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## **Lesbian Oral Histories collection**

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## **Summary information**

**Repository:** Dalhousie University Archives

**Title:** Lesbian Oral Histories collection

**Reference code:** MS-15-26

**Date:** 2021-2022 (date of creation)

Language: English

**Physical description:** 20 transcripts : 227 pages

12 sound recordings 5 video recordings

## **Scope and content**

Collection contains oral history recordings and transcripts collected as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors Archive's Lesbian Oral History Project [LOHP]. LOHP was a project funded by the Department of Communities, Culture, and Heritage's Strategic Development Initiative to supplement available archival materials related to LGBT seniors in Nova Scotia.

#### **Notes**

#### Title notes

#### Other notes

• **Publication status**: Published

• Level of detail: Full

Status description: Final

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)

- Video recordings (documentary form)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## **Collection holdings**

## File: Interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell

Date: 24 February 2022 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains an audio recording and transcript of an interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell. Bishop and Morrell discuss their interactions with the LGBT community and organizations in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Ontario; their political activism; and navigating communal living in Pictou County in the 1980s. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on February 24th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 20 pages

1 sound recording (1 hr., 5 min., 15 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-29/1 - Interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell

Title: Interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell

Reference code: 2022-09-29/1

Date: 24 February 2022 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a sound recording of an interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell. Bishop and Morrell discuss their interactions with the LGBT community and organizations in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Ontario; their political activism; and navigating communal living in Pictou County in the 1980s. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on February 24th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (1 hr., 5 min., 15 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-29/2 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-29/2 - Transcript of interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell

<u>Title</u>: Transcript of interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell

Reference code: 2022-09-29/2

Date: 24 February 2022 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Anne Bishop and Jan Morrell. Bishop and Morrell discuss their interactions with the LGBT community and organizations in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Ontario; their political activism; and navigating communal living in Pictou County in the 1980s. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on February 24th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 20 pages

#### Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-29/1 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Bernadette MacDonald

Title: Interview with Bernadette MacDonald

Date: 23 January 2022 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a video recording and transcript of an interview with Bernadette MacDonald. MacDonald discusses her experiences travelling abroad before settling in rural Nova Scotia; her participation in LGBT events in Halifax, Pictou County, and the North Shore in the 1980s -1990s; her work in women's crisis centres; and the differences between urban and rural LGBT experiences. The interview was conducted by Oscar Campbell on January 23, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 21 pages

1 video recording (1 hr., 16 minutes., 5 sec.): mp3

#### Language of the material:

**English** 

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)

- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/1 - Transcript of interview with Bernadette MacDonald

Title: Transcript of interview with Bernadette MacDonald

Reference code: 2022-09-15/1

Date: 23 January 2022 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Bernadette MacDonald. MacDonald discusses her experiences travelling abroad before settling in rural Nova Scotia; her participation in LGBT events in Halifax, Pictou County, and the North Shore in the 1980s - 1990s; her work in women's crisis centres; and the differences between urban and rural LGBT experiences. The interview was conducted by Oscar Campbell on January 23, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 21 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/1 for a video recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/2 - Interview with Bernadette MacDonald

Title: Interview with Bernadette MacDonald

Reference code: 2022-09-15/2

Date: 23 January 2022 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a video recording of an interview with Bernadette MacDonald. MacDonald discusses her experiences travelling abroad before settling in rural Nova Scotia; her participation in LGBT events in Halifax, Pictou County, and the North Shore in the 1980s -1990s; her work in women's crisis centres; and the differences between urban and rural LGBT experiences. The interview was conducted by Oscar Campbell on January 23, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

<u>Physical description</u>: 1 video recording (1 hr., 16 min., 5 sec.): mp4

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/1 for a transcript of this interview.

