



Champaign County Historical Archives

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Physical Description: 1 box, (.5 linear feet).

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Historical Note: The Champaign Urbana Community Woman's Club was established as a community league in 1956 with the purposes of community service, self-improvement, and social life.

Scope and Content Note: This collection contains records created and maintained by the Champaign Urbana Community Woman's Club from 1956-2012. The records consist of the organization's constitution, general meeting notes and minutes, executive board meeting notes, treasurer reports, and documents related to a financial audit conducted in 1978-79. The collection also contains several yearbooks spanning from 1956-2012.

Subject terms:

Women--Societies and clubs

Charities—Illinois

Clubs—Women—Records and Correspondence

Container List

Box 1

- Folder 1: Club Constitution
- Folder 2: Yearbooks, 1956-1957—1979-1980
- Folder 3: Yearbooks, 1980-1981—1994-1995
- Folder 4: Yearbooks, 1995-1996—2009-2010
- Folder 5: Awards, 1988-2010: includes awards at the national and state levels from the General Federation of Women's Clubs and the Illinois division of the GFWC
- Folder 6: Meeting announcement and newspaper articles
- Folder 7: Meeting minutes, 1969-1973: includes notes from general meetings as well as board meetings, a fundraising flyer, and a thank you from the Central Illinois Society for the Emotionally Disturbed (CISED)
- Folder 8: Meeting minutes, 1974-1978: includes notes from general meetings and board meetings, treasurer's reports, and a welcome letter for 1978



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- Folder 9: Financial audit and correspondences, 1978-1979: correspondence regarding tax exempt status and records regarding an investigation of a financial irregularity including correspondences between the club treasurer and president, and a summary of findings made by the financial committee
- Folder 10: Meeting minutes, 1984-1996: includes notes from general meetings and board meetings, treasurer's reports, the annual report for 1985-1986, thank you correspondences from A Woman's Fund and Children's Home & Aid Society of Illinois, and an invitation to the annual spring luncheon of 1996
- Folder 11: Meeting minutes, 2000-2006: includes notes from general meetings and board meetings, as well as treasurer's reports
- Folder 12: Meeting minutes, 2006-2011: includes notes from general meetings and board meetings, treasurer's reports, and a list of club officers in 2009-2010
- Folder 13: Meeting minutes 2011-2012: includes notes from general meetings and board meetings, treasurer's reports, and lists of members in attendance at general meetings
- Folder 14: Membership: includes membership applications and the Community Women's Club Newsletter, which consists of short member biographies
- Folder 15: Photographs, 1977-2010: includes photos from a 1977 GFWC award ceremony, a charity event for the Center for Women in Transition in Champaign, IL, 2003, and photos from 2010 GFWC Award event