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Archival and Manuscript Collections Finding Aid

ACCESSION No.: HRHS-93

COLLECTION TITLE: Harrisonburg Business and Professional Women's Club Collection

DATES: 1939-1991

SIZE: 7 boxes (6 are banker boxes)

DONOR: Begie Shoemaker

PROCESSED: Processed 09/10/2014

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE:

The Harrisonburg Business and Professional Women's Club was chartered in 1925 and was the first organization for business and professional women in Harrisonburg.

SCOPE AND CONTENT:

This collection contains information in the form of scrapbooks and minute books chronicling the history of the Harrisonburg Business and Professional Women's Club dating from 1939-1991.

COLLECTION INVENTORY:

Box 1:

Scrapbook, 1939-1940.

Scrapbook, 1944-1946.

Scrapbook, 1946-1949.

Minutes and newspaper clippings, 1947-1949.

Minutes and newspaper clippings, 1950-1951.

Scrapbook, 1951-1952.

Scrapbook, 1952-1953.

Scrapbook, 1954-1955.

Box 2:

Scrapbook, 1955-1956.

Scrapbook, 1959-1960.

Scrapbook, 1960-1961.

Scrapbook, 1961-1962.

Scrapbook, 1962-1963.

Scrapbook, 1963-1964.

Minute book, 1959-1967.

Box 3:

Scrapbook, 1964-1965.

Scrapbook, 1965-1966.

Scrapbook, 1966-1967.

Box 4:

Scrapbook, 1969-1970.

Scrapbook, 1970-1971.

Scrapbook, 1971-1972.

Year Book, 1970-1971.

Box 5:

Scrapbook, 1972-1973.

Scrapbook, 1973-1974.

Minutes and treasury reports, 1975.

Scrapbook, 1978-1979.

Scrapbook, 1986-1987.

Box 6:

Scrapbook, 1979-1980.

Scrapbook, 1981-1982.

Scrapbook, 1987-1988.

Scrapbook, 1989-1990.

Box 7:

Small box of slide pictures.

Pictorial history dedicated to Barbara Marsh.

40 photos

1990-1991 year book, list of committees.

Vol.18 Newsletter, July 22, 1990

4 programs

Brochure on building new historical home in Dayton

9 agenda sheets

Fact sheet

Introduction sheet

2 information tracts

BPW Barbara Marsh name tag

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After school program

Suggestions for after school program

1991 calendar, God is Our Creator and Protector

Fashion show ticket and program

2 each, citrus fruit money making project

Newspaper clipping, Libby Custer

Special projects

Sixty-Fifth anniversary program

Committee guidelines

Proclamation

Member sheet

Newspaper clipping featuring Mary Etter

3 each memorials

Obituary Bonnie Hollyard and Service program

List of retired members

56-60 reports, History of Harrisonburg BPW

61-62 awards certificate, 1989-1990

63-75 local organization bulletins, May – April

76-77 Misc.

Misc. photocopies

1981-1983 balance sheets

Purple Announcer

Copies of the Announcer

Women helping women with scholarships

Script for foundation slide presentation

Achievement award plague