**Publication status:** 

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Video recordings (documentary form)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Carol Millett

Title: Interview with Carol Millett

Date: 7 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview with Carol Millett. Millett discusses her attendance at LGBT dances and social events in Halifax, her coming out story, and her experiences with homophobia in the workplace. The interview was conducted by Joseph Lahey on December 7th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 10 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/3 - Transcript of interview with Carol Millet

Title: Transcript of interview with Carol Millet

Reference code: 2022-09-15/3

Date: 7 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Carol Millett. Millett discusses her attendance at LGBT dances and social events in Halifax, her coming out story, and her experiences with homophobia in the workplace. The interview was conducted by Joseph Lahey on December 7th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 10 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Publication status:

Published

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## File: Interview with Christina Toplack

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Christina Toplack

Date: 14 January 2022 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and video recording of an interview with Christina Toplack. Toplack discusses her involvement with the women's movement and LGBT organizations Halifax and the Annapolis Valley during the 1980s and 1990s, as well as her journey towards understanding her sexuality. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on January 14th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 15 pages

1 video recording (1 hr., 2 min., 55 sec.): mp4

Language of the material:

**English** 

**Publication status:** 

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)

## Item: 2022-09-15/4 - Transcript of interview with Christina Toplack

<u>Title</u>: Transcript of interview with Christina Toplack

Reference code: 2022-09-15/4

Date: January 14th 2022 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Item is transcript of an interview with Christina Toplack. Toplack discusses her involvement with the women's movement and LGBT organizations Halifax and the Annapolis Valley during the 1980s and 1990s, as well as her journey towards understanding her sexuality. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on January 14th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 15 pages

Language of the material:

**English** 

Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/5 for a video recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### Item: 2022-09-15/5 - Interview with Christina Toplack

Title: Interview with Christina Toplack

Reference code: 2022-09-15/5

Date: 14 January 2022 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a video recording of an interview with Christina Toplack. Toplack discusses her involvement with the women's movement and LGBT organizations Halifax and the Annapolis Valley during the 1980s and 1990s, as well as her journey towards understanding her sexuality. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on January 14th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 video recording (1 hr., 2 min., 55 sec.): mp4

#### Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/4 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Video recordings (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)

- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Diane Walsh

Title: Interview with Diane Walsh

Date: 3 November 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a sound recording and transcript of an interview with Diane Walsh. Walsh discusses reckoning with sexuality coming from a Catholic background, her relationships with women, and her experiences working in adult education as an out lesbian. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on November 3, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 11 pages

1 sound recording (43 min., 55 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### Item: 2022-09-15/6 - Interview with Diane Walsh

Title: Interview with Diane Walsh

Reference code: 2022-09-15/6

Date: 3 November 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Item is a sound recording of an interview with Diane Walsh. Walsh discusses reckoning with sexuality coming from a Catholic background, her relationships with women, and her experiences

working in adult education as an out lesbian. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on November 3, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (43 min., 55 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/7 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

Published

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/7 - Transcript of interview with Diane Walsh

Title: Transcript of interview with Diane Walsh

Reference code: 2022-09-15/7

Date: 3 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Diane Walsh. Walsh discusses reckoning with sexuality coming from a Catholic background, her relationships with women, and her experiences working in adult education as an out lesbian. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on November 3, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 11 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/6 for a sound recording of this interview.

### Publication status:

#### **Published**

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## File: Interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler

Title: Interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler

Date: 8 January 2022 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and video recording of an interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler. Walmbolt and Butler discuss their relationship and marriage, their experiences as out lesbians in Cape Breton, and their families' reactions to their sexuality. The interview was conducted by Joseph Lahey on January 8th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 17 pages

1 video recording (32 min., 10 sec.): mp4

Language of the material:

English

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Video recordings (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/9 - Transcript of interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler

Title: Transcript of interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler

Reference code: 2022-09-15/9

Date: 8 January 2022 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler. Walmbolt and Butler discuss their relationship and marriage, their experiences as out lesbians in Cape Breton, and their families' reactions to their sexuality. The interview was conducted by Joseph Lahey on January 8th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 17 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/8 for a video recording of this interview.

