Finding aid to the Los Angeles Waterpolo Team collection, 1957-2006
Coll2013.032

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Date (bulk): Bulk, 1988-1994
Date (inclusive): 1957-2006
Abstract: Flyers, paste-ups, newsletters, drawings, minutes and other material (bulk 1988-1994) from Harry D. Arends, primarily documenting the activities of the Los Angeles Waterpolo Team, a sexual fetish organization.
creator: Arends, Harry D.

Administrative History
The Los Angeles Waterpolo Team was a members-only organization that met monthly to engage in sexual fetish activities related to urolagnia, or "water sports" in slang. According to a 1990 letter, the Waterpolo Team's mailing list consisted of 55 men, with an average monthly event attendance of 22 men.

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Processing Information
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Scope and Contents
This collection comprises flyers, paste-ups, newsletters, drawings, minutes and other material (bulk 1988-1994) from Harry D. Arends, primarily documenting the activities of the Los Angeles Waterpolo Team, a sexual fetish organization. The bulk of the collection is made up of erotic drawings, flyers and newsletters for the LA Waterpolo Team, as well as flyers for similar fetish-themed clubs and groups, including the Golden Shower Buddies.

Arrangement
This collection is arranged alphabetically.

Separated Material
Following buttons have been separated from the collection and placed with the ONE Archives ephemera collection:
"Gauntlet II: First Anniversary '85"
[Gauntlet II]: "Fifth Anniversary 1989"
[Gauntlet II]: "6th Anniversary 1990"
[Gauntlet II]: "9th Anniversary 1993"
[Gauntlet II]: "Eleventh Anniversary 1995"
"I Support AFA Los Angeles"
"Leathermasters: Ex Flammis Natus"

Subjects and Indexing Terms
Los Angeles Waterpolo Team.
Advertising fliers
Drawings (visual works)
Fetishism (Sexual behavior)
Gay erotic art
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**Physical Description:** [63 folders]

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Gay men--Sexual behavior