

DeKalb History Center

Glen Haven Community Association and Garden Club

Scope and content: The Glen Haven Community Association and Garden Club records contain receipts, ledgers with meeting minutes, legal documents, correspondence, a petition, photographs and scrapbooks from 1938 until 1954.

Provenance: Gift of Benjamin F. George, Accession #2002.19.

Access: Single photocopies may be made for research purposes. Reproductions of photographs and permission to publish materials from this collection must be requested from the Archivist, DeKalb History Center. Citations should be made as follows:

Description of specific item; Glen Haven Collection, DeKalb History Center Archives.

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Size: 6 folders and 2 scrapbooks.

Organizational History of the Glen Haven Community Association and Garden Club:

The Glen Haven Community Association organized on December 9, 1945 at the home of Mrs. Whidden, who was elected president and the club met on the third Monday of the month at 2:30 pm. There were initial committees for membership, projects and hospitality. The object of the club was stated as "to stimulate interest in beautification of home and community grounds and to promote study in culture of flowers and shrubs." In 1948 the club dedicated Rosemary Park bus stop in memory of Glen Haven's World War II dead. There are photographs in the 1948 scrapbook.

Description: The collection includes two scrapbooks with photographs, meeting minutes, newspaper clippings and various other club mementoes. There are receipts and correspondence with issues that the club was working on, such as zoning issues, along with petitions signed and sent to then commissioner Scott Candler. There are complaints about signs and noise from local businesses.

Subject Headings: Where possible, Library of Congress Subject Headings have been used.

Main entries: Glen Haven community Association and Garden Club

Subject/Added entries: DeKalb County (Ga.)
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Box	Folder	Contents	Dates
1	1	Correspondence	1944-1954
	2	Legal documents	1939-1944
	3	Meeting minutes	Sep 1936-Nov 1939
	4	Miscellaneous	
	5	Receipts	1938-1947
	6	Treasurer's records	Sep 1936-Feb 1948
2		Scrapbook	Dec 1945-Dec 1947
		Scrapbook	1948-1949