#### <u>Publication status</u>:

Published

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/8 - Interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler

Title: Interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler

Reference code: 2022-09-15/8

Date: 8 January 2022 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Item is a video recording of an interview with Fay Wambolt and Catherine Butler. Walmbolt and Butler discuss their relationship and marriage, their experiences as out lesbians in Cape Breton, and their families' reactions to their sexuality. The interview was conducted by Joseph Lahey on

January 8th, 2022 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 video recording (32 min., 10 sec.): mp4

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See 2022-09-15/9 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Video recordings (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Jane Wills

Title: Interview with Jane Wills

<u>Date</u>: 29 November 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and video recording of an interview with Jane Wills. Wills discusses her experiences as a nursing officer in the military, her travels across North American, her involvement with Metropolitan Community Churches, her relationships with women, and her choice to settle in Wolfville. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on November 29, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 17 pages

1 video recording (42 min., 01 sec.): mp4

Language of the material:

**English** 

Publication status:

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Video recordings (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/10 - Transcript of interview with Jane Wills

Title: Transcript of interview with Jane Wills

Reference code: 2022-09-15/10

Date: 29 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Jane Wills. Wills discusses her experiences as a nursing officer in the military, her travels across North American, her involvement with Metropolitan Community Churches, her relationships with women, and her choice to settle in Wolfville. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on November 29, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 15 pages

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/11 for a video recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### Item: 2022-09-15/11 - Interview with Jane Wills

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Jane Wills Reference code: 2022-09-15/11

Date: 29 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a video recording of an interview with Jane Wills. Wills discusses her experiences as a nursing officer in the military, her travels across North American, her involvement with Metropolitan Community Churches, her relationships with women, and her choice to settle in Wolfville. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on November 29, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 video recording (42 min., 01 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/10 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

Published

#### Access points:

- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Video recordings (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Joan MacLeod

Title: Interview with Joan MacLeod

Date: 10 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview with Joan MacLeod. MacLeod discusses her European travels and time living in the UK, her significant romantic relationships, and her interactions with LGBT events and organizations in Pictou Country and other parts of rural Nova

Scotia. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on December 10th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 21 pages

1 sound recording (58 min., 37 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Note [generalNote]:

Transcript incorrectly states the date of interview at 2022-12-10. Interview was conducted on 2021-12-10.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### Item: 2022-09-15/12 - Interview with Joan MacLeod

Title: Interview with Joan MacLeod

Reference code: 2022-09-15/12

Date: 10 December 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a sound recording of an interview with Joan MacLeod. MacLeod discusses her European travels and time living in the UK, her significant romantic relationships, and her interactions with LGBT events and organizations in Pictou Country and other parts of rural Nova Scotia. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on December 10th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (58 min., 37 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/13 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

### Item: 2022-09-15/13 - Transcript of interview with Joan MacLeod

Title: Transcript of interview with Joan MacLeod

Reference code: 2022-09-15/13

Date: 10 December 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Joan MacLeod. MacLeod discusses her European travels and time living in the UK, her significant romantic relationships, and her interactions with LGBT events and organizations in Pictou Country and other parts of rural Nova Scotia. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on December 10th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 21 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Note [generalNote]:

Transcript incorrectly states the date of interview at 2022-12-10. Interview was conducted on 2021-12-10.

