Systems Librarian Jeopardy!

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Systems Librarian

Jeopardy!

• Applying it to training
• Logistics of putting it together
  – maintenance
• Reaction of participants
Pre-game warm-up

• Review sources of documentation
  - Web Guide
  - ExLibris Documentation Center
  - ExLibris Customer Support Site
    • Aleph Documentation
  - WebPRB OPAC
  - ALEPH-NA and SUNY listservs
Creating Questions & Answers

- Write down Q&A that come to mind
- Organize Q&A into categories
  - Assign dollar values ($100, $200, etc.)
- Determine objectives
  - Write additional Q&A
- Refine Q&A
  - Consider category & dollar value
Designing the Game

• Create the handout
  - Each page is one category
  - Questions are listed as they appear on the game board
    • Exact wording
    • Same order

• Refine and finalize the Q&A
  - Easier to use Word than html
A staff member reports that the client (GUI) software is down. It keeps saying, “Fail to connect to host”. What is the first thing you do?

**A:** Check to see if the PC server is running.

**Q:** How do you check to see if the PC server is running?

**A:** Util / W / 1
Designing the Game

• Graphics work
  - Opening logo
  - Q & A pages
  - Look & feel of pages

• How pages are linked
  - Smooth transitions
  - Easy for trainer
Web Pages

- Opening screen
- Game Board
- 26 Questions + 26 Answers
- Final Jeopardy
  - Intro screen
  - Category

Systems Librarian Jeopardy!
Game Board

- Table
- Colors
  - Text font and link font – same color
  - vlink font – a lighter shade
- Top graphic – links to opening screen
- Bottom graphic – links to Final Jeopardy!
Q & A Pages

• Filenames
  - Category+dollar_amount+q/a
    em100.html
    em100a.html
    dd200.html
    dd200a.html
  - Easy to code in html
  - Easy to identify in browser
Q & A Pages

- Create 2 templates
  - Questions
  - Answers
- For each Q or A, copy template
  - Copy/paste text from the handout
  - Question page – add link to Answer page
Question Template

<html>
<head><title>Systems Librarian Jeopardy</title></head>
<body background=ivory.jpg>

<div align=center>
    <a href="ANSWER.html">
        <img src=jeopardy_banner_ivory.jpg border="0%"/><a></div>

&nbsp;<p>&nbsp;</p>

<table width="70%" border="0%" align="center">
    <td><tr><font size="6" color="#000066">
        Put Question Here
    </font></tr></table>

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Answer Template

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Editing the Game

• Determine the changes that need to be made in the Q & A
• Simultaneously edit:
  - Handout
  - Question/Answer pages
Setup for Training

• Systems Librarian Jeopardy!
  - Start at opening screen

• To reset game board (I.E.)
  - Tools / Internet Options / General (tab) / Clear History (button)

• Test the sound on your PC!!
Setup for Training

• Jeopardy! music
  – http://www.jeopardy.com
    • Fun Stuff / Audio Clips
  – E-mail sturr@oswego.edu
• Handouts
• Name plates & score cards
• Prizes – optional 😊