Navy destroyer *Cole* die in Yemen terrorist explosion.
- ✓ October 2001 – Anthrax scare rivets nation as anthrax-laced letters are sent to various media & government officials. Several postal workers die after handling the letters.
- ✓ May 13, 2002 – U.S. & Russia reach landmark arms agreement to cut both countries' nuclear arsenals by up to two-thirds over the next 10 years.
- ✓ July 30, 2002 – Bush signs corporate reform bill in response to a spate of corporate scandals: Enron, Arthur Anderson, ImClone, Adelphia, et. al.
- ✓ October 2-24, 2002 – Snipers prey upon DC suburbs, killing 10 & wounding others; John Allen Muhammad & John Lee Malvo are arrested.

World Trade Center & the Pentagon

September 11, 2001

On September 11, 2001, 4 United States planes hijacked by terrorists crashed into the World Trade Center, the Pentagon & a field in Pennsylvania killing nearly 3,000 people in a matter of hours.

Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

2000 to 2002

2000

- ✓ NEAR spacecraft becomes first to orbit an asteroid.
- ✓ “I love you” virus disrupts computers worldwide.



2002

- ✓ U.S. health officials issue new guidelines on mammograms, strongly recommending that breast cancer screening begin at age 40.

2001

- ✓ New class of cancer drug announced.
- ✓ Artificial heart implanted in a man.
- ✓ In address to the nation, President Bush approves the use of federal funds for studies on human embryos, but says that research with such funds must be limited to cells that have already been extracted.





Robb Mackes & Marita Delmonico
2001



Robb Mackes, Marita Delmonico & Mr. Delmonico
2001



Entertainment News

2000-2002

2001

2000

- ✓ Charles Schulz, the cartoonist who created the “Peanuts” comic strip, dies in his sleep after a battle with colon cancer.
- ✓ Richard Hatch outwits & outlasts the other Survivor cast members & wins \$1 million.



- ✓ Tina Wesson becomes the 2nd Survivor winner. Nearly 34 million viewers tune in to the 2 hour live event.

- ✓ *The Producers* take home 12 trophies, a record, at the Tony Awards.

2002

- ✓ The soundtrack to the film *O Brother Where Art Thou* recording wins 5 Grammy awards.



Juliette Ratner, Kate Vargo, Michelle Volesko, Lena Feld,
Lana Strahznik & Chris Connor



Erica Moncrief, Larry Dormer, Terry Cuddy, Guest & Louise Yorke

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Marie K. Saimbert & Nancy Forsberg



Ritza Alexandre and her daughter
Trinitas Medical Library

HSLANJ HISTORY

2003 - 2005

- ✓COMET closed for business.
- ✓The HSLANJ Board passed a resolution that 90% of document delivery between members should be digital by end of 2004.
- ✓HSLANJ sponsors the “Super Librarian” statewide marketing campaign.
- ✓The first group license (Ovid) was offered to the membership. 17 libraries took advantage of the offer.
- ✓HSLANJ exhibited at the NJHA meeting in Long Branch, New Jersey.
- ✓New HSLANJ banner & life preserver debuted at the NJLA meeting.
- ✓Electronic Document Delivery Task Force presents a paper at the annual MLA meeting in Washington, D.C.

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Seated: Susan Cleveland, Reina Reisler & Robin Siegel
Standing: Tricia Reusing, Cathy Boss & Joanne Papanicoalau



Rehka Gandhi, Nancy Forsberg, Fred Pachman,
Mary Walker & Mary K. Joyce



Elaine Brogan, Cathy Hilman & Robb Mackes

Facts & Statistics in the United States

	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Population:	291 million	294 million	296 million
World Population	6.31 billion	6.4 billion	-----
Federal Spending:	\$2,158 billion	-----	-----
Federal Debt:	\$6,783 billion	-----	-----
Unemployment:	6.0%	-----	-----
President:	George W. Bush		
Vice-President:	Richard Cheney		



Vicki Sciuk, Jackie Mardikian, Barbara S. Reich,
& Fumei from N.Y.



Elaine Goldman, ????, Claudia Allocco, Doris Eaton,
Patty May, Kathy Moeller & Eleanor Silverman



Susan Cleveland, Elaine Brogan, Claudia Allocco,
Tricia Reusing, Patti May & Vicki Sciuk



JoAn Petersen



Robin Siegel, Barbara S. Reich & Tricia Reusing



World & U.S. Events 2003 to 2005

- ✓ January 10, 2003 – North Korea withdraws from treaty on the nonproliferation of nuclear weapons.
- ✓ February 1, 2003 – Space shuttle *Columbia* explodes killing all 7 astronauts.
- ✓ October 7, 2003 – California governor Gray Davis ousted in recall vote; Arnold Schwarzenegger elected in his place.
- ✓ March 11, 2004 – Spain is rocked by terrorist attacks, killing more than 200. Al Qaeda takes responsibility.
- ✓ September 1-3, 2004 – Chechen terrorists take about 1,200 schoolchildren & others hostage in Beslan, Russia; 340 people die when militants detonate explosives.
- ✓ March 20, 2005 – The Terry Schiavo case becomes the focus of an emotionally charged battle in Congress.
- ✓ April 24, 2005 – Pope John Paul II dies.