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/12 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Karen Lorraine

Title: Interview with Karen Lorraine

Date: 3 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview with Karen Lorraine. Lorraine discusses her experience with discrimination in the military, her attendance at LGBT bars and social events in Halifax, her understanding of her gender and sexuality, her romantic relationships with men and women. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on December 3rd, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 13 pages of textual records

1 sound recording (48 min., 35 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### **Publication status:**

Published

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### Item: 2022-09-15/14 - Interview with Karen Lorraine

Title: Interview with Karen Lorraine

Reference code: 2022-09-15/14

Date: 3 December 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a sound recording of an interview with Karen Lorraine. Lorraine discusses her experience with discrimination in the military, her attendance at LGBT bars and social events in Halifax, her understanding of her gender and sexuality, her romantic relationships with men and women. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on December 3rd, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (48 min., 35 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

Item 2022-09-15/15 is a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/15 - Transcript of interview with Karen Lorraine

Title: Transcript of interview with Karen Lorraine

Reference code: 2022-09-15/15

Date: 3 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Karen Lorraine. Lorraine discusses her experience with discrimination in the military, her attendance at LGBT bars and social events in Halifax, her understanding of her gender and sexuality, her romantic relationships with men and women. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on December 3rd, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 13 pages

Language of the material:

#### **English**

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/14 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### <u>Publication status</u>:

Published

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## File: Interview with Lynette Richards

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Lynette Richards

<u>Date</u>: 13 October 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains an audio recording and transcript of an interview with Lynette Richards. Richards discusses her experience coming out as a lesbian, moving to Nova Scotia, working as a self-employed stained-glass restoration and repair person, and connecting with the gay and lesbian communities in Nova Scotia. The interview was conducted by Liz Fitting on October 13, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 5 pages

1 sound recording (19 min., 18 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)

LGBTQ (subject)

## Item: 2022-08-11/4 - Interview with Lynette Richards

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Lynette Richards

Reference code: 2022-08-11/4

Date: 13 October 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is an audio recording of an interview with Lynnette Richards. Richards discusses her experience coming out as a lesbian, moving to Nova Scotia, working as a self-employed stained-glass restoration and repair person, and connecting with the gay and lesbian communities in Nova Scotia. The interview was conducted by Liz Fitting on October 13, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (19 min., 18 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-08-11/5 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- LGBTQ (subject)

## Item: 2022-08-11/5 - Transcript of interview with Lynette Richards

Title: Transcript of interview with Lynette Richards

Reference code: 2022-08-11/5

Date: 13 October 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Lynnette Richards. Richards discusses her experience coming out as a lesbian, moving to Nova Scotia, working as a self-employed stained-glass restoration and repair person, and connecting with the gay and lesbian communities in Nova

Scotia. The interview was conducted by Liz Fitting on October 13, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project. Rachel Moore prepared the transcript.

Physical description: 5 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-08-11/4 for an audio recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

Published

#### Access points:

• Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)

## File: Interview with Lynn Jones

**Title**: Interview with Lynn Jones

Date: 30 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview with Lynn Jones. Jones discusses her relationship with former partner, L; living in Edmonton, Vancouver, and Montreal before moving to Nova Scotia; her experience conceiving a child via artificial insemination; and her experiences with blackmail and discrimination. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on November 30th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 12 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Note [generalNote]:

Transcript incorrectly states the date of interview as 2022-11-30. Interview was conducted 2021-11-30.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/16 - Transcript of interview with Lynn Jones

<u>Title</u>: Transcript of interview with Lynn Jones

Reference code: 2022-09-15/16

Date: 30 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Lynn Jones. Jones discusses her relationship with former partner, L; living in Edmonton, Vancouver, and Montreal before moving to Nova Scotia; her experience conceiving a child via artificial insemination; and her experiences with blackmail and discrimination. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on November 30th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 12 pages of textual records

Language of the material:

English

#### Note [generalNote]:

Transcript incorrectly states the date of interview as 2022-11-30. Interview was conducted 2021-11-30.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## File: Interview with Nancy Jardine and Vicki Froats

Title: Interview with Nancy Jardine and Vicki Froats

Date: 10 December 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview with Nancy Jardine and Vicki Froats. Jardine and Froats discuss their 25-year relationship, their attendance at LGBT spaces and events in Halifax, and their experiences coming out. The interview was conducted by Bronwyn Lee on December 10th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 24 pages

1 sound recording (50 min., 09 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]:

Transcript incorrectly lists date of interview as 2022-12-10. Interview was recorded 2021-12-10.

