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**Authors, futurists, educators, librarians to discuss needs of teens**

A panel of authors, futurists, educators and librarians will predict the needs of young adults in the year 2000 in a preconference program titled "Libraries 2000: Planning for Tomorrow's Young Adults Today" preceding the 1993 American Library Association (ALA) Annual Conference in New Orleans.

Sponsored by the Young Adult Library Services Association (YALSA), the preconference will be held on Thursday, June 24, from 12:30 to 5:30 p.m., and Friday, June 25, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

It will discuss today's innovative programs for teens and provide information about how to plan programs and services for tomorrow.

Presenters will include authors Janet Bode and Chris Crutcher, futurist and educator Gloria Scott, James Rosinia from the Center for Early Adolescence at the University of North Carolina, educator Donald Fork from the Office of Educational Research and Development and a panel of youth services librarians.

Registration is \$115 for YALSA members, \$150 for ALA members and \$188 for nonmembers. **The deadline for registration is May 28.**

For registration materials or more information, contact: YALSA Professional Development Office, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611. Telephone: 800-545-2433, ext. 4389, or 312-280-4389. Fax: 312-664-7459.

