

**Records of the American Association of University Women (AAUW),
Escondido-San Marcos Branch**

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Title: Records of the American Association of University Women (AAUW), Escondido-San Marcos Branch

Identifier/Call Number: MS 2016/001

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
3. Publicity, 1960-2007
4. Photographs and slides, 1960-2012
5. Miscellaneous, 1954-1996
6. Scrapbooks, 1953-1984

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

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 box 1, folder 5 box 1, folder 6	Bylaws, rules, and procedures, 1957-2007 Installation, circa 1980 Legislation, 1983-1987 Note Includes 1985-1987 legislative program of the California state division of AAUW.
box 1, folder 7 box 1, folder 8 box 1, folder 9 box 1, folder 10	Membership, 1985 Committee report, 1985 Financial reports, 1985-1986 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**

box 1, folder 16-19 box 2, folder 1-11	Board minutes, 1957-1966 Board minutes, 1963-1997 Note Includes bound volume, 1977-1980.
box 3, folder 1-4 box 4, folder 1	Board and general minutes, 1976-1998 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

box 6, folder 1-16	Newsletters, 1957-1984 Note Includes Rancho Bernardo branch newsletters, 1970-1973.
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box 7, folder 1-17	Newsletters, 1984-2005
box 8, folder 1-3	Newsletters, 2005-2008
	3 Publicity 1960-2007

i. News releases 1981-1994

box 8, folder 4-9	News releases, 1981-1994
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ii. Press clippings 1990-2007

box 8, folder 10-15	Press clippings, 1990-2007
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iii. Miscellaneous clippings 1954-1990

box 8, folder 16-17	Newspaper clippings, 1954-1963
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box 9, folder 1	Newspaper clippings, 1954-1963
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Note

Includes letter to the *Oceanside Blade* newspaper and Paseadas highlights.

box 9, folder 2	Paseadas - Various clippings, 1960-1968
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box 9, folder 3-5	Newspaper clippings, 1983-1986
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box 9, folder 6	The life of Frances Beven Ryan, 1990
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box 18, folder 1	<i>The Reporter</i> newspaper, 1984, August 1
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4 Photographs and slides 1960-2012

box 9, folder 7	Color slides of Paseadas, circa 1960
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box 9, folder 8	22nd National convention photograph, 1963
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Stored in oversized.

box 9, folder 9	Ladies of the branch luncheon - photographs, 1982-1984
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box 9, folder 10	National convention (San Francisco) - photographs, 1983 June
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box 9, folder 11-12	Installation of new officers luncheon - photographs, 1984, 1987
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box 9, folder 13	Trip to Pala mission - photographs, 1987
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box 9, folder 14-16	Jet Set Gourmet - photographs, 1987, 1990, undated
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box 9, folder 17	Summer board member retreat (Idyllwild) - photographs, 1988 August 8-9
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box 9, folder 18	AAUW, A Decade of Presidents - photographs, 1988
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Note

Honoring branch presidents for the years 1980-1990.

box 9, folder 19-20	Fashion show luncheon - photographs, 1989, 1996
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box 9, folder 21	Correspondence and photographs from Augusta Kruth, 2012
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Regarding the Precious Gems celebration and including photographs from former events.

box 9, folder 22	Miscellaneous photographs, undated
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5 Miscellaneous 1954-1996

box 9, folder 23	<p>Poems, plays, Paseadas, and projects, 1954-1994</p> <p>Note</p> <p>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.</p>
box 9, folder 24 box 9, folder 25	<p>Escondido Garden Club flower show ribbons, 1960-1962</p> <p>Creative Arts over the Years, 1961-1963</p> <p>Note</p> <p>Includes branch reports on arts and crafts, poetry, music appreciation, painting section, and literature section.</p>
box 9, folder 26	<p>AAUW music section, 1962-1963</p> <p>Note</p> <p>Includes photographs, primers on composers, and programs.</p>
box 10, folder 1 box 10, folder 2 box 10, folder 3	<p>Update conference announcements, 1980-1988</p> <p>Certificate of appreciation from CSD community committee, 1985</p> <p>Correspondence from Olive Purdin to Grace Chatham, AAUW branch president, 1987</p> <p>Note</p> <p>Regarding donation to the Educational Foundation Program</p>
box 10, folder 4 box 10, folder 5	<p>Escondido Centennial, Times Advocate Quarterly, 1988 September</p> <p>Names honored, 1990-1991</p> <p>Note</p> <p>Booklet of donors.</p>
box 10, folder 6	<p>40th Anniversary, 1994</p> <p>Note</p> <p>Correspondence and articles pertaining to 40th anniversary ceremony. Includes list of past presidents and newsletter announcing merge of the Escondido and San Marcos branches.</p>
box 10, folder 7	<p>AAUW La Mesa/El Cajon Branch "Fashions Through the Decades, 1880-1990s," 1995 May</p> <p>Physical Description: VHS cassette tape.</p>
box 10, folder 8	<p>AAUW Escondido/San Marcos Branch Fashion Show, 1996 March 16</p> <p>Physical Description: VHS cassette tape.</p>
box 10, folder 9	<p>Escondido "Gateway to Palomar" artistic print, undated</p> <p>Note</p> <p>Stored in oversized.</p>
box 10, folder 10 box 10, folder 11	<p>AAUW member profiles, undated</p> <p>"The Talbot Story - A play in 3 acts" by Jeannette E. Taylor, undated</p> <p>Note</p> <p>A play highlighting the history of the American Association of University Women.</p>
	<p>6 Scrapbooks 1953-1984</p>
box 11, folder 1 box 12, folder 1 box 13, folder 1	<p>Scrapbook, 1953-1954</p> <p>Scrapbook, 1964-1967</p> <p>Scrapbook, 1967-1968</p>

box 14, folder 1	Scrapbook, 1969-1970
box 15, folder 1	Scrapbook, 1971-1972
box 16, folder 1	Scrapbook, 1972-1973
box 17, folder 1	Scrapbook, 1973-1984