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help for the stalled



# Rod Library Newsletter

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## Time Travel Made Easy!

*You're invited to travel back in time via the Rod Library Digital Collections.*

### Rod Library Digital Collections

at <http://cdm.lib.uni.edu>, where your access to the past is just a click away. Thrill to the higher-education adventure as experienced in days gone by, on a UNI campus once known as Iowa State Teachers College. See the basketball squad that put a 25-10 thumping on Upper Iowa University (1921 Old Gold yearbook, page 223); find yourself shocked by the latest in fashion (1922 Old Gold yearbook, page 268); and this dancing may be "natural," but has it gone too far? – You decide! (1923 Old Gold yearbook, page 190). The Old Gold yearbooks are just one of the resources in the Rod Library Digital Collections.

You'll also find Cedar Valley and Iowa historical works, many dating from over a century ago, as well as an expanding collection of UNI master's degree research papers. So come see how campus life has (or hasn't) changed by visiting the Rod Library Digital Collections portal. And if you see something you really like, you can get your own high-quality copy! Just email Jackie.Williams@uni.edu.

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### How can I reserve a study room?

Study rooms are located on the first, third, and fourth floors. These rooms are intended for groups of up to six students who wish to study together. Keys are checked out at the Circulation Desk on a first-come, first-served basis and may not be reserved in advance. Patrons are limited to one checkout of a study room per day for any individual or group.



### Stephenie Meyer's Twilight Series

is a nationwide phenomenon that young adults and adults alike are flocking to. As a matter of fact, we've had to buy several copies of the books because ours continue to be mysteriously "lost." So what is all this hype about a young girl who is in a love triangle with a vampire and a werewolf? You can find out by joining us in a really cool discussion about Stephenie Meyer's Twilight Series on Thursday, October 16th, at 6pm at University Book and Supply.

Need more information? Call the Youth Collection at 273-6166 or call Patty at the bookstore, 266-7581.



Twilight  
Stephenie Meyer  
Call # YMEY

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### America's Newspapers (NewsBank)

The complete electronic edition of record for more than 1,000 local, regional, and national U.S. newspapers. Updated daily. Map-based interface. Users can search by region or state, or by headline, name, topic, date, author, or section, or review articles in a specific issue of a newspaper.

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### Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center

A full-text resource covering today's hottest social issues, from Terrorism to Endangered Species, Stem Cell Research to Gun Control. Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center provides information that's needed to understand an issue: pro and con viewpoint articles, reference articles that provide context, full-text magazines, academic journals, and newspapers, primary source documents, government and organizational statistics, multimedia, including images and podcasts, links to hand-selected web sites, and more.

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### Color Photocopies Available

Get the impact you want on papers and projects by adding color photocopies to them. The Rod Library now has available on its main floor (2nd floor) a copier that will make color photocopies for \$.50 per copy. Photocopy sizes available are 8½"x11" to 11"x17".

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<http://www.library.uni.edu>