

# THE LIBRARY LOO NEWS

## January 2017

### IN THE LIBRARY

**Winter recess and holiday hours:** The library will have the following modified hours this month:

Jan. 1-2:	CLOSED
Jan. 3-6:	8:30am - 6:00pm
Jan. 7:	CLOSED
Jan. 8:	12:00pm - 8:00pm
Jan. 9-10:	8:30am - 8:00pm
Jan. 16:	CLOSED (MLK Day)

**January 11th-20th:** Did you make a new year's resolution? Post your personal pact at the library's entrance and inspire your fellow classmates to consider new year's resolutions, too. **BONUS:** Tell the library what our resolution should be (should we add more quiet zones? more study aids?) and be entered into a drawing for a \$50 SMU bookstore gift card to help defray book costs!

### DID YOU KNOW...

that the tallest statue in Texas is right here in Dallas? The honor goes to none other than the giraffe at the Dallas Zoo entrance at 67½ feet tall. The giant creature took seven months to build and required the help of eight other artists. The statue, consisting of metal, fiberglass, and bronze, can withstand 100-mph winds. It took three days to erect on site and has been proudly standing since January 1997.

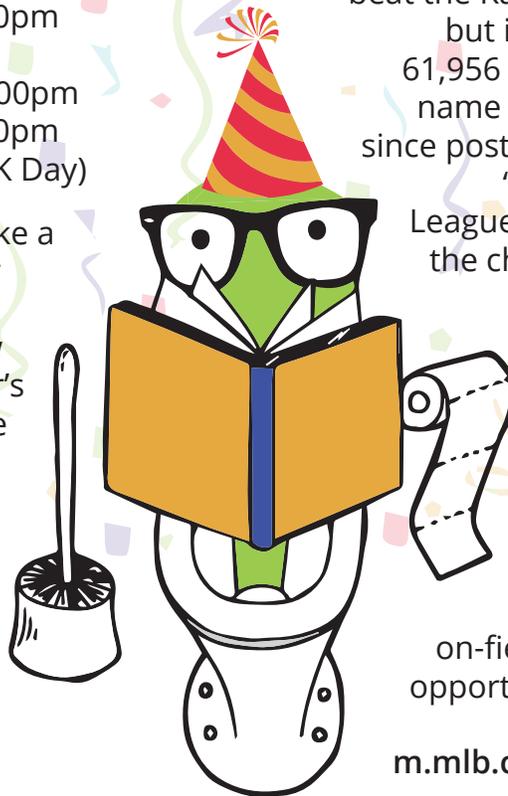
### IN HISTORY

On **January 15th, 1967**, the very first Super Bowl game was played. On this historic day for the National Football League, the Green Bay Packers beat the Kansas City Chiefs with a score of 35-10 but in front of a non-sell-out crowd of just 61,956 fans. The championship game got its name with inspiration from college football: since postseason college games were known as "bowl" games, then American Football League founder Lamar Hunt, suggested that the championship at this professional level take the name "Super Bowl."

### AROUND TOWN

**January 21st @ 9:00am:** What better way to escape the winter cold than touring the Texas Rangers dugout at Globe Life Park? At the 2017 Texas Rangers Fan Fest enjoy on-field events, autograph sessions, photo opportunities and more! Tickets are just \$10 for adults and \$5 for the kids. Visit [m.mlb.com/rangers/tickets/info/fan-fest](http://m.mlb.com/rangers/tickets/info/fan-fest) for more information.

**January 28th & 29th:** Experience the Harlem Globetrotters at the American Airlines Center as part of their 2016-2017 World Tour. A star-studded roster will have fans on the edge of their seats with ball-handling wizardry and more. To witness the family entertainment that thrills fans of all ages, visit [www.harlemglobetrotters.com/tickets](http://www.harlemglobetrotters.com/tickets).



*Quote of the Month...*

*"A goal without a plan is just a wish." - Antoine de Saint-Exupéry*