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Summary Information

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Abstract:	This collection consists of materials derived from Bill Michaelis' role as an educator, consultant, and author of play and recreational studies. The materials are dated from 1950 to 2019, with the bulk of the materials between 1974 and 1995. The papers are comprised of newspaper clippings, reference materials, conference, workshop, and course documents, and includes papers documenting the history of the New Games Foundation such as administrative documents, marketing materials, photographs, and more.

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Historical Note

Bill Michaelis is a leading play advocate, educator, consultant, and author of play and recreational studies. Michaelis was born and raised on the East Coast. He completed his

undergraduate degree at the State University of New York, Cortland in physical education and recreation in 1968. After graduation, Michaelis moved to California where he continued his education at the University of California, Berkeley. He received a Masters degree (1969) and a Ph.D (1980) in Education and Anthropology, specializing in Play and Human Development and Multicultural Education.

Through Michaelis' career, his focus has been "to bridge the gap between theory and practice, to inspire people, and to give them information, skills, and insights to be good play advocates and practitioners." Dr. Michaelis has taught recreation courses at California State Polytechnic University, Pomona, San Francisco State University, and other institutions. Michealis is Professor Emeritus at San Francisco State University and was also Chair of the Department of Recreation and Leisure Studies.

Dr. Michaelis was a board member, lead trainer, and early pioneer of the original New Games Foundation. He served on the Board of Directors, Advocacy Board, and the National Training Staff of the New Games Foundation from 1975 to 1984 and conducted many training workshops and play events in multiple cities. More information on the New Games Foundation can be found in the New Games Foundation Series Scope and Content Note in the Collection Inventory section of the finding aid.

Dr. Michaelis has authored many articles for national and international publications about youth programs and development, adventure playgrounds, cooperative play, playful teaching practices, family leisure education and more. He was a contributor to *The New Games Book* and *More New Games*, co-authored *The Leaders Handbook, Learning Leadership Skills by Facilitating Fun, Games, Play, and Positive Interaction*, and authored many other books.

Dr. Michaelis founded Children-Together, was a member of The Association for the Study of Play [TASP], served on the Board of Directors for the American Adventure Playground Association, and is a former member of the International Play Association USA, California School-Age Consortium, and the California Park and Recreation Society.

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Collection Scope and Content Note

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The Michaelis papers document the history and changes in playground safety and the New Games Foundation. Of note are the playground safety checklists and guides in Series V,

Subseries E. The papers also document Michaelis' extensive and impressive decades long career.

The Bill Michaelis papers have been arranged into seven series with four series further divided into subseries. The physical materials are housed in ten boxes and two oversized folders. Additional scope and content information can be found in the Series and Subseries Scope and Content Notes in the Collection Inventory section of the finding aid.

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System of Arrangement

Series I: Biographical, 1976-2020

Series II: Writings, 1975-2015

Series III: Presentations, 1978-2015

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Subseries C: Slides, undated

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Subseries D: Programs, 1976-2015

Sub-subseries 1. Family Fun Fest, 1987-2015

Sub-subseries 2. Spin-off programs, 1976-2014

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Subseries A: Leadership, 1971-2003

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Subseries C: Play, 1970-2016

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Subseries E: Youth sports, 1969-2019

Subseries F: Miscellaneous, 1950-2011

Series VII: Audiovisual, 1997-2013

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The papers were donated to The Strong in July 2023 as a gift from Dr. William J. "Bill" Michaelis, Professor Emeritus San Francisco State University and Owner/Director of Children-Together.net. The papers were accessioned by The Strong under object ID 123.2475. The collection was received from William Michaelis in three boxes.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Games
- Games -- Social aspects
- Games -- Research
- Games -- Psychological Aspects
- Games -- United States
- Play -- History
- Play -- Social aspects
- New Games Foundation

Collection Inventory

Series I: Biographical, 1976-2020

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53182

Series Scope and Content Note

The Biographical series consists of articles written about Michaelis' books, programs, teaching and training, and general articles about his work. Some of the articles are in German. The folder titled "brochures" includes photocopies of pamphlets and fliers for the Cal Poly Pomona Explore '79 Enrichment program, a photocopy of the cover of The Alumni Association Challenge newsletter featuring a photograph of children from a summer enrichment program operated by Michaelis, a clipping from *Leisure Today* thanking Michaelis and others for conducting interviews, and a photocopy of a page from the *1999 Directory of Parent Educators* including information about Michaelis.

Of note is the color photocopy of the cover, table of contents, dedication page, foreward, and more from *How to Play with Kids* by Jim Therrell. *How to Play with Kids* is dedicated to William Michaelis. The series also includes reviews for books and movies written and produced by Michaelis.

This series is arranged alphabetically by format.

