

SUMMER HOURS GAC Building M-F 8 am-4:30 pm Sat-Sun Closed June 20 Closed July 4 Closed

SU LIBRARIES Library Service Desk M-F 8 am-4:30 pm

Nabb Center M-F 10 am-4 pm

MakerLab Open by appointment

OTHER GAC UNITS Center for Student Achievement M-F 8 am-4:30 pm

CBRC/Hungry Minds Express Closed

> Instructional Design & Delivery M-F 8 am-4:30 pm

IT Help Desk M-F 8 am-4:30 pm

**TRIO** M-F 9 am-4 pm

**University Writing Center** MWF 11 am-2 pm (online)

## Umbrellas-Yes, We Lend Them

Caught in an unexpected storm without an umbrella? If you are in the GAC, you are in luck! The Library Service Desk has umbrellas to lend. Granted, they are not of the finest quality, but they do the basic job required (well, unless it's really windy, then they flop all over). It is a very Maryland thing—our state has a proud history with umbrellas. Did you know that the first umbrella seen in the American colonies supposedly was in Baltimore in 1772? Or



that the first umbrella factory anywhere opened in Baltimore in 1828? Or that Baltimore was considered the umbrella-manufacturing capital of the world in the 1920s?



## **Beach Days**

The Nabb Center for Delmarva History and Culture, the Libraries' special collections unit, has various collections that document the history of our ocean beaches. These include manuscripts, photographs, oral histories, ephemera, and other materials on such diverse topics as the  $0^{\circ}$  contury and the

Ocean City Lifesaving Station in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century, the early 20<sup>th</sup> century and the 1970s/1980s real estate booms, Ocean City High School in the 1930s, storms such as the nor'easter of 1962, and folklife research on bodyboarding and surfing, the beach patrol, waitressing, commercial fishing, and a plethora of other topics. You will find these on the Nabb's finding aid portal at https://libapps.salisbury.edu/nabb-archives/.

Did You Know? The construction of the Ocean City Inlet jetties in 1934-35 accelerated shoreline retreat on Assateague, leading scientists many years ago to predict increased storm surge flooding in Ocean City. Learn more in the Earth, Atmospheric and Aquatic Science Collection database available in our A-to-Z Database list.

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