

NAACP – GLENS FALLS BRANCH

OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

Repository: Crandall Public Library.
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Creator: NAACP –Glens Falls Branch

Title: NAACP –Glens Falls Branch

Dates: 1977 – (open collection)

Abstract: The collection includes correspondence, flyers, brochures, membership cards and applications, newsletters, newspaper articles, photographs and other materials.. There is a handwritten list of members, 1977 – 1990, created during processing.

Quantity: 1.5 cf

Identification: Archives & Manuscripts: Organizations

HISTORICAL NOTE

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is a civil rights organization in the United States, formed in 1909 as a bi-racial organization to advance justice for African Americans by a group, including, W. E. B. Du Bois. The Glens Falls Branch was organized in 1967.

SCOPE AND CONTENT OF THE RECORDS

The collection includes correspondence, flyers, brochures, membership cards and applications, newsletters, newspaper articles, photographs and other materials related to the work of the local organization. There is a handwritten list of members, 1977 – 1990, created during processing.

INDEX TERMS

Places: Glens Falls, Warren, NY

Form/Genre: Records

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE RECORDS

Box 1:

Series I: Membership

- Folder I – 1 Compiled membership list
- Folder I – 2 Map of Glens Falls
- Folder I – 3 Fliers
- Folder I – 4 Brochures
- Folder I – 5 Membership cards and applications
- Folder I – 6 Index membership cards
- Folder I – 7 Membership work
- Folder I – 8 Membership Reports
- Folder I – 9 National Family Membership Campaign
- Folder I – 10 National Membership Radiothon

Box 2:

Series II: The Work

- Folder II – 1 Schools/Educational Resources
- Folder II – 2 Social Action Work
- Folder II – 3 Re: State Budget
- Folder II – 4 Housing
- Folder II – 5 Employment
- Folder II – 6 Youth
- Folder II – 7 Corrections
- Folder II – 8 Community Garden
- Folder II – 9 Info from other agencies

Series III: Commemorations

- Folder III – 1 Kwanzaa
- Folder III – 2 Martin Luther King Day

Folder III – 3 Negro History Week/Black History Month

Series IV: Certificates

Box 3:

Series V: NAACP Glens Falls Chapter

Folder V – 1 Correspondence

Folder V – 2 Financial

Folder V – 3 Minutes, Officers, etc

Folder V – 4 Nordquist, Erma

Folder V – 5 Dinner Dance

Folder V – 6 Newspaper clippings

Folder V – 7 Public Relations

Folder V – 8 Newsletter

Folder V – 9 Faith Tabernacle Church/ Roy Thomas' Church Notebook

Series VI: Regional/National/Other branches

Folder VI – 1 Regional/National/Other branches

Folder VI – 2 "100 Years" (4 copies)

Box 4:

Series VII: Photos and trophy

Note: There are 3 posters for the Dinner Dance/Gala which are framed, and are stored in the Poster Collection.