Title/Description	Instances
Articles - Books, 2003-2020, undated	box 1 folder 1

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53211		
Articles - Children Together, 1989-1995, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53212	box 1	folder 2
Articles - Teacher, 1988-2005 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53213	box 1	folder 3
Articles - General, 1981-2017, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53214	box 1	folder 4
Articles [German], 1986-2014 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53215	box 1	folder 5
Articles - Training, 1990, 1995 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53216	box 1	folder 6
Brochures, 1976-2000 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53217	box 1	folder 7
Dedication - <i>How to Play with Kids</i> [copy], 1989 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53218	box 1	folder 8
Reviews - Movies and books, 1998-2015 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53219	box 1	folder 9

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Series II: Writings, 1975-2015, undated

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53183

Series Scope and Content Note

This series contains articles written by William Michaelis for play associations and child care newsletters, periodicals, workbooks, and magazines. Of note is the article "The Impact of New Games: Then and Now," published in *Play & Playground* magazine. The article was authored by Michaelis to clarify the history and background of New Games Foundation. The articles are arranged chronologically by date.

Title/Description	Instances	
Bibliography, circa 2013 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53220	box 1	folder 10
"38 Ways to Use Play and Games", 1975 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53221	box 1	folder 11
"Humanistic Rationale for the Delivery of Parks and Recreation Services", 1976 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53222	box 1	folder 12
"Flow - New Games" New Games newsletter, Summer 1977	box 1	folder 13

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53223		
"It Power! A Game Detergent" New Games newsletter, Winter 1978	box 1	folder 14
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53224		
"Values in Adventure Play" AAPA newsletter, Spring 1979	box 1	folder 15
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53225		
"Adventure Playgrounds: A Healthy Affirmation..." <i>JOPER</i> , October 1979	box 1	folder 16
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53226		
"The Urban Play Community" New Games newsletter, 1979	box 1	folder 17
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53227		
"Fantasy, Play, Creativity, and Mental Health" National Rec & Park Association [NRPA] Symposium, 1986	box 1	folder 18
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53228		
"Children's Play Under Siege" <i>School Age Notes</i> , 1988	box 1	folder 19
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53229		
"It's Childs Play" <i>CSAC Review</i> , 1988	box 1	folder 20
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53230		
"Children Without Childhood in the Nineties", circa 1990s	box 1	folder 21
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53231		
"Challenging Teens of the Nineties Through Games...", circa 1990s	box 1	folder 22
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53232		
"The Case for Cooperative Play" <i>CSAC Review</i> , Fall 1990	box 1	folder 23
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53233		
"The Playful City" conference workbook, 1991	box 1	folder 24
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53234		
"The Case for Cooperative Play" <i>PlayRights</i> , 1991 March	box 1	folder 25
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53235		
"Wie War's mal mit Bewegungserfahrung..." <i>Gruppe & Spiel</i> [German], 2003 January	box 1	folder 26
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53236		
"The Impact of New Games: Then & Now" <i>Play & Playground</i> magazine, Winter 2015	box 1	folder 27
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53237		
"How I'd Like to Help as a Mentor" letter, undated	box 1	folder 28

[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53238](#)

"Family Leisure Education", undated	box 1	folder 29
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[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53239](#)

"Leisure Service Delivery Orientations", undated	box 1	folder 30
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[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53240](#)

"Glasnost Games? The Case for Cooperative Play", undated	box 1	folder 31
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[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53241](#)

"A Promise of Play as the Last Outpost of Civilization", undated	box 1	folder 32
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Series III: Presentations, 1978-2017, undated

[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53243](#)

Series Scope and Content Note

This series consists of materials used by Michaelis' during his over 2,000 presentations, keynote speeches, workshops, and college level courses. The series also includes the slides used in Michaelis' presentations. The documents consist of hand-outs, syllabi, assignments, and other course materials, printouts of PowerPoint presentations, articles, brochures, conference and keynote materials. Of note is the CAHPER conference - Elementary workshop materials folder. This conference was Michaelis' first major workshop.

The Presentation series is further divided into five subseries; Children-Together, Courses, Slides, Workshops, and Miscellaneous. More specific information about each subseries can be found in the Subseries Scope and Content Notes.

Subseries A: Children-Together, 2006, undated

[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53258](#)

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries documents Michaelis' presentations given for Children-Together. Children-Together was founded in 1974 by Bill Michaelis. Children-Together's mission was dedicated to "supporting and inspiring those who work for children, youth, and families with activity, leadership, management, communication, positive discipline, teambuilding, wellness, stress reduction, and conflict resolution tools." Together with his colleague, Ezra Holland, he delivered over 2,000 presentations and workshops. The workshops represented in this subseries include "Laugh and Level With Me," "Leadership Beyond the Basics," "Fundamentals of Play Leadership," and more.

The materials are comprised of informational packets, infographic printouts, reference sheets, game lists, and more. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by folder title.