#### **Publication status:**

Published

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/17 - Interview with Nancy Jardine and Vicki Froats

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Nancy Jardine and Vicki Froats

Reference code: 2022-09-15/17

Date: 10 December 2021 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 sound recording (50 min., 09 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

Note [generalNote]:

Transcript incorrectly states the date of interview as 2022-12-10. Interview was conducted 2021-12-10.

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/18 for a transcript of this interview.

#### Publication status:

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### Item: 2022-09-15/18 - Transcript of interview with Nancy Jardine and Vicki Froats

Title: Transcript of interview with Nancy Jardine and Vicki Froats

Reference code: 2022-09-15/18

Date: 10 December 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a sound recording of an interview with Nancy Jardine and Vicki Froats. Jardine and Froats discuss their 25-year relationship, their attendance at LGBT spaces and events in Halifax, and their experiences coming out. The interview was conducted by Bronwyn Lee on December 10th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 24 pages

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/17 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### Publication status:

Published

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Pamela Pahl

Title: Interview with Pamela Pahl

Date: 26 November 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview with Pamela Pahl. Pahl discusses coming to terms with her sexuality in Brandon, Manitoba, before moving to Nova Scotia; her experiences in the military; and experiences with Pride Parades, music festivals, and LGBT groups. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on November 26th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 13 pages

1 sound recording (48 min., 44 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

Item: 2022-09-15/19 - Interview with Pamela Pahl

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Pamela Pahl Reference code: 2022-09-15/19

Date: 26 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a sound recording of an interview with Pamela Pahl. Pahl discusses coming to terms with her sexuality in Brandon, Manitoba, before moving to Nova Scotia; her experiences in the military; and experiences with Pride Parades, music festivals, and LGBT groups. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on November 26th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (48 min., 44 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/20 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

Item: 2022-09-15/20 - Transcript of interview with Pamela Pahl

Title: Transcript of interview with Pamela Pahl

Reference code: 2022-09-15/20

Date: 26 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

Item is a transcript of an interview with Pamela Pahl. Pahl discusses coming to terms with her sexuality in Brandon, Manitoba, before moving to Nova Scotia; her experiences in the military; and experiences with Pride Parades, music festivals, and LGBT groups. The interview was conducted by Elizabeth Fitting on November 26th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 13 pages

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/19 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Paula Arsenault

Title: Interview with Paula Arsenault

Date: 11 December 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview with Paula Arsenault. Arsenault discusses how she came to understand her sexuality, her experiences with psychiatric treatment in the 1980s, involvement with the Lesbian Gay and Bisexual Conference in early 1990s, and her interactions with feminist organizations in Pictou County and Halifax. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on December 11, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 19 pages

1 sound recording (59 min., 56 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### **Publication status:**

Published

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)

- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

Item: 2022-09-15/21 - Interview with Paula Arsenault

Title: Interview with Paula Arsenault

Reference code: 2022-09-15/21

Date: 11 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a sound recording of an interview with Paula Arsenault. Arsenault discusses how she came to understand her sexuality, her experiences with psychiatric treatment in the 1980s, her involvement with the Lesbian Gay and Bisexual Conference in early 1990s, and her interactions with feminist organizations in Pictou County and Halifax. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on December 11, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (59 min., 56 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/22 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/22 - Transcript of interview with Paula Arsenault

Title: Transcript of interview with Paula Arsenault

Reference code: 2022-09-15/22

Date: 11 December 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview with Paula Arsenault. Arsenault discusses how she came to understand her sexuality, her experiences with psychiatric treatment in the 1980s, involvement with the Lesbian Gay and Bisexual Conference in early 1990s, and her interactions with feminist organizations in Pictou County and Halifax. The interview was conducted by Sam Ginther on December 11, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 19 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/21 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### Publication status:

