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Dear art historians:

The following message will soon appear on our website, but I thought I would give a heads-up to those who may be planning research leaves in Rome for next year.

AAR LIBRARY TO BE CLOSED 2006/07

The Library of the American Academy in Rome will be closed for renovation from July 29, 2006 to September 10, 2007. The Library staff will relocate to another part of the Academy and will devote their efforts to helping Fellows, Residents and Visiting Artists and Scholars to meet their research needs through other libraries or online sources.

As most of the collection will be unavailable and reading space will be severely limited, we ask nonresident readers to use other libraries first before contacting us. No regular reader's cards will be issued in 2006/07. Only rare books and older periodicals will be available (by appointment only).

For specific information during the Library closure, write to library@aarome.org. The Photographic Archive will be open as usual (photoarchive@aarome.org).

Please pass the word. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation. The result will be a wonderful new library with more space for books and readers!

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