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Abstract

Contains copies of the bylaws of the Hope College Women's Association (Faculty Dames; Hope College Faculty Wives Club) organization, programs of the Newcomers Committee, minutes, treasurer's records, and correspondence.

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History

The organization was originally formed under the name Hope College Faculty Wives Club in 1938 and meant to encourage interaction among the membership and to support the program of Hope College. The name was changed to the Hope College Faculty Dames in October 1940 and evolved to include all faculty and administrative women, the spouses of male faculty and administration, as well as other Hope women who wished to belong. The name was changed in 1984 to the Hope College Women's Association, which subsequently disbanded in 1989.

Scope and Content

The collection consists of the bylaws of the organization, the bylaws and programs of the Newcomers Committee, and samples of the information handed out to new members. It also contains board correspondence, minutes, photographs, clippings, treasurer's records, and Attic Specials Fundraiser aprons.

Container List

Attic Specials Fundraiser, 1961-1982 (3 folders)
Attic Specials Fundraiser aprons
Background Material
Board of Directors Correspondence, 1964-1988
Bylaws, 1973
Events/Programs, 1968-1988 (2 folders)
Membership Roster, n.d.

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Minutes, 1938-1988 (2 folders)
Minutes Book, 1974-1988
Newcomers Committee, 1970-1988
Photographs, 1978 (2 images)
Treasurer's Books, 1968-1986, 1986-1989 (2 items)
Yearbooks, 1970-1988 (2 folders)