Roanoke Public Libraries Virginia Room Raleigh Court Elementary School Scrapbook Collection

Collection Description: Repository: Roanoke Public Libraries, Virginia Room Accession Number: 2009.10.02 Title: Raleigh Court Elementary School Scrapbook Collection Physical Characteristics: 2 record storage boxes Donated by: Babette Cribbs Arrangement: Chronological by school year. Creator: Raleigh Court Parent Teacher Association Reproduction Restrictions: No known restrictions on publication. Virginia Room copy fees apply. Processor: Krissy Price, 29 November 2016

Historical Note:

Raleigh Court Elementary School opened for the 1960 school year at 2202 Grandin Road SW. The school served students from grades K-5 for almost fifty years. Due to the budgeting crisis, the need for costly repairs to the building and declining enrollment, Raleigh Court, along with Ruffner Middle School, closed after the 2009 school year.

Scope and Content:

The Raleigh Court Elementary School scrapbook collection consists of scrapbooks from each school year or range of years from 1960-1996, with some years missing. Scrapbooks contain photographs and slides, memorabilia, PTA announcements and memoranda, news clippings, brochures and flyers. In an effort to preserve the materials, the scrapbooks were dismantled with the contents foldered as presented in each scrapbook. Each school year's or range of years' scrapbook contains a variety of information related to students, faculty, activities and the Raleigh Court Parent Teacher Association. Also included with the donation were a number of Raleigh Court Elementary School yearbooks. Yearbooks were cataloged and are located in the Virginia Room.

Container List:

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Folder 1: 1960-1961 Folder 2: 1960-1961 Folder 3: 1960-1961 – photographs Folder 4: 1961-1962 Folder 5: 1961-1962 – photographs Folder 6: 1962-1963 Folder 7: 1962-1963 – photographs Folder 8: 1965-1966 Folder 9: 1966-1967 Folder 10: 1966-1967 – photographs Folder 11: 1967-1968 Folder 12: 1967-1968 – photographs Folder 13: 1960-1968 - Minutes, Executive Board of the Raleigh Court PTA meetings Folder 14: 1960-1968 - Minutes, General PTA meetings Folder 15: 1968-1969 Folder 16: 1968-1969 – photographs Folder 17: 1969-1970 Folder 18: 1969-1970 – photographs Folder 19: 1970-1971 Folder 20: 1970-1971 – photographs Folder 21: 1972-1973 Folder 22: 1972-1973 – photographs Folder 23: 1973-1974 Folder 24: 1973-1974 – photographs Folder 25: 1974-1975 Folder 26: 1974-1975 – photographs Folder 27: 1975-1976 Folder 28: 1975-1976 – photographs Folder 29: 1976-1977 Folder 30: 1976-1977 – photographs Folder 31: 1977-1978 Folder 32: 1977-1978 – photographs Folder 33: 1981-1982 Folder 34: 1981-1982 Folder 35: 1981-1982 – photographs Folder 36: 1982-1983 Folder 37: 1982-1983 - photographs Folder 38: 1984-1985 Folder 39: 1984-1985 Folder 40: 1984-1985 – photographs

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Folder 1: 1986-1987 – photographs Folder 2: 1987-1988 – photographs Folder 3: 1989-1993 Folder 4: 1989-1993 – photographs Folder 5: 1989-1993 – photographs Folder 6: 1989-1993 – photographs Folder 7: 1990-1991 – photographs Folder 9: 1990-1991 – photographs Folder 10: 1990-1991 – photographs Folder 11: 1991-1992 – photographs Folder 12: 1993-1994 – photographs Folder 13: 1993-1994 – photographs Folder 14: 1993-1994 – photographs Folder 15: 1996-1996 – photographs Folder 16: Miscellaneous loose materials, not included in scrapbooks Folder 17: News clippings, not included in scrapbooks, miscellaneous Folder 18: Photographs, not included in scrapbooks, miscellaneous

Photographic slides are included in a compartment in Box 2. Please note that dates indicate the date of development, not the date the photographs were taken.

22 slides from 2 October 1996 24 slides from 4 November 1996 25 slides from 11 November 1996 25 slides from 14 December 1996 36 slides from 2 January 1997 25 slides from 4 May 1997