

S. J. McKee Archives



Westman Recycling Council fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12346>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Fonds

Accession Number: 14-2011

GMD: textual records

Date Range: November 15, 1989 - March 26, 2009

Physical Description: 90 cm

History /

Biographical:

The Westman Recycling Council was started by a small group of avid recyclers with financial and volunteer help from the Kiwanis Club of Brandon, among others. Volunteers organized the first outdoor recycling depots in June and October 1989. The first event with recorded minutes was the first annual meeting, November 15, 1989.

The organization was incorporated in February 1990, and became a registered charity in 1995. The Mission Statement was: "to support and promote the reduction, re-use, and recycling of material resources for the benefit of Westman's environment and future generations."

The major partner in the work of the organization was the City of Brandon. In 2003, Westman Recycling, in partnership with the City, built a Material Recovery Facility (MRF) at the Brandon Landfill; Westman Recycling owned the building on the City-owned land. It was a \$4 million structure - financed by federal and provincial grants (about one-quarter of the total) and a mortgage (about three-quarters). Details are in the Board and other Committee minutes and agreements.

In late 2005, Westman Recycling faced a severe cash crunch - as a result of poor markets for recyclables, changes in support funding from the Manitoba Product Stewardship Corporation (MPSC), and a drop in public recycling levels. In February 2006, the City decided to sign a contract with another organization to operate the MRF; after that there appeared to be no role for Westman Recycling.

A general meeting on September 22, 2008 voted to dissolve the organization. At that meeting, the suggestion was made (agreed to by consensus) that the files of the organization be donated to Brandon University to be made available for researchers. A Board of Directors meeting on the same date voted to donate all remaining funds to a perpetual "Westman Recycling" fund with the Brandon Area Community Foundation.

A final wind-up meeting was held on March 26, 2009

Custodial History:

The organization was overseen by volunteers / volunteer Board of Directors. The files were first held by volunteers / Board members in their homes. In May 1991, the organization hired David McConkey as Coordinator / General Manager, who was directed by the Board to manage the files on a daily basis from that date forward.

The files were kept in the organization's rented office space in the 1300 block of Pacific Avenue from May 1991 to September 1992, and then in the rented space in the Massey building at 6th Street and Pacific Avenue. The files were kept at the new facility at the landfill from April 2003 to February 2006. They were then stored in the basement of the Marquis Project, 912 Rosser Avenue, until August 2011 when they were donated to the S.J. McKee Archives, Brandon University.

Some files (e.g. minutes from 1995-96) were found to be missing entirely. Other files were disposed of by recycling and/or shredding as they were judged to be confidential (e.g. personnel), of an ordinary business nature only (e.g. invoices), or not useful for future research (e.g. extra copies, routine correspondence, building and equipment plans and other arrangements).

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of records that document the origin, activities, demise, and legacy of the Westman Recycling Council. Records include minutes, financial summaries, scrapbooks, newsletters, brochures, media clippings, photographs and miscellaneous documents related to the construction in collaboration with the City of Brandon of Brandon's principal recycling facility.

Notes: Administrative history courtesy David McConkey. See additional notes on the organization in the curatorial file. Description by Tom Mitchell.

Storage Location: 2011 accessions



Hubert Weidenhamer collection

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions12347>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 6-2011

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: April 11, 1943 - July 4, 1945

Physical Description: 4 cm textual records (48 letters)

2 photographs

press clippings and several facimiles

Physical Condition: Good

History /

Biographical:

Hubert Clayton Weidenhamer was born near Dand, Manitoba in 1926. He was raised in Dand and attended school in the Dand Consolidated School District. Weidenhamer enlisted in the Canadian Army in 1943. He became a member of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry. Following training in Canada and England Weidenhamer was sent to Italy. He was badly wounded in battle in mid-September and died of his injuries in November 1944 at age 21. He was buried in the Ancona Military Cemetery, Ancona Italy.

Custodial History:

These records were in the possession of Bea Chapin (née Weidenhamer) following their creation in the 1940s until they were donated to the S. J. McKee Archives in January 2011.

