

The DeKalb News / Sun and DeKalb News / Era Photograph Collections

[Accession #1998.37: three boxes of miscellaneous photographs (1994-1998) from *Decatur-DeKalb News/Era*]

[Accession #1998.6: three boxes of photographs, proof sheets, negatives, and correspondence from *DeKalb News/Sun* (1971-1991); one box of photographs of Tucker Days; two boxes of corporate photographs]

The first eight document boxes in the DeKalb News / Sun photograph collection contain folders of photographic prints sorted by subject. Photographs within these folders range in age, though they seem to generally be from before 1993.

Box 1:

- Arts
- Arts Centers
- Arts Centers – Callanwolde
- Arts Centers – Spruill
- Arts Centers – North Arts Center
- Aviation
- Ballet
- Businesses (1)
- Businesses (2)
- Businesses (3)

Box 1A: Businesses

Box 2:

- Cartoons
- Cemeteries
- Churches
- Coca-Cola
- Construction
- Dance
- DeKalb Historical Society
- Disasters

Box 2A:

- Businesses (3)

Box 3:

- Events—Beauty Pageants
- Events—Charity
- Events—Demonstrations
- Events—Festivals
- Events—Forums

Box 3:

Events – Holidays
Events – Law Enforcement
Events – Musical Performances
Events – Parades
Events – Plays

Box 4:

Events – Special
Fernbank
Firefighters
Flowers and Plants
Gardens
Government (1) (2)

Box 5:

Government (3)
Government – Buildings
Government – Political Campaigns
Groups / Organizations (1) (2)

Box 6:

Groups / Organizations – Concerto
Groups / Organizations – DeKalb News / Sun Staff
Groups / Organizations – Garden Clubs
Groups / Organizations – Musical Groups
Groups / Organizations – Scouts
Homes

Box 7:

Hospitals
Law Enforcement – Buildings
Law Enforcement – Crimes
Law Enforcement – Officers
Libraries
Maps
Marta / RR
Military
Movies / Television
Museums

Box 8:

Parks – Stone Mountain Park
Parks
People
People – Music
Roads
Schools – Colleges
Schools – Colleges – Faculty
Schools – Colleges – Students
Schools – High Schools – Buildings

Boxes 9-16 of the DeKalb News / Sun photograph collection also contain photographic prints, though they are typically more recent than those in the previous boxes. While a few of these boxes feature prints sorted into folders like those found in boxes 1-8, some of them contain unsorted prints that are still in their original packaging from Wolf Camera. This portion of the News / Sun photograph collection is kept in historic records boxes.

Box 9:

People A-O

Box 10:

People P-Z

Box 11:

Schools – High School – Events
Schools – High School – Faculty
Schools – Other
Schools – High School – Students
Schools – Pre-K and Elementary (2 folders)
Sports – Baseball
Sports – College
Sports – High School – Baseball / Softball
Sports – High School – Basketball
Sports – High School – Football
Sports – High School – Other
Sports – Olympics
Sports – Other
Sports – Soccer
Sports – Tennis
Zoo Atlanta

Box 12:

Contains manila envelopes full of photographs from annual Tucker Day festivals. Envelopes cover from Tucker Day 1973 through Tucker Day 1990.

Box 13:

Contains special Tucker Day inserts from the DeKalb News / Sun from the 1977 through 1991. Also contains photographs of the News / Sun staff used in company newsletters.

Box 14:

Contains folders of proof sheets sorted by subject. The subjects include –

Aerial Photos

Arts and Crafts

Buildings – Arts / Science Centers

Community Events – Special

Disasters

DHS and Old Courthouse

Farms and Ranches

Flowers and Trees

Gardens and Parks

Government – Buildings

Government – Elections

Government – Events

Government – General Assembly

Government – Organizations

Box 15:

Contains unsorted photographic prints in packaging from Wolf Camera. The photos are from the years 1993-1998.

Box 16:

Contains unsorted photographic prints in packaging from Wolf Camera. The photos are from the years 1993-1998. Includes photos from the Heritage Festival and the Olympics.

Box 17:

Contains unsorted photographic prints in packaging from Wolf Camera. The photos are from the years 1993-1998. Includes photos of the Olympic Torch running and charity events.

Box 18:

Contains unsorted photographic prints in packaging from Wolf Camera and a folder of portraits. The photos are from the years 1993-1998.

Box 19:

Contains unsorted photographic prints in packaging from Wolf Camera. The photos are from the years 1993-1998.

The DeKalb News / Sun photograph collection includes a three ring binders full of color slides. These slides include photographs taken between 1984 and 1988.

Subjects included in the slides: Atlas flags, Glenwood Pool, Mike and Sue Ellen Mears' Thanksgiving circa 1986, Laurel Ridge Elementary, Dunwoody Holiday House, Duchess Wagner's Garden, the Smokerise Home Tour, Mardi Gras, a live manger scene, miscellaneous Christmas pictures, Antioch Baptist Church, a marble quarry, Greek dancers, Decatur MARTA, quilting, the 1988 flower show, the 1988 BBQ contest at Stone Mountain, American flags, Thanksgiving at the Yellow River Game Ranch, Bradley's Toys, the 1988 American Cancer Society's daffodil sale, Christmas at Callanwolde circa 1987, the Chamblee Library groundbreaking, and Chinese New Year celebrations in 1988.

The DeKalb News / Era photograph collection is kept in 8 document boxes next to the News / Sun collection. The boxes contain folders of proof sheets and negatives sorted by subject. Photos in the collection come from a range of periods throughout the News / Era's history.

Box 1 (contains proof sheets which are matched with negatives in Box 2)

- Animals
- Arts Centers – Callanwolde
- Arts Centers – Soapstone Arts Center
- Aviation – Airports
- Aviation – Planes and Helicopters
- Cemeteries
- Commerce (3 folders)
- Disasters – Accidents
- Disasters – Fires
- Events – Charity
- Events – Demonstrations
- Events – Fashion Shows
- Events – Festivals
- Events – Pageants
- Events – Parades
- Events – Plays
- Events – Public Forums

Box 3 (contains both proof sheets and negatives):

- Libraries
- Medical – Hospitals
- Medical – Medical Centers
- Homes – By Community
- Homes – By Name
- Homes – Unspecified
- Parks and Recreational

Box 4 (contains both proof sheets and negatives):

- People – Unnamed
- Retro Features

Schools – Colleges
Schools – Pre-K – Elementary
Schools – Middle – High

Box 5 (contains both proof sheets and negatives):

People A-G
People H-R
People S-Z

Box 6 (contains both proof sheets and negatives):

Organizations A-F
Organizations G-Q
Organizations R-Z

Box 7 (contains both proof sheets and negatives):

Schools – High Schools Sports
Schools – Teachers and Administration
Sports
Stone Mountain Park
Town Photographs
Transportation – MARTA / RR
Transportation – Road Construction

Box 8 (contains both proof sheets and negatives):

Churches
Law Enforcement - Police
Law Enforcement - Fires
Law Enforcement – Crimes and Punishments
Law Enforcement – Special Units