

Recently banned books

The following is a list of books recently banned in the United States by school districts, towns and counties. The Satanic Verses has been banned in ten countries

<p><i>Blubber</i> by Judy Blume <i>The Living Bible</i> by William C. Bower <i>Father Christmas</i> by Raymond Briggs <i>The Chocolate War</i> by Robert Cormier <i>Revolting Rhymes</i> by Roald Dahl <i>The Witches</i> by Roald Dahl <i>Doris Day: Her Own Story</i> by Doris Day <i>Encyclopedia Britannica</i> <i>Cerberus</i> by Bernard Evslin <i>A Wrinkle in Time</i> by Madeleine L'Engle <i>My Friend Flicka</i> by Mary O'Hara <i>American Foreign Policy, vol. II</i> by Thomas Paterson <i>The Bridge to Terabithia</i> by Katherine Patterson <i>A Day No Pigs Would Die</i></p>	<p>by Robert Peck <i>The Satanic Verses</i> by Salman Rushdie <i>The Catcher in the Rye</i> by J. D. Salinger <i>Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark</i> by Alvin Schwartz <i>More Scary Stories to Tell in the Dark</i> by Alvin Schwartz <i>Of Mice and Men</i> by John Steinbeck <i>Working</i> by Studs Terkel <i>The Adventure of Tom Sawyer</i> by Mark Twain <i>Huckleberry Finn</i> by Mark Twain</p>
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(Sources: People for the American Way, *Attacks on the Freedom to Learn: The 1991-1992 Report* and Robert P. Doyle, *Banned Books Week '92: Celebrating the Freedom to Read.*)

Exercise your rights — read a banned book

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Copy Editor

Last week was Banned Book Week: a time when Americans were reminded to exercise their right to read whatever they choose.

This right is constantly under fire across the country. Books are literally burned for containing material that offends somebody.

Many of these books are clas-

sics we were required to read in high school or favorites we read after school for fun. These books contain such offensive material as the word "bitch" when referring to a female dog in *My Friend Flicka*. Other books are banned because they are scary, about the human body or political incorrect.

One of the top banned books of all time is the Bible. Back in Johannes Gutenberg's day, all

Bibles were banned -- by Christians! Today, *The Living Bible* is banned by some because it is written in modern English. Heaven forbid if people actually understand what they are reading!

If you, like me, are curious about what it is that others don't want you to read, pick up a banned book today. Celebrate your right to read.



Photo by Brad Zimmerman

The 1996-97 CCC Ambassadors are (from left to right): Top - Jakob Curtis, Lindsey Kling Bottom - Shirley Quam, Mindy Brown (advisor), Jenny Steele

NEWS BRIEFS

Four-year universities to visit campus

The following universities will be visiting Clackamas to answer questions on transferring, programs offered and other related issues: Oregon State University - Monday, Oct. 4 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the CC Mall. Portland State University - Wednesday, Oct. 16 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. University of Montana - Tuesday, Oct. 22 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the CC Mall. Students are encouraged to stop by the CC Mall and see what these schools have to offer.

Workshop features lessons on water quality

The ELC is now offering a three-hour workshop designed for students, parents or others interested in learning how to monitor water quality in the various streams around the Portland metropolitan area. The course will be taught by Center Director John LeCavalier, and there is a \$15 fee. It is scheduled from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 12. For registration information, contact the ELC at ext. 2351.

Ryan Scholarship available for business students

A new scholarship is available for business students attending Clackamas. The Bill Ryan Memorial Scholarship is open to students in a variety of business-related fields. Students are encouraged to apply for the scholarship from January through March 1997. The student awarded the tuition scholarship for the fall 1997 will be notified in April or May. Donations for the scholarship are still being accepted. For donations or more information, contact the CCC Foundation at ext. 2402.

Canadian environmental writer to speak at College

Harry Thurston, one of Canada's leading science and environmental writers, will make two appearances at the college next month. Thurston, author of

six nonfiction books and two collections of poetry, is the featured speaker during the afternoon sessions of the Seasoned Adult Enrichment Program on Wednesday, Oct. 16. The session will be held from 12:30 - 2:30 p.m., in Room 111 of the Harmony Center. The cost to attend is \$4. A public presentation will be held at 6:30 p.m. that same day in the McLoughlin Hall Theater. This is free and open to the public. For additional information contact Life Science instructor John Snively at ext. 2375.

Corrections:

The new weekend biology class for non-science majors is an all day class. The class held on Saturdays runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

The SBDC is Here For You!

Business Counseling Services

Clackamas Community College's Small Business Development Center (SBDC) offers up to 10 free hours of business counseling to prospective, new and existing business owners.



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