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Fonds Beaulne Museum

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Summary information

Repository:**Title:** Fonds Beaulne Museum**ID:** F029**Date:** 1977-1997 (date of creation)**Language:** English**Language:** French**Physical description:** * 17 cm of textual records
* 70 photographs: col. and b&w

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

The Beaulne Museum was founded in 1964 by Denise Beaulne and was originally housed at the Town Hall in Coaticook and, later on, in the same building as the municipal library. Following purchase of Château Norton in 1976, the Beaulne Museum was moved to this historic house. The mandate of the Museum is to promote education by offering workshops and seminars particularly focused on the visual arts, to encourage the public's appreciation of the arts and heritage through exhibitions. As part of its mandate, the Museum also collects and preserves artifacts to be used in exhibitions.

The Château Norton, which presently houses the Beaulne Museum, was built in 1912 by Arthur O. Norton, a local business owner. Harry and Mary Norton bequeathed the house to the Anglican Church in 1942 and turned it into a girls' home until 1968. Finally, in 1976, it was purchased by the City of Coaticook.

Scope and content

Fonds presents the foundation and early activities and exhibitions of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1977 to 1997. It consists of correspondence, reports, agreements, information on exhibitions and the museum collection, photographs, and press clippings. The fonds is composed of the following series: Administration, Moveable and immovable property, Publicity, and Activities.

Notes

Title notes

- **Source of title proper:** Title based on contents of fonds.

Immediate source of acquisition

Fonds was donated by the Beaulne Museum.

Restrictions on access

The Human Resources file (F029, S001, D002) contains confidential information and access is restricted.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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Access points

- Arts and culture (subject)
 - Coaticook (Quebec) (place)
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Collection holdings

Series: F029-S001 - Administration

Title: Administration

ID: F029-S001

Date: 1977-1997 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series presents information on the management, finances, and employees of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook in 1977 to 1997. It consists of correspondence, CVs, reports, financial statements, and certificates. The series is composed of the following files: Administration, Human resources, Financial resources, Reports, and Certificates.

Physical description: 1.5 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

French
English

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S001-D001 - Correspondence

Title: Correspondence

ID: F029-S001-D001

Date: 1978-1992 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the management and history of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1978 to 1992. It consists of correspondence and a copy of burial certificate for Mary Helen Norton.

Physical description: 14 textual records

Language of the material:

French
English

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S001-D002 - Human resources

Title: Human resources

ID: F029-S001-D002

Date: 1997 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the employees of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook 1997. It consists of curricula vitae.

Physical description: 3 textual records

Language of the material:

French

Restrictions on access:

File contains personal information and access is restricted.

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S001-D003 - Financial resources

Title: Financial resources

ID: F029-S001-D003

Date: 1978-1979 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the finances of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1978 to 1979. It consists of financial statements.

Physical description: 7 textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S001-D004 - Reports

Title: Reports

ID: F029-S001-D004

Date: 1977-1978 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the activities of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1977 to 1978. It consists of an activity report.

Physical description: 1 textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S001-D005 - Certificates

Title: Certificates

ID: F029-S001-D005

Date: 1990 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on some awards received by the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook in 1990. It consists of certificate for a merit award for Défi `90 and a certificate for their participation in the Festival du Lait de Coaticook.

Physical description: 2 textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

Series: F029-S002 - Moveable and immoveable property

Title: Moveable and immoveable property

ID: F029-S002

Date: 1977-[199-?] (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series presents information on the management, finances, and employees of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook in 1977 to 1997. It consists of correspondence, CVs, reports, financial statements, and certificates. The series is composed of the following files: Administration, Human resources, Financial resources, Reports, and Certificates.

Physical description: * 3 cm of textual records

* 8 photographs: b&w

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S002-D001 - Loans

Title: Loans

ID: F029-S002-D001

Date: 1978-1991 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents information on loans of art and objects to the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1978 to 1991. It consists of correspondence, loan agreements, and lists of objects.

Physical description: * 1 cm of textual records

* 1 photograph: b&w

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S002-D002 - Museum collection

Title: Museum collection

ID: F029-S002-D002

Date: 1977-[199-?] (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the museum collection of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1977 to the 1990s. It consists of photographs of artworks, inventories, acquisitions lists by purchase, and donation lists.

Physical description: * 1 cm of textual records

* 7 photographs: b&w

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S002-D003 - Museum architecture

Title: Museum architecture

ID: F029-S002-D003

Date: 1985 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents information on the architecture of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1985. It consists of an architectural description of the house and documents regarding the production of a film on the Château Norton.

Physical description: 1 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

Series: F029-S003 - Publicity

Title: Publicity

ID: F029-S003

Date: 1978-1990 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series presents information on the publicity activities of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1978 to 1990.

Physical description: 1.5 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S003-D001 - Press clippings

Title: Press clippings

ID: F029-S003-D001

Date: 1979-1990 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the activities of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1979 to 1990. It consists of press clippings.

Physical description: 1 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S003-D002 - Media relations

Title: Media relations

ID: F029-S003-D002

Date: 1978-1980 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents the media relations of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1978 to 1980. It consists of radio interview notes and press packet prepared for the opening of the museum.

Physical description: 3 textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

Series: F029-S004 - Activities

Title: Activities

ID: F029-S004

Date: 1984-1993 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series presents information on the activities of the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1984 to 1993. It consists of correspondence, registrations, lists, photographs, agreements, press releases, and publications. The series is composed of the following files: Exhibitions, Fund-raising, Film productions, Publications, and Photographs.

Physical description: 9 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S004-D001 - Exhibitions

Title: Exhibitions

ID: F029-S004-D001

Date: 1989-1998 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents some of the exhibitions produced by the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1989 to 1998. It consists of photographs of artworks, correspondence, artist lists, registration forms, item lists, and interpretation panels from the following exhibitions: "Exposition rétrospective", "Les trésors de nos familles", and "Coaticook industriel."

Physical description: * 6 cm of textual records

* 57 photographs: b&w and col. (includes 3 slides and 2 negatives)

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S004-D001-D005 - Photographs

Title: Photographs

ID: F029-S004-D001-D005

Date: [198-?] (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from the 1980s. It consists of photographs.

Physical description: 6 photographs: b&w

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S004-D002 - Fund-raising

Title: Fund-raising

ID: F029-S004-D002

Date: 1980-1993 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents information on some fund-raising activities by the Beaulne Museum in Coaticook from 1980 to 1993. It consists of invitations, a poster, publicity, programme information, and costume notes related to the Bal-en-soir and Super marché aux puces fund-raisers.

Physical description: * 1 cm of textual records

* 53 photographs: b&w and col.

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S004-D003 - Film production

Title: Film production

ID: F029-S004-D003

Date: 1984-[1989] (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File presents information on two productions that were filmed at Château Norton in Coaticook from 1984 to 1989.

Physical description: 10 textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published

File: F029-S004-D004 - Publications

Title: Publications

ID: F029-S004-D004

Date: 1984-1993 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains information on the Coaticook produced by the Beaulne Museum from 1984 to 1993. It consists of the following publications: "Coaticook: un aperçu du développement sportif", "Le Musée Beaulne au Château Norton", "Coaticook en image, 1965-1989" calendar, and a Coaticook timeline.

Physical description: 2 cm of textual records

Language of the material:

French

Publication status:

Published