Title/Description	Instances	
"Best of Cooperative Play - Adventure Initiative... materials, undated	box 1	folder 33

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53271		
"Can't Miss Activities for Older Kids" handout, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53272	box 1	folder 34
Informative packet, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53273	box 1	folder 35
"Fundamentals of Play Leadership" materials, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53274	box 1	folder 36
"Laugh and Level with Me: The Power of Play..." handouts, 2006 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53275	box 1	folder 37
"Laugh and Level with Me" workshop materials, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53276	box 1	folder 38
"Leadership Beyond the Basics" materials, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53277	box 1	folder 39
"Some Playful Teaching Activities and Principles" handouts, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53278	box 1	folder 40
Workshop handouts, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53279	box 1	folder 41

Subseries B: Courses, circa 1978-2002

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53259

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries consists of course syllabui, assignments, course descriptions, reference handouts, copies of articles, and other documents used to teach Michaelis' courses. The courses referenced in this subseries are Recreational Games, Developmental Play Process, Creative Games, and more. Of note are the reference handouts throughout that list many different games and activities, rules, and how-to's. Also of note is the cartoon essay "A Well Played Game" written by one of Michaelis' students in 1980.

The subseries is arranged by course number.

Title/Description	Instances	
REC160 - Alternative Rec Sports and Games, circa 1998 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53280	box 1	folder 42
REC222 - Recreational Games, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53281	box 1	folder 43
REC380 - A Well Played Game: A Cartoon Essay, 1980 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53282	box 1	folder 44
SFSU REC380 - Developmental Play Process, 2002	box 1	folder 45

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53283

REC380 - Developmental Play Processes, circa 2002	box 2	folder 1
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ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53284

REC560 - New Games - Adventure Games Training, undated	box 2	folder 2
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ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53285

PE141 - Creative Games, undated	box 2	folder 3
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ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53286

Subseries C: Slides, undated

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53260

Subseries Scope and Content Note

The slide subseries contains over 600 slides used by Dr. Michaelis during his career. The slides include quotes, cartoons, charts, photographs, and more. The slides were removed from the original binders and the original order was maintained.

Title/Description	Instances	
Presentations slides, circa 1991-2001 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53287	box 2	folder 4-7
Presentation slides, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53288	box 2	folder 8-11

Subseries D: Workshops, 1984-2017, undated

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53261

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries contains brochures, articles, programs, pamphlets, handouts, reference materials, and more for presentations, workshops, and keynote speeches, not related to Children Together or courses that Michaelis taught. Of note, in box three folder one, is conference materials for the CAHPER Conference - Elementary School workshop which was Michaelis' first major conference presentation. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by folder title.

Title/Description	Instances	
CAHPER Conference - Elementary School workshop materials, 1974 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53289	box 3	folder 1
City of Henderson Parks and Rec staff development training, 1995 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53290	box 3	folder 2
"Family Matters" workshop brochure, article, and program ideas, 1984, undated	box 3	folder 3

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53291		
"The Fundamentals of Play Leadership", 1999 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53292	box 3	folder 4
Group building handouts, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53293	box 3	folder 5
"Pacific Primary" workshop handouts, 1985 August ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53294	box 3	folder 6
"Play and Games for Learning" workshop, 1989-1990, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53295	box 3	folder 7
"Playful Teaching Practices" workshop presentation slide printout, 2017 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53296	box 3	folder 8
"Playful Teaching Practices" workshop materials, 2017 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53297	box 3	folder 9
"Power of Play in our Leadership Lives" handouts, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53298	box 3	folder 10
"Why Not Both" workshop materials, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53299	box 3	folder 11

Subseries E: Miscellaneous, 2002, undated

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53262

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries contains documents used during Michaelis' keynote speeches, "Learning Through the Eyes of a Child" and "Together is Better." It also includes training materials for Fun Fest and Adventure Games, two chapters [copies]; "Playing" and "Competition and Cooperation" from unknown publications, and conference materials from the "Fundamentals of Play Leadership" conference. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by folder title.

Title/Description	Instances	
Competition - Cooperation chapter, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53300	box 3	folder 12
Family Fun Fest training materials, 2002 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53301	box 3	folder 13
Fundamentals of Play Leadership Conference materials, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53302	box 3	folder 14
Learning Through the Eyes of the Child keynote materials, undated	box 3	folder 15

[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53303](#)

New Games - Adventure Games training materials, undated	box 3	folder 16
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[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53304](#)

"Playing" chapter, undated	box 3	folder 17
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[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53305](#)

"Together is Better" keynote materials, undated	box 3	folder 18
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Series IV: New Games Foundation, 1973-2017

[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53244](#)

Series Scope and Content Note

This series documents the history, administration, and programs of the New Games Foundation. The New Games Foundation conducted community play events in parks from the 1970s to the 1980s. The New Games Foundation encouraged cooperation and believed that winning or losing was not important but rather the process of play. The New Games Foundation held play events, training for other people to run events and referees, summer camps, festivals, tournaments, and more for all ages. Included in this series are training manuals, brochures, fliers, newsletters, newspaper clippings, catalogs, and more.

The series is further divided into six subseries; administrative, photographs, publicity, newsletters, programs, and training. More specific information can be found for each subseries in the Subseries Scope and Content Notes.

