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Jackie Huggins Collection

Size
3 boxes

Contents
Publications, reports, newspaper cuttings, newsletters, correspondence and other papers relating to Queensland Indigenous politics, campaigns and organisations. Contains material about the Aboriginal and Islander Independent Community School in Brisbane.

Date range
1968 to 1998

Biography
Jackie Huggins is an historian, author, educator and Aboriginal leader. She has been involved in many community, government and educational organisations at local, state and national levels, ranging from reconciliation and Aboriginal welfare forums to continuing appointments on editorial and performing arts boards. Huggins has written widely on issues of concern to Indigenous communities, including challenging articles on the relationship between Indigenous women and feminism. In 2000 she was awarded the Queensland Premier's Award for Excellence in Indigenous Affairs, and in 2001 she became a Member of the Order of Australia (AM) for services to the Indigenous community. The University of Queensland honoured her work in 2006 by awarding her an honorary doctorate. In 2007 she was named University of Queensland Alumnus of the Year.

Notes
Open access

Box 1
Folder 1
Booklet: ‘Shane Phillips, Community Worker’
Typed manuscript: ‘Group Identity and Urban Aborigines’ by (Ann Eckermann?)
Uniya Jesuit Social Justice Centre, ‘Overhauling Mr Howard’s Ten Point Plan’
Aboriginal and Islanders Sporting Health and Recreation Association, Monthly Report
ATSIC pamphlet on Aboriginal flag

Folder 2
Beryl Wharton
Handwritten manuscript on Beryl Wharton, nd
Folder 3

Jackie, Maroochy etc
Typed manuscript containing various Aboriginal histories and poems
ANTaR (Qld), October 1997
Newspaper cuttings

Folder 4

Jackie Huggins, Partial biography of Rita Huggins: 'Involvement in OPAL', BA Honours Thesis, Flinders University, 1989 (1 page of unknown manuscript inserted between pages 34 and 35)

Folder 5

‘Aboriginal and Islander Independent Community School (hereafter AIICS) newsletter’, no 9/95; 11/95-12/95; 15/95-16/95; one issue nd
‘The Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Independent Community School Inc newsletter’, no 16; 18-24 (2 different versions of no 21); 26-28; 31-33, one issue nd
‘The Murri School Newsletter’, no 1/97, three copies marked 97, one issue nd
AIICS Inc, Financial Statements for the year ending 31 Dec 1992 [2 copies]
AIICS Inc, Financial Statements for the year ending 31 Dec 1997
Workshop Proceedings, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Independent Schools workshop 17-20 May 1993
Barry Duncan, untitled report on school governance and administration

Folder 6

Independent Community School correspondence
Ian Levinge to Muriel Langford, 6 Nov 1986
Hope Neill to Sir/Madam, 20 Jun 1988
Marie Mollenhauer to Committee Members, 10 Mar 1989 [copy, board of management notice of meeting agenda attached]
Mathew Philp to Sir/Madam, 1 Aug 1989 [copy]
Robyn Oba to The Board Committee, 15 Aug 1989 [copy]
Dion Tatow to Board Members, 21 Aug 1989
Muriel Langford to the Editor (Australian Friend), 1 Jan 1991 [article draft attached]
Joan M Martin to Mavis Ingle?, 24 May 1991 [copy, licence attached]
Mavis Ingle to Les Hegarty, 22 Aug 1991 [written but not sent]
Paul Braddy to Margaret A Bruce, 30 Jun 1992 [copy]
Robert Tickner to Stella Johnson, 23 Dec 1992 [copy, Aboriginal education agreement attached]
Linda Velli to Mavis Ingle 4 Nov 1992 [copy]
Shane Williams to Mavis Ingle 2 Feb 1993 [copy]
Lisa O’Brien to Board Directors, 30 Apr 1993 [copy]

Folder 7

Independent Community School memos etc
One typed page: AIICS, 1986
Open letter from Quaker Services Australia, 27 Jan 1986
Quaker Services Australia, Background Paper no 12: Australian Aboriginal Education projects
Report of the Committee on Higher Education Funding, Overview and Recommendations
Background of the Aboriginal and Islander Cultural Studies Centre, 3 May 1988
Job share proposal, June 1988
Minutes Board Meeting of AIICS, 18 Aug 1989
Aboriginal Student Support and Parent Awareness program (hereafter ASSPA), policy draft, 21 Dec 1990
Memo on state financial assistance, 1991
Interim report from Bill Lowah on land acquisition, 12 Dec 1992
Memo to Mavis Ingle and Lisa O’Brien on school restructuring, 3 Feb 1993
Memo to directors on resignation, 3 Feb 1992
Memo to staff and directors on school development workshop, 22 Feb 1993
Proposal to improve current staffing arrangements, 10 May 1993
Proposal to improve current staffing arrangements, 11 May 1993
Memo to directors, Mavis Ingle and Kevin Eastman on education unit staffing arrangements
AIICS meeting of board of directors, 11 May 1993
AIICS meeting of board of directors, 1 Feb 1994
AIICS constitution
Areas of study offered at AIICS
Newspaper cuttings, stationary costs, flow chart, janitor checklist, pamphlets

