

**SHARED AUTOMATION SYSTEM USERS' GROUP  
MEETING OF MAY 26, 2016  
SYSTEM UPDATE**

**Statistical Summary**

Circulation System Availability:	Mar: 100%	Apr: 100%
Patrons:	Apr 1 <sup>st</sup> : 654,389	May 1 <sup>st</sup> : 645,218 (-9,171)
Items:	Apr 1 <sup>st</sup> : 4,494,041	May 1 <sup>st</sup> : 4,498,225 (+4,184)
Bib Records:	Apr 1 <sup>st</sup> : 984,287	May 1 <sup>st</sup> : 985,567 (+1,280)
24/7 Phone Renewal:	Mar: 647	Apr: 553 (-94)
Training:	Circulation, Linking, Serials	

**MeLCat AV/No AV Lending/Borrowing Update**

We have informed MeLCat staff that we will not be implementing NCIP and that a number of shared system libraries will begin loaning several additional AV item types through MeLCat. We have asked MeLCat several procedural questions along with what they need from us to move forward with the changes in AV lending/borrowing. Once we have more information and a timeline for implementation from MeLCat, we will send something out to each shared system library director asking whether their library wishes to be an AV or no-AV lender in MeLCat.

One thing to be aware of when making the decision about whether to be an AV lender or no-AV lender in MeLCat, is that MeLCat staff tells us that moving between the two groups will not be easy, so they want libraries to be sure of their choice.

**Symphony Upgrade**

The upgrade to Symphony v3.5.1.SP1 has been scheduled for the night of Sunday, June 5. Client upgrade instructions and client highlights document were sent to the sasusers email list last week, and have also been posted on the shared automation department web page:

<http://tln.lib.mi.us/dept/shared-automation/>

**TLN Holiday Hours**

TLN will be closed on Sunday, May 29 and Monday, May 30 for the Memorial Day holiday. The helpdesk will not be staffed during the holiday hours.

The shared automation system, including Enterprise, will be intermittently unavailable on both Sunday and Monday while shared system staff uses the holiday hours to perform system maintenance in preparation for the system upgrade the following weekend.

**MeLCat class at TLN**

Just a reminder for those that signed up for MeLCat training at TLN, that it is coming up soon. Classes are on June 1 and June 8 and run from 10 am - 4 pm.

**Calling Trees Update**

The calling trees have been updated and can be found at: <http://tln.lib.mi.us/calling-tree/> The TLN fax number has been changed so this update will impact those that fax TLN to let us know that they received the calling tree message.

Please discard any old versions of the weekday and Sunday calling trees that you may have and begin using the new ones.