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Descriptive Summary

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Unit Date

1970-2022

Language

English .

Abstract

A collection of scrapbooks created by the Reston Garden Club containing photographs, newsletters, programs, newspaper clippings, and other materials documenting the club's yearly activities and events.

Creator

Reston Garden Club

Extent

12 Linear Feet 19 boxes

Physical Location

R 42, C 6, S 1, 5-7

Repository

George Mason University. Libraries. Special Collections Research Center

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

There are no access restrictions.

Use Restrictions

The copyright and related rights status of this collection have not been evaluated (See <http://rightsstatements.org/vocab/CNE/1.0/>)

Acquisition Information

Donated by the Reston Garden Club from 1999-2023.

Processing Information

The Reston Garden Club scrapbook collection was originally attached to the larger Planned Community Archives collection currently in the Special Collections and Archives. In 2009 the documents were removed and organized into a separate collection still housed in the Special Collections Research Center at George Mason University Libraries. The old box and folder numbers are also included as part of the new arrangement.

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Historical Information

The Reston Garden Club was founded in 1970. The club's goal is to promote home gardening, flower arranging, community beautifications and other horticultural activities in Reston, Virginia. The club meets on the first Tuesday of the month between the months of September and June, taking the summer off. The club is also involved in many community programs including "Adopt-A-Highway" and co-sponsoring the Reston Garden Tours as well as fundraising projects in Reston. In 2020, the club marked its 50th Anniversary, with a formal celebration taking place in October 2021 at the Hidden Creek Country Club.

Scope and Content

A collection of scrapbooks created by the Reston Garden Club containing photographs, newsletters, newspaper clippings, and other materials documenting the club's yearly activities and events. Most scrapbooks cover one season, spanning two calendar years (ex: 1993-1994), beginning with the founding of the Garden Club in 1970, with a few exceptions, notably the first which includes the club's founding and covers the years 1970-1973 and the 50th Anniversary book which documents celebrations for this event specifically which took place in 2021 and 2022. Also in the collection is the Garden Club's application to the National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs in 1980 and copies of "Bulletin of The National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc."

The collection contains two series:

Series 1: Scrapbooks, 1970-2009 includes scrapbooks covering from the club's founding in 1970 through the 2008-2009 season, as well as the 1980 National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs application and copies of "Bulletin of The National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc." from 1977-1978.

Series 2: Scrapbooks, 2009-2022 includes scrapbooks covering from the club's 2009-2010 year and ending with the 50th Anniversary edition, which documents celebrations taking place in 2021 and 2022. No scrapbooks for the years 2018-2019 or 2019-2020 are included.

Related Materials

The Special Collections Research Center holds the Planned Community Archives collection and the Greater Reston Newcomers and Neighbors Club scrapbook collection, as well as other personal papers and organization records that document Reston, Virginia and other planned communities, as well as other scrapbooks.

Keywords

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Reston Garden Club

Bibliography

"About Us." n.d. The Reston Garden Club (blog). Accessed April 24, 2024. <https://restongardenclub.org/>.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged into two series by date range.

Series

- Series 1: Scrapbooks, 1970-2009
- Series 2: Scrapbooks, 2009-2022

Description of Subordinate Components

Series 1: Scrapbooks

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33455

Unit Date 1970-2009

Mixed Materials 1-17 (box)

General Physical Description note (17 boxes)

Scope and Content

Series 1: Scrapbooks, 1970-2009 includes scrapbooks covering from the club's founding in 1970 through the 2008-2009 season, as well as the 1980 National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs application and copies of "Bulletin of The National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc." from 1977-1978.

Club Founding Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33456

Unit Date 1970-1972

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Content

403

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33457

Unit Date 1972-1973

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

404

"A Standard Flower Show"

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189185

Unit Date 1974

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33458

Unit Date 1974-1975

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

404

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33459

Unit Date 1975-1976

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

405

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33460

Unit Date 1976-1977

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Extent Binding is held together very loosely by a thin metallic string, care should be taken when opening - use of book pillow required as pages are not attached to each other. Book currently held together with ribbon. Candidate for disbanding.

Scope and Contents note

405

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33461

Unit Date 1977-1978

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

405

American Horticultural Society brochure

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189186

Unit Date circa 1976-1978

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

"Bulletin of The National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc."

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189187

Unit Date 1977-1978

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Editions include: - September-October 1977 - November-December 1977 - January-February 1978 - March-April 1978 - June-July 1978

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33462

Unit Date 1978-1979

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

405

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33463

Unit Date 1980-1982

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Extent Scrapbook is currently in white paper wrapping with ribbon, possibly already disbanded. Candidate for digitization and rehousing.

Scope and Contents note

407

National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs, Incorporated application

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33464

Unit Date 1980

Mixed Materials 5 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

405

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33465

Unit Date 1983-1984

Mixed Materials 5 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

407

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33466

Unit Date 1985-1986

Mixed Materials 5 (box)

Container 3 (object)

Scope and Contents note

408

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33467

Unit Date 1988-1989

Mixed Materials 6 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

408

Scrapbook**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/33468**Unit Date** 1989-1990**Mixed Materials** 6 (box)**Container** 2 (object)**Scope and Contents note**

409

Scrapbook**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/33469**Unit Date** 1990-1991**Mixed Materials** 7 (box)**Container** 1 (object)**Scope and Contents note**

409

Scrapbook**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/33470**Unit Date** 1991-1992**Mixed Materials** 7 (box)**Container** 2 (object)**Scope and Contents note**

410

Scrapbook**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/33471**Unit Date** 1992-1993**Mixed Materials** 8 (box)**Container** 1 (object)**Scope and Contents note**

410

Scrapbook (1 of 2)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/33472**Unit Date** 1993-1994**Mixed Materials** 8 (box)**Container** 2 (object)**Scope and Contents note****Scrapbook (2 of 2)****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/33473**Unit Date** 1993-1994**Mixed Materials** 9 (box)**Container** 1 (object)**Scope and Contents note****Scrapbook****Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/33474**Unit Date** 1994-1995**Mixed Materials** 9 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33475

Unit Date 1995-1996

Mixed Materials 10 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33476

Unit Date 1996-1997

Mixed Materials 10 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33477

Unit Date 1997-1998

Mixed Materials 11 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33478

Unit Date 1998-1999

Mixed Materials 11 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33479

Unit Date 1999-2000

Mixed Materials 12 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33480

Unit Date 2000-2001

Mixed Materials 12 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33481

Unit Date 2001-2002

Mixed Materials 13 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Extent Back cover is not attached to pages/front cover, pages are stable, but care should be taken when opening; use of book pillow required.

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33482

Unit Date 2002-2003

Mixed Materials 13 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33483

Unit Date 2003-2004

Mixed Materials 14 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33484

Unit Date 2004-2005

Mixed Materials 14 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Reston Garden Tour

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189188

Unit Date 2006

Mixed Materials 14 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33485

Unit Date 2005-2006

Mixed Materials 15 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33486

Unit Date 2006-2007

Mixed Materials 15 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33487

Unit Date 2007-2008

Mixed Materials 16 (box)

Scope and Contents note

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/33488

Unit Date 2008-2009

Mixed Materials 17 (box)

Scope and Contents note

Series 2: Scrapbooks

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189189

Unit Date 2009-2022

Mixed Materials 18-19 (box)

Scope and Content

Series 2: Scrapbooks, 2009-2022 includes scrapbooks covering from the club's 2009-2010 year and ending with the 50th Anniversary edition, which documents celebrations taking place in 2021 and 2022. No scrapbooks for the years 2018-2019 or 2019-2020 are included.

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189190

Unit Date 2009-2010

Mixed Materials 18 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189191

Unit Date 2010-2011

Mixed Materials 18 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189192

Unit Date 2011-2012

Mixed Materials 18 (box)

Container 3 (object)

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189193

Unit Date 2012-2013

Mixed Materials 18 (box)

Container 4 (object)

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189194

Unit Date 2013-2014

Mixed Materials 18 (box)

Container 5 (object)

Extent Back cover is not attached to pages/front cover with the bottom fastener, only the top, the spine is unstable, care should be taken when opening - use of book pillow required - Last plastic insert does not have page, has loose paper and newspapers clippings tucked inside

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189195

Unit Date 2014-2015

Mixed Materials 19 (box)

Container 1 (object)

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189196

Unit Date 2015-2016

Mixed Materials 19 (box)

Container 2 (object)

Scope and Contents

Paper inserted in front page over 2015-2016 booklet for 2016-2017

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189197

Unit Date 2016-2017

Mixed Materials 19 (box)

Container 3 (object)

Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189198

Unit Date 2017-2018

Mixed Materials 19 (box)

Container 4 (object)

1970-2020 50th Anniversary Scrapbook

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/189199

Unit Date 2020-2022

Mixed Materials 19 (box)

Container 5 (object)

Scope and Contents

Includes materials from 2021- 2022 anniversary celebration events