Subseries A: Administrative, 1974-2017

[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53263](#)

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries documents the administration of the New Games Foundation and its history. It includes annual reports, correspondence, job descriptions, meeting minutes, memos, and more. Of note is the Mayoral Proclamation awarded to New Games in 1975 and the Visitacion Valley Playground project.

The folder labeled "History" contains a promotional packet, Playground Professionals Encyclopedia printout for New Games, a timeline, newspaper articles about the beginning of New Games, a newsletter from 1975, and an article written by Michaelis about the history of New Games titled "The Impact of New Games: Then and Now" from 2015. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by format.

Title/Description	Instances	
Annual report, 1978	box 3	folder 19
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53307		
Board Meeting minutes, 1981-1982	box 3	folder 20

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53308		
Case Study - Responding to Trends, circa 1980 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53309	box 3	folder 21
Correspondence, 1980-1985 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53310	box 3	folder 22
Fundraising form letter, 1976 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53311	box 3	folder 23
History, 1974-2017 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53312	box 3	folder 24
Letters - Thank you, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53313	box 3	folder 25
List - Advisory Board Members, circa 1974 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53314	box 3	folder 26
Mayoral Proclamation, 1975 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53315	box 3	folder 27
Packet - Volunteer staff, circa 1982 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53316	box 3	folder 28
Registration form - Employer Appreciation Day, 1988 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53317	box 3	folder 29
Syllabus - Park and Recreation Administrators Institute conference, 1975 November ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53318	box 3	folder 30
Visitacion Valley project, 1975 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53319	box 3	folder 31

Subseries B: Newsletters, 1974-1995

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53264

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries consists of the New Games newsletter *Tundra Tropics*, including a reunion newsletter from 1995, early newsletters from 1974 to 1975 prior to the newsletter being named, and a newsletter from Las Vegas. The subseries is arranged chronologically.

Title/Description	Instances	
Newsletters, 1974-1975 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53320	box 3	folder 32
Vegas newsletter, 1977	box 3	folder 33

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53321

<i>Tundra Topics</i> , 1979-1981 March	box 3	folder 34
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ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53322

<i>Tundra Topics</i> , 1981 April-1983 December	box 3	folder 35
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ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53323

<i>Tundra Topics</i> , 1995	box 3	folder 36
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ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53324

Subseries C: Photographs, 1973-1988

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53265

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This small subseries contains black & white and color photographs or printouts of the New Games Festival in 1988 and other unlabeled events.

Title/Description	Instances	
"Classic pictures", 1973-1988 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53325	box 4	folder 1
New Games Festival, 1988 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53326	box 4	folder 2
Miscellaneous, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53327	box 4	folder 3

Subseries D: Programs, 1976-2015

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53266

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries consists of articles, fliers, photographs, programs, brochures, applications, descriptions, and more for the Family Fun Fest and other spin-off programs. This subseries is further divided into two sub-subseries; Family Fun Fest and Spin-off programs. More specific information can be found in the Sub-subseries Scope and Content Notes.

Title/Description	Instances	
Sub-subseries 1: Family Fun Fest, 1987-2015 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53269 Sub-subseries Scope and Content Note This sub-subseries consists of photographs, fliers, thank you letters, articles, programs, training certificates, and registration forms for the Family Fun Festivals in the 1980s and 1990s.		
Articles, 1989-2001, 2010-2012	box 4	folder 4

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53328		
"Family Fun Fest Celebrates 33 Years", 2015 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53329	box 4	folder 5
Fliers, 1993-2010, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53330	box 4	folder 6
Photographs, undated [circa 1990s] ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53331	box 4	folder 7
Programs, 1987-1998 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53332	box 4	folder 8
Thank you letters, 1993, 1995 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53333	box 4	folder 9
Training certificates, fliers, and registration forms, 1993-1997 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53334	box 4	folder 10

Sub-subseries 2: Spin-off programs, 1976-2014

[ID \[aspace uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53270](#)

Sub-subseries Scope and Content Note

This sub-subseries contains programs, brochures, registration forms, catalogs, applications, descriptions, fliers, and articles about the many spin-off programs that came from the New Games Movement. The programs represented in the sub-subseries are Children-Together, the Family That Plays Together, Interplay, Life Games, Play Company, Play Works, and Sports4Peace. Also included in this sub-subseries are book fliers.

Title/Description	Instances	
Articles, 1979-2016 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53335	box 4	folder 11
Book fliers, 1976, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53336	box 4	folder 12
Children-Together fliers, brochures, and website printout, 2001-2014, undated	box 4	folder 13

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53337		
Children-Together brochures, 2001-2003	box 4	folder 14
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53338		
The Family That Plays Together fliers and brochures, 1983-1985, undated	box 4	folder 15
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53339		
Fliers, 1984, 1992	box 4	folder 16
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53340		
Gamebuilders brochure and application, 2000	box 4	folder 17
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53341		
Game lists and descriptions, 1995-1999, undated	box 4	folder 18
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53342		
Games Fest flier and article, 1994	box 4	folder 19
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53343		
International brochures [German], 1984-2016	box 4	folder 20
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53344		
Interplay fliers and brochures, 1983, undated	box 4	folder 21
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53345		
Life Games Inc. informational packet, 1983	box 4	folder 22
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53346		
Penn State University Ph.Ed.224 syllabus [Ultimate Frisbee], 1987	box 4	folder 23
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53347		
Play Company fliers, 1983	box 4	folder 24
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53348		
Playworks brochures, undated	box 4	folder 25

[ID \[aspace_uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53349](#)

Sports4Peace brochure and article [German and English], 2007-2008 box 4 folder 26

[ID \[aspace_uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53350](#)

Sports for Everybody brochure, 1977 box 4 folder 27

[ID \[aspace_uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53351](#)

Subseries E: Publicity, 1973-2016

[ID \[aspace_uri\]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53267](#)

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries contains newspaper clippings, brochures, catalogs, fliers, and a press kit [incomplete]. The majority of the subseries is newspaper articles about New Games and its events. The newspaper clippings are arranged chronologically. The catalogs are for books and equipment and camps. Also included are brochures from the Employee Connection, Field Representative Program, and Friends of New Games. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by format.

Title/Description	Instances	
Articles, 1973-1976 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53352	box 5	folder 1
Articles, 1977-1979 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53353	box 5	folder 2
"No Victor, No Spoils" TIME magazine, 1978 September 11 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53354	box 5	folder 3
Articles, 1980-1988 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53355	box 5	folder 4
Articles, 2002-2016 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53356	box 5	folder 5
Articles, undated ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53357	box 5	folder 6
Brochure, undated [circa 1977] ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53358	box 5	folder 7
Brochures - Employee Connection, 1980 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53359	box 5	folder 8
Brochures - Field Representative Program, 1979	box 5	folder 9

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53360		
Brochures - Friends of New Games, 1979, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53361	box 5	folder 10
Brochure - "What is New Games", undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53362	box 5	folder 11
Catalogs - Books and equipment, 1976-1981, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53363	box 5	folder 12
Catalogs - Camps, 1979-1981 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53364	box 5	folder 13
Comic Book - <i>Dennis the Menace</i> , 1976 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53365	box 5	folder 14
Flier - 3rd New Games Tournament, 1975 May 1 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53366	box 5	folder 15
Fliers - New Games Festivals, 1977-1978 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53367	box 5	folder 16
Fliers - New Games Festivals, 1978, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53519	folder OS1	
Fliers - New Games Tournaments, 1974-1976 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53520	folder OS2	
Fliers - New Games Tournaments, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53368	box 5	folder 17
Flier - Whole Earth Jamboree, 1978 August 26-27 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53369	box 5	folder 18
Newspaper - <i>The Whole Earth Ball and Other New Games</i> , Spring 1975 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53521	folder OS1	item 1
Newspaper - <i>New Games and Tournaments for Classroom Earth</i> , undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53522	folder OS1	item 2
Press kit [incomplete], undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53370	box 5	folder 19

Subseries F: Training, 1974-2002

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53268

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries documents the training programs at New Games and includes game rules, training manuals, schedules, fliers, catalogs, and workshops. Of note in this subseries are the New Games training manuals and the New Games Leadership Training booklets. The admin and training binder folder is comprised of financial reports, sign-out sheets, press releases, order forms, policies, site coordinator checklists, training guides, newsletters, blank forms, correspondence, memos, and expense reports. This subseries is arranged alphabetically by folder title.

Title/Description	Instances	
Admin and training binder, 1975-1980 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53371	box 5	folder 20-22
Annual summer in-service training, 1997 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53372	box 5	folder 23
Evaluation forms [blank], 1979-1980 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53373	box 5	folder 24
Festival organizing for site coordinators, undated [circa 1980s] ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53374	box 5	folder 25
Fliers, catalogs, and schedules, 1975-1981 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53375	box 6	folder 1
Game rules, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53376	box 6	folder 2
Group training program informational packets, circa 1977-1982 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53377	box 6	folder 3
New Games Leadership training, 2001 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53378	box 6	folder 4
Registration packets, 1978-1981, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53379	box 6	folder 5
Schedule catalogs, 1979-1982 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53380	box 6	folder 6
Training manual, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53381	box 6	folder 7
Training manual, 1977 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53382	box 6	folder 8
Workshops, 1974-2002	box 6	folder 9

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53383

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Series V: Playgrounds, 1969-2015

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53245

Series Scope and Content Note

This series consists of documents related to playground safety, design, reports, newspaper articles, and playground associations and includes play association newsletters, conference materials, and more. The playground associations represented in this series are the American Adventure Playground Association [AAPA], Play for All [PLAE], and the American Association for Leisure and Recreation.

