

Finding Aid for Phi Sigma Alpha Collection, 1965-2014

Collection Overview

Title: Phi Sigma Alpha Collection, 1965-2014

Primary Creator: Phi Sigma Alpha

Extent: .5 Linear Feet, 2 boxes

Arrangement: The contents of this collection retain the original scrapbook arrangement, which are generally in chronological order.

Subjects: Greek letter societies, Scrapbooks, Women—Societies and clubs

Languages: English

Scope and Contents of the Materials

This collection consists of four scrapbooks compiled by Marie Dickhut, who served as the historian of the Phi Sigma Alpha organization in Rochester, Minnesota. Through newspaper clippings, photographs, programs, brochures, and other items, the scrapbooks document the history, activities, people, and events of the group from 1965 to 2014.

Biographical Note

Phi Sigma Alpha, a corollary of Beta Sigma Phi, is a non-academic and non-political sorority that was originally founded in Corona, California, in 1960. The Rochester, Minnesota, chapter formed in 1965 and is called Minnesota Gamma. A *Rochester Post Bulletin* article from October 2, 1965, described the organization as “an international sorority for women interested in a better understanding of human relations.”

Subject/Index Terms

Greek letter societies

Scrapbooks

Women—Societies and clubs

Administrative Information

Repository: Olmsted County Historical Society/History Center of Olmsted County

Accessions: 2017.066

Access Restrictions: There are no access restrictions.

Use Restrictions: Permission to publish, quote, and reproduce must be secured from the copyright holder.

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Box and Folder Listing

Box 1: B.8.f

Unit 1: Scrapbook, 1965-1982, acc. # 2017.066.003

Unit 2: Scrapbook, 1983-1996, acc. # 2017.066.002

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Unit 1: Scrapbook, 1965-2002, acc. # 2017.066.004

Unit 2: Scrapbook, 2002-2014, acc. # 2017.066.005