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Half Dozen Group of Artists Collection

Size	12 boxes
Contents	Annual reports, financial statements, incoming and outgoing correspondence, mail register, visitors book, exhibition records, exhibition catalogues, scholarship records, publications, financial records, membership records, rules, circulars, newspaper clippings, printing plates, meeting agendas, minutes, notices, constitution.
Biography	The Half Dozen Group of Artists was founded in 1940 by the late Lilian Pedersen and five other established artists. It encourages and maintains a high standard of art in Queensland. The Half Dozen Group of artists holds annual art exhibitions. In 1951, it established the LJ Harvey Memorial Prize, which was administered by the Queensland Art Gallery until 1987.
Notes	Open access

Box 1

Annual reports and financial statements 1946 to 2000 (incomplete file)

Cash and bank journals:

- 1941 to 1954
- 1944 to 1956
- 1956 to 1965
- 1966 to 1974
- 1981 to 1989

Folder containing first, and some other early balance sheets of the Society.

Box 2

Correspondence, incoming, 1949 to 1971. Incomplete. Arranged alphabetically by correspondent. Mainly addressed to Lilian Pedersen, president.

Correspondence, outgoing, 18 Sep 1945 to 6 Oct 1971

Miscellaneous correspondence

Mail register

Visitors' book, 1972 to 1976

Box 3

Day books, 1941 to 1970, recording catalogue sales, visitors to exhibitions etc.

Box 4

Exhibition catalogues

Scholarship records

Miscellaneous publications

Muriel Shaw's papers relating to research for the *The Kangaroo Point Mentors* and *The Paint tree*

Box 5

Minute books

Miscellaneous financial records and bank statements

Box 6

Newspaper cuttings and photos

Membership records

Rules.

Circulars dealing with art scholarships, including L.J. Harvey Memorial Scholarship, and other art matters

Box 7

Financial records

Cash books and account books

Box 8

Printing plates

Box 9

Minute book of Half Dozen Group of Artists, 7 Oct 1981 to 3 Apr 1992

One packet of pamphlets, catalogues, annual reports, programmes and brochures of exhibitions held by the Half Dozen Group of Artists, period 1963 to 1994

Folder with articles of the constitution of the Half Dozen Group of Artists

List of membership 1978

Some correspondence, agendas for meetings

Folder labelled 'Constitution and incorporation' with Constitution as at 12.5.83.

Folder with letter from Governor 1992

Annual report 1991

Folder containing newsletters for 1994, 1992.

Annual report 1991.

Folder holding correspondence with Government Departments requesting financial assistance, 1973 to 1988.

Concertina folder of correspondence 1980 to 1991

Box 10

Folder 1

Assorted papers (reports, notes, correspondence), 1976 to 1996

Folder 2

Labelled 'File materials 1992'

Folder 3

Labelled 'Correspondence concerning use of Queensland Museum Building for Arts, College of Art, Andrew and Lilian Pedersen Prize and L.J. Harvey Memorial Prize'

Folder 4

Notices, 1980 to 1992

Item 5

Receipt book

Item 6

Envelope with 'Photographs of Retrospective Exhibitions of work of Muriel Shaw held at St Mary's Studio 1/10/93'

Item 7

Large yellow envelope with legal documents concerning Harvey Prize

Folder 8

Guest lists for 1980, 1982, 1983, 1987

Folder 9

Exhibition notices 1993-1996

Folder 10

Programs of assistance for the arts 1992 (1st & 2nd editions)

Department of the Prime Minister and Cabinet. *Community relations strategy : an initiative of the Commonwealth Government's national agenda for a multicultural Australia, April 1991*

Folder 11

Papers from 1975 to 1991 including catalogues of exhibitions, mailing address lists, correspondence, brochures, invitations, and typescript article, 'Muriel Mim Foote/Shaw (1911-1990) '

Folder 12

Annual reports, meeting agendas, and notices, 1974 to 1991

Box 11

Folder 1

Membership fee forms 2001 to Jun 2004

Folder 2

Membership fee forms 2001 to Jun 2004 (continued)

Folder 3

Expressions of interest for Diamond Jubilee Exhibition

Folder 4

Miscellaneous correspondence, 2001

Folder 5

Miscellaneous correspondence, 2002

Folder 6

Financial reports, 1999 to 2003

Folder 7

Minutes, Feb 2000 onwards

Item 8

'Attendance book, May 97 – July 2003' (notebook)

Item 9

'Secretary's handnotes : Oct 6 2000 – Mar 22 2002' (notebook)

Folder 10

Shaw, Muriel. "The Kangaroo Point mentors and The paint tree : a short history of a Brisbane Studio, at Kangaroo Point, in the 50s and 60s, as remembered by some of the students' (typescript)

Gedge, Jocelyn. 'A brief history of the Half Dozen Group of Artists Inc.' (1 leaf typescript)

Folder 11

Miscellaneous papers, including reports by president, 2000 to 2003

Folder 12

Annual report March 2007 (part of last word on each line cut off on first page)

Folder 13

Minutes of general meetings, 4 May 2007, 6 Jul 2007, 5 Sep 2007, 7 Mar 2008

Minutes of annual general meeting 7 Mar 2008

Auditors report/financial statements for year ending 31 Dec 2007

Office Bearers for 1999

Box 12

White folder: 1993

Key documents, single folder

Jean Blake's Half Dozen Group Minute Book, 2005-2009

Folder 1

Annual and General Meeting Minutes, 2000-2004, incomplete

Annual Reports, 1995-1996

President's Report, 2001

Folder 2

Executive Minutes, 2001-2003

Folder 3

Correspondence, 2001-2004

Folder 4

Half Dozen Group, *Newsletter*, 2000-Jan 2004

Folder 5

Oakey Art Group Inc., *Newsletter*, 2002-2004 incomplete

Folder 6

Watercolour Society of Queensland Inc., *Newsletter*, 12(2)-13(5), incomplete

Folder 7

Seaside Artists, *Gallery News*, June/July 2004

The Beenleigh Art Society Inc., *Art Society News*, March 2000

Folder 8

Archives: Past members Curriculum Vitae/Biographies:

- Pauline M Adair
- Pearl Britton
- Don Caskey
- Sandra Cornwell
- Hetty Doyle
- Dulcie Eagle
- Margaret Farmer
- June Heilbronn
- Joyce Hyam
- Dawn G Jacobsen
- Wendy Kadell
- Frances McKennariey
- Justine O'Regan
- Eleanor Passmore
- Dorothy Pringle
- Eileen Rocca
- Philippa Webb
- Ray Webber
- Anita West
- Jenny Wright
- Arturo Xavier

Folder 9

Memberships and Receipts, 2000-2003

Folder 10

Finance Statements, 2002-2003

Folder 11

Folio Weekends, 2000-2003

Folder 12

Annual Exhibitions, 2000-2008

Folder 13

Small biography of Muriel "Mim" Foote/Shaw by Margaret Collerton, 1993

In Memory of Muriel Shaw, reprint of *The Kangaroo Point Mentors and The Paint Tree* by Muriel Shaw, 2004. Brisbane: Half Dozen Group. Bound.

Photocopy of Muriel Shaw's booklet, n.d., unbound.

Folder 14

General meeting minutes, 2012