The subseries "Articles" contains articles from newspapers, magazines, and journals about adventure playgrounds, playground rules, and general articles about playgrounds. The Playground Safety subseries documents the changes in playground safety measures from the 1980s until the 2000s and includes safety handbooks, articles, inspection and safety checklists, and brochures and publications by the National Program for Playground Safety.

Subseries A: Playground associations, 1979-1994

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53253

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries is comprised of brochures, correspondence, newsletters, proposals, and workbooks for the American Adventure Playground Association, Play for All, and the American Association for Leisure and Recreation. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by association name.

Title/Description	Instances	
American Adventure Play Association [AAPA], 1979-1980 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53384	box 6	folder 10
AAPA brochures and resignation letter, 1979, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53385	box 6	folder 11
AAPA newsletters, 1979 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53386	box 6	folder 12
"Proposal for AAPA Oakland Training and Technical Assistance Program", 1979 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53387	box 6	folder 13
American Association for Leisure and Recreation letter, 1990 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53388	box 6	folder 14
Play for All [PLAE] guidelines workbook, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53389	box 6	folder 15
PLAE internship booklet, 1986	box 6	folder 16

ID [[aspace_uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53390

PLAE newsletters, 1986-1988	box 6	folder 17
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ID [[aspace_uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53391

Newsletters, 1988, 1993-1994	box 6	folder 18
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ID [[aspace_uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53392

Subseries B: Articles, 1973-2015

ID [[aspace_uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53254

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries consists of articles from newspapers, magazines, and journals about adventure playgrounds, playground environments, and playground rules. The majority of the articles are on the topic of adventure playgrounds from the 1970s to the late 1980s. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by article title with the general articles on playgrounds and adventure playgrounds filed at the end of the subseries.

Title/Description	Instances	
"Adventure Play Values" Ross Yaeger, undated ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53393	box 6	folder 19
"Adventure Playgrounds: A Healthy Affirmation of the Rights of the Child" Bill Michaelis, 1979 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53394	box 6	folder 20
"C'mon Let's Play" Playground Environments Int., undated ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53395	box 6	folder 21
"Creating Relevant Playgrounds in a Tech-Driven World", 2015 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53396	box 6	folder 22
"Law and Order on the Playground", 1976 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53397	box 6	folder 23
"Noah's Park" Gertrude Blanchard, 1973 ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53398	box 6	folder 24
Adventure playgrounds, 1978-1988, undated ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53399	box 6	folder 25
General, 1986-1994, undated ID [aspace_uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53400	box 6	folder 26

Subseries C: Design and development, 1969-2001

ID [[aspace_uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53255

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries consists of guides and guidelines for developing adventure playgrounds and playgrounds for all. It also includes articles on playground development and designs, and an architectural research and behaviors planning booklet. The materials are dated from 1969 to 2001, with the majority dated in the 1970s. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by folder title.

Title/Description	Instances	
Articles, 1969-2001 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53401	box 7	folder 1
"Guide to the Development of Adventure Playgrounds", 1976 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53402	box 7	folder 2
Mahan & Associates Architectural Research & Behaviors planning booklet, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53403	box 7	folder 3
"Playgrounds for All Children: Developing Design & Management Guidelines...", 1986 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53404	box 7	folder 4

Subseries D: Reports, 1978-1986

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53256

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This small subseries contains three reports; "Play for All: A Project of PLAE," Project WEY [Washington Environmental Yard] booklet and report, and a US Adventure Playground report. The folders are organized alphabetically by title.

Title/Description	Instances	
"Play for All: A Project of PLAE" report, circa 1986 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53405	box 7	folder 5
Project WEY [Washington Environmental Yard] booklet and report, 1981, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53406	box 7	folder 6
"US Adventure Playground Report", 1978 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53407	box 7	folder 7

Subseries E: Safety, 1985-2000

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53257

Subseries Scope and Content Note

The Safety subseries documents the changes in playground safety from the 1980s to the 2000s. It includes safety handbooks, checklists, conference materials, and newspaper, journal, and magazine

articles on playground safety. Of note are the brochures and publications from the National Program for Playground Safety.

Title/Description	Instances	
Articles, 1985-2000, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53408	box 7	folder 8
"Fair Play for Children - Safety checklist", 1981 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53409	box 7	folder 9
National Program for Playground Safety brochures and publications, 1997, 2000 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53410	box 7	folder 10
Playground inspection checklist, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53411	box 7	folder 11
Playground safety handbooks, 1990-1991 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53412	box 7	folder 12
"Playground Safety Instructions: An Abstract", 1990 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53413	box 7	folder 13
Public playground safety conference materials, 1992 March 6 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53414	box 7	folder 14

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Series VI: Reference, 1950-2019

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53246

Series Scope and Content Note

This series represents articles, brochures, and other informational materials used by Michaelis for presentations, courses, articles, and general information gathering. The series includes leadership manuals, international articles, and covers the study of play, toys, youth sports and coaching, and other topics.

