CENTRE D'ARCHIVES DE LA GRANDE ZONE ARGILEUSE
Archival description

Title : Fonds Raymond Génier

Dates : 1977-2023

Extent of descriptive unit : 0.13 meters of textual documents.

Administrative history or biography : Born in 1940, Raymond Génier is the son of Ernest Génier and Olivia Éthier. He hails from the village of Génier, which was founded by his grandfather in 1911. He attended the village elementary school and later went to the Petit Séminaire de Hearst for part of his secondary education, residing at the seminary during that time. Eventually, he graduated with high distinction from the Collège d'Agriculture de Ville-Marie. He had four children and raised them on the family dairy farm in Génier, located near Cochrane. Mr. Génier was a member of the Glackmeyer municipal council for 24 years, including 23 years as mayor. He served and was involved with several community organizations in the Cochrane area, such as the 4H Club, the Regional Dairy Producers Committee, the Agricultural Council of Ontario, the Cochrane-Témiscamingue Holstein Club, and the Rayon Franco de Cochrane.

Scope and content : This collection contains 6 works written by Raymond Génier, including 3 books and 3 short stories. It also includes 2 physical genealogy projects and a digital project created using the Ancestral Quest program, focusing on the Génier family, as well as two newspaper excerpts. Additionally, this collection features two works related to the city of Cochrane, Ontario.

Sources of information : The information was gathered from the book "Raymond Génier Cochrane ON: La famille et la communauté à cœur," written by Raymond Génier and completed by the archivist.

Physical description : The fonds includes a box of 7 books and a USB drive with 4 short stories.

Physical condition : The documents are in good condition.

Immediate source of acquisition : The Centre des Archives de la Grande Zone Argileuse acquired the fonds from Raymond Génier in July 2024.

Arrangement : The documents, once acquired, were organized by the archivist.

Language : French

Restriction on access : No restriction imposed by the donor.

Terms governing use and reproduction : Copyright Act applies. Reproduction permitted depending on the condition of the documents.

Finding aids : A research tool is available.

Associated materials : Collection La Jazette.

Accruals : No further accruals expected.

General Note : Some documents are available in both digital and physical formats, while others are available only in digital format.

Descriptors:

Cochrane Ontario
Raymond Génier
Genealogy of the Génier Family
First in Canada
Honoré Génier
Pioneers of Cochrane
Northern Ontario
History of Cochrane
Biography of Raymond Génier
History of the Cochrane Seniors Club
Donald V. Genier
Francophonie
Notre Dame Des Oliviers
Moïse Éthier
Anathalie Lapointe
Trapping and Fur
Alfred St-Laurent

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