Folder 8

Independent Community School, cards and drawings
Cards and letters, mostly from children to ‘Super Gran’
Certificate of appreciation to Muriel Langford
Folder 9
Newspaper cuttings

Folder 10
Newspaper cuttings

Folder 11
Newspaper cuttings

Box 2

Folder 1
Letter from Elaine Darling to Muriel Langford, 21 May 1992
Letter from John Leary-Joyce to Muriel Langford, nd (originally enclosed with *Australian Aboriginal Culture*, 3rd edition)

_Fourteen photographs of Australian Aborigines taken in Arnhem Land, Northern Territory, Australia_  
_Bringing Australia together: The structure and experience of racism in Australia_

Untitled magazine on Australian Aborigines  
*Bulletin*, 5 Oct 1993
J.N. Santamaria, ‘Alcohol and the Aborigines: The Problem in Perspective’
Qld Health Department, ‘Health paper: Alcoholism and Drug Dependence Services’
2 page extract from Tom Petrie’s Reminiscences of early Qld
handwritten notes on the Aboriginal flag (1 page)
handwritten notes ‘what is culture’ (1 page)
Mark Trudinger, ‘Albert Namatjira, my family, racism and me’
Poem: Sue Parritt, ‘Peace March’
Poem: ‘No More Boomerang’
Address notes from an Aboriginal conference (3 pages)
Article: ‘The black woman in Australia: Lillian Holt’ (copied on the back of typed manuscript)
‘Biamie - Father of Aboriginal Nation’ (1 page)
Address notes, Lilla Watson, ‘Women in Labour Conference: Aboriginal perspectives of Australian feminism’ (1 page)
Photocopied article: Catrina Felton and Liz Flanagan, ‘Institutionalised Feminism: A Tidda’s Perspective’, 1993
Photocopied extract: James Cowan, *Mysteries of the Dreaming: The Spiritual Life of Australian Aborigines*

Art gallery program for ‘Burnings’ by Lilla Watson

Photocopied map

Miscellaneous photocopies from ‘Cicada Woman’

Newspaper cuttings

Pamphlets and newsletter

**Folder 2**

**Rallies and actions during Commonwealth Games 1982, Musgrave Park matters**

ATSIC and the Coalition of Aboriginal Org Working Group, ‘Native Title Legislation: The benefits for Indigenous Australians’

Draft presentation on a draft covenant to the UCA Assembly, May 1988

Aboriginal Seminar on prisons, June 1988

Short history of FAIRA


‘ATSIC News’, Summer 1991

‘ATSIC News’, Autumn 1992

Booklet: ‘Link up’ [1 sticker and 1 flyer inside front cover]


Aboriginal Employment news’, no 5, Dec 1984

‘Black Protest Committee Newsletter, vol 1, no 1, Apr 1982

‘We the People: national magazine of the United Nations Association of Australia’, Sep/Oct 1989

‘Horizons’, Winter 1992

‘Horizons’, vol 1, no 3, Summer 1993

The Aboriginal University of Australia

Press conference with the Minister for Aboriginal Affairs, Mr Clyde Holding and the Secretary of the Department of Aboriginal Affairs, Mr Charles Perkins, 29 Mar 1984

Supplement to the ‘Queensland Friends Newsletter’

Pamphlet: ‘Aboriginal Health’

4AAA FM 98.9 Murri Country (1 page)

‘Aboriginal Women’s Spirituality’ (1 page)

Open Letter for March for Justice, Freedom and Hope Planning Committee, 1 Sep 1987

Pamphlets, flyers, media releases and newspaper cuttings
Folder 3

Native title points
Sydney regional newsletter of the religious society of friends (Quakers) Feb 1988
‘Harambee’, vol 6, no 2, Jun 1997
Untitled typed manuscript, 2 pages
Cliff Watego, ‘Backgrounds to Aboriginal Literature’
Open letter to PM, 1 Jun 1997
‘ANTaR’, Aug 1997
‘ANTaR’, issue 3, Mar 1998
ANTaR collection of pamphlets
Neil Hockey, ‘Finding our way through the fog…whose land is it anyway?’, 2 Aug 1997
Aboriginal 10 point plan for native title on family pastoral lease (1 page typed)
‘Australian campaign Against Arms Trade’, issue 17, Nov/Dec 1997
‘Qld Friends’ Newsletter, issue 266, Mar 1998
Booklet: ‘Sylvia Cairns, Munningols Daughter’
Flyer: Six steps to co-existence
Flyer: Myths about the Australian Aboriginal people
Australian Institute of Jesuit Affairs, ‘The Racial Discrimination Act and Native Title’
Pamphlets, flyers, newspaper cuttings

