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Summary information

Repository: Simon Fraser University Special Collections and Rare Books

Title: Heather Haley fonds

Reference code: MsC-167

Date: 1979-1990 (date of creation)

Physical description: 7 cm of textual records

183 photographs: b&w and col.; multiple processes; multiple

dimensions 8 buttons 4 t-shirts

1 audio cassette: 4.75 cm/sec; stereo; 2 tracks

1 audio disc: 33 1/3 rpm; stereo; 30 cm 1 audio disc: 45 rpm; stereo; 30 cm

Language: English

Dates of creation, April 2024: arrangement and description completed (Andréa

revision and deletion: Tarnawsky)

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

An editor and reviewer for the LA Weekly and publisher of the Edgewise Café, one of Canada's first electronic literary magazines, Heather Haley's writing has appeared in numerous print journals and anthologies. In addition to publishing Rattler, a critically acclaimed multimedia arts and literary journal, she is the author of the poetry collections Sideways (Anvil Press), Three Blocks West of Wonderland (Ekstasis Editions), and Skookum Raven (Ekstasis Editions) and the novel The Town Slut's Daughter, set in Vancouver British Columbia's early underground punk rock scene. Haley has directed numerous videopoems (Dying for the Pleasure, Purple Lipstick and Bushwhack) and official selections at dozens of international film festivals. She also has released collections of spoken word song, Princess Nut, and Surfing Season, under the name AURAL Heather.

Haley was a member of one of Vancouver's first all-female punk rock bands, the Zellots in the late 1970's. Following their dissolution, she formed the '45s with Randy Rampage of DOA, Brad Kent of the Avengers, and Karla Duplantier of the Controllers and relocated to San Francisco. Later, she formed HHZ—Heather Haley & the Zellots—praised by music critic Craig Lee as one of "Ten Great LA Bands". She has played the Smiling Buddha Cabaret, Mabuhay Gardens and Geary Street Theatre (People's Temple) in San Francisco, the Hong Kong Cafe, the Palomino Club, Blackies, Club 88, Club Lingerie and the John Anson Ford Theatre in Los Angeles. Haley currently performs in the indie folk duo, The Pluviophiles, with Keir Nicoll.

Custodial history

Records were in the custody of Heather Haley prior to their acquisition by Simon Fraser University Library Special Collections and Rare Books in 2015. One additional accrual was acquired from Haley in 2018.

Scope and content

Fonds consists of concert ephemera, posters, promotional material, photographs, correspondence, and audio recordings created and collected by Heather Haley. Records illustrate her involvement in the Vancouver punk scene, including her bands the Zellots, and the 45s. Other notable members from Vancouver punk bands are represented in the photographs and ephemera collected by Haley.

Notes

Title notes

• <u>Source of title proper</u>: Title based on the provenance of the fonds.

Arrangement

The archivist largely maintained the received order of the materials, but grouped like items together (calendars, zines) for ease of the researcher.

Restrictions on access

No restrictions on access.

Other notes

- **Publication status**: published
- Level of detail: Full

Access points

- Textual records (documentary form)
- Photographic materials (documentary form)
- Sound recordings (documentary form)
- Graphic materials (documentary form)
- Objects (documentary form)
- Women (subject)

Arts and culture (subject)

Series descriptions

Reference code Dates Access status Container File - [Zellots photographs and MsC-167-0-0-0-1 1979 MsC-167 Box ephemera] 1 MsC-167 Box 2 MsC-167-0-0-0-2 File - [The 45s photographs and [ca. 1979]-1980 MsC-167 Box ephemera] MsC-167-0-0-0-3 File - [Miscellaneous photographs and 1979-1985 MsC-167 Box ephemera] File - Active Dog at The Windmill, Gord, MsC-167-0-0-0-4 [198-?] MsC-167 Box Art, Bill Shirt, [Conny] Nowe, day after 1 St. Valentine's Day Massacre MsC-167-0-0-0-5 File - [Postcards, pamphlets, and other 1980-1987 MsC-167 Box promotional material] MsC-167-0-0-0-6 File - [Correspondence to Heather Haley] 1984-1990 MsC-167 Box MsC-167 Box MsC-167-0-0-0-7 File - [Snot Rag issues] 1979 MsC-167-0-0-0-8 File - [Punk Rock calendars] 1980-1981 MsC-167 Box MsC-167-0-0-0-9 File - [Punk band buttons] MsC-167 Box [198-?] MsC-167-0-0-0-0-10 File - [Punk band t-shirts] MsC-167 Box [198-?] MsC-167-0-0-0-0-1 Item - [Zellots demo tape] 1979 MsC-167 Box MsC-167-0-0-0-0-2 Item - In A Place Like This / by the 1981 MsC-167 Box MsC-167-0-0-0-0-3 Item - Clanging Bell / by Shanghai Dog MsC-167 Box 1983