Finding Aid to the Daughters of Dakota Pioneers, Fargo Chapter Records

Daughters of Dakota Pioneers, Fargo Chapter

Daughters of Dakota Pioneers, Fargo Chapter, 1950-2003
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HISTORY

The Daughters of Dakota Pioneers, of Fargo Chapter’s purpose is to preserve and maintain the history of North Dakota, and to promote public interest in the resources and activities of the state. Members of the club must be a descendent of a woman who married and settled in North Dakota before the admission of the state to the union in 1889. The chapter is affiliated with the North Dakota Federation of Women’s Club. Members donated money to charities such as the Salvation Army, Nokomis, YWCA, and the New Life Center. One of their main projects was keeping Bonanzaville open by donating money, by donating money to keep the historical site open, and helped extensively in repairs at Bonanzaville, making the care of the place their pet project.
SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Chapter’s History Series consists of the club’s constitution and By-Laws, and meeting minutes.

The Program Series consists of stories and historical information on Daughters of Dakota Pioneers, including topics on radios, traveler journeys.

The Member Information Series consists of membership cards and memorial cards from past members.

The Yearbook Series consists of the Daughters of Dakota Pioneers Fargo Chapter’s yearbooks, with information on member names, committees, and addresses.

The Financial Series consists of monthly financial reports.

The Newspaper Series consists of club members’ recognition in the organization, their programs with Bonanzaville, and obituaries.

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Chapter’s History Series

1/2 Club Creed, undated
1/3 Constitution and By-Laws, undated
1/4 Meeting Minutes, 1996-2002

Program Series

1/5 Greetings from Daughters of Dakota Pioneers, undated
1/6 Journey from Fargo to Seattle, 1924
1/7 Radio Days, 1987
1/8 70th Year and Ending of the Daughters of Dakota Pioneers, 2003

Member Information Series

1/9 Memorial Cards, 1998-2005
1/10 Name Cards, 1960-1989
Yearbook Series

1/12 Yearbooks, 1985-2003

Financial Series

1/13 Monthly Reports, 1996-2003

Newspaper Series

1/14 Newspaper Clippings, 1986-1990