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Language of Material: English

Physical Description: 18 archival boxes, 1 oversize folder (7.76 linear feet)

Date: Inclusive dates: 1953-2012; Bulk dates: 1957-1994

Repository: Escondido Public Library, Pioneer Room

Abstract: Collection includes minutes, newspaper clippings, scrapbooks, newsletters, and press releases of the Escondido-San Marcos Branch from 1953 through 2012.

Physical location: Pioneer Room compact storage

Access to Collection
Collection is open for research.

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Biography
The American Association of University Women (AAUW), established in 1881, is a nation-wide, nonprofit organization comprised of over 1,000 branches and over 800 college and university partners. The AAUW promotes equity and education for women and girls.

The Escondido branch of AAUW was established in 1954, and later merged with the San Marcos branch in 1985. The Escondido-San Marcos branch closed in 2016.

Scope and Content of Collection
Collection includes minutes and administrative files, newspaper clippings, scrapbooks, newsletters, and press releases of the Escondido-San Marcos Branch from 1953 through 2012. Scrapbooks and newspaper clippings highlight annual "Paseadas" or tour of homes.

Organization of the Collection
This collection is organized into 6 series:
1. Records, 1954-2008
2. Newsletters, 1957-2008
4. Photographs and slides, 1960-2012

Indexing Terms
American Association of University Women.
Escondido (Calif.)
San Marcos (Calif.)
Women--Education--United States
Women--California--Societies and clubs

1 Records 1954-2008

i. General 1954-2008

box 1, folder 1 Financial ledger, 1954-1966
  Note
  Bound volume.

box 1, folder 2 Letter to AAUW members, 1956
**i. General 1954-2008**

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| box 1, folder 3 | **AAUW history, 1957**  
Note  
Includes map of colleges and universities in the United States, milestones in the 75-year history of AAUW, and fact sheets on the International Federation of University Women and AAUW. |
| box 1, folder 4 | Bylaws, rules, and procedures, 1957-2007 |
| box 1, folder 5 | Installation, circa 1980 |
| box 1, folder 6 | Legislation, 1983-1987  
Note  
Includes 1985-1987 legislative program of the California state division of AAUW. |
| box 1, folder 7 | Membership, 1985 |
| box 1, folder 8 | Committee report, 1985 |
| box 1, folder 9 | Financial reports, 1985-1986 |
| box 1, folder 10 | AAUW historian file, 1987-2002  
Note  
Includes history of the Escondido-San Marcos branch since 1987, notes from the 1988 state convention, and speech notes detail history of past branch presidents. |
| box 1, folder 11 | Correspondence pertaining to original charter, 1999  
Note  
Includes lists of charter members from 1931 and 1954. |
| box 1, folder 12-15 | 501 (3) designation, 1957-2008  
Note  
Includes correspondence, forms, and affiliate agreements. |

**ii. Minutes 1957-2007**

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| box 2, folder 1-11 | Board minutes, 1963-1997  
Note  
| box 3, folder 1-4 | Board and general minutes, 1976-1998 |
| box 4, folder 1 | Minutes of the Escondido-San Marcos Branch, 2001-2006  
Note  
Contains AAUW minutes for the board and general meetings, by-laws, and treasurer's reports. |
| box 5, folder 1 | Minutes of the Escondido-San Marcos Branch, 2006-2007  
Note  
Contains AAUW minutes for the board and general meetings, by-laws, and treasurer's reports. |

**2 Newsletters 1957-2008**

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| box 6, folder 1-16 | Newsletters, 1957-1984  
Note  
Newsletters 1957-2008

box 7, folder 1-17

- Newsletters, 1984-2005
- Newsletters, 2005-2008

3 Publicity 1960-2007


box 8, folder 4-9

- News releases, 1981-1994

ii. Press clippings 1990-2007

box 8, folder 10-15

- Press clippings, 1990-2007

iii. Miscellaneous clippings 1954-1990

box 8, folder 16-17

- Newspaper clippings, 1954-1963

box 9, folder 1

- Newspaper clippings, 1954-1963
  
  Note
  Includes letter to the Oceanside Blade newspaper and Paseadas highlights.

