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**Westsyde Women's Institute fonds**

**1996.043**

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Textual, Graphic, Cartographic

[ca. 1905]-1992

0.05 meters

**Title:** Westsyde Women's Institute fonds

**Dates of Creation:** [ca. 1905]-1992

**Physical Description:** 5 cm of textual records, 7 b&w photographs, and 3 maps

### **Administrative History:**

**The Westsyde Women's Institute** was formed in Kamloops in 1969 as the Overlander Women's Institute. The organization was involved in community projects, and sought to provide community resources for women in the area.

### **Scope and Content:**

Fonds consists of records related to the Westsyde community including B.C. Fruitlands. Records include the agricultural history of the area, photographs, a proclamation from the City of Kamloops for Women's Institute Week 1991, news reports, programmes, correspondence, and pamphlets. Also includes a publication about Westwold, and records from the Westsyde Fire Protection Association and the Kamloops and District Restroom Association.

### **Custodial History:**

Accession 1996.042 was donated to the Kamloops Museum and Archives on June 19, 1996 by Pauline Opal Clearwaters, who was a former Public Relations Convener for the Westsyde Women's Institute.

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**Notes:**

**Source of supplied title:** Title based on contents of fonds.

**Arrangement:** Order that fonds arrived in was maintained by the archivist.

**Access restrictions:** Records in file 1996.043.023-079 (Westsyde Fire Protection Association bonds) are restricted until 2059, as they contain Personal Information. All other files are open. The archivist reserves the right to restrict access to any fragile material for preservation purposes.

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**Finding aids:** File list is available for this collection.

**Accruals:** No further accruals are expected.

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Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
1996.043.001-002	B.C. Fruitlands publications – File contains an investment pamphlet for B.C. Fruitlands and maps of Blocks A, B, and C with a key plan of the company's property. – 0.25 cm of textual records and 3 maps	[ca. 1905]-1952	1
1996.043.003	Saga of Westwold – File contains a booklet outlining the history of Westwold. – 0.25 cm of textual records	[1900s]	2
1996.043.004-006	History of Agriculture in Westsyde – File contains a letter from Jack Cannell to Ralph Clearwaters and two essays on the history of agriculture in Westsyde. – 0.25 cm of textual records	[ca. 1950s]	3
1996.043.007-008	Westsyde Centennial Park records – File contains a constitution for the Westsyde Centennial Park Association and a permit to construct works within crown lands. – 0.25 cm of textual records	1958-1959	4
1996.043.009-015	Copy photos of Kamloops – File contains photocopied photographs of Kamloops including: North Kamloops across the Thompson River, building the flumes for B.C. Fruitlands Irrigation District, a view of B.C. Fruitlands, workers at B.C. Fruitlands, the Thompson River, and the home of B.C. Fruitland's Supervisor. – 7 b&w photographs	[ca. 1900s]	5
1996.043.016-022	Westsyde Fire Protection Association records – File contains records relating to the Westsyde Fire Protection Association including meeting minutes, a petition for information re: the formation of a fire protection district, correspondence, a handwritten census of Westsyde, a page of an expenses ledger, and a motor-vehicle license for a fire truck. – 1 cm of textual records	1959-1965	6
1996.043.023-079	Westsyde Fire Protection Association bonds – File contains bond certificates and receipts from the formation of the Westsyde Fire Protection Association. – 1 cm of textual records – <b><i>Records are restricted until 2059.</i></b>	1959	7
1996.043.080	Women's Institute Week proclamation – File contains a proclamation from the City of	1991	8

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	Kamloops for Women's Institute Week, February 17-23, 1991. – 1 textual record		
1996.043.081	Overlander Women's Institute News Report – File contains a newsletter from the Overlander Women's Institute on their activities. – 1 textual record	1992	9
1996.043.082	Correspondence – File contains a letter to the editor re: the activities of the Overlander Women's Institute. – 1 textual record	1990	10
1996.043.083	Minutes of the Kamloops and District Restroom Association – File contains meeting minutes for the Kamloops and District Restroom Association. – 1 textual record	1955	11
1996.043.084-087	Overlander Women's Institute programmes – File contains annual programmes for the Overlander Women's Institute. Programmes include songs, member lists, and events schedules. – 0.5 cm of textual records	1973-1977	12
1996.043.088-092	Women's Institute pamphlets – File contains pamphlets issued by the Women's Institute about programmes and general information. – 0.25 cm of textual records	[ca. 1900s]	13