

Research Collections



Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions415

Part Of: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: S 1 Sous-Fonds: S 1

Accession Number: Numerous accessions; list available

Reference Code: S1

GMD: Sound recording

Cassette Reel to reel

Video

Responsibility: Interviews and recordings were made by Maryalice Harvey Stewart,

Elizabeth Rummel, Jon Whyte, E. J. (Ted) Hart, Sue Davies and others.

Date Range: 1967-1989

Physical Description: 157 sound recordings: audio tape reels and audio tape cassettes. -- 3

video recordings

History / Biographical:

Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies is a charitable, non-profit organization based in Banff, Alberta, Canada. In 1958, the Wa-Che-Yo-Cha-Pa Foundation, presently the Peter and Catharine Whyte Foundation which operates the Whyte Museum, was founded and endowed by artists Peter and Catharine Whyte. The foundation acts as an agency for collecting and preserving cultural materials of the Canadian Rockies. In 1968, the foundation's building opened at 111 Bear Street, providing accommodation for a regional archives, gallery and public library. Between 1967 and 1983, the Archives department recorded and summarized interviews with local personalities, as well as recording noteworthy meetings and events.

Scope & Content:

Fonds includes recordings of interviews, events, broadcasts, meetings, notes, readings and slide shows produced by and for the Archives of the Whyte Museum.

I. Interviews with numerous individuals and groups of individuals. See subject headings for names

II. Events: dedication of Margaret Greenham Theatre; ceremony re Catharine Robb Whyte adoption in Stoney Tribe; Earth Day programme at Margaret Greenham Theatre; dedication of Mt. Jimmy Simpson; dedication of Edouard Deville historic site; Back to Banff Day, 10th anniversary; Louis Trono 75th birthday.

Ill. Broadcasts re: Murray Adaskin, George Clutesi, Allan Jarvis, Kootenay River raft trip, Ottawa Ski Club, Helen Shandruk, Siri Strom, Springtime in the Rockies, Village Lake Louise Project, water pollution, Waterton area.

IV. Meetings: Bow Valley Naturalists; National and Provincial Parks Association conference; Indigenous and Inuit Conference re George Clutesi.

V. Notes by Maryalice Stewart re: Cyril Fuller, Al Johnston, Maude Kidney, Norman Knight, Ulysses LaCasse.

VI. Readings by: Ray Bagley, Earle Birney, Jon Whyte.

VII. Slide shows: Jon Whyte slide show commentary re Peter and Catharine Whyte.

Name Access: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme

Subject Access: Arts

Community life Environment

Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

First nations

Sports, recreation and leisure

Access Restrictions: Some restrictions on access to originals

Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: electronic series description

selected sound recording summaries and copy recordings

Creator: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme

Category: Arts

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Title Source: Title is based on nature of collection

Processing Status: Processed



Robert Baptie interview

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions15185

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Description Level: 6 / Item
Series: I. Interviews

Reference Code: S1 / 1

Responsibility: Interviewer: Elizabeth Rummel

Date Range: 1971

Physical Description: 1 sound recording

Subject Access: Businesses

Columbia Icefield

Exshaw

Films and film making

Legace, Ray

Mount Assiniboine - CPR camp

Sibbald, Hugh Simpson, Jimmy Walking Buffalo

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording



Ray Bagley interview

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions15193

Part Of: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

Description Level: 6 / Item
Series: I. Interviews
Reference Code: \$1 / 10

Responsibility: Interviewer: Maryalice Harvey Stewart

Date Range: 1967

Physical Description: 1 sound recording
Subject Access: Diverty, Marshall

Lacombe, Alberta

Legace, Ray

Poets

Red Deer Area Rummel, Elizabeth

Skoki Lodge

Indigenous Peoples

Wilson, Tom

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording



Readings series. -- 1973-1979

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions809

Part Of: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

Description Level: 3 / Series
Series: VI. Readings
Reference Code: S1 / 10, 42, 136

Scope & Content:

Physical Description:

Series consists of recordings of readings by Ray Bagley, Earle Birney and Jon Whyte

Finding Aid: Reference copies and printed summaries are available for most

recordings

3 sound recordings

Related Material: Constitutes Series VI of the Whyte Museum Oral History Programme

fonds

Title Source: Title is based on nature of series



Joyce Cole interview

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions15273

Part Of: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

Description Level: 6 / Item
Series: I. Interviews
Reference Code: \$1 / 100

Responsibility: Interviewer: Elizabeth Rummel

Date Range: 1973

Physical Description: 1 sound recording

Subject Access: Banff National Park - Entrance

Exshaw

Kananaskis Valley

Loder family Mills, Ike

National parks and reserves - Wardens

Sibbald, Howard Staple, Annie Staple, Tom

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording



Chuck Millar interview

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions15274

Part Of: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

Description Level: 6 / Item
Series: I. Interviews
Reference Code: \$1 / 101

Responsibility: Interviewer: Elizabeth Rummel

Physical Description: 1 sound recording

Name Access: Bagley, Jim

Bagley, Ray

Bagley, Frances Newbury

Subject Access: Films and film making

Mount Assiniboine Lodge

Outfitters, trail guides and packers

Ranchers and ranching

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording



Dolly Iverson interview

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions15275

Part Of: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

Description Level: 6 / Item
Series: I. Interviews
Reference Code: \$1 / 103

Responsibility: Interviewer: Maryalice Harvey Stewart

Date Range: 1975

Physical Description: 1 sound recording

Subject Access: Buildings - Banff

Businesses - Banff Cascade (Dance) Hall

Logging

Schools - Lake Louise Sibbald, Howard

West family

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording



Joan Vroom interview

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Part Of: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

Description Level: 6 / Item

Series: I. Interviews

Reference Code: \$1 / 104

Responsibility: Interviewer: Maryalice Harvey Stewart

Date Range: 1975

Physical Description: 1 sound recording
Subject Access: Bears, Grizzly

Fire lookouts Log structures

National parks and reserves - Wardens

Vroom, Bill Warden cabins Young, Ernie

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording



George Camp interview

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Description Level: 6 / Item
Series: I. Interviews
Reference Code: \$1 / 105

Responsibility: Interviewer: E. J. (Ted) Hart

Date Range: 1975

Physical Description: 1 sound recording

Subject Access: Grand Trunk Pacific Railway - Employee

Jasper

Lamb, Jimmy

National parks and reserves - Wardens

Otto Brothers Phillips, Curly

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. Read more.



Martin Joyce interview

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Description Level: 6 / Item
Series: I. Interviews
Reference Code: \$1 / 106

Responsibility: Interviewer: E. J. (Ted) Hart

Date Range: 1975

Physical Description: 1 sound recording

Subject Access: Jasper

Pyramid Mountain Lodge Ranchers and ranching Swift, Lewis James

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording