

## DeKalb History Center

### Decatur Music Teachers Association

**Scope and content:** The Akins-Jones Family Papers includes letters and receipts from Dora Akins Jones and her family, as well as copies of religious literature collected by Mrs. Jones from the late nineteenth century to the mid-twentieth century.

**Provenance:** Gift of Kristi Helfen, Decatur Music Teachers Association, Accession # 2023.27

**Access:** Single photocopies may be made for research purposes. 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; Decatur Music Teachers Association, DeKalb History Center Archives.

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**Size:** 3 document boxes, 2 oversized boxes

**Organizational History:** The Decatur Music Teachers Association (DMTA) was formed in 1947. It serves Decatur, Stone Mountain, Conyers, and the surrounding area, with the mission to "...advance musical knowledge and training in the community for educational, charitable, and scientific purposes." <http://www.decaturmusicteachers.com/>

**Description:** Collection includes administrative files for the Decatur Music Teachers Association, including meeting minutes, newsletters, flyers, photographs, scrapbooks, and more. Notebooks include meeting minutes and DMTA newsletters "Notes & Quotes".

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

Main Entry: Decatur Music Teachers Association

**Folder List**

<b>Box</b>	<b>Folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>	<b>Date(s)</b>
1		Notebook	1991-1998
		Scrapbook	1955-1975
		Scrapbook	1975-1982
		Scrapbook	1980s
		Scrapbook	1980s-1990s
2		Notebook	1975-1981
		Notebook	1982-1988
		Notebook	1988-1992
		Notebook	1992-1993
		Notebook	1993-1995
		Notebook	2005-2012
		Notebook	2007-2014
		Notebook	2012-2014
	Notebook	2014-2016	
3	1	Expenditures	1979-1988
	2	Jo Evans Scholarship	
	3	Loose papers	
	4	Meeting minutes	1970-1978
	5	Meeting minutes	September 1978- March 1982
	6	Meeting minutes & newsletters	1984-1988
	7	Meeting minutes & newsletters	2003-2011
	8	Meeting registers	1951-1956
	9	Newsletters	1994-1998
	10	Newsletters	October 2014- November 2016
	11	Photos	
	12	Treasurer's records	
	13	Treasurer's report	2007-2008

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4		DMTA Records	1985-2007
	1	Yearbooks	1963; 1982-1993
	2	Yearbooks	1994-2002
5	1	Yearbooks	2003-2010
	2	Yearbooks	2011-2020