Dummkopf Band Collection

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Summary Information

Contributor: Firth, Brian
Creator: Dummkopf Band
Title: Dummkopf Band Collection
ID: MS-00662
Date [inclusive]: 1988-2001
Physical Description: 0.2 Linear Feet 1 box
Language of the Material: English
Abstract: The Dummkopf Band Collection documents the activities of the Las Vegas, Nevada local entertainers from approximately 1988 to 2001. The collection includes two compact discs of live performances, newspaper clippings and advertisements, and letters of recommendation for the band.

Preferred Citation


Biographical Note

The Dummkopf Band formed in 1985. Still an active band, they predominantly play at festivals and are popular in the Las Vegas, Nevada area for combining polka music and comedy. Additionally, they also perform at parties in several different iterations, including "Irish Stew," an Irish-themed band; "The Dixie Stompers"; "Sheep Dip," a country band; "The Village Idiots," a comedy troupe; and "Fruit of the Loons," a comedic group for special events.
Scope and Contents Note

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Arrangement

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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Access

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Acquisition Note

Materials were donated in 2002 by Brian Firth; accession number 2002-026.

Processing Note

Materials were processed by Special Collections staff in 2002. Materials were minimally processed and described by Lindsay Oden in 2014 in compliance with professional standards.

Controlled Access Headings

- Music -- Nevada -- Las Vegas
- Firth, Brian
- Dummkopf Band

Collection Inventory

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<td>Physical Description: 2 CDs</td>
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<td>Newspaper clippings, advertisements, and ephemera, 1988-2001</td>
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<td>&quot;Entertainer: Complete Guide to the Area Casino Scene&quot; from Laughlin, Nevada featuring the Polka and Beer Festival, 2000 March</td>
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<td>Letters of recommendation, 1992</td>
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