

Research Collections



1933 Skoki ski trip

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54398

Part Of: Aileen Harmon fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M287 / V262

Series: M287 / I: Personal records

Sous-Fonds: M287

Accession Number: 2016.8596
Reference Code: M287 / I / 8
GMD: Textual record

Private record

Diary

Responsibility: Produced by Aileen Harmon

Date Range: 1933

[ca. 1981 - ca. 1990]

Physical Description: 1 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of an original travel journal/diary annotated by Aileen Harmon pertaining to a 1933 ski trip to Skoki Lodge. File also includes two complete, typed copies of text from original 1933 account [one accompanied by typed letter to "Kathryn", likely Catharine Robb Whyte], and one incomplete typed copy.

Notes: One copy of journal contents annotated

Name Access: Whyte, Catharine

Harmon, Aileen

Subject Access: Skiing

Travel Mountains

Skoki Lodge

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

Lake Louise

Language: English

Creator: Aileen Harmon

Category: Family and personal life

Title Source: Title provided prior to processing

Processing Status: Processed



1964 ski trip, skiing with friends

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55310

Part Of: Chic Scott fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: M57

> S47 V40

Series: V40 / V : Deep Powder and Steep Rock

Sous-Fonds: V40

Accession Number: 2015.8559

Reference Code: V40 / V / PA - 1 to 24

Date Range: 1964

[1980 - 1990]

Physical Description: 24 photographs: b&w and col. prints; 25 x 20 cm or smaller

Scope & Content:

File consists of photographs pertaining to Hans Gmoser skiing with friends. Most photographs are from a 1964 ski trip between Toby Creek and the Bugaboos mountain range in British Columbia.

Notes: Photographs in file are accompanied by one page of handwritten notes

pertaining to details of images from 1964 ski trip [PA - 1 to 21] and one copy of an Eaton's newspaper ad featuring an illustration of a ski jumper

Name Access: Gmoser, Hans

McConkey, Jim Wiegele, Mike Grillmair, Leo Gertsch, Rudy Gmoser, Margaret Lemire, Pierre

Subject Access: Sports

Recreation Skiing Ski jumping Mountains

Landscapes

Family and personal life

Exploration
Travel
Winter

Winter sports

Geographic Access: Canada

British Columbia Toby Creek Bugaboos

Canadian Rocky Mountains

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Restrictions:

Language: English

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel

Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

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Aileen Harmon fonds

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions206

Part Of: Aileen Harmon fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds Fonds Number: M287 / V262

Sous-Fonds: M287

V262

Accession Number: 1876

2016.8596

Reference Code: M287 / V262 GMD: Photograph

Negative

Photograph print Textual record Private record Transparency

Date Range: [ca. 1924] - 2015

 $Physical\ Description: \quad 26.5\ cm\ of\ textual\ records. --33\ photographs\ (26\ prints: b\&w\ and\ col.\ ;$

 $20.5\,x\,30$ cm or smaller -- 6 negatives : b&w nitrate negatives ; $12.5\,x\,10$

cm -- 1 transparency: col. slide; 35 mm)

History / Biographical:

Aileen Harmon (1912 - 2015), daughter of Byron Harmon, worked as a government naturalist at Banff, Alberta, Canada and was involved in local natural history groups and activities. Aileen was a founding member, alongside Bruce Gordon, of the Bow Valley Naturalists, and was also on the Board of The Canadian Wildlife Federation and The Society of Alberta Naturalists. Aileen moved to Mill Bay on Vancouver Island, B.C. in 1981 following the end of a lengthy career with Parks Canada. During her retirement years, Aileen travelled extensively, reaching all seven continents. She also authored an autobiographical book, titled "Tales of My Mountain Life", in 2004. Aileen passed away on January 9, 2015 at the age of 102.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of textual records and photographs by and about Aileen Harmon, as well as collected items. Textual records include: letter from Harmon to the Director of Alberta's provincial parks re addition of Yamnuska area to Bow Valley Provincial Park, 1973; brief, from Harvie Heights and Bow Valley subdivision residents to public hearings on land use and resource development in the eastern slopes, 1973; letter re James Hector, 1979; notes on career, 2003; notes on Catharine Whyte for CBC recording, 2004; Christmas cards and collected articles, ca.1960. Photographs, made by and collected by Aileen Harmon, pertain to Aileen Harmon and friends, skiing, Skoki area, Mount Yamnuska, Banff Indian Days. Includes photographs by Byron Harmon.

Added content from accession 2016.8596: ca. 25 cm of textual records including personal correspondence, guest book, original writing and notes by Aileen Harmon, personal travel journals from a 1931 packing trip and 1933 ski trip to Skoki, drafts of autobiographical book "Tales of My Mountain Life", articles pertaining to or written by Aileen Harmon, Christmas cards, and letters of condolence to Carole Harmon following Aileen's passing. Also 26 print photographs, 6 negative photographs from a 1937 hiking trip, and one transparency.

