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## RBC LIBRARY TO UNDERGO EXTENSIVE RENOVATION

May 2006, the Library staff relocated to the Library Annex located on the second floor of Statesman Hall. The renovation is expected to be completed within 18 months. The Library Annex is not accessible by elevator; therefore, physically impaired patrons unable to use the stairs may ring the buzzer on the ground floor or call 862-6226/6227/6228 to request assistance. We will be glad to assist all students, faculty, staff and community patrons.

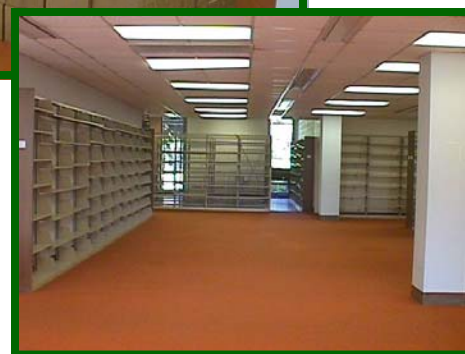
The library staff will continue to provide resources and services for the campus. Many library resources are available online from the library web page (<http://www.rbc.edu/library>). The collection includes over 47,000 electronic books accessible through LION, the online catalog. We will have a core collection of 1,000 books as well as our DVDs, videos, newspapers and magazines/periodicals. Any curriculum materials needed will be obtained through interlibrary loan. We will also provide 2 computers for student research as well as a photocopier. First-floor computer labs in Ernst Hall and the Humanities and Social Sciences Building can also be used to access resources and request library services.

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## OPEN HOUSE AT LIBRARY ANNEX

The Library Staff invites you to Open House in the Library Annex on **Thursday, August 24, 2006 from 9:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M.** Please stop by to see our temporary location, view the renovation plans and enjoy refreshments.



## RBC LIBRARY FACTS 2005-2006

Circulation: 10,598

Attendance: 48,633

Interlibrary Loans: 689

Students Receiving Library Instruction: 541

VIVA Searches: 36,788

Gift Books: 316

Gift DVDs: 454 (Thanks to our anonymous donor!)

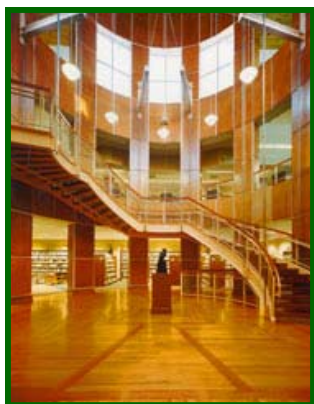
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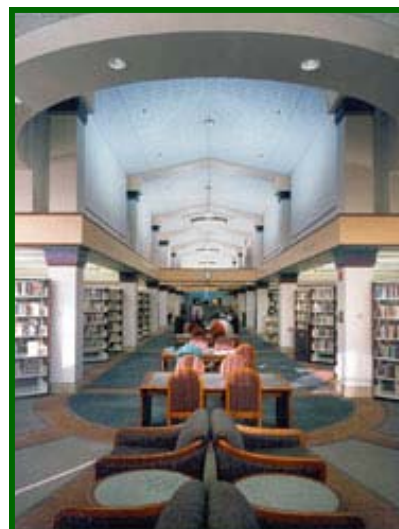
C. Burr Artz Library, Frederick, Maryland

## ARCHITECT

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Kate Waller Barrett Library,  
Alexandria, Virginia



Porter Library, Stafford, Virginia

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