

**L2013.48  
Sheila Clark  
Collection, 1921-2012**

**FINDING AID AUTHOR**

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**ACQUISITION INFORMATION**

Judith Reif on behalf of the Sheila M. Clark Estate donated these materials to Lambda Archives of San Diego on September 9<sup>th</sup>, 2013.

**PROCESSING INFORMATION**

This collection was processed by Ethan Lopez as part of the 2020 CSL Project.

**EXTENT**

Number of containers: 3  
Linear feet of shelf space: 2.5

**ABSTRACT**

**BIOGRAPHY OR HISTORY**

Judy Reif and Sheila Clark are life partners who were involved with Shirtails Productions (organizing dances and concerts), the San Diego Women's chorus, the Beautiful Lesbian Thespians theater group, and other musical and women's events.

You can find their interview here: [https://archive.org/details/casdla\\_000040](https://archive.org/details/casdla_000040)

**COLLECTION SCOPE AND CONTENT**

This collection contains material from the San Diego Women's Chorus, LAGADU, and Shirtails including four scrapbooks. Paper documents include ads, newspaper clippings, photographs, signup sheets, flyers, performance programs, photographs, newsletters, and business permits. Separated items include posters (Q0753-Q0762), audio cassettes, photos, memorabilia, box "ol' tyme songs for sing-a-longs at Sheila's," t-shirts, videotapes, rainbow flag on stick, proclamation from Todd Gloria (Q0752), San Diego Women's Chorus, binder of slide shows on audio-video disks, Buttons "Vote Bonnie Dumanis for Judge (2), "March on Washington 2000 (1), "Celebrating a life Stonewall 94".

## **ARRANGEMENT**

This collection consists of 3 boxes divided into 2 series:

- Series I: Personal Materials
- Series II: Scrapbooks

## **SEPARATED MATERIAL**

1. Photos:
  - a. P342.001-.041 P343.001-.045 P344.001-.012 P345.001-.048  
P346.001-.028 P347.001-.094
2. CD:
  - a. D239, D40, D280
3. Cassettes:
  - a. C439-546
4. T-shirts:
  - a. T1061-T1062 [Box 53]
5. Flags:
  - a. Q0015-Q0016
6. Buttons:
  - a. Z1006-Z1011 Tray 2J, Z1012 Z0990-Z0993
7. Poster:
  - a. Q0751-Q0762 Drawer 7, Folder H

## **SUBJECTS**

LAGADU, Lesbians and Gays of African Descent United, Shirtails Productions, Women's dances, Performances, The Center, Auld Lang, Tone Puente, Jackee T, Bonnie Zimmerman, Phoenix, Sherry Hicks, Lavender Fillies, SecondWind, Paradigm, Alix Dobkin, River Lightwomoon, Debbie Fier, Lavender Mariachi, Folklorico, Brown Bag Readers Theatre, Lesbian Chorus, Lesbian Social Groups, Todd Gloria, San Diego Women's Chorus

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## PREFERRED CITATION

The suggested citation for the collection is:

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San Diego, California

## RELATED MATERIAL

L2013.61

## LOCATION NOTE

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## LANGUAGES

English

## CONTAINER LIST

<b>Box</b>	<b>Folder</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Date(s)</b>	
1	1	Sheet Music	1921-1939	
1	2	Shirtails Correspondence	1990-1994	
1	3	Shirtails Comments	1990-1994	
1	4	Western Sol Sisters Singers Network 9 <sup>th</sup> Annual Choral Festival	2006	
1	5	Sister Singers Network 10 <sup>th</sup> National Choral Festival	2010	
1	6	San Diego Women's Chorus Programs	1989-2006	
1	7	Lesbian and Gay Magazines & Programs Miscellany	1990-1994	
1	Loose	Stonewall 25 Necklace Upside down pink triangle		
1	Loose	Share the Vision SD Pride 1997 Necklace	1997	
1	Loose	Certificate of Honor from City of San Francisco to Shirtails Productions	1992	
1	Loose	GALA Chorus Festival 2000	2000	
1	Loose	Gala Choruses VII Festival International Montreal Program Book	2004	
1	Loose	Festival Miami GALA Choruses 2008	2008	

1	Loose	San Diego Women's Chorus Red Bandana		
1	Loose	Shirtails Security Pin "Sheila"		
2	Loose	SDWC (San Diego Women's Chorus) Memorabilia Scrapbook from the personal collection of Sheila M. Clark Book 1	1986-2002	
2	Loose	SDWC (San Diego Women's Chorus) Memorabilia Scrapbook from the personal collection of Sheila M. Clark Book 2	2003-2012	
3	Loose	Shirtails Women's Dances Scrapbook with Ads and Newspaper Clippings from the personal collection of Sheila M. Clark	1986-1994	
3	Loose	Shirtails Women's Dances Scrapbook with Flyers, Performance Programs, Photos, and Newsletters from the personal collection of Sheila M. Clark	1986-1994	