

MJ-107

Moose Jaw Horticultural Society fonds. – [textual record, graphic material, object]. – 1985-1997. – 22.5 cm. of textual records. – 84 colour photographs. – 12 objects.
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Administrative history

According to newspaper articles, the Moose Jaw Horticultural Society existed as far back as 1922, but there is no information available documenting when the Society was formed and by who. They were affiliated with the Saskatchewan Horticultural Society and the Division of Extension and Community Relations Division of the University of Saskatchewan.

The Society held regular meetings, including educational meetings when presenters spoke on topics of horticulture. Every year a “green thumb” sale was held for the public to purchase bedding out plants, houseplants and perennials. Members attended provincial horticultural shows and conventions. The Moose Jaw Horticultural Society held perennial competitions, yard and garden competitions, a garden tea, and a fall fair and banquet, with local businesses, groups or individuals sponsoring prizes.

The Moose Jaw Horticultural Society disbanded in 2005. Remaining funds were donated to the Moose Jaw Public Library.

Fonds level scope and content

This fonds consists of three series. There are records of the Moose Jaw Horticultural Society of the late 1980's and 1990's. There are membership and directors lists, minutes of meetings, financial statements and correspondence. There are schedules, information and publicity on events held by the society. There are 2 scrapbooks from 1990 and 1991 that contain photos, programs, memorabilia and newspaper clippings. There are also loose newspaper clippings and some which have been glued on loose leaf pages and a notebook. There are minutes and newsletters from the Saskatchewan Horticultural Association as well as reports, brochures and publication information from the Extension and Community Relations Division of the University of Saskatchewan. There is one copy of the periodical “The Saskatchewan Gardener”, Winter 1995 edition.

Conservation note

This fonds was re-boxed and foldered in 2005.

Note of immediate source of acquisition

The first accession was donated to Moose Jaw Public Library Archives by Dennis S. Smale.

Accession 22.2018 was donated to the archives by Diane Milton Smith on August 24, 2016.

Accruals

No further accruals are expected.

Restrictions on access

MJ-107/1.001 – Directors, Membership Lists - subject to The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, c 24-e.

MJ-107/1.017 – Sponsors Lists - subject to The Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, c 24-e.

Series level scope and content

MJ-107/1 Organization Business and Archives. – [textual record, graphic material, object]. – 1985 -1997. – 19.5 cm of textual records. – 84 colour photographs. – 12 objects.

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This series contains material pertaining to the business and activities of the Moose Jaw Horticultural Society. The scrapbooks contain textual records, colour photographs, and ribbons of prizes in horticultural competitions.

MJ-107/2 Saskatchewan Horticultural Association. – [textual record]. – 1988-1996. – 2.00 cm of textual records.

Box V-115.

This series contains the minutes, newsletters, publication and convention and show information.

MJ-107/3 Extension and Community Relations Division, University of Saskatchewan. – [textual record]. – 1988-1996. – 1.00 cm of textual records.

Box V-115.

This series contains an annual report and information on programs and publications.

Finding aids

See file list.

File List

MJ-107/1 Organization Business and Archives. – [textual record]. – 1985 -1997. – 15.5 cm of textual records. – 84 colour photographs. – 12 objects.

Box V-115

001 – Directors, Membership Lists. – 1986-1987, 1989-1992, 1995, 1999. –ca. 30 p.

- 002 – Incorporation. – 1992. – ca. 20 p.
- 003 – Financial Statements. – 1987-1993. – ca. 30 p.
- 004 – Minutes of Meetings. – 1985-1992. – ca. 50 p.
- 005 – Grant Applications/Guidelines. – 1986-1993, 1996-1997. – ca. 30 p.
- 006 – Correspondence. – 1987-1987, 1990-1994. – ca. 50 p.
- 007 – Events and Competitions. – 1986-1987, 1990-1994, 2000. – ca. 20 p.
- 008 – Competition and Show Awards. – 1989, 1990, 1992 [199-]. – ca. 20 p.
- 009 – Fall Fair Entries. – [198-]. – ca. 20 p.
- 010 – Fall Fair Schedules and Prize Books. – 1989-1990, 1994-1996. – ca. 50 p.
- 011 – Judges, Judging. – 1989-1991. – 9 p.
- 012 – Publicity Announcements. – 1990-1991. – ca. 20 p.

Box H-64

- 013 – Scrapbook. – 1989-1990. – 45 colour photographs. – 34 p. – 3 objects.

Box OS-11

- 014 – Scrapbook. – 1991. – 39 colour photographs. – 36 p. – 9 objects.

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- 015 – Newspaper clippings. – 1985-1990, 1992. – ca. 30 p.

Box V-348

- 016 – Yearly Calendar. – 1989, 1998. – ca. 20 p.
- 017 – Sponsors Lists. – 1989-1990, 1995. – 11 p.
- 018 – Teas, fairs, and other events (Part 1). – July 18, 1990 - August 12, 1999. – ca. 30 p.
- 018 – Teas, fairs, and other events (Part 2). – July 18, 1990 - August 12, 1999. – ca. 30 p.

019 – Final financial statements. – August 18, 2005. – 6 p.

MJ-107/2 Saskatchewan Horticultural Association. – [textual record]. – 1988-1996. – ca. 100 pages of textual records.

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001 – Minutes of Meetings/Agendas. – 1988-1992; 1994-1996. – ca. 30 p.

002 – Program, Provincial Horticultural Show. – 1991. – 10 p.

003 – Guidelines for Hosting Shows and Conventions. – 1996. – 2 booklets: ca. 20 p.

004 – Newsletters. – 1989-1991, 1996. – ca. 20 p.

005 – Nomination Form for “Feature Yard Achievement”. – [199-?]. – 3 p.

006 – Periodical “The Saskatchewan Gardener”. – Winter 1995. – ca. 20 p.

MJ-107/3 Extension and Community Relations Division, University of Saskatchewan. – [textual record]. – 1988-1996. – ca. 32 p. of textual records.

Box V-115

001 – Annual Report. – 1988/89. – 10 p.

002 – Programs/Brochures. – 1989, 1990. – ca. 20 p.

003 – Publication Order Forms. – 1996. – 2 p.