Folder 4

B.L. Langford to the Editor (South Burnett Times), 30 Jul 1982 [copy]
Muriel Langford to the Editor (Courier Mail), 4 Aug 1982
Russell Rollasoon to the Editor (South Burnett Times), 6 Aug 1982 [copy]
Newspaper cuttings

Folder 5

Handwritten note to Muriel Langford
‘Aboriginal Treaty News’, no 8 (missing front page)
‘FAIRA newsletter’, no 11
‘RI: Reconciliation’, vol 10, no 1, Feb 1995
‘Aboriginal newsletter’, no 127, Aug 1983
Pamphlets, handwritten notes, flyers, newspaper cuttings etc
Folder 6

OPAL

Photograph no 1, Area 8 Mrs Murphy, taken by Francios ? of London
Photograph no 2, 2 negatives in envelope, Nev and Heather at OPAL conference, 30 years ago?
Muriel Langford to Johannes Bjelke Petersen, 28 Feb 1968
Johannes Bjelke Petersen to Muriel Langford, 28 Feb 1968
Johannes Bjelke Petersen to Muriel Langford, 13 Mar 1968
Johannes Bjelke Petersen to David?, 13 Mar 1968
Neville Bonner to Muriel Langford, 11 Dec 1969
Muriel Langford to Leville Bonner, 17 Dec 1969
? to Pal, nd
Daphne Lavelle to Muriel Langford, 11 Mar 1986
Muriel Langford to Daphne Lavelle, 20 Mar 1986
Company memo of association of OPAL
Manuscript on OPAL (2 copies)
Aboriginal People and the Bicentenary (1 page typed)
A lecture by Kath Walker at the University of Queensland, 27 Jul 1987 (2 copies)
Aunty Beryl’s Dreaming (2 copies, latter title reads ‘Bringing them home-the stolen generation-Aunty Beryl’s Dreaming)
Untitled manuscript
Why and How OPAL Began( multiple drafts)
Address given at the opening of Jim Hamilton room at OPAL early 1970s
Notes on Jim Hamilton (2 pages)
Untitled manuscript
Meriba Kaimel, Different cultures but One People (2 drafts)
An introduction to One People of Australia League
Pamphlets
Folder 7

J.F. Kirk to Muriel Langford, 20 Apr 1988
Muriel Langford to Wayne Goss, 5 May 1988 [copy]
Muriel Langford to Mike Ahern, 5 May 1988 [copy]
Muriel Langford to J.F. Kirk, 11 Nov 1988
J.F. Kirk to Muriel Langford, 20 Nov 1987

Wendy McCarthy to Participant, nd
Aboriginal meeting re bus ride to Sydney, 14 Jan 1988 (1 page)
Copy of letter from Committee to Defend Black Rights (CDBR) to Federal Minister for Aboriginal Affairs re Joint State-Federal Royal Commission into Aboriginal Deaths in Custody
Untitled manuscript (1 page)
Aboriginal community meeting, 4 Nov 1987
Aboriginal community meeting, 11 Nov 1987
Healing meeting at Lilla’s (Watson?)
Australia Day March-V Brisbane (1 page)
Joyce Wilding-friend of Aboriginal people (greatest story never told) [correspondence and certificate of participation attached]
Untitled manuscript (2 pages)
Pamphlets, newsletters, notes, newspaper cuttings etc

Folder 8

‘A story told by Vanessa Fisher’
‘A story told by uncle Willie MacKenzie’ [3 drafts]
‘Double Island Point’ by uncle Willie MacKenzie
Stan Connolly, The careless one
The miracles of Musgrave park
Bundle of Musgrave park manuscripts [various lengths]
Untitled manuscript
Sylvia Cairns, ‘Gainbee Rock’ [5 drafts]
Influencing public opinion
Box 3

Photos and negatives 3-10
One green exercise book
A Proposal Designed to Promote Justice and so Facilitate Development amongst Aboriginal People of Central Australia
Report to the Community from the Aboriginal and Islander Independent Community School 1996 [presented to the annual general meeting 24 Apr 1997]
Report to the community 1997 [presented to the annual general meeting 27 Apr 1998]
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Independent Schools workshop, Townville 23-24 Nov 1992
Copy of federal Government’s response to the Wik Decision: The Ten Point Plan
Caroline Shorten, ‘A Management Committee Training Manual for YSAP funded services in Qld, 1986
AIICS Operational Plan 1993-1995 triennium
2 cassette tapes