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Sara avMaat

Title: Interview with Sara avMaat

<u>Date</u>: 1 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview Sara avMaat. avMaat discusses her work as an artist and physiotherapist; her involvement womens' and LGBT organizations in Halifax, including Pandora and the Halifax Women's Housing Co-op; her coming out experience; and her relationships. The interview was conducted by Bronwyn Lee on November 1st, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 19 pages

1 sound recording (1 hr., 11 min., 15 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### Publication status:

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### Item: 2022-09-15/23 - Interview with Sara avMaat

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Sara avMaat

Reference code: 2022-09-15/23

Date: 1 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a sound recording of an interview Sara avMaat. avMaat discusses her work as an artist and physiotherapist; her involvement womens' and LGBT organizations in Halifax, including Pandora and the Halifax Women's Housing Co-op; her coming out experience; and her relationships. The interview was conducted by Bronwyn Lee on November 1st, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (1 hr., 11 min., 15 sec.): mp3

#### Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/24 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)

- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/24 - Transcript of interview with Sara avMaat

Title: Transcript of interview with Sara avMaat

Reference code: 2022-09-15/24

Date: 1 November 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview Sara avMaat. avMaat discusses her work as an artist and physiotherapist; her involvement womens' and LGBT organizations in Halifax, including Pandora and the Halifax Women's Housing Co-op; her coming out experience; and her relationships. The interview was conducted by Bronwyn Lee on November 1st, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 19 pages

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/23 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## File: Interview with Sharon Beasley

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Sharon Beasley

Date: 8 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview Sharon Beaseley. Beasley discusses her work in food distribution, her experience using a sperm donor to conceive with her former partner, her involvement with the Youth Project and other LGBT organizations and events, and her relationships and coming out experience. The interview was conducted by Bronwyn Lee on December 8th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 14 pages

1 sound recording (35 min., 32 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### **Publication status:**

Published

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### Item: 2022-09-15/25 - Interview with Sharon Beasley

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Sharon Beasley

Reference code: 2022-09-15/25

Date: 8 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a sound recording of an interview Sharon Beaseley. Beasley discusses her work in food distribution, her experience using a sperm donor to conceive with her former partner, her involvement with the Youth Project and other LGBT organizations and events, and her relationships and coming out experience. The interview was conducted by Bronwyn Lee on December 8th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (35 min., 32 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/25 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

Published

## Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

# Item: 2022-09-15/26 - Transcript of interview with Sharon Beasley

<u>Title</u>: Transcript of interview with Sharon Beasley

Reference code: 2022-09-15/26

Date: 8 December 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview Sharon Beaseley. Beasley discusses her work in food distribution, her experience using a sperm donor to conceive with her former partner, her involvement with the Youth Project and other LGBT organizations and events, and her relationships and coming out experience. The interview was conducted by Bronwyn Lee on December 8th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 14 pages

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/25 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)

- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## File: Interview with Sue and Nicky Perkins

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Sue and Nicky Perkins Date: 27 November 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview Sue and Nicky Perkins. The Perkins' discusses their 40-year relationship and subsequent legal fight for marriage equality in Nova Scotia, coming out after 13 years together, and their participation in NSRAP, Safe Harbour Metropolitan Community Church, and other LGBT groups and events in Halifax. The interview was conducted by Jacqueline Gahagan on November 27th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 29 pages

1 sound recording (53 min., 41 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

**English** 

## **Publication status:**

**Published** 

## Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

# Item: 2022-09-15/27 - Interview with Sue and Nicky Perkins

Title: Interview with Sue and Nicky Perkins

Reference code: 2022-09-15/27

Date: 27 November 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a sound recording of an interview Sue and Nicky Perkins. The Perkins' discusses their 40-year relationship and subsequent legal fight for marriage equality in Nova Scotia, coming out after 13 years together, and their participation in NSRAP, Safe Harbour Metropolitan Community Church, and other LGBT groups and events in Halifax. The interview was conducted by Jacqueline Gahagan on November 27th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (53 min., 41 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/28 for a transcript of this interview.

