IN THE LIBRARY

COFFEE: The library now has a Keurig coffee system for student use in the 2nd floor lobby area! K-cups, including everything from light roast to extra dark, tea and hot chocolate, are available for purchase at the circulation desk for just $0.75. You’re also more than welcome to bring your own K-Cups from home. And if you forgot a mug, we’ve got you covered there too: our popular reusable mugs will be available for purchase at the circulation desk for just $3.

GROUP STUDY ROOMS: You can now reserve group study rooms with just two people. Grab a friend, and head to the library. Have any other suggestions to make the library better? Email us your ideas at lawsuggestions@smu.edu.

February 17th: Professor McKnight turns 90! In his honor, the library is unveiling a new plaque for his antiquarian collection in our rare book room and serving birthday cake! Happy Birthday, Professor McKnight!

IN HISTORY

In 1967, the year of the first Superbowl, just about any fan could afford a ticket to the big game. Those interested in attending had to spring just $12. But game-goers to February 1st’s Superbowl XLIX (that’s 49) will have to forgo $4,800 for a ticket through Ticketmaster. As a librarian, math really isn’t my forte, but that sounds like quite an inflation rate.

DID YOU KNOW...

That cats have 32 muscles in each ear? With this many muscles, their little ears can swivel an entire 180 degrees! They won’t listen to everything though—cats prioritize sounds based on survival needs, which explains why your little fur pal will gladly pay attention to the can opener sounding off over any of your threats to behave. For reference, humans have only 6 muscles in each ear.

AROUND TOWN

February 8th, 1:00pm: Check out the 1st Annual Dallas Craft Beer Chili Bowl! Hosted at LUCK restaurant in the popular Trinity Groves area, local breweries will prepare a chili featuring one (or more) of their beverages. Sampling cups will be sold at the event with proceeds benefiting the North Texas Food Bank. Bonus, the public decides which winning brewery will land a spot on the menu. For more information, visit: https://www.facebook.com/luckdallastx/events.

February 27th, 5:00pm: Don’t forget to join classmates, staff, and faculty at the 8th annual APIL auction! Student/faculty tickets $5.

“I loathe narcissism, but I approve of vanity.” - Diana Vreeland, Vogue fashion