Natural Disasters

Hurricanes

(2004 & 2005)

August 12, 2004 – Florida hit by hurricane Bonnie.

August 13, 2004 – Florida hit by hurricane Charley.

September 14, 2004 -- Southern United States is ravaged by hurricane Ivan.

September 26, 2004 – Hurricane Jeanne hits Florida.

August 25-30, 2005-- Hurricane Katrina wreaks catastrophic damage on the Gulf coast; more than 1,000 die and millions are left homeless. Americans are shaken not simply by the magnitude of the disaster but by how ill-prepared all levels of government are in its aftermath.

September 23, 2005 – Hurricane Rita ravages the Gulf Coast.

Indian Ocean Tsunami

December 26, 2004

On December 26, 2004, a 9.0 magnitude earthquake occurred in the Indian Ocean.

The earthquake triggered the deadliest tsunami in world history.

More than 225,000 died in the disaster, a half a million were injured, and 1,000's are still missing.

Millions of people were left homeless.

11 countries bordering the Indian Ocean were affected.

The damage included the destruction of entire cities, the contamination of farmland and forests, areas faced starvation and increased susceptibility to disease.

Worldwide aid poured in to help the eleven Asian countries.



Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

2003 to 2005

2003

- ✓ Scientists uncover the fossil of a new species of flying dinosaur in northeastern China thought to have existed 120 million years ago. (Microraptor gui)
- ✓ 3 fossilized skulls discovered near the Ethiopian village of Herto in 1997 have now been identified as the oldest known remains of modern humans.

2004

- ✓ NASA announced it detected signs that water had once covered a small crater on Mars.
- ✓ 69% of Californians vote in favor of a referendum to fund embryonic stem cell research, making the state the 1st to approve stem cell research.

2006

- ✓ Cancer replaces heart disease as the No. 1 cause of death for people ages 85 & under.

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Entertainment News

2003 - 2005

2003

✓ The Recording Industry Association of America cracked down on people who illegally swapped more than 1,000 songs over the Internet, filing lawsuits against hundreds of people, including a 12-year-old girl.

2004

✓ Martha Stewart was sentenced to 5 months in prison in July after being found guilty on 4 counts of obstruction of justice & lying to federal investigators.



2005

✓ Moviegoers spent \$8,945,298,267 at the box office in 2005, 5.2% less than in 2004.

✓ ABC hit shows: *Lost*, *Desperate Housewives*, & *Grey's Anatomy*

HSLANJ HISTORY

2006

- ✓ HSLANJ Board voted to join the New Jersey Library Association.
- ✓ Old Government Relations Committee resurrected and renamed the Legislative Committee.
- ✓ The Joint Group Licensing Task Force & the Marketing Task Force become standing committees.
- ✓ Position of Treasurer is changed to a 3 year term with the first year served as Assistant Treasurer.



2006 -- Officers



World & U.S. Events 2006

- ✓ March 9, 2006 -- President Bush signs a law renewing the Patriot Act.
- ✓ April 10, 2006 – After weeks of crippling student-led protests, French President Jacques Chirac repeals a new labor law that would have made it easier for employers to fire workers under the age of 26.
- ✓ July 4/October 9, 2006 – North Korea test fires missiles over the Sea of Japan; A nuclear device explodes in the North Korean mountains.
- ✓ November 5, 2006 – Saddam Hussein is convicted of crimes against humanity by an Iraqi court.



Nancy Forsberg

Interesting Facts in Health & Technology

2006

- ✓ January 19, 2006 – *New Horizons* spacecraft is launched. It will travel 3 billion miles over 9 years to study Pluto's atmosphere and surfaces.
- ✓ February 8, 2006 -- A \$415 million, 8-year federal study finds that a low-fat diet does not decrease the risk of heart disease, cancer, or stroke.
- ✓ June 8, 2006 – The Food and Drug Administration approves Gardasil, a vaccine that prevents cervical cancer, which is caused by the human papillomavirus.
- ✓ August 24, 2006 – The International Astronomical Union votes to redefine the solar system, and Pluto loses its status as a planet. It is reclassified as a dwarf planet.





Robb Mackes & Robin Siegel

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