Scope and Content:

Collection consists of correspondence from Hubert Clayton Weidenhamer to his sister Bea. The letters begin in the spring of 1943. Weidenhamer had enlisted in the Canadian Army in January 1943. His letters detail his induction into military life in Fort Garry, Winnipeg and his training experience in Canada, principally at Camp Ipperwash, Lambton County, Ontario. He relates his experience of travels on leave to Detroit. Weidenhamer left Canada from Halifax in late 1943 and arrived in Great Britain in December for additional military training. In England, maintaining his morale, waiting for deployment, and coming to terms with British currency were challenges. Transferred to the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, Weidenhamer was deployed to Italy in March 1944. The letters dating from March 1944 to September relate in oblique fashion his's experience of military life on the Italian frontier as the Canadian Army fought its way north - "hard fighting" - and the impact of the war on Italian cities and the countryside. He was "proud" of his conduct in action. Weidenhamer's last letter is dated September 11, 1944.

Collection also includes correspondence on Weidenhamer's behalf from his military Chaplin; two press clippings dealing with his military career, and several facimiles of telegrams and correspondence from the Canadian government officials related to Weidenhamer's death and burial in Italy.

Notes:	Description by Tom Mitchell.
Name Access:	Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry Camp Ipperwash Princess Pat's
Subject Access:	World War II Second World War military service military personnel Italian theatre
Storage Location:	2011 accessions



Brandon Sno-Goers Snowmobile Club fonds

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions7972>

Part Of: RG 5 Western Manitoba Manuscript Collection

Description Level: Collection

Accession Number: 35-2007

GMD: multiple media

Date Range: 1970-1999

Physical Description: 30 cm textual records; artifacts

Physical Condition: Good.

History /

Biographical:

The Brandon Sno-Goers Snowmobile Club was created in approximately 1970 and was disbanded in approximately 2002. During its lifetime, the Sno-Goers were an organization dedicated to the promotion of recreational snowmobiling. They were also a community service group, which raised funds for local charities, held many winter events and worked with E.M.O. services in the southwestern area of Manitoba. They were members of the provincial organization Sno-Man Inc (Snowmobilers of Manitoba Inc.).

Custodial History:

Records were donated to the McKee Archives on September 9, 2005 by Lloyd Shortridge, former president and Sno-Goers member from 1986-2002. The records were in Shortridge's residence prior to their donation.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of minutes (annual meetings, general meetings, director's meetings, club meetings etc.), newsletters, financial records, member lists, correspondence, records related to various club activities, events, and charity fundraising. It also includes the Manitoba snowmobile operator's training manual, exam and answer key, information on snow trails and trail grooming and records for the 1989 Sno-Man convention and sled show hosted by the Brandon Sno-Goers. Fonds contains a number of artifacts, including: 3 pins, 2 badges and the Sno-Goers' flag.

Fundraising included: Heart & Stroke Foundation (Heart Fund Ride), Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada (Poker Derby), Canadian Liver Foundation, Ability Fund March of Dimes, City of Brandon, Canadian Cancer Society, Dreams for Kids.

Notes: Description by Christy Henry. All records related to Snopasses (except a few annual reports) were culled, as were recipets and duplicates, Sno-Man newsletters and Sno-Man meeting minutes.

Storage Location: 2007 accessions

Storage Range: 2007 accessions

Arrangement:

There are some financial records mixed in with the minutes in 1983-1985. There are some minutes for 1980 in the correspondence file.



Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8026>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.93

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1996

Physical Description: 6" x 4" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is east northeast from the sidewalk on the southeast corner of the George T. Richardson Centre (John R. Robbins Library). Photographs shows the campus during winter, including the Physical Plant and Development H-Huts, as well as the Brandon College Building and Clark Hall after the majority of the renovations were completed.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8027>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.94

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1985

Physical Description: 5" x 3.5" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is southwest from 18th Street, just north of the Brandon University sign. Taken during the summer, the photograph shows the front lawn, a portion of the flower bed, the Citizens' Science Building, the Knowles Douglas Students' Union Centre, the John R. Brodie Science Centre and McMaster Hall.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8028>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.95

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1980s

Physical Description: 5" x 3.5" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is northeast. Photograph shows the green space before the Library extension in 1993.