Fonds consists of one series : Series I - Personal records

Name Access: Harmon, Aileen

Harmon, Carole

Subject Access: Environment

Family and personal life

Memorial

Parks Canada

Hiking

Mountains

Travel

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

British Columbia

Access Restrictions: Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Reproduction

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Restrictions:

Language: English

Finding Aid: Basic description only

Category: Environment

Family and personal life

Title Source: Title based on contents of fonds

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Aileen Harmon personal photos

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54408

Part Of: Aileen Harmon fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M287 / V262

Series: V262 / I: Personal records

Sous-Fonds: V262

Accession Number: 2016.8596

Reference Code: V262 / I / PA - 4 to 26

GMD: Photograph

Photograph print

Date Range: [ca. 1945 - ca. 1955]

[ca. 1980 - ca. 1990]

1994 1995

[ca. 2000 - ca. 2010]

2007

Physical Description: 23 photographs : col. prints ; 21.5 x 28 cm or smaller

Scope & Content:

File consists of personal photographs of Aileen Harmon and numerous friends and family members. Photographs pertain to friends Ron and Evelyn Matthews; Aileen's 95th birthday party celebration; a party in 1994; Aileen with Charlie Lockwood; a group of Guatemalan school children from a school Aileen donated to; Aileen with river guide Tom Moody; Bea Wilkinson and David Lestock [?]; Jim Fulton; Aileen's friend Georgia Engelhart; Fran Losie [?], Joyce Hendrickson and Aileen together; and other miscellaneous images.

Notes: Numerous photographs annotated on the back with names and/or dates.

Name Access: Matthews, Evelyn

Matthews, Ron Lockwood, Charlie

Moody, Tom Wilkinson, Bea Lestock, David Fulton, Jim

Engelhart, Georgia Hendrickson, Joyce

Subject Access: Hiking

Birthday

Geographic Access: Canada

British Columbia

Mill Bay

Guatemala

Language: English

Category: Family and personal life

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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Alice Saltiel-Marshall fonds



https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions338

Part Of: Alice Saltiel-Marshall fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds Fonds Number: V672

M591

Sous-Fonds: M591

V672

Accession Number: 6420

2022.18

Reference Code: M591 / V672 GMD: Photograph

Photograph print

Date Range: [1970-2010]

1985

Physical Description: 31 photographs: prints; col. -- 8 journals -- 3 sketchbooks -- 1 certificae --

1 CD with digital image files -- ca.25 cm textual records

History / Biographical:

(Mary) Alice Saltiel-Marshall (1948-2019) was an artist based in Canmore, Alberta, Canada. Alice operated the company Art by Saltiel and had her work displayed and sold at various locations in the Bow Valley, including the Whyte Museum, the Banff Centre, and Avens Gallery.

Scope & Content:

Fonds pertains to the opening of the Cave and Basin, June 15, 1985; the opening of the Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies, June 16, 1985; and the Canada Day Parade at Banff, July 1, 1985.

Materials donated in 2022 pertain to Alice Saltiel-Marshall and her career as an artist, ca.1970-2010, including personal journals, sketchbooks, and a certificate naming Alice as a member of the Canmore Art Guild.

Name Access: Saltiel-Marshall, Alice

Subject Access: Community life

Family and personal life

Personal and Professional Life

Art

Artist

Access Restrictions: No restrictions on access

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Language: Language is English
Creator: Saltiel-Marshall, Alice

Category: Sports, recreation and leisure
Biographical Source https://artbysaltiel.blogspot.com/

Notes:

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Title Source: Title based on accession record

Processing Status: Processed



Andy Russell fonds

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions336

Part Of: Andy Russell fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds Fonds Number: M 153

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Sous-Fonds: M153/S43/V555

Accession Number: 963, 5777, 5964, 6338, 6339, 6547, 6567

Reference Code: M153 / S43 / V555 GMD: Motion picture

Film

Photograph

Album Negative

Photograph print Sound recording Textual record

Diary

Private record

Published record

Date Range: [1867]-1993, predominant 1908-1993

Physical Description: 6 m of textual records and printed material. -- ca.6100 photographs:

prints, negatives, transparencies. -- 1 photograph album (49 prints). -- 29

motion pictures. -- 5 sound recordings

History / Biographical:

Andy Russell, 1915-2005, was a trapper, guide and outfitter, writer, photographer, cinematographer, lecturer and environmental advocate in the Pincher Creek, Alberta, Canada.