## **Publication status:**

Published

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/28 - Transcript of interview with Sue and Nicky Perkins

<u>Title</u>: Transcript of interview with Sue and Nicky Perkins

Reference code: 2022-09-15/28

Date: 27 November 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview Sue and Nicky Perkins. The Perkins' discusses their 40-year relationship and subsequent legal fight for marriage equality in Nova Scotia, coming out after 13 years together, and their participation in NSRAP, Safe Harbour Metropolitan Community Church, and other LGBT groups and events in Halifax. The interview was conducted by Jacqueline Gahagan on November 27th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 29 pages

Language of the material:

## **English**

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/27 for a sound recording of this interview.

## <u>Publication status</u>:

Published

### Access points:

- Textual record (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

### **File: Interview with Susan Adams**

Title: Interview with Susan Adams

<u>Date</u>: 5 November 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview Susan Adams. Adams discusses her involvement with LGBT choirs, organizations, and political activism in the 1980s and 1990s; her coming out experience, her work in libraries, her thoughts on the sociopolitical environment in Antigonish, and her spirituality. The interview was conducted by Oscar Campbell on November 5th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 15 pages

1 sound recording (1 hr., 8 min., 38 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)

- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/29 - Interview with Susan Adams

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Susan Adams Reference code: 2022-09-15/29

Date: 5 November 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a sound recording of an interview Susan Adams. Adams discusses her involvement with LGBT choirs, organizations, and political activism in the 1980s and 1990s; her coming out experience, her work in libraries, her thoughts on the sociopolitical environment in Antigonish, and her spirituality. The interview was conducted by Oscar Campbell on November 5th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (1 hr., 8 min., 38 sec.): mp3

## Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/30 for a transcript of this interview.

## **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

# Item: 2022-09-15/30 - Transcript of interview with Susan Adams

Title: Transcript of interview with Susan Adams

Reference code: 2022-09-15/30

Date: 5 November 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview Susan Adams. Adams discusses her involvement with LGBT choirs, organizations, and political activism in the 1980s and 1990s; her coming out experience, her work in libraries, her thoughts on the sociopolitical environment in Antigonish, and her spirituality. The interview was conducted by Oscar Campbell on November 5th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 15 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/29 for a sound recording of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

#### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

#### File: Interview with Susan Larder

Title: Interview with Susan Larder

Date: 14 December 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview Susan Larder. Larder discusses living in rural Nova Scotia, her coming out process and relationships with family, her experiences with harrassment, her works as a counsellor, and her involvement with lesbian social groups. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on December 15th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 13 pages

1 sound recording (35 min., 37 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

## Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/31 - Interview with Susan Larder

Title: Interview with Susan Larder

Reference code: 2022-09-15/31

Date: 14 December 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a sound recording of an interview Susan Larder. Larder discusses living in rural Nova Scotia, her coming out process and relationships with family, her experiences with harrassment, her works as a counsellor, and her involvement with lesbian social groups. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on December 15th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (35 min., 37 sec.): mp3

## Language of the material:

**English** 

### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/32 for a transcript of this interview.

#### **Publication status:**

Published

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)

- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

# Item: 2022-09-15/32 - Transcript of interview with Susan Larder

Title: Transcript of interview with Susan Larder

Reference code: 2022-09-15/32

Date: 14 December 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview Susan Larder. Larder discusses living in rural Nova Scotia, her coming out process and relationships with family, her experiences with harrassment, her works as a counsellor, and her involvement with lesbian social groups. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on December 15th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 13 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-22/31 for a transcript of this interview.

