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**INVITATION TO POETRY READING:** (Submitted by Kristen)

On behalf of The Poetry Center, Melville Library, and University Bookstore, I would like to invite you to a poetry reading and book-signing event featuring Dr. Michael S. Harper, University Professor and Professor of English, Brown University. This event will be held on Monday, March 3 at 4pm in the Javits Room. Additional information about this and other upcoming author events is available at <http://www.sunysb.edu/library/specevents.htm>.



**STONY BROOK DAY:** (Submitted by Linda Crawford & Amelia Salinero)

The library was well represented in Albany. The day started early in South P lot. We were provided with very comfortable buses and fed breakfast on the way there. We (Linda, Amelia, Hanne, Bushra, Liz and Chris) arrived in Albany where we assembled into our teams. Each team had four to five meetings with either a legislator or his/her representative. The teams were comprised of a mix of students, staff, and faculty from the University and the hospital. The day was very interesting and we were able to express our concerns about the problems facing the University today. The legislators/representatives were receptive to our message, assured us of their support and gave us some good advice.

The day ended with a reception, plenty of good food, speeches, and an opportunity to chat and share the experiences of the day with colleagues. On the bus trip home we enjoyed a double feature. We arrived home at about 8:30 pm.

We encourage more people to join us next year!



### HABITAT NEWS RELEASE:

Approximately 25 staff attended the luncheon; not everyone came at once due to public service areas needing coverage. The great mix of food was enjoyed by all - compliments were flowing freely including to Kathleen for her tofu dish, Lorraine for her yummy egg salad, Donna for eggplant casserole + desserts, Godlind for her oatmeal dill bread and to others for their homemade dishes. Perhaps because it was the end of the week with its slow down, staff had an opportunity to linger for an hour. The newly replaced lighting in the Javits Room + bright tablecloths helped to create an inviting atmosphere for talking and eating. At the end, David Weiner's dollar was drawn - he won \$8.50.

So far: Dollar Drawing 2/14	\$51.00
Luncheon	\$135.00
Drawing 2/28	\$29.00
Donations	\$25.00(Check)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$240.00 towards Habitat for Humanity 2003!</b>

\*There seemed to be a lot of interest in cooking from those who attended. Perhaps we'll try a lunch again sometime. Those who attend who do not make something would pay and the money could be put into the Social Committee Fund for general library "party use".

What do you think?



### STAFF PHONE LIST:

A while ago we asked for suggestions on improving the layout of the phone list. The attached document reflects most of your ideas which were to include first names, increase the spacing, include staff direct phone extensions, and keep information on one page as before.



LIBRARY STAFF-PHONE LIST