Subseries A: Leadership manuals, 1971-2003

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53247

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries contains leadership manuals, with the majority of materials representing games, rules, descriptions, and instructions. The subseries is arranged alphabetically by folder title.

Title/Description	Instances	
"Active Recreation: Games, Dances, and Modified Sports", 2003	box 7	folder 15

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53415		
"Annual Relays" Book of hand-me-down games, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53416	box 7	folder 16
"Cooperative Games Leadership Issues", undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53417	box 7	folder 17
"Games" LA Department of Parks and Recreation, 1974 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53418	box 7	folder 18
"Games, Games, and More Games" Groomes, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53419	box 7	folder 19
"Games to Play with Kids", undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53420	box 7	folder 20
"Global Games: Overview of Multicultural Program Enhancement", 1999 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53421	box 7	folder 21
"The Hall of Fame Games", undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53422	box 7	folder 22
"Helping Students Design Their Own Games", undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53423	box 7	folder 23
"New Games Descriptions and Outcomes" Jack Foley, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53424	box 7	folder 24
<i>PlayRights</i> vol. XXIII, no. 3, p. 13-14, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53425	box 7	folder 25
"Play to Learn.. For Both Children and Adults", undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53426	box 7	folder 26
Richmond YMCA, Spring 2001 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53427	box 7	folder 27
"Smoggy Day Activities", Summer 1971 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53428	box 7	folder 28

Subseries B: International, 1999-2017

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53248

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries contains reference materials related to play and games outside of the United States and includes articles in German and the small book, *Empower Youth for Europe: Learning Through Active Involvement*.

Title/Description	Instances	
"Empower Youth for Europe: Learning Through Active Involvement" book, 2001 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53429	box 7	folder 29
International play articles, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53430	box 8	folder 1
Articles - International [German], 1999-2017 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53431	box 8	folder 2

Subseries C: Play, 1970-2016

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53249

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries consists of articles, brochures, pamphlets, newsletters, cartoons, and quotes related to play, the study of play, and play resources. Of note are the three folders; box eight, folders six through eight, of comic strips of play. These were used in presentations, course materials, and conference documents by Michaelis.

Title/Description	Instances	
Alliance for Childhood brochure, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53432	box 8	folder 3
"An Appetite for Living" Mauriras-Bousquet, circa 1984 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53433	box 8	folder 4
"The Art and Science of Play", 2012 April ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53434	box 8	folder 5
Cartoons, 1970-1989 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53435	box 8	folder 6
Cartoons, 1990-2003 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53436	box 8	folder 7
Cartoons, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53437	box 8	folder 8
"The Child" from Play and Interplay, 1985 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53438	box 8	folder 9
"Development Benefits of Play for Children" Lynn A. Barnett, 1990	box 8	folder 10

ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53439		
"Environmental Constraints on Children's Play" Barnett and Mary Jo Kane, 1985	box 8	folder 11
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53440		
<i>Free Play: Improvisation in Life and Art</i> book brochure, 1990	box 8	folder 12
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53441		
"Individual Constraints on Children's Play" Barnett and Kane, 1985	box 8	folder 13
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53442		
Inspirational play quotes [Spanish and English], 1975-2002, undated	box 8	folder 14
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53443		
"Kids and Play", 1984	box 8	folder 15
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53444		
The Play Movement Organization mission, undated	box 8	folder 16
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53445		
"Play On, and Beyond, Spaceship Earth" John J. Bullaro [annotated], 1982	box 8	folder 17
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53446		
"Play Policy in Clydesdale, Scotland" <i>PlayRights</i> , vol. XVII, no. 1, 1995 March	box 8	folder 18
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53447		
"Play Times" newsletter, 1997 November	box 8	folder 19
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53448		
"Playing and Knowing" Benjamin Kline Hunnicut, 1985	box 8	folder 20
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53449		
"Playing for Keeps", 2009 December	box 8	folder 21
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53450		
"Playing, Living, Learning", circa 1982	box 8	folder 22
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53451		
<i>PlayRights</i> , vol. XIV, no. 1, 1996 March	box 8	folder 23
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53452		
"Play's the Thing", circa 1971	box 8	folder 24
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53453		
"Power of Play" pamphlet, undated	box 8	folder 25

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53454

"Recreation and Leisure: Issues in an Era of Change" Goodale and Witt, 1985	box 8	folder 26
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53455		
"Sustainable Play: Towards a New Game Movement...", 2012	box 8	folder 27
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53456		
"Taking Play Seriously", 2008 February 17	box 8	folder 28
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53457		
The Association for the Study of Play [TASP] newsletter, Fall 1996	box 8	folder 29
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53458		
"What Has Happened to Play", 2016	box 8	folder 30
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53459		

Subseries D: Toys, 1983-1992

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53250

Subseries Scope and Content Note

The majority of materials in the Toys subseries focuses on the Lekotek Toy Library and includes brochures, newsletters, correspondence, and pamphlets. The remainder of the subseries consists of general toy correspondence, information on safe toys, a toy library directory, and an article written by Brian Sutton-Smith, "War Toys and Childhood Aggression."

