

DeKalb History Center

William Black Photography Collection

Scope and content: This is an extensive collection of photographs taken by William Black, a professional DeKalb photographer. Most are from Chamblee High School and were taken in the late 1950s and 1960s and the latest items are from 1979.

Provenance: Gift of Mr. and Mrs. William Black, 1989. (Accession #1989.42)

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Size: 3 1/2 document boxes, 2 half photo boxes

Biographical Sketch of William Black: William Black was the staff photographer for Chamblee High School and its yearbook from the late 1940s through the late 1960s. He also served Briarcliff and Cross Keys High Schools, and individuals in the Decatur area.

Description: This collection is comprised of photographs from various Chamblee High School activities. Included are photographs of the football team, basketball team, Miss Juno Beauty Pageant, cheerleaders, the Powder Puff Football game, and various pictures from the prom. There are some photographs from Druid Hills High School and the W.D. Thompson School in the collection. Also, additional photos of Doraville Police Department, the Fire Department at Emory, the Dogwood Festival Princess, an AARP reception, George Busbee, the Swan Coach House, Chamblee Lodge members, and the Sagamore Hills Bridge Party. There are also wedding photos and the collection covers the late 1950s through 1979.

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

Main Entry: Black, William

Subject/Added Entries: Chamblee High School (Ga.)
Briarcliff High School (Ga.)
Cross Keys High School (Ga.)
Decatur (Ga.)
Doraville (Ga.)
Emory University

Busbee, George, 1927-2004

Folder List

Box	Folder	Contents	Date(s)
1	1	1957 CHS Miss Juno participants in formal wear	1957
	2	1957 CHS Miss Juno photos of pool scenes	1957
	3	Miss Juno 1958 Participants in bathing suits and gowns	1958
	4	Miss Juno 1959, Pool scenes	1959
	5	Miss Juno 1959, contestant line-ups and individual portraits	1959
	6	Miss Juno 1959, winners in formal wear	1959
	7	CHS: Homecoming, Prom and Talent Show Events	1960-1962
	8	CHS Girl-Miss Juno and Homecoming Court Some photos from Atlanta Cabana Motel located Peachtree and 7 th Street	1962-1963
	9	Girls' Clubs, Powderpuff Football, Cheerleading and some Marching Band	1959-1960
	10	CHS Cheerleaders 1962 and ca. 1970; coaches	
	11	CHS Homecoming and Prom	1959
	12	Printed Material, programs	1959
	13	CHS Jr. Sr. Prom-Briarcliff High School	Late 1950s
2	1	Senior Superlatives	Late 1950s, Early 1960s
	2	Sweetheart Dance-Valentine's Day	1960s
	3	CHS Administrators and Talent Show (1 of 2)	1959
	4	CHS Administrators and Talent Show (2 of 2)	1959
	5	CHS homecoming, Beta-Beauty Contest and Prom PROOFS, Sample photos	1957
	6	CHS Extra Copies Sheets of extra shots of Administrators, Athletic and Talent Show events	1960-1962
	7	CHS Proofs of Athletic and Talent Show Events Sample copies of candid shots	1959-1960
	8	Cheerleaders, students and basketball photos	1958
	9	CHS Students and Athletics	1959
3	1	CHS Boys Football	1959-1960
	2	Basketball, tennis and wrestling teams	1960
	3	Basketball, track and cheerleading photos	1960-1962
	4	Miscellaneous Students/Faculty	
	5	Cross Keys Students and Building	1960s
	6	CKHS Miss Chieftain	1960
	7	CKHS Cheerleaders	1960s
	8	CKHS Athletics Basketball, Powderpuff football, cheerleading	1960s

Box	Folder	Contents	Date(s)
3	9	CKHS Athletes, Football players, cheerleaders	1960
	10	CKHS vs. Chamblee wrestling	1958-1964
	11	Miscellaneous unmarked photos	
	12	George Busbee, AARP Meeting and Reception	
	13	Dogwood Festival Princess	
	14	Doraville Police Department	1960s
4	1	CKHS Athletics and banquet	1960
	2	Briarcliff High School	1962-1963
	3	Women's Chamber of Commerce at Atlantic Steel	1960s
	4	Emory Fire Department-Wreck	1960s
	5	Little League Teams	
	6	Judy Allen, Homecoming Queen	
	7	Sagamore Hills Bridge Party	1950s
	8	Chamblee lodge-Masons	1979
	9	Swan Coach House, First National Bank, Amoco	

NEGATIVES

5		Chamblee High school	1964
		BONFIRE	
		Chamblee high Neptune ball	
		Chamblee Neptune ball	
		Chamblee couples' photos	
		Chamblee Junior Senior dance	Mar 21 1957
		Chamblee Miss Juno Queen's Ball	1957
		Chamblee High Miss Juno	
		Bathing suit competition	1957
		Chamblee Miss Juno participation/parade	1957
		Chamblee annual and beauty queen photos	
		Or Briarcliff? At Briarcliff?	
		Doris Borden Faulk	1959
		Little league baseball	1957
6		Jeannie Weaver wedding	
		Briarcliff high Junior Senior	May 26 1962
		Judy Allen wedding	Dec 1958
		Briarcliff high ring dance	May 19 1962
		Cross Keys students	
		Cross Keys Junior Senior dance	May 26 1961
	Sandra Blalock	Feb 5 1961	

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6	Cross Keys school building	
	Cross Keys v Briarcliff football	
	Cross keys football	
	Diana Elrod Cross Keys	Feb 5 1961
	Linda Purcell Cross Keys	Feb 5 1961
	Cross Keys football banquet	1961
	Cross Keys v Marist football	
	Linda Davis	Feb 5 1961
	Cross Keys cheerleaders	Aug 27 1960
	Cross Keys	Sep 1958
	Cross Keys Chamblee wrestling	Jan 29 1959
	Cross Keys football and cheerleaders	Sep 2 1959
	Cross Keys students	Dec 11 1958
	Homecoming	1959
	Cross Keys Junior Senior dance	1962
	Cross Keys v Briarcliff basketball	Dec 10 1960
	Druid Hills v Chamblee basketball men and women	
	Chamblee v Westminster	
	Basketball	
	Miss Cross Keys	Feb 27 1960
	Miss Chieftain, Cross Keys	Jan 23 1960
	Miss Hailey, Cross Keys	
	Cross Keys v Gordon football	
	Cross Keys v Camp Gordon football	Sep 18 1959
	Cross Keys	Oct 1 1959
	Cross Keys football banquet	Jan 30 1960
	Cross Keys	
	Chamblee high basketball	

Negatives in Room 034, Photograph Subject Files Box 21

Slides

Chamblee High football 1964

Ladies basketball

Cross Keys-cheerleaders

Various-Cross Keys-Football, band, cheerleading

CHS v Druid Hills football

Miss CHS November 1964, CHS v Tucker football

Chamblee High Druid Hills football