



Archives Finding Aide *YWCA Records*

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Size: 10 linear feet

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Ownership: Beloit Historical Society

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HISTORY

The YWCA started as a group meeting in members' homes in the late 1800s, and was formally established in the early 1900s.

The YWCA provided many social services to young women. It established clubs for working women and the Girl Reserves for teenage girls. It promoted recreational activities for women, including swimming, tennis, golf, roller skating, hiking, and baseball. During the Depression, the YWCA assisted the community by raising money for services to people hurt by the economic hard times.

Today, the YWCA of Rock County is located in Janesville.

Scope of Collection

This collection includes many scrapbooks, financial information, loose papers and photos. Many of the scrapbooks are in poor condition, with loose or missing covers, brittle and broken pages and the items inside coming loose.

Much of the information is centered around the many women's clubs that met at the Y, such as the Young Matrons Club.

Container List

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CONTAINER	FOLDER	DATE	TITLE	SUBJECTS
Box 01	1		Treasurer's Account	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Treasurer Record
Box 01	3		"Clippings"	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A

Box 01	2		"The Ideal Scrapbook"	Minnie Mintyre Wallace YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 01	4	1925	1925 Loose Paperwork	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Health Programs

Box 02	4		Scrapbook-1939-44	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Fidentia Club
Box 02	3		School Girl Club Records	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Girls Clubs
Box 02	2		"Scraps" Business Girls, Fidelis Club	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Fidelis Club
Box 02	4		Young Matrons Scrapbook	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Young Matrons Club
Box 02	1		Loose Papers-1929-1991	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Fidelis Club
Box 03			Oversized: 1935-1941 Scrapbook	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 03			Oversized: Scrapbook 1942- 1943	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 03			Oversized Scrapbook- 1947- 1950	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 03			Oversized: Scrapbook 1956- 1958	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 03			Oversized Scrapbook: 1958- 1963	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 04	1		YWCA Financial Statements	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 04	2		Programs Scrapbooks- Napkins	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Womens Clubs
Box 04	3		Program Scrapbook-1947- 1949	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 05	1	1955	Oversized Scrapbook- 1955	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Newcomer Club
Box 05	5		Oversized Scrapbook: 1973 -1977	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 05	2		Scrapbook: 1963-1966	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Fashion Show
Box 05	4		Scrapbook: 1966-1971	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 05	3		Beloit Y-Teens	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Teen Groups
Box 05	6		Loose Pages:1973-1993	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 06	1		Oversized Scrapbook	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 06	5		Scrapbook- 1987-1989	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 06	4	1987	YWCA Summer Day Camp 1987	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Kids Clubs Zoo

Box 06	3		Green binder- 1987-1986	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 06	2		Scrapbook Album	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 06	6		Blue Three Ring Binder	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 07	3		Photo Album- 1992-1994	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Kids Clubs
Box 07	2	1992	Photo Album-Clean up Corps	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Clean up Corps Jobs
Box 07	4		Scrapbook by Deluxe Craft	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 07	1		Ready Reference for Presidents and Executive Directors	
Box 08	1		Budget Information	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 08	3		Meridian Club	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Meridian Club Womens Club
Box 08	4		Meridian Club- Record Books	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Meridian Club Womens Club
Box 08	5		Meridian Club- Record Books	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Meridian Club Womens Club
Box 08	6		Meridian Club Record Books	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Meridian Club Womens Club
Box 09	1		Programs, Open house, lucheons	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 09	2		Club and YWCA Paperwork	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 09	3		Tribute to Women	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 09	4		Closing and Opening Articles	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 09	5		Meridian Club- Minutes	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Meridian Club Womens Club
Box 09	6		YWCA Board Meetings Binder	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Board Meeting
Box 09	7		Young Matrons/ Meridian Club Scrapbook	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Meridian Club Womens Club Young Matrons Club
Box 09	8		Clippings	Newspaper, some photocopies
Box 10	1	1952	Financial Ledger	Financial Paperwork
Box 10	2	1958	Loose Papers from blue Finances Binder	
Box 10	3	1958	Blue three ring binder- Finances	

Box 10	4		Financials- Account Pages A-Mac	
Box 10	5		Financials- Account Pages Mag-Z	
Box 10	6	1996	Amazing Allocations	
Box 11	1		Photos-"YW" Camp, Girl Reserves	
Box 11	2		Photos-Loose	
Box 11	3		Photo pages- undated	

Box 09	3		Tribute to Women	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 09	4		Closing and Opening Articles	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A
Box 09	5		Meridian Club- Minutes	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Meridian Club Womens Club
Box 09	6		YWCA Board Meetings Binder	YWCA Y.W.C.A YMCA Y.M.C.A Board Meeting
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