

he Manitoba Library Association presents its Commendation for Outstanding Library Service to Kathy Eagleton.

Kathy was a charter member of MHLA and continued as an active member for many years since that date.



Kathy served as President of MHLA for two terms through the evolution of two constitutions.



Kathy continually strived to serve her employer, the Brandon General Hospital, by developing and promoting innovative library service programs such as the Westman Regional Library Service and the joint library service to nursing students in conjunction with the Brandon University.



Kathy represented the concerns of health libraries generally with her library colleagues in Brandon, increasing their awareness of the need of the health library community in general.



Within MHLA, Kathy was a strong voice for the concerns of rural hospital libraries, bringing our attention always to the larger world outside the Winnipeg perimeter.



Kathy served MHLA and the larger health library community by her membership on the board of HSRC, CISTI.



Kathy developed her professional skills and broadened her awareness of the larger library community through her membership in the Library Association (U. K.) and her travels under the auspices of WHO, sharing her knowledge and experience with her colleagues in the Manitoba Health Library Association.



Kathy had the respect and esteem of her MHLA colleagues for all of the reasons stated above and for her personal dedication to her profession and this association; therefore we of MHLA honour her service by the presentation of the Commendation for Outstanding Service.