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TITLE: Tam Agosti-Gisler Photographs

COLLECTION NUMBER: B2014.034

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Dates: 1960-1969

Extent: 11 items

Language and Scripts: The collection is in English.

Name of creator(s): Tam Agosti-Gisler

Administrative/Biographical History:

Tam Agosti-Gisler was raised in Anchorage and was educated at Stanford University, receiving her B.A. in International Relations in 1979. She taught in the Anchorage School District from 1982-2004. She served as executive director of the Anchorage School Business Partnership program from 2006-2012. She has also served on the Anchorage School Board.

Scope and Content Description:

The collection consists of 11 black-and-white and color digital print copies of original photographs. For more information, see Detailed Description of Collection.

Arrangement: Arranged chronologically

CONDITIONS GOVERNING ACCESS AND USE

Restrictions on Access: The collection is open for research use.

Physical Access: Original items in good condition.

Technical Access: No special equipment is needed to access the materials.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Acquisition and Appraisal Information

Donated by Tam Agosti-Gisler during the Alaska Gallery storytelling event in October 2014.

Separated Materials

Three blurry images discarded.

SUBJECTS

Agosti-Gisler, Tam

Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David), 1890-1969—Travel—Alaska

Fur Rendezvous (Anchorage, Alaska)

Fur Rendezvous World Championship Sled Dog Race, Anchorage, Alaska

Alaska Earthquake, Alaska, 1964

Earthquakes—Alaska—Anchorage

Anchorage (Alaska)

Detailed Description of the Collection

.1 – Eisenhower visit June 1960 [distant view of Eisenhower debarking from airplane]

.2 – Eisenhower visit June 1960 [Eisenhower being escorted by military personnel]

.3 – Turnagain Elementary, September 1963, L-R: Jan, Ann, Tam Agosti [three girls in uniform outside school. b&w]

.4 – March 1964 [earthquake damage, street signs at corner of McCollie and Turnagain sunk into fissure. b&w]

.5 – Turnagain Elementary, September 1969, L-R: Tim, Tom, Jon, Dave Agosti [four boys outside school]

.6 – Fur Rondy 1969 [Cook Inlet Native Association float passing the new D & D Bar & Café on Fourth Avenue, Fur Rendezvous parade]

- .7 – Rondy Auction 1969 [view through crowd to stage, Fur Rendezvous fur auction]
- .8 – Rondy, Cordova, ice worm, 1969 [group of people pulling “ice worm” down street during parade, water in background, Cordova?]
- .9 – Rondy 1969 [blanket toss in front of Ellen’s Jewelers and Seidenverg & Kay on Fourth Avenue, All-America City banner in background, Fur Rendezvous]
- .10 – Rondy 1969 [Fur Rendezvous, World Championship Sled Dog Races, mushers, dogs, and handlers at starting line outside Koslosky’s on Fourth Avenue, with banner sponsored by Tundra Lea Racing Kennels]
- .11 – Rondy 1969 [two mushers with dog teams neck-and-neck on Fourth Avenue passing Club 515, Ellen’s Jewelers and Seidenverg & Kay, All-America City banner in background, Fur Rendezvous World Championship Sled Dog Races]

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