

THE CLEVELAND LAW LIBRARY



TIMELINE: 1980's

1980

Establishment of the "John G. White Memorial Library" at the Law Library

Limited Library Borrowing Privileges for Members Begins

Remodeling and Reorganization of Collection, Including Air Conditioning, New Heating System, and Steel Shelving

Cleaning and Mounting of Pictures of Prominent Lawyers and Judges from the 19th Century

Library Reduces Evening Hours from 6:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

1981

1st Tours of the Law Library for New Members of the Ohio Bar

Installation of Security Gate

1982

Regular Library Operations

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New Library Director - Robert Barner

Installation of Lexis Research Terminal from Mead Data Center

Automated System of Accounting Begins

New Phone System, Including Paging System

1985

1st Westlaw Access through On-Site West Automated Law Terminal (\$2.00 per minute for members)

1st Westlaw Training for Members

Law Library Joins CLEVNET Library Consortium

Creation of Lawyers' Lounge for Members

Purchase of Microform Reader/Printer

Front Desk Moved from Reading Room to Lobby

1986

1st Newsletter Library Collection Call Numbers Added Based on Library of Congress Classification

Creation of Audio Visual Collection

Women's City Club Cleans Murals in Main Reading Room

1987

1st Online Catalog and Circulation System Replacing Manual Card Catalog

1st Lexis Subscription

Patrons Assigned Identification Numbers

New Director - Jan Ryan Novak

Creation of Advisory Committee on Acquisitions and Serials

1988

Westlaw Sponsorship Program Begins

Creation of Membership Handbook

Creation of Fax Service for Members

Creation of Union List of Periodicals and Serials with Local Law Firms

Librarian Attends AALL Conference for the 1st Time

New Carpet

Creation of Staff Personnel Manual

1989

1st Westlaw Training for CLE Credit

Launch of Online Research Guide Series

Publication of Audio Visual Catalog

1st New Acquisitions List

Creation of Statutory Members Committee

Creation of Disaster Preparedness Recovery Plan

Amendment of Law Library Articles of Incorporation

Interlibrary Loan Services Begin

Creation of Borrowing Relationship with the Cleveland Medical Library

New Library Carrels