- Paseadas - Various clippings, 1960-1968
  
  - Newspaper clippings, 1983-1986
  
  - The life of Frances Beven Ryan, 1990
  
  - The Reporter newspaper, 1984, August 1

4 Photographs and slides 1960-2012

box 9, folder 7

- Color slides of Paseadas, circa 1960

box 9, folder 8

- 22nd National convention photograph, 1963
  
  Note
  Stored in oversized.

box 9, folder 9

- Ladies of the branch luncheon - photographs, 1982-1984

box 9, folder 10

- National convention (San Francisco) - photographs, 1983 June

box 9, folder 11-12

- Installation of new officers luncheon - photographs, 1984, 1987

box 9, folder 13

- Trip to Pala mission - photographs, 1987

box 9, folder 14-16


box 9, folder 17

- Summer board member retreat (Idyllwild) - photographs, 1988 August 8-9
  
  Note
  Honoring branch presidents for the years 1980-1990.

box 9, folder 18

- AAUW, A Decade of Presidents - photographs, 1988
  
  Note
  Regarding the Precious Gems celebration and including photographs from former events.

box 9, folder 19-20

- Fashion show luncheon - photographs, 1989, 1996

box 9, folder 21

- Correspondence and photographs from Augusta Kruth, 2012
  
  Note
  Regarding the Precious Gems celebration and including photographs from former events.

box 9, folder 22

- Miscellaneous photographs, undated

5 Miscellaneous 1954-1996
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| 9   | 23     | Poems, plays, Paseadas, and projects, 1954-1994  
Note  
Includes event and meeting programs, the "Venerable Past Will Bloom and Wilt and Got to Seed" play by Ruth Elliott, certificate from the American Heritage Research Association, notes on home tours/Paseadas, and profiles of members of the community. |
| 9   | 24     | Escondido Garden Club flower show ribbons, 1960-1962 |
| 9   | 25     | Creative Arts over the Years, 1961-1963  
Note  
Includes branch reports on arts and crafts, poetry, music appreciation, painting section, and literature section. |
| 9   | 26     | AAUW music section, 1962-1963  
Note  
Includes photographs, primers on composers, and programs. |
| 10  | 1      | Update conference announcements, 1980-1988 |
| 10  | 2      | Certificate of appreciation from CSD community committee, 1985 |
| 10  | 3      | Correspondence from Olive Purdin to Grace Chatham, AAUW branch president, 1987  
Note  
Regarding donation to the Educational Foundation Program |
| 10  | 4      | Escondido Centennial, Times Advocate Quarterly, 1988 September  
Names honored, 1990-1991  
Note  
Booklet of donors. |
| 10  | 5      | 40th Anniversary, 1994  
Note  
Correspondence and articles pertaining to 40th anniversary ceremony. Includes list of past presidents and newsletter announcing merge of the Escondido and San Marcos branches. |
| 10  | 6      | AAUW La Mesa/El Cajon Branch "Fashions Through the Decades, 1880-1990s," 1995 May  
Physical Description: VHS cassette tape. |
| 10  | 7      | AAUW Escondido/San Marcos Branch Fashion Show, 1996 March 16  
Physical Description: VHS cassette tape. |
| 10  | 8      | Escondido "Gateway to Palomar" artistic print, undated  
Note  
 Stored in oversized. |
| 10  | 9      | AAUW member profiles, undated  
"The Talbot Story - A play in 3 acts" by Jeannette E. Taylor, undated  
Note  
A play highlighting the history of the American Association of University Women. |
<p>| 11  | 1      | Scrapbook, 1953-1954 |
| 12  | 1      | Scrapbook, 1964-1967 |
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