## **Publication status:**

**Published** 

## Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## File: Interview with Susan Walsh

Title: Interview with Susan Walsh

Date: 28 October 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and sound recording of an interview Susan Walsh. Walsh discusses raising her children, working as a children's entertainer and artist, her relationships with family and romantic

partners, and coming out in her forties. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on October 28th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 19 pages

1 sound recording (52 min., 38 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

English

#### **Publication status:**

Published

## Access points:

- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/33 - Interview with Susan Walsh

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Susan Walsh

Reference code: 2022-09-15/33

Date: 28 October 2021 (date of creation)

#### Scope and content:

File contains a sound recording of an interview Susan Walsh. Walsh discusses raising her children, working as a children's entertainer and artist, her relationships with family and romantic partners, and coming out in her forties. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on October 28th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 sound recording (52 min., 38 sec.): mp3

Language of the material:

**English** 

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/34 for a transcript of this interview.

## **Publication status:**

#### **Published**

#### Access points:

- Sound recording (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Sound recording (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

# Item: 2022-09-15/34 - Transcript of interview with Susan Walsh

Title: Transcript of interview with Susan Walsh

Reference code: 2022-09-15/34

Date: 28 October 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview Susan Walsh. Walsh discusses raising her children, working as a children's entertainer and artist, her relationships with family and romantic partners, and coming out in her forties. The interview was conducted by Elisabeth Rondinelli on October 28th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 19 pages

Language of the material:

English

#### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/33 for a sound recording of this interview.

### **Publication status:**

**Published** 

## Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

# File: Interview with Sydney Lancaster

Title: Interview with Sydney Lancaster

Date: 9 November 2021 (date of creation)

### Scope and content:

File contains a transcript and video recording of an interview with Sydney Lancaster. Lancaster discusses their sexuality and gender identity, their involvement with the LGBT community in Alberta and Nova Scotia, LGBT visibility in Nova Scotia and their move to the province in 2010, and social justice theories and initiatives. The interview was conducted by Anne Summerhays on November 9th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 20 pages

1 video recording (1 hr., 23 min., 19 sec.): mp4

Language of the material:

English

## Publication status:

**Published** 

### Access points:

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- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

# Item: 2022-09-15/35 - Transcript of interview with Sydney Lancaster

<u>Title</u>: Transcript of interview with Sydney Lancaster

Reference code: 2022-09-15/35

Date: 9 November 2021 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains a transcript of an interview with Sydney Lancaster. Lancaster discusses their sexuality and gender identity, their involvement with the LGBT community in Alberta and Nova Scotia, LGBT visibility in Nova Scotia and their move to the province in 2010, and social justice theories and initiatives. The interview was conducted by Anne Summerhays on November 9th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 20 pages

## Language of the material:

English

## Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/36 for a video recording of this interview.

## **Publication status:**

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### Access points:

- Textual record (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Transcriptions (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)

## Item: 2022-09-15/36 - Interview with Sydney Lancaster

<u>Title</u>: Interview with Sydney Lancaster

Reference code: 2022-09-15/36

Date: 9 November 2021 (date of creation)

## Scope and content:

File contains a video recording of an interview with Sydney Lancaster. Lancaster discusses their sexuality and gender identity, their involvement with the LGBT community in Alberta and Nova Scotia, LGBT visibility in Nova Scotia and their move to the province in 2010, and social justice theories and initiatives. The interview was conducted by Anne Summerhays on November 9th, 2021 as part of the Nova Scotia LGBT Seniors' Archive's Lesbian Oral Histories Project.

Physical description: 1 video recording (1 hr., 23 min., 19 sec.): mp4

#### Language of the material:

English

### Related material:

See item 2022-09-15/25 for a transcript of this interview.

#### Publication status:

**Published** 

- Moving images (electronic) (documentary form)
- Oral histories (documentary form)
- Video recordings (documentary form)
- LGBTQ (subject)
- Oral history--Canada (subject)
- Nova Scotia (place)