Brandon College Building and the Development H-Hut in the background.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8029>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.96

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1988

Physical Description: 5" x 3.5" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is northwest from the roof of the John R. Brodie Science Centre. Photograph shows part of McMaster Hall, the H-Huts, the Citizens' Science Building, the Brandon College Building and Clark Hall, the driveway, the J.R.C. Evans Lecture Theatre, the A.E. McKenzie Building and the Queen Elizabeth II Music Building.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8030>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.97

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. early 1990s

Physical Description: 4" x 6" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

View is north from the Knowles Douglas Students' Union Centre looking down the driveway toward Princess Avenue.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8031>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.98

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1995

Physical Description: 6" x 4" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is northwest from the sidewalk on the west side of 18th Street. Photograph shows the John R. Brodie Science Centre sign, McMaster Hall and its entrance, the lawn in front of McMaster Hall, a portion of the Knowles Douglas Students' Union Centre and the Citizens' Science Building.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8032>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.99

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 2000

Physical Description: 6" x 4" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is southwest from the corner of Clark Hall and the Clark Hall extension. Photograph shows students entering and exiting the George T. Richardson Centre and walking through the courtyard.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8033>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.101

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1990s

Physical Description: 4" x 6" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is south from approximately the skywalk. Photograph shows the walkway that runs in front of the A.E. McKenzie Building south to the George T. Richardson Centre staircase and entrance. McMaster Hall in the background.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8034>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Creator: Photograph: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.102

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 2000

Physical Description: 4" x 6" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is north northeast from the roof of the John E. Robbins Library in the George T. Richardson Centre. Photograph shows the entrance to the Richardson Building, part of the courtyard and the Clark Hall extension.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8035>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.103

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 2000

Physical Description: 6" x 4" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is northeast from in front of the John E. Robbins Library in the George T. Richardson Centre. Photograph shows the entrance to the Richardson Building, most of the courtyard, Clark Hall and its extension.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8036>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.104

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 2000

Physical Description: 6" x 4" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is northeast from the roof of the George T. Richardson Centre (John E. Robbins Library). Photograph shows the courtyard and the west side of the Brandon College building and Clark Hall, as well as the Clark Hall extension and part of the skywalk.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8037>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.105

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 2000

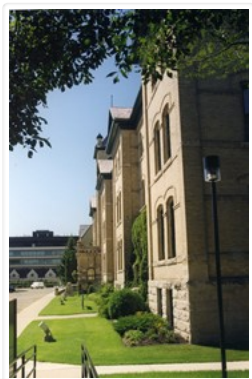
Physical Description: 6" x 4" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is east southeast from the roof of the A.E. McKenzie Building. Photograph shows the courtyard and the west side of the Brandon College Building, as well as the Citizens' Science Building and the greenspace in between the two buildings.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8038>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.106

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 2000

Physical Description: 4" x 6" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is from the front steps of the Education Building looking south down the east side of the Brandon College Building and Clark Hall to the Knowles Douglas Students' Union Centre and the John R. Brodie Science Centre in the background.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8039>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.107

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 2000

Physical Description: 4" x 6" (colour)

Scope and Content:

Photograph shows the Brandon College Building. It was taken from the sidewalk on 18th Street looking southwest across the front lawn.

Notes: Note on the back of the photograph reads "Please return photo to Sandy."

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8040>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Creator: Photographer: Sandy Black

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.108

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 2000

Physical Description: 4" x 5" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is south. Photograph shows the skywalk and the steps leading to the entrance of the George T. Richardson Centre.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8041>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.110

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1988

Physical Description: 5" x 4" (colour)

Scope and Content:

View is north northwest from the roof of McMaster Hall. Photograph shows part of the Citizens' Science Building, a number of H-Huts, the Brandon College Building, the greenspace, the J.R.C. Evans Lecture Theatre, the A.E. McKenzie Building, the Queen Elizabeth II Music Building and the Western Manitoba Centennial Auditorium. A number of residential blocks are also visible.

Images





Brandon University campus

<http://archives.brandonu.ca/en/permalink/descriptions8042>

Part Of: Aerial views and campus photographs

Description Level: Item

Series Number: 2.1

Item Number: 2.1.111

GMD: graphic

Date Range: c. 1995

Physical Description: 6" x 4" (b/w)

Scope and Content:

View is north northeast from the roof of McMaster Hall. Photograph shows a couple of H-Huts, the Brandon College Building, Clark Hall, the George T. Richardson Centre, the A.E. McKenzie Building, the original Music Building and the Western Manitoba Centennial Auditorium. A number of residential blocks are also visible.

Images

