

# Facilities Operations Update

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Operations & Facilities  
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## Comments/Suggestions?

If you have any suggestions or comments about the weekly Facilities Operations update, please let us know. Email Michelle Gubin at [mgubin@wustl.edu](mailto:mgubin@wustl.edu).

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## **Safety Topic of the Month**

Environmental Health & Safety presents the December Safety Topic of the Month about winter weather preparedness. Please read **the flyer** for more information about how to stay safe.

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## **Construction crane will block alley between Shriners and the SIRF building on December 10**

On Saturday, December 10, workers will be setting up a construction crane in the alley between Shriners and the SIRF building to work on the exhaust fans on the roof of the SIRF building. The crane will block the alley between 6am and 6pm so we ask that people plan ahead and find alternate routing. You can view the **photo** for more information.

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## **New bookstore to open in spring of 2017 (updated)**

Yesterday, the Barnes & Noble Bookstore and the Starbucks Cafe in the McDonnell Pediatric Research Building closed. The cafe portion will be renovated into a new food service venue, Farmstead, and will be managed by Bon Appetit. This will open in April of 2017. The bookstore location will be renovated into training rooms for the medical records transition and then eventually turned into a department office location.

In the spring of 2017, a new bookstore will open on the first floor of the Mid Campus

Center (MCC) on Children's Place. We will announce the exact date of the opening soon. The bookstore will be managed by the University's bookstore vendor, Follett. Read all about Follet in their [introduction letter](#).

This collaboration with Follett will provide the School of Medicine with superior resources, product selection and technology to meet the unique needs of the campus. Follett has provided the Danforth Campus with exemplary service since 1997. The new bookstore will provide new, used, print and digital items as well as rentals.

From December 8, 2016 until the new bookstore opens in the spring of 2017, Follett will have an online presence fulfilled from the Danforth Campus. They will operate this virtual bookstore where students will be able to purchase materials prior to the spring semester. Please follow [this link](#) to the new store.

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## **Work on west link in MCC will temporarily close**

From 6am on Sunday, December 11 until 4am on Monday, December 12, the west link in MCC will be closed at the tie-in between the new link and the existing link in order to complete the expansion joint installation.

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