Russell was born in Lethbridge, Alberta and spent his childhood on a ranch in the foothills near Pincher Creek. He became a skilled horseman, hunter, fisherman and trapper, and, in 1936, was employed by Bert Riggall, a pioneer guide and outfitter of wilderness pack trips in the southern Rockies since 1907. He became Riggall's partner in 1939 and took over the business when Riggall retired in 1946. Andy Russell and Kathleen (Kay) Riggall married in 1938 and raised five children at their ranch bordering Waterton Lakes National Park, where family businesses included guiding, saddlehorses and ranching. Children are: Richard "Dick" H. (b.1938); Andrew Charles "Charlie" (b.1941); Harold John "John" (b.1944); Hugh Gordon Riggall "Gordon" (b.1947); Lorenda Anne "Anne" (b.1952).

Russell continued as a renowned guide and outfitter with a wealthy repeat clientele until he was forced out of guiding by 1960 with the advance of the oil industry concerns upon wilderness areas in southern Alberta and British Columbia. Russell began to write nature articles in 1945 and after 1960 concentrated upon writing, photography, film making, lecturing and ranching. He wrote for numerous magazines and newspapers, produced radio broadcasts, and, using colour motion picture photography, developed programs on wildlife and wilderness habitat research for live public performances. Russell's films launched his career as an author of popular wildlife and mountain culture books, which included Grizzly Country. In later years, he was an active writer, consultant and advocate of wilderness and environmental management and received numerous awards and honours, including Member of the Order of Canada.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of seven series: I. Personal and professional series, 1937-1993 (diaries, correspondence, filing systems and papers pertaining to awards, memberships, biography and other); II. Business series, 1948-1982 (pertaining to guiding, outfitting, trail riding, ranching, Andy Russell and Sons, royalties and lecturing); III. Writing, broadcasting and public appearances series, 1908-1990 (papers and photographs pertaining to writing, book projects, columns, broadcasts, reviews, advertising, promotion and other); IV. Photography and cinematography series, 1909-1990 (details below); V. Wildlife study and conservation activities series, 1945-[198-]; VI. Other activities series, 1931-[199-] (politics, interviews, information files); VII. Russell family series, [1867]-1983.

Photography and cinematography series consists of: Riggall/Russell guiding activity photographs, 1909-1962, ca.280 items; Andy Russell and Sons Production Ltd / Andy Russell professional photographs and films, ca.1940- ca.1990, ca.4200 photographs (mainly transparencies), 28 motion pictures, accompanied by some textual and printed items; personal and family photographs, 1916-1989, ca.1550 items; collected photographs, ca.1940-197-, ca.75 items. Professional photography and cinematography primarily arose from field work by Andy, Dick and Charlie Russell and pertains mainly to flora, fauna and landscape of the Canadian Rockies in continental divide region, British Columbia, Yukon and Alaska.

Motion pictures, ca.1950-1974, include original film "Grizzly Country" by Dick, Charlie and Andy Russell, produced by Evan J. Anton, ca.1969, copy print of same; also unedited wildlife and landscape footage of Waterton area, Yukon and British Columbia.

Sound recordings are interviews with Andy Russell, [ca.1970]-1988.

Name Access: Russell, Andy

Subject Access: Arts

Environment

Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

Sports, recreation and leisure

Access Restrictions: Some restriction/s on access

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Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: arrangement outline

series and file description electronic finding aid

video reference copy for "Grizzly country"

sound recording reference copy recordings

Related Material: Related to the Kay Russell family fonds (M36/V36) and the Bert Riggall

fonds (M376/V26)

Creator: Russell, Andy

Category: Arts

Environment

Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

Sports, recreation and leisure

Biographical Source

Notes:

Russell family

Title Source: Title based on accession record

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Awards and achievements

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54505

Part Of: Kidney family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M74 / V324

Series: M74 / III : Jack MacAulay records

Sous-Fonds: M74

Sub-Series: M74 / III / C : 1981 - 2000

Accession Number: 2016.8581

Reference Code: M74 / III / C / 1

GMD: Textual record

Private record

Published record

Responsibility: Commemorative medal certificate produced and awarded through the

Government of Canada

Date Range: 1981

Physical Description: 0.5 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of personal and professional correspondence sent to Jack MacAulay, a professional resume for Jack MacAulay, two Crag and Canyon news articles, two award certificates, two event programmes [identical copies] and one pamphlet. Content pertains to achievements and awards won by Jack MacAulay between 1981 and 2000. Includes the Volunteer Services Award in 1982, a lifetime pass for all Banff Recreation Department programs received 1984, the Government of Canada's Celebration '88 award, and the Commemorative Medal for the 125th Anniversary of the Confederation of Canada, 1992.

