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Historical Note:

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http://scdbwiki.swem.wm.edu/wiki/index.php/United_States._National_Aeronautics_and_Space_Administration.

Scope and Contents

The collection covers the September 12, 1993 launch of the space shuttle Discovery, on which the College of William and Mary put into orbit school artifacts in celebration of its tercentennial anniversary. After the space flight Captain Kenneth S. Reightler of NASA visited the College to speak and present artifacts from the Tercentenary Package's space shuttle journey.

This collection includes a tercentennial banner similar to one launched on the space shuttle, photographs of the launch and the Discovery crew, and a model of the space shuttle Endeavour.

Separated Materials:

Material separated from this collection includes Space Shuttle Endeavor Model (UA1994.083.01a) and Model Stand (UA1994.083.01b).

Related Materials:

Material related to this collection includes Space Shuttle Endeavor Model (UA1994.083.01a) and Model Stand (UA1994.083.01b).

Keywords

Banners

Photographs

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Publications

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College of William and Mary--History--20th century

Space flights

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Space Shuttle Program (U.S.)

Arrangement of Materials:

The collection is arranged by format.

Description of Subordinate Components

Matted photographs of Space Shuttle Discovery's launch, signed by Captain Ken Reightler, and an aerial view of the Virginia coast

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Space Shuttle: The Journey Continues, NASA publication

Unit ID id16401

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Unit Date 1988

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Space Shuttle Endeavour Model

Unit ID id16402

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/202243

Unit Date circa 1994

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College of William and Mary Tercentenary banner

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Unit Date 1993

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

NASA Certificates of Authenticity

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Swem Library Exhibit on Discovery Launch, Labels

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Discovery Mission Crew Sticker**Unit ID** id16406**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/202247**Unit Date** 1993**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Discovery Launch Photograph****Unit ID** id16407**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/202248**Unit Date** 1993**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**Discovery Crew Photographs****Unit ID** id16408**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/202249**Unit Date** 1993**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 5 (Folder)**Discovery Crew Signed Photograph****Unit ID** id16409**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/202250**Unit Date** 1993**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 6 (Folder)**Discovery Launch Landscape Photograph****Unit ID** id16410**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/202251**Unit Date** 1993**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 7 (Folder)**Discovery Launch Photograph****Unit ID** id16411**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/202252**Unit Date** 1993**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 8 (Folder)**Ex Libris Photographs and Program****Unit ID** id16412**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/202253**Unit Date** 1993**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 9 (Folder)

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