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Janet Jenkins fonds

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Summary information

Repository: University of British Columbia Library Rare Books and Special Collections

Title: Janet Jenkins fonds

ID: RBSC-ARC-1289

Date: 1935-1965, 1991 (date of creation)

Physical description: 60 cm of textual records;10 photographs

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

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Janet Jenkins (nee Brown) was born in Worcester, England. She graduated from Whitelands College in London in 1957. In 1956 she married Trevor Jenkins. They came to Canada in 1957 and settled in British Columbia. Jenkins taught at schools in Prince George, Vancouver and on Vancouver Island.

Scope and content

The fonds consists of diaries, photographs, and correspondence of Janet Jenkins. The photographs parallel the diaries and correspondence in documenting her life. Also included is a postscript to the diaries written by her husband, Trevor Jenkins in 1991.

Notes

Title notes

Immediate source of acquisition

The original accession was donated to Rare Books and Special Collections at UBC Library by the Trevor Jenkins in October 1991. A subsequent accrual was donated by Trevor Jenkins in January 2016.

Finding aids

Inventory available.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** published

Access points

- Jenkins, Trevor (subject)

Series descriptions

Correspondence

Date: 1958-1964 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

The correspondence includes letters to and from family and friends, reference letters, and assignments from an English 429 course taken by Janet in 1963. Arranged chronologically.

File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-01	File - Correspondence	1958		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-02	File - Correspondence	1959		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-03	File - Correspondence	1960		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-04	File - Correspondence	1961		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-05	File - Correspondence	1962		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-06	File - Correspondence	1963		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-07	File - Correspondence	1964		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-08	File - Reference letters	1955-1956		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-09	File - English 429 Essays	1963		

Diaries

Date: 1951-1991 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series includes diaries, date books, address books, postscript to the diaries, and a volume entitled "Books I Have Read".

File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-10	File - Diaries	1951		
RBSC-ARC-1289-1-11	File - Diaries	1952		
RBSC-ARC-1289-2-01	File - Diaries	July-Dec 1952		
RBSC-ARC-1289-2-02	File - Diaries	Jan-Oct 1953		
RBSC-ARC-1289-2-03	File - Diaries	Oct-Dec 1953		
RBSC-ARC-1289-2-04	File - Diaries	1954		
RBSC-ARC-1289-2-05	File - Diaries	1955		
RBSC-ARC-1289-3-01	File - Diaries	1956		
RBSC-ARC-1289-3-02	File - Diaries	1957		
RBSC-ARC-1289-3-03	File - Date diaries	1946-1950		
RBSC-ARC-1289-3-04	File - Date diaries	1960-1965		
RBSC-ARC-1289-3-05	File - Address books and "Books I have Read"	[1951]		
RBSC-ARC-1289-3-06	File - Postscript to the diaries by Trevor Jenkins	Feb 1991		

Poetry

Date: 1951-1955 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series contains three typescript copies of poems written by Janet Jenkins in the 1950s.

Physical description: 5 p.

File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1289-3-07	File - Typescript poems	1951-1955		

Photo Album

Date: 1935-1966 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series consists of 2 photo albums which parallel the diaries and correspondence of Janet Jenkins. Trevor Jenkins compiled a photo-by-photo list of the contents of each album, and these lists have been kept with the albums.

File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
RBSC-ARC-1289-4-01	File - Photo album	1935-1938		
RBSC-ARC-1289-4-02	File - Photo album	1957-1965		