Name Access: MacAulay, Jack

Trynchy, Peter Stevens, Greg Brayley, Russ

MacDonald, Graham

Brewster, Mary LaRocque, Judith Feltham, Louise

Subject Access: Community events

Awards Hockey Sports

Winter sports

Government

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta Edmonton Banff Ontario Ottawa

Mount Rundle

Reproduction

Copyright restrictions may apply

Restrictions:

Language: English

Category: Family and personal life

Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed



Banff and Canmore Miscellaneous

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54667

Part Of: Dorothy Wardle fonds

Description Level: 5 / File
Fonds Number: M521 / V75

Series: V75 / II: Dorothy Wardle, 1972-2001

Sous-Fonds: V75
Accession Number: 7504

Reference Code: V75 / II / PA - 138 to 228

GMD: Photograph print

Private record

Date Range: 1993-1999

Physical Description: 90 photographs: col.; 15 x 10 cm and 12.5 x 9 cm

Scope & Content:

File consists of 90 colour photographs, 15 x 10 cm and 12.5 x 9 cm. File pertains to photographs taken by Dorothy Wardle of places, events, and scenery around Banff and Canmore. For Banff, file documents winter and fall scenery (mountains like Rundle and Cascade, the Bow River, Banff Avenue), wildlife (elk and a bear), war memorial, Warren house, Baine house, Louis Trono concert in the park in 1995, and the Old Banff Cemetery. For Canmore, file documents the Highland Games in 1994, winter activities (ice sculptures, dog sled races at the Nordic Centre), St. Michael's Place, and a photograph of the valley. File also documents the Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies and the cabins (Bill Peyto, Jack Sinclair, and Mather Family) located on the museum's property.

Notes: Old Banff Cemetery photographs include the headstones of: Wardle

family, Stephen family, Mary Schaffer Warren, J. Murray Gibbon, and

Peter Whyte and Catharine Robb Whyte.

Name Access: Wardle, Dorothy

Wardle, James M. Whyte, Peter Whyte, Catharine Schaffer, Mary

Gibbon, John Murray

Subject Access: Mountain

Scenery Wildlife

War Memorial Highland Games

Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies

Cabins

Bow River Bridge
Old Banff Cemetery

Geographic Access: Banff

Banff National Park

Canmore Alberta Canada

Canadian Rocky Mountains

Language: English

Creator: Wardle, Dorothy

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel

Sports, recreation and leisure

Family and personal life

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

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Banff Community Celebrations Society fonds

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions609

Part Of: Banff Community Celebrations Society fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds
Fonds Number: M 146
S 46

V104

Sous-Fonds: M146/S46/V104
Accession Number: 7744 (unproc)
Reference Code: M146 / S46 / V104

GMD: Motion picture

Video

Photograph Album

Negative Photograph print

Transparency
Sound recording

Cassette

Recording disc

Date Range: 1999-2001

Physical Description: 203 photographs: prints, negatives, transparencies. -- 1 photograph

album (125 prints). -- 1 moving image: optical disc; DVD-ROM. -- 7

sound recordings: 3 audio cassettes

History / Biographical:

The Banff Community Celebrations Society coordinated the official Millenium events of the Town of Banff which included such Millenium celebrations as 1st Night, Banff Winter Festival, and Artventure.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of records pertaining to the official Millenium events of the Town of Banff and include 1st Night, Banff Winter Festival, Artventure, Stories of Our Lives, TransCanada relay, Millenium quilts, art sculptures, and other official Millenium celebrations. Records include photographs by Debbie Senger, black & white prints by Gavin Young, sound recordings relating to Stories of Our Lives, and a DVD recording titled Canada 2000 / Government of Canada, Millenium Bureau of Canada, 2001.

Notes: Stories of Our Lives audio cassettes- need transcriptions, copyright etc.

Name Access: Banff Community Celebrations Society

Subject Access: Arts

Community life

Family and personal life

Sports, recreation and leisure

Access Restrictions: Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: No finding aid

Creator: Banff Community Celebrations Society

Category: Arts

Family and personal life

Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of fonds

Processing Status: Unprocessed



Bank account pocketbooks

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55156

Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: LUX / II / D : Business, Legal and Financial

Sous-Fonds: LUX / II: Eleanor Luxton sous-fonds

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / II / D / 144
GMD: Textual record

Private record

Date Range: 1971

1979-1987

1991

Physical Description: 2 cm of textual records (8 volumes; 17.5 x 8 cm or smaller)

Scope & Content:

Language:

File consists of banking pocketbooks which belonged to Eleanor Luxton. Content pertains to personal account and transaction records from Eleanor's accounts at CIBC and Bank of Montreal, dated between 1971 and 1991.

Name Access: Luxton, Eleanor

Subject Access: Commerce

Finances

Personal and Professional Life

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta Banff

English

Category: Family and personal life

Commerce and industry

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed