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Sheila Butler fonds

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Summary information

Repository: University of Manitoba Archives & Special Collections

Title: Sheila Butler fonds

ID: MSS 493 (A2015-042)

Date: 1971- 2012 (date of creation)

Physical description: Series includes 0.46m of textual records -- 2 books -- 2 cassettes -- 73 images -- 34 photographs -- 1 magazine.

**Dates of creation,
revision and deletion:**

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Sheila Butler was born on 1938 in Leesport, Pennsylvania. She is a visual artist and was also a professor at the University of Manitoba, the University of Winnipeg, and the University of Western Ontario. As a visual artist, Sheila's work focuses on the human condition. Her works have been exhibited in art galleries and universities, both nationally and globally. In the late 1960s and early 1970s, Sheila, along with her husband Jack Butler served as special projects officers in the Northwest Territories where they engaged and supported Inuit artists. They were instrumental in helping create the Sanavik Co-operative in Baker Lake, Nunavut. The Sanavik Co-operative was created to allow local artists to make art, mostly prints, and sell the art in Southern Canada.

Custodial history

fonds received from Sheila Butler.

Scope and content

The archival materials on the Baker Lake consists of documents produced by David Orlikow, M.P. from Winnipeg North, who presented to the House of Commons his overview of an early dispute over the availability of soapstone in the Baker Lake area.

Notes

Title notes

Arrangement

This collection is arranged into twelve series: 1. Writings (General) 2. Publications (Articles) 3. Expenses (Personal and A+CC) 4. Art Exhibitions and Gallery Correspondence 5. Art Gallery Pamphlets 6. Inuit Art 7. Baker Lake Soapstone 8. Baker Lake Inuit Art 9. Grant Applications 10. Art and Cold Cash Website 11. Photographs and Images 12. Audio Recordings

Restrictions on access

No restrictions on access.

Conditions governing use

No restrictions on use.

Finding aids

A finding aid can be generated from this description.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** published

Access points

- Butler, Jack (subject)

Series descriptions

Writings (General)				
File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Money Stories, Comparative Vocabulary Texts, and Syllabic Texts			1 1
	Otherlevel - Personal Notes			1 2

Publications (Articles)**File / item list**

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - FUSE Article 2004 - 2005			1 3
	Otherlevel - FUSE Rewrite 2012			1 4

Expenses (Personal and A+CC)**File / item list**

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Production of Work/ Monthly Reports and Jobs List 2004 - 2005			1 5

Art Exhibitions and Gallery Correspondence**File / item list**

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Dunlop 2004-2013			1 6
	Otherlevel - Edinburgh 2006			1 7
	Otherlevel - MacLaren Art Centre 2007			1 8
	Otherlevel - MOCCA 2005-2007			2 1
	Otherlevel - New Promo Pack 2000, 2006-2007			2 2
	Otherlevel - Ottawa Art Gallery/ Recycled Art Exhibition 2004, 2005			2 3
	Otherlevel - Promotion of A+CC 2006-2007			2 4
	Otherlevel - Toronto Airport 2005-2007			2 5
	Otherlevel - Vancouver 2001, 2003-2005			2 6

Art Gallery Pamphlets**File / item list**

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Art Gallery Pamphlets			2 7

Inuit Art**File / item list**

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Inuit 1994, 1998, 2000-2004			2 8
	Otherlevel - Support Material 2003-2004			3 1

Baker Lake Soapstone

File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Baker Lake/ Soapstone			3 2
	1971-1974, 1999			
Baker Lake Inuit Art				
File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - First Baker Lake Residency			3 3
	2004			
Grant Applications				
File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Ruby Film Proposal	1997		3 4
	Otherlevel - SSHRC	2000-2003		3 5
	Otherlevel - Traveling Grants – W. Noah	2004-2005		3 6
Art and Cold Cash Website				
File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Website	2002, 2005		4 1
	Otherlevel - Art Work Details	2006		4 2
	Otherlevel - Edinburg, Vivian's Family, Barter, Baker Lake	1960s-1970s, 1999, 2003, 2006		4 3
Audio Recordings				
File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
	Otherlevel - Conversation			4 4