MJ-77 Crestwynd Community Club fonds. – [textual record, graphic material]. – 1978-1980. – 12.0 cm of textual records. – 59 color photo negative strips and 1 black and white photo negatives. Box V-109

Administrative history

The Crestwynd Community Club was organized as a women's club in the 1920's. From 1941 to 1947 the club was a member of the Provincial Homemaker's Club. In 1942, the club, at the request of the Men's Sport Club paid \$80.00 owing on the community hall and took over management of the hall. The hall has been used for health clinics, fowl suppers, bingos, concerts, dances, elections, wedding receptions, carnivals and other meetings. Through fund-raising, the Club has made regular donations to the Red Cross, Salvation Army, Cancer Society and other organizations. In 1947 the Club purchased six acres of land south of Crestwynd for a sports ground. Some of the active members over the years included Jean Panko, Edit Johnson, Sophie Huntley, Ester Johnson, Amy Barber, Lillian Cameron, Sharon Gilbert, Loraine Ramage, Bernetta Fysh and Myrtle White. The men and husbands in the community also played an active role in the Club. From 1978 to 1980 the Club organized, compiled, edited and published a local history book, "The Rolling Hills Review 1840-1980". Financial assistance was provided by "New Horizons", a federal government program to assist senior citizens in projects of their choice. The Club formed a board of directors from their senior members. Funding was also provided through "Celebrate Saskatchewan" grants applied for through the municipalities of Baildon and Hillsborough. The book was printed in 1980 by Odyssey Impressions of Moose Jaw.

Scope and content

This fonds consists of the original material that was written and submitted for the compilation of the book "The Rolling Hills Review 1840-1980." It includes family histories(biographies), stories, historic information on places, organizations, companies and events during the period from 1840 to 1980 for the Bevitt, Crestwynd, Bay Island, Don Jean, Old Wives, Piety Hills and Windcrest Districts.

Physical description

Biographies, articles, working notes are hand written or typed on loose sheets of paper.

Associated materials

16 photographs (88-3 to 88-18 inclusive) were catalogued and transferred to the Moose Jaw Public Library Archives photograph collection.

Conservation note

This fonds was re-boxed and foldered in 2005.

Note of immediate source of acquisition

Donated to the Moose Jaw Public Library Archives by Jean and Gordon Panko.

Restrictions to access

None.

Accruals

No further accruals expected

Finding aids

See file list.

File List

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- 001 Correspondence. 1978-1983.
- 002 Financials Bills, Receipts, Estimates. 1979-1980.
- 003 Biographies A-I.
- 004 Biographies J-O.
- 005 Biographies P-Z.
- 006 Histories/Stores/Articles of places, organizations, events.
- 007 Homestead Applications (photocopies). 1911-1921.
- 008 Work Notes.
- 009 Photo Negatives not identified, undated.
- 010 Form Letters/Information on preparation of a history book.
- 011 Pamphlets "New Horizons". 1978.