Title/Description	Instances	
Correspondence, 1991	box 8	folder 31
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53469		
Lekotek toy library correspondence, 1990 April 10	box 8	folder 32
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53470		
Lekotek toy library articles, 1986-1988, undated	box 8	folder 33
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53471		
Lekotek toy library newsletters, 1990, 1992	box 8	folder 34
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53472		
Lekotek toy library pamphlets and brochures, 1989, undated	box 8	folder 35
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53473		
Toy library directory, 1989	box 8	folder 36
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53474		
Safe toy brochures, 1983, 1985	box 8	folder 37

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53475

"War Toys and Childhood Aggression" Brian Sutton-Smith, 1988 box 8 folder 38

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53476

Subseries E: Youth sports, 1969-2019

ID [[aspace uri](#)]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53251

Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries contains articles, brochures, pamphlets, newsletters, and more about youth sports, coaching, and youth sports organizations. Of note are the brochures, articles, newsletters, and more from the Youth Sports Institute. The materials are dated from about 1969 to 2019, with the bulk of the materials from the 1980s to the 1990s.

Title/Description	Instances	
American Coaching Effectiveness Program catalogs, 1983, 1993	box 9	folder 1
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53486		
"Beyond Competition: Impact of the Sports4Peace Program", 2019	box 9	folder 2
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53487		
Child Centered Coaching newsletters and brochure, 1992-1993	box 9	folder 3
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53488		
"Four Play Codes for Children in Sports" booklet, 1979	box 9	folder 4
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53489		
Articles, 1969-2004, undated	box 9	folder 5
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53490		
Youth sport coaches newsletter "Sports Line", 1980 July-August	box 9	folder 6
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53491		
Youth sports coaching programs, undated	box 9	folder 7
ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53492		
Youth Sports Institute newsletters, brochures, and pamphlets, 1980, 1996, undated	box 9	folder 8
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Subseries F: Miscellaneous, 1950-2011

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Subseries Scope and Content Note

This subseries is comprised of articles, guides and reports, catalogs, brochures, annual reports, conference and seminar descriptions, and more on parenting, humor, PLAE, Habitot, literacy, games, competition, and urban recreational trends.

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"A Crash Course in the Language of Wolves", 2002 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53494	box 9	folder 9
"Darwin Revisited", 1992 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53495	box 9	folder 10
"Don't Be Adultish", 1977 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53496	box 9	folder 11
"The Dimensions of Games" F. Redl, P. Gump, B Sutton-Smith, 1971 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53497	box 9	folder 12
"Issues and Trends in Urban Recreation & Play Environments", 1977 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53498	box 9	folder 13
"Literacy in the Preschool Years" [contains DVD], 2010 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53499	box 9	folder 14
"Programming for Peace", 1986 March ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53500	box 9	folder 15
"Structural Elements of Games" E.M. Avedon, 1981 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53501	box 9	folder 16
Articles - Competition, 1976, 1983 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53502	box 9	folder 17
Articles - Humor, 1990, 1993 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53503	box 9	folder 18
Articles - Parenting, 2006-2011, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53504	box 9	folder 19
Articles, 2006, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53505	box 9	folder 20
Book excerpts, 1950-1982, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53506	box 9	folder 21
Conference brochures, workbooks, and seminar descriptions, 1990, 2008, undated	box 9	folder 22

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Habitot brochures, annual report, and events, 2006 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53508	box 9	folder 23
PLAE summer program catalogs, 1985-1986 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53509	box 9	folder 24
Guides and reports, 1986-2009 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53510	box 9	folder 25

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Series VII: Audiovisual, 1997-2013

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Series Scope and Content Note

This series is comprised of printouts of DVD inserts and brochures, and DVDs. Of note is the 50 minute DVD of *Can't Miss Games and Activities for Youth Development* created by Bill Michaelis and Children-Together. This video includes tools for educators and group leaders for cooperative team building and low key competitive games. Also in this subseries are two documentaries; *Promise of Play* and *Where Do the Children Play*.

Title/Description	Instances	
DVD inserts and brochures, 1997-2003, undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53512	box 9	folder 26
<i>Fun, Fast, & Easy Activities</i> DVD [run time 00:30:00], undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53513	box 10	object 1
<i>Facilitating Playfulness and Cooperative Interaction SFSU</i> DVD [run time 00:32:00], undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53514	box 10	object 2
<i>The Promise of Play - Part 1 & 2</i> DVD [run time 02:00:00], undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53515	box 10	object 3
<i>The Promise of Play Part 3</i> DVD [run time 00:60:00], undated ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53516	box 10	object 4
<i>Where Do the Children Play?</i> DVD, 2007 ID [aspace uri]: /repositories/3/archival_objects/53517	box 10	object 5
<i>Can't Miss Games and Activities for Youth Development</i> DVD [run time 00:50:00], 2013	box 10	object 6

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