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Women's Safety Council Moose Jaw fonds. - [textual record, graphic material]. - 1960-1972.
- 3.00 cm of textual records. - 2 photographs.

Box V-82

Variations in title

Moose Jaw Safety Council Women's Division

Women's Safety Council

Women's Division Safety Council

Administrative history

The Women's Division of the Moose Jaw Safety Council was formed in 1960, comprised of the safety members from the Council of Women. The first president was Mrs. Ruby Ward. There were ten members, later fourteen. In 1963, upon forwarding their constitution to the Saskatchewan Safety Council, the former Women's Division of the Moose Jaw Safety Council was granted a charter (Charter No. 15), making them a full fledged member in the Saskatchewan Safety Council, and the first Women's Safety Council in Canada. They were an independent group interested in the furtherance of special safety projects. An annual project was the "No thanks, I'm driving" campaign, where they sponsored radio advertisements and held a tag day, enlisting the aid of the local cadets to help collect funds. They sponsored safety poster contests in the Moose Jaw schools, and entered floats promoting safety awareness in local parades. The Women's Safety Council also made monetary donations to service organizations for the purchase of items such as oxygen tanks, walkers and wheelchairs enabling former hospital patients to live at home.

Scope and content

This fonds consists of the constitution, membership list, and certificate of charter of the Women's Safety Council Moose Jaw. There are records of projects, correspondence and reports regarding poster contests, newspaper clippings and 2 photographs of their parade float. There is a photocopy of a group photograph. The original photograph was catalogued for the library archives. There is also a "Declaration of Responsibility" set out by the students of Queen Elizabeth School.

Conservation note

This fonds was re-boxed and foldered in 2004.

Note of immediate source of acquisition

Donated to the Archives by Nancy Gray.

Accruals

No further accruals expected.

Finding aids

See file list.

File List

- 001 - Constitution 1963
- 002 - Certificate of Charter 1967
- 003 - Membership List, undated
- 004 - Award of Merit certificates (blank)
- 005 - Radio Announcements 1962
- 006 - "No Thanks I'm Driving" Campaign 1967-1968
- 007 - Correspondence re: Poster Contests 1960-1961
- 008 - Poster Contests 1960-1962
- 009 - Group Photograph (photocopy), [196-?]
- 010 - Photographs of Parade Float [196-?]
- 011 - Newspaper clippings 1969, 1972
- 012 - Declaration of Responsibility, undated