Martin Jones collection of Gay Games material

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Martin Jones collection of Gay Games material
Dates: 1990-2018
Collection Number: 2018-80
Creator/Collector: 
Extent: 1.25 linear feet (1 carton)
Repository: GLBT Historical Society
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Language of Material: English

Access
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Acquisition Information
Gift of James (Jim) Fox, October 2018-September 2019.

Scope and Content of Collection
Materials collected by Martin Jones related to the Gay Games. Jones (March 28, 1943-June 12, 2018) participated in the Gay Games for several years representing team San Francisco, including running as a long distance marathoner in 1998, 2002, and 2006, in Sydney, Amsterdam, and Chicago. Jones won medals in those games. Jones spent his later years in Northern California, in Guerneville, CA. He was active in local gay community organizations. The collection includes Gay Games programs and other printed material, ephemera and pins, a CD and a DVD of Gay Games 2006, VHS recordings of Gay Games Sydney 2002 and Gay Games Amsterdam 1998, Team San Francisco jackets, shirts, and a sweatsuit, a race bib, Gay Games medals, photographs and 35mm slides, a large Gay Games banner, and other material.

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