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Scope and Contents

The Starkville Area Business and Professional Women's Club, established in 1972, is affiliated with the Mississippi Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs and the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs. The collection documents the activities of the group through correspondence, scrapbooks, yearbooks, and other records. The club's official year begins in July of each year and continues through June of the following year.

The part of the collection (1973-1986) that has been processed consists of the club's newsletters, yearbooks, scrapbooks, officers' notebooks, and volumes on various
activities submitted for competition in statewide contests. Also included are scattered publications of the state and national organizations.

The collection was donated by the club in 1985 and has been augmented by several additions. Further additions are anticipated.

Series List

1. Records produced by the Starkville Area B&PW Club
   A. "The Buzz" [monthly newsletter]
   B. Civic/Community Participation
   C. Legislative Activities
   D. Officers' Notebooks
   E. Public Relations/Press Clipping Awards
   F. Radio Awards
   G. Scrapbooks
   H. Television Awards
   I. Yearbooks

2. Publications of the Mississippi Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs

3. Publications of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs
## Container List

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            1.D.: Officers' Notebooks (2 volumes)  
| 5         | 1.E.: Public Relations/Press Clipping Awards (9 volumes) |
            1.F.: Radio Awards (foldered)  
            1.H.: Television Award  
            1.I.: Yearbooks  
            2: Mississippi Federation Publications  
            3: National Federation Publications |
| 7         | 1.B.: Civic/Community Participation (4 volumes)  
            1.C.: Legislative Activities (2 volumes)  
            1.F.: Radio Awards (unfoldered) (3 volumes) |
| 8 - 9     | Files and audiovisual materials. |
| Oversized | Posters and poster fragments (not described in this guide) |
| MS Box 6  | }
## Inventory

**Series 1. Records produced by the Starkville Area B&PW Club**

**A. "The Buzz"** (monthly newsletter)

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*Bound volume: August 1980 - April 1981 [Unfoldered]*

**Bound volume: July 1984 - April 1985**

**Bound volumes: July 1984 - April 1985 and June 1985 - May 1986**

**Bound volume: June 1985 - May 1986**
B. Civic/Community Participation
Contest Entries:

"A Report on Community Service Products" [partial report], 1974

"A Report on Community Service Products", 1979

"A Report on Community Service Products", 1980

"Civic Participation", 1982-1983

C. Legislative Activities
Bound Volumes:


"Starkville Area B&PW Club Submission for National Legislative Award", 1982 - 1983 [unfoldered]

D. Officers’ Notebooks
Bound Volumes:

President Mildred Wofford's Notebook, 1977-1978

Public Relations Chairman Mary Dutt's Notebook, 1977-1978

E. Public Relations/Press Clippings Awards
Contest Entries (bound volumes):

"Public Relations", 1972 - 1973

"Public Relations", 1973 - 1974

"Press Clipping Book", 1975 - 1976

"Press Clipping Book", 1976 - 1977

"Public Relations Scrapbook", 1977 - 1978

"Public Relations Newspaper Scrapbook", 1978 - 1979

"Public Relations", 1979 - 1980


"Press Clipping Book", 1982 - 1983
F. Radio Awards
Contest Entries (Booklets, Scrapbooks):

"Report on Radio Day", 1975

"Radio Day", 1976

"Radio Day", 1977 [unfoldered]

"Radio Day", 1978 [unfoldered]

"Radio Awards" Category, Classification I, 1979

"Radio Awards" Category, Classification II, 1979 [includes cassette tape]

"Radio Awards" Category, Classification III, 1979

"Radio Awards" Category, Classification IV, 1979

"Radio Awards" Category, Classification V, 1979

"Radio Awards" Category, Classification VI, 1979

"Radio Day", 1981 [unfoldered]

G. Scrapbooks

1974 - 1975

1976 - 1977

1977 - 1978

1978 - 1979

1979 - 1980

1980 - 1981


1982 - 1983 (wooden cover, pages 1, 19, 20, 67, 69, 72, 77, 83, 89, 90, 92, 93)

1983 - 1984

1984 - 1985
1985 - 1986

H. Television Awards
Contest Entry (Booklet):

"TV Awards" Category, Classification 1, 1978

I. Yearbooks

1975 - 1976
1976 - 1977
1977 - 1978 (2 copies)
1978 - 1979
1982 - 1983 (2 copies)
1983 - 1984 (2 copies)
1984 - 1985 (2 copies)
1985 – 1986

Series 2. Mississippi Federation of Business and Professional Women’s Clubs Publications

Fall Board [Meeting], 1974
58th Annual Convention, 1982
Handbook, 1982 - 1983
"The Mississippi BPW Rainbow Connection", 1984 - 1985
The Mississippi Business Woman, 1975-1984 [unfoldered]
60th Annual Convention, 1984
Young Career Woman's Conference, 1985


BPW Action Manual, 1966
BPW Emblem Catalog, 1983-1984

BPW Leader, 1984

Elements of Modern Leadership through Organizational Activity, undated

Handbook of Policies and Procedures, 1969


2011 Addition

Banner, “Business and Professional Women’s Club…Starkville, MS”, undated.
Gavel with the National Federation of Business & Professional Women’s Club, Inc. (NFBPWC) symbol engraved, undated.