

Summit County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society Documents

Special Collections – Akron Summit County Public Library

ACCESSIONS: SC-2006-90

LOCATION: 9 A 1

ACQUISITION: The collection of scrapbooks was donated by Ima Gene Boyd in November 2006. Ima Gene Boyd served as historian of the Summit County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society for many years.

ACCESS: Restricted access; materials fragile; access by request at Main Library Special Collections only.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE: The Summit County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society was chartered on April 17, 1971. The society's purpose is to "create and build an interest in preserving and collecting historical and genealogical records in, and for, Summit County and the State of Ohio; to advance the study of genealogy; and to attempt to help and educate the individual in his own research." Ima Gene Boyd served as its historian for many years.

SCOPE AND CONTENT: The collection consists of meeting minutes, the chapter charter, membership rosters, guidelines, photographs, meeting minutes, meeting sign-in sheets, and various other documents. The collection currently consists of items covering the years 1970 through 2007. Annually updated.

CONTAINER LIST: 9 Boxes; 2 envelopes; (2.625 linear feet)

NOTES: The collection originally consisted of seven spiral notebooks with most documents contained within archival sheet protectors. The notebooks were mainly arranged by year with one notebook of meeting sign-in sheets from 1986-2003. For storage and preservation purposes, items have been removed from the notebooks and placed into flat, archival storage boxes.

SERIES 1: CHAPTER DOCUMENTS

Box 1: 1970 – 2002 Documents

- Folder 1: Meeting Minutes, 1973 – 1979
- Folder 2: Membership Rosters, 1970 – 1987
- Folder 3: Miscellaneous Documents, 1971 – 2002
- Folder 4: Newsletters, 1973 – 2002
- Folder 5: Newspaper Articles and Obituaries, 1971 – 2002
- Folder 6: Photographs, 1991 and 1999
- Folder 7: Photographs, 2001
- Folder 8: Photographs, 2002

Box 2: 2003 Documents

- Folder 9: Correspondence
- Folder 10: Electronic Newsletters
- Folder 11: Meeting Agendas and Minutes
- Folder 12: Membership Rosters
- Folder 13: Miscellaneous Documents
 - Note: Copy of charter for Summit County Chapter OGS, Chapter Constitution and Bylaws (January 16, 1971), Officer's manual (May 2001) and outline of officer responsibilities (November 10, 1993) were filed with the 2003 documents.
- Folder 14: Photographs
 - Note: Photos taken in 2002 of newly installed officers were filed with 2003 photographs.
- Folder 15: Photographs, Banquet

Box 3: 2004 Documents

- Folder 16: Correspondence
- Folder 17: Electronic Newsletters
- Folder 18: Meeting Agendas and Minutes
- Folder 19: Miscellaneous Documents
- Folder 20: Newspaper Clippings
- Folder 21: Photographs, January – March 2004
- Folder 22: Photographs, May – Oct 2004
- Folder 23: Photographs, Banquet, November 13, 2004
- Folder 24: Sign-in Sheets
- Folder 25: Website Postings and Updates

Box 4: 2005 Documents

- Folder 26: Correspondence
- Folder 27: Electronic Newsletters
- Folder 28: Meeting Agendas and Minutes
- Folder 29: Photographs
- Folder 30: Miscellaneous Documents

Folder 31: Sign-in Sheets
Folder 32: Website and Weblog Updates and Postings

Box 5: 2006 Documents, part 1
Folder 33: Correspondence
Folder 34: Electronic Newsletters
Folder 35: Meeting Agendas and Minutes
Folder 36: Miscellaneous Documents
Folder 37: Newspaper Clippings
Folder 38: Photographs, January – March 2006

Box 6: 2006 Documents, part 2
Folder 39: Photographs, April - July 2006
Folder 40: Photographs, September – November 2006
Folder 41: Sign-in Sheets
Folder 42: Website and Weblog Postings

Box 7: 2007 Documents
Folder 43: Photographs, January – March 2007
Folder 44: Photographs, April – June 2007
Folder 45: Photographs, July – November 2007
Folder 46: News clippings and articles
Folder 47: Meetings and Reports
Folder 48: Correspondence
Folder 49: Publications
Folder 50: Miscellaneous

SERIES 2: CHAPTER MEETING SIGN-IN SHEETS

Box 1: January 1986 – October 18, 2003 (In reverse order)
Note: Later sign-in sheets filed with appropriate year.

SERIES 3: OVERSIZED

Envelope 1: *Attitude Magazine* (Summa Health System), Winter 2005.

SERIES 4: COMPACT DISKS

Envelope 1: *The Highpoint* (chapter newsletter), 2006-2007

SERIES 5: LINEAGE SOCIETY DOCUMENTS

Box 1: First Settlers and Civil War Families