

Circulation—Miscellaneous

Enhancement#: 2613 (03/20/2002)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release:

Subject: Detail Status – Lost Items

Proposal: When a borrower reports an item as lost, it remains on the list of items out for that borrower. However, when the detail status is viewed through Staff PAC, the Current Borrower information is empty. The borrower who lost the item appears under Prior Circ Info, where a CKI date is also displayed. This is causing confusion for staff who are trying to check the whereabouts of an item, as it has not in fact been checked in. Could the borrower details remain under 'Current Borrower' please? See log 1218656.

Enhancement#: 3535 (12/11/2003)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 2.0.31

Subject: Media Scheduling

Proposal: All items attached to a bib show up in Media Scheduling even those that do not have a bookable itype or the collection media. This slows the process of booking items since you must check each item to see whether or not it can be booked. If you select an item that is not marked as bookable, you get a block, but then you have to back-track.

Enhancement#: 3536 (12/11/2003)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 2.0.31

Subject: Media Scheduling

Proposal: Extensions to bookings cannot be made after an item is signed out. A new booking must be made. Items that were booked through Media Scheduling and signed out in Horizon can be renewed in Horizon, but a new booking must be made in Media Scheduling. This must be done before the renewal and then you have to override the `shortened borrowing period` note and change the due date in Horizon.

Enhancement#: 3537 (12/11/2003)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 2.0.31

Subject: Media Scheduling

Proposal: Although the manual says that up to 10 keyword searches can be set up (p. 2-18), only title keyword will work. Only being able to search by title keyword limits flexibility and causes extra work since we often have to search in Horizon, the flip to Media Scheduling to do the booking.

Enhancement#: 3538 (12/11/2003)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 2.0.31

Subject: Media Scheduling

Proposal: Hyphenated patron names come up oddly even if they are entered into Horizon correctly. E.g. Pamela Kuster-Vancise comes up as Kuster, Vancise Pamela. Sending out return slips with a person's name printed incorrectly is not appropriate.

Enhancement#: 3568 (01/19/2004)

Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.1
Subject: Recalls at Bib Level
Proposal: To allow any copy recall to system on the bib. level.

Once an item with all copies checked out is requested, our Library recalls each copy. Since you can't recall from the bib level in 7.x, staff repeats the recall process for each copy. Once the request is filled (actually checked out by requestor), recalls for the other copies remain. We are forced to manually delete the remaining recalls rather than depending on the software to do so.

If a recall is tied to one specific copy, how does that account for potential lost items? Or what if a different copy is returned prior to the recalled copy? In that case, the patron could be waiting for one specific recalled copy even though another is sitting on the shelf.

Enhancement#: 3610 (02/05/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon72.1.178g CJK
Subject: Horizon72 CJK-the Color of Block Highlight in Checkin/Checkout Window Isn't Conspicuous Enough
Proposal: The color of block highlight in CKI/CKO window isn't conspicuous enough, version 5.2 is better

Enhancement#: 3638 (02/13/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release:
Subject: Homebound Patron Log
Proposal: It is not possible to search patron logs by call # or format. Our homebound librarian needs this functionality in order to know whether her patrons take print material vs audio materia, or large print vs regular print. This is not possible at present making the logs rather unuseful

Enhancement#: 3641 (02/16/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 2.0.34
Subject: Media Scheduling and Lost or Missing
Proposal: You should not be able to book items with a status of lost or missing through Media Scheduling. If the item has a status of lost or missing, there should be a pop-up box that blocks the booking for items with a status that indicates they are not available.

Enhancement#: 3651 (02/18/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.1a
Subject: Put Item Barcode On Payment Receipt
Proposal: When a borrower pays for an item, Horizon prints a receipt. Currently, the receipt lacks the barcode of the item being paid for. Our local government requires a fully itemized receipt in order to obtain a refund if a lost and paid item is later found. Since we buy multiple copies of many titles, the lack of a barcode number results in an incomplete receipt. There is no way to prove that the copy in hand is the copy that was paid for.

Enhancement#: 3652 (02/18/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.1a

Subject: Be Able to Un-pull Request Pull List
Proposal: When a location does their Request Pull List, Horizon assigns those requests to them until Day End runs or unless they click on Keep Item or Keep List. Normally staff would print the list so they could search the shelves, then click List Pulled. If staff click List Pulled before printing they will be responsible for the list, but will have no list to search from. And if a software/hardware error takes them out of Horizon without their clicking Keep List, Horizon will treat the requests as though List Pulled had been clicked, even though no printed list yet exists.
 To prevent a days` delay for all of these requested titles when this kind of error happens, it would be useful to be able to `un-pull` a pulled list and restore the status of the requests to unassigned. They could then be filled by other locations, or by the same location going in anew.

Enhancement#: 3669 (02/24/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.1a
Subject: Group Codes
Proposal: ltype Group Codes that once existed in Dynix need to be added to Horizon.

The group codes allowed us to limit checkouts by group (i.e. video, audio, music)
 This can currently be done by item type, but it allows a borrower to check out more items than the group code would. (i.e. 3 dvd-fiction, 3 dvd-nonfiction, 3 vhs fiction, 3 vhs nonfiction at one time instead of just 3 videos)

Enhancement#: 3685 (03/02/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.2.4
Subject: Group Transit
Proposal: The ability to place an item into status of "In Transit" when it is being sent to another location. This would be the equivalent of the Dynix function "GTS" or Group Transit.

Enhancement#: 3691 (03/04/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.1a
Subject: New Block for Borrowers About to Expire
Proposal: It would be nice if Day end added a block to borrowers whose card is going to expire in X days (adjustable in location or btype table)
 This block would help people whose due dates get truncated at a selfcheck machine and don`t realize it..
 It could be set up that the `about to expire` block is a banned burb block for selfchecks, therefore forcing the patron to go to the desk and be renewed.
 I have 4 sites screaming for this.

Enhancement#: 3693 (02/05/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.1a
Subject: Add Status to Request Pull List
Software Version/Release:
Proposal: Add "Status" or even "Checkin Date" to the display. This would let staff know whether an item is more likely to be in the break down area or in the stacks. With Dynix we had "Status" which could be "Shelving Cart" which helped us in this fashion.

Enhancement#: 3727 (04/08/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 7.23
Subject: Item Enquiry
Proposal: Full circulation history for an item including place and time of issue, all renewals and return for most recent borrower. Specification prepared and submitted to UK office 1996, rev 2001.

Enhancement#: 3746 (04/19/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.2.1A
Subject: Homebound Log for Serials Issues and Video Volumes
Proposal: Is there a way that serials records could be logged by item rather than bib in Homebound? In Horizon 7.3, the log is kept by bib number and that works fine for books. But, for serials, it indicates that the borrower has already had the item if the borrower has checked out any issue of the magazine. It works the same way for videos that are cataloged with volumes. If the customer has had any volume out, the log shows that they have already checked out the title.

Enhancement#: 3773 (05/19/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.2.4
Subject: Day End Issue-Show Fines on Item Due Prior Day
Proposal: Fines are not always shown as being accrued if the book was due only a day before. Only when the book is checked in does the fine appear.

Enhancement#: 3780 (05/20/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.2.4
Subject: Credit on Lost/Paid Item--Default
Proposal: Credit generated when lost/paid item returned still causes problems. When we scan borrower's card, a window will pop up offering to use the credit to pay the fines. The default is `yes`. There should be no pop up window. If the window can not be eliminated, the default should be `no`.

Enhancement#: 3794 (06/01/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.1
Subject: Unfilled Requests Filled at Checkout
Proposal: We would like to have the option to turn off the feature where unfilled requests are filled at CHECKOUT. In our library, if you find an item on the shelf, you may check it out whether or not it is wanted to fill a request. The message that the item is needed to fill a request is, at best, a nuisance. Because the feature is controlled by the same password override as the feature which prevents *renewing* items needed to fill requests--something we almost never want to do--we are unable to give our general staff the ability to override and continue with the checkout.

Enhancement#: 3802 (06/14/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.2
Subject: Transit Holds
Proposal: Provide an indication of where transits and transit requests are coming from. Horizon shows where they are going, but not where they are coming from. Dynix did this, and it seems very basic, and extremely important when you are trying to track down a transit item that has not arrived as expected. In Dynix, we found that 90% of the time, when an item was in transit, it was located

on the shelf at the branch where the status was attached, but we have no way to get this information in Horizon. It could be added to the Item Detail Status screen.

Enhancement#: 3811 (06/27/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.02
Subject: Inventory Exceptions—Audible Clues
Proposal: In dynix inventory would register a nasty audio cue when an exception occurred. Horizon 7.03 (and our pending product 7.3) do not offer this. Without it we simply end up skipping exception steps and our inventory is much less effective than we need it to be.
 Can a cue be considered as an add in functionality, please.

Enhancement#: 3829 (07/07/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.24
Subject: Need Circ Priv for Default Replacement Cost
Proposal: We would like to charge a default amount for a lost item... Not a fee on top of the item price, or a replacement cost if the item has no price... We would like to charge the patron a set amount for replacing a lost item.
 Horizon uses the `average replacement cost` for the collection (collection table, avg_repl_cost column) in just one situation. It first looks to the price in the item record, which is the amount the library entered into the acquisitions module at the time of purchase. ONLY if that column is blank (item did not come through acquisitions, or the item price has been deleted) will the amount from the collection be used. Default replacement costs should be set up somewhere entirely separate from the collection (or the itype, as was the case in Dynix). They should be configurable so that they can apply to all items or certain groups of items. I propose that they be set up as a circulation privilege for each location; there they could be grouped by borrower type or item type.
 I see that an enhancement has been submitted for a default price to be inserted in the item record if none was entered at the time of purchase. I have no objection to this suggestion, but it would still not allow us to charge a default replacement cost. We would like to retain the price in the item record (whether specific or default) for internal record keeping.

Enhancement#: 3836 (07/12/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.31a
Subject: Make Days-Till-Lost A Separate Parameter
Proposal: We would like to turn off the automatic overdue-to-lost feature, or at least be able to configure it to happen way in the future. Unfortunately this feature uses the same parameter as the notice-interval, so 2 weeks after our third notice our books change status.

Enhancement#: 3851 (07/20/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.1a
Subject: Add Barcode to Hold Message
Proposal: Please add patron barcode to display that tells staff that item is on hold and for whom it is being held (see 3-10 in Circ Guide). We sometimes adjust expiry-date, and this would save extra keystrokes.

Enhancement#: 3870 (08/04/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.1
Subject: Homebound Log
Proposal: When checking out in Home Services,, after it notifies that the item has been checked out before, the default is the LOG, although the Yes button has a dotted outline. We would like to have a choice of making Yes the default with the Log as an option. Once we access the log we can check all the titles against the log so don't need to have it come up every time. We are tabbing to the Yes button now and hitting Enter. But, a choice to avoid this would speed things up.

Enhancement#: 3902 (08/23/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.2
Subject: Returned Lost Items Should Have Their Staff-Only Status Removed
Proposal: We use the setting that moves lost items to staff only. However, if the item is returned it remains staff only. We would like to configure the system the remove the staff only status upon return by collection code.

Enhancement#: 3904 (08/23/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.2
Subject: Option to Select Itype or Collection Code Default Value
Proposal: In Dynix release 180 a patron was charge when a item went to lost the default price based on the Itype. In Horizon it looks at the collection code. The problem is that items in a collection (say fiction) can be made up of paperbacks or hardcover books that have very different values. Isolating what the value is for an item is closer related to they type of item that the collection.

Enhancement#: 3919 (08/30/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.2
Subject: Item Specific Requests
Proposal: We currently can manipulate bib level holds so a patron of a particular library has their request filled first by the bib of the owning library (when available). However, item specific holds do not allow this same flexibility/setup. We would like item specific holds to also allow us to set up rules so patrons of a library will receive the item first when it becomes available.

Enhancement#: 3921 (08/31/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 2.2.1 Hz 7.3.1.a
Subject: Media Scheduling Searching
Proposal: 1. The column headings depress like buttons, but they don't do anything. Make clicking on them re-order the list according to that column.
 2. Add Location as a column (or let user add & subtract columns). Our bookable items (equipment) are at different campuses.
 3. Allow search based on Return Date as well as Needed Date.
 4. Ability to scan a week's booking calendar for a particular type of equipment (in our case), Our bib records describe the type of equipment, and each item is record is attached to the appropriate bib.

Enhancement#: 3927 (09/04/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory:
Software Version/Release: 2.0.3 CJK
Subject: How to Hide the Item View in the Bib Details

Proposal: The library want to hide some item information in the full details of HIP, they hope there is an option in the HIP. If the option is true , the hip will display all item information. If not, HIP will hide the item view. They don't hope the HIP display ``there is no item for the bib``

Enhancement#: 3929 (09/07/2004)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 7.3.1

Subject: Suspended requests should not limit loan periods

Proposal: Is there any way to change the behaviour of Requests, so that suspended requests do not affect the loan period of other copies of the titles in question? (see below) If an item is an inactive (suspended?) hold, the loan period for anyone who checks out that item is reduced to 2 weeks. This is a good thing if the request is active (say a person finds a book on the shelf that has had a recent request placed on it that hasn't been pulled yet), but is not good otherwise. For example, I believe the last Harry Potter Book has many `inactive` requests on it so can only be checked out for 2 weeks (many of the copies we own are on storage shelves in branches as the demand has peaked).

Enhancement#: 3956 (09/22/2004)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release:

Subject: Change the way location priority assigns requests

Proposal: Location priority will stick a request on the `best` location`s pull list and the request stays there, no matter if there are 16 other location that /could/ fill the request. If the best location `keeps` the list every day (not filling the request) the request will never appear on any other pull list.

We would like this behavior to change. Our suggestion would be to have my library`s borrowers requesting my library`s items only on my library`s pull list; unless my items are unavailable for request. All other requests should act like the standard pull list without location priority, that is to say, if you own the item and you have an available copy, it will appear on your pull list.

This will prevent requests from getting stuck on one pull list because the `best location` refuses to fill it (the request); but it also allows for the benefit of location priority.

Enhancement#: 4039 (11/01/2004)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 7.3.2

Subject: Ability to sort Borrower/Title Request Lists

Proposal: Provide the ability to sort the Borrower request list and the Title Request lists within the Horizon client. Our users are especially interested in being able to sort by the pickup location and Hold Expiration date on Title request lists. It would also be useful to be able to sort the Borrower Request list by queue position, status, and expiration date.

Enhancement#: 4053 (11/19/2004)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release:

Subject: Shelf Reading Collection Scanning

Proposal: Exact to the functionality in the inventory module, we would like to allow our student workers to scan barcodes in the stacks specifically to shelf read. The scan would beep if an item was out of order and the student would place the out of order item in its correct location. We are not interested in any stats or recording of the scanning itself as inventory does, but rather just the ability to scan our collection with a laptop to help us get through our entire collection that much quicker. Thank you for your consideration of adding this functionality to the existing beta 7.4 or the future 8.0 .

Enhancement#: 4060 (11/29/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 2.2
Subject: Media Scheduling Needed Location
Proposal: When placing a new reservation in Horizon Media Scheduling, the Needed Location and the Return Location default to the last combination used. All of our materials are from one central location, so the Return Location is consistent, but the Needed Location varies depending on the borrower. There would be less chance of error if the Needed Location cleared on the search of a new borrower but that this continued to be a required field for completing the reservation.

Enhancement#: 4061 (11/30/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.200.10
Subject: Updating the Calendar for Holidays
Proposal: I was recently appalled to find out that holiday calendar updates could not be easily copied around to all schools as you could in Dynix Scholar. We have more than 40 sites and at least 22 holiday days! It is not reasonable to expect that each site be done individually. This MUST BE FIXED IN THE NEXT UPGRADE!

Enhancement#: 4087 (12/13/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.3
Subject: Printing
Proposal: We want to be able to do screen prints from any Circulation window.

Enhancement#: 4088 (12/13/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.33
Subject: Notice Intervals
Proposal: We want to determine the interval between all subsequent circulation notices. Right now, the interval between the 1st and 2nd determines the interval between all subsequent notices. We need more flexibility.

Enhancement#: 4095 (12/13/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.33
Subject: Requests Not Being Filled
Proposal: Our libraries have limited certain itypes from filling requests at another library in our consortia. We are finding that some requests placed will never be filled due to this restriction (usually audiovisuals). The request does not generate a message to this affect. The libraries have requested that they be notified somehow that the request will not be honroed if the loaning library does not allow for the itype to fill that request instead of the request expiring after 6 months. This is not good PR for the borrowing library.

Enhancement#: 4098 (12/13/2004)
Category: Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.33
Subject: Recording Time and Date for All Circ Transactions

Proposal: For any and all circ transactions, the date and time should always be recorded--even if the time may not necessarily be immediately important. E.g., the checkout date AND time (for ANY loan period) and the due date AND time (for ANY interval). Block details in particular do not incorporate both.

Enhancement#: 4120 (12/20/2004)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release:

Subject: Hold Fee to be added to patron record when hold is placed

Proposal: Dynix has the facility to add a ``Hold Place Fee`` to the patron's PURF record at the time a hold is placed.

This applies to both holds placed by patrons via HIP and to holds placed by staff for patrons using Dynix Circ.

Horizon does not have this facility and we want it added, as it is important both for revenue generation and in terms of staff workflow.

This parameter should be a variable in the BTYPE record so that certain borrower types (e.g. children) can be exempt or pay a lower fee.

Enhancement#: 4172 (02/08/2005)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: horizon72.1.178g CJK

Subject: Horizon 72 CJK-Forbid the Borrower To Make Request Against the Items Which Are Borrowed by Himself

Proposal: Forbid the borrower to make request against the items which are borrowed by himself .

Enhancement#: 4174 (02/10/2005)

Category: Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release:

Subject: Requests: Block "Make Request" For Restricted Items

Proposal: Currently our libraries can place requests against titles with nothing but restricted items for their patrons.

In other words, if two libraries own a copy of a title, and both libraries restrict these to their patrons only, the system doesn't stop another library from placing a request for their patron.

Enhancement#: 4201 (03/08/2005)

Category: Horizon > Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 7.3.2

Subject: Credits Offsetting Fines

Proposal: When credits offset fines it is not clearly recorded in the fee payment log. They payment is included as a ``waive``. Both transactions should have more distinctive names so they can be tracked for the auditor.

Enhancement#: 4224 (03/23/2005)

Category: Horizon > Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 7.3.2

Subject: Holds Slips

Proposal: We have started to let patrons come and pick up their telephone holds as a self help service. When a patron calls in for a book, our staff takes it off the shelf and prints out a `holds` slip on our laser printer that is large enough to be wrapped around the book. The hold slip has some very basic information like patron name, and the request date (we have taken out the other fields).

Would it be possible to print out the date the request expires instead of the date that it starts? This would make it not only compatible with the information that is on the screen but would also make it much easier for staff when they are checking the holds shelf once a week.

Enhancement#: 4260 (04/15/2005)
Category: Horizon > Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.3
Subject: Renewals on Bibs With Requests
Proposal: In matham table, there is a box for `renewals allowed on requested items.` We`d like to take this beyond a yes or no and attach some conditions to it. For example, renewals allowed when # available copies is greater than the number of outstanding requests. This is important where not all branches can pull request pull lists daily and there are multiple items checked in at different branches, only one outstanding request, and the somebody trying to renew.

Enhancement#: 4264 (04/18/2005)
Category: Horizon > Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.3
Subject: Recall Lost Items
Proposal: When we were on Horizon 5.3.1, we would frequently recall lost items. Since we have upgraded to release 7.3.3 we can no longer perform this function and can only recall items with a checked out status.

Enhancement#: 4272 (04/26/2005)
Category: Horizon > Circulation >
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.3
Subject: Audible Alerts
Proposal: Allow libraries to customize the audible alerts that sound in circulation. Currently, the only way to have any control over them is to disable the PC speaker entirely. The alert for blocks is very identifiable to all within earshot: staff and patrons alike. In fact, many public school students in our consortium are reluctant to use their cards at all because their peers know when they are ``in trouble.`` We don`t want to discourage anyone from borrowing. But we do need to hear the confirmation beeps when scanning barcodes.

Enhancement#: 4288 (05/06/2005)
Category: Horizon > Circulation >
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: 7.3.2
Subject: Printable Title Header on Copy/Item
Proposal: We would like the ability to print copy/item list screens with a header that includes information such as title, author, isbn, publication information. Currently, that information can be displayed but it requires including the title in the ``display`` options, but of course the title prints for EVERY item line. This is a waste since it is the same for every item.

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Enhancement#: 4316 (05/31/2005)
Category: Horizon > Circulation >
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.2
Subject: Inventory – Add Checkin Option If Item In Out Status
Proposal: It would be nice to have the option to have inventory automatically change item status to ``i`` (checked in) when a status of ``o`` (checked out) in encountered. Of course,

these items will show up on the Inventory Exception Report and we check them in manually, but to have it done automatically would ensure that it gets done. (This was a feature in Dynix ILS that we miss).

Enhancement#: 4329 (06/09/2005)

Category: Horizon > Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.2

Subject: Items Must be Able to Acquire the Status of TRACE

Proposal: The library catalog exists to record the location of items. It follows, then, that there is ONE item status that every item must be able to readily acquire, namely that the item is NOT where is supposed to be.

In our system this is called TRACE.

This item status needs to be assignable to any item from any location and regardless, in most cases, of the current status of the item.

Enhancement#: 4332 (06/14/2005)

Category: Horizon > Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release:

Subject: Ability to Print a Partial Borrower Barcode on Receipt Slips

Proposal: We would like to display only the last 3 or 4 digits of a borrower barcode on our receipt slips. We can get the system to display the entire barcode or eliminate it completely, but can't get it to display only the last 3 or 4 digits preceded by *. In other words, we want the barcode to display as *****123. This would enable families to identify individual borrower receipts without displaying the entire barcode. This would protect the privacy of the borrower should the slip be found by a stranger.

Enhancement#: 4363 (07/13/2005)

Category: Horizon > Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 7.3.3

Subject: Find Missing Inventory

Proposal: To prevent another instance of someone running Find Missing Inventory on a collection that had not been completely inventoried and having item statuses changed to mi when the books were on the shelves, a confirmation screen would be helpful -- ``Have you finished the inventory on this entire collection? Are you ready to change the item status to mi?``

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Enhancement#: 4430 (10/21/2005)

Category: Horizon > Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 7.4

Subject: Off-line Uploading and Processing in Consortia

Proposal: Off-Line circulation (PC Reliance) data uploading and processing needs to be redesigned for consortia to insure that each location can upload and process their transactions independent of simultaneous uploading and processing that other locations may be doing.

Enhancement#: 4459 (11/24/2005)

Category: Horizon > Circulation

Subcategory: Miscellaneous

Software Version/Release: 7.23

Subject: Flagging Items for RBR (Reserve Bookroom)

Proposal: As users are more often than not returning items via SelfCheck the `flagging of items` for Reserve Bookroom is useless. The SelfCheck machines ignore the flag and items

are subsequently being returned to the shelves. Although requests can be placed on a particular item it would be preferable to be able to use the flag facility.

Enhancement#: 4532 (02/23/2006)
Category: Horizon > Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.4
Subject: DATES - Allow Exception Hours to be Set by Date Ranges Not One at a Time
Proposal: Would like to be able to set exception hours for date ranges for things like semester break periods. Currently we have to enter every day individually - this is time-consuming and a pain.
 Maintaining the calendar should also be a task that can be assigned to a junior employee - so security access to it needs to be granular enough that such employees can't alter more critical location parameters.

Enhancement#: 4544 (03/03/2006)
Category: Horizon > Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon
Subject: Run Dayend On 2 Different Horizon Databases From 1 P.C.
Proposal: Would it be possible to run dayend on one workstation for two different databases at the same time. Would like to have Horizon coded to do this, or would like a method of batch processing dayend setups using something like the windows scheduler, so they could use the same workstation to run dayend for one database, have horizon close, and then run another session for a different database automatically.

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Enhancement#: 4688 (08/23/2007)
Category: Horizon > Circulation
Subcategory: Miscellaneous
Software Version/Release: Horizon 7.3.4
Subject: Symphony--Expanded Requests
Proposal: This is a suggestion for Symphony, which does not yet have its own category. A borrower's request on the local system is sometimes lost or canceled when the last copy of a title is deleted while his Hold is still active. If the local Symphony library is also a user of the SirsiDynix URSA system, it would make sense to have the deletion of the last copy of a title with a Hold on it trigger a search of URSA to see if the hold could be filled by one of the other participants. All the information URSA needs would already exist: borrower, pickup location, title, ISBN etc. The request would merely have to be moved to the point in URSA where the Z39.50 search of participants is made.