

# Guide to the Washington State Vassar Club Records, 1909-1956 (bulk 1945-1957)

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## Collection Summary

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives and Special Collections Library, Vassar College Libraries
<b>Creator:</b>	Washington State Vassar Club
<b>Title:</b>	Washington State Vassar Club Records
<b>Inclusive Dates:</b>	1909-1957
<b>Bulk Dates:</b>	1945-1957
<b>Quantity:</b>	0.6 cubic feet (3 boxes)
<b>Abstract:</b>	Materials relating to the creation and subsequent activities of the Washington State Vassar Club.

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## Administrative History

Small groups of Vassar College Alumnae living in the Seattle began meeting informally as early as 1906, but it wasn't until 1945 that The Puget Sound Vassar Club was formed. The club is still active but is now known as the Washington State Vassar Club.

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## Scope and Content Note

The Washington State Vassar Club Records contain the club's constitution,

correspondence, mailing lists and meeting minutes. The bulk of the collection is from the years the group was known as the Puget Sound Vassar Club. Also included is a register from the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, which was held in the summer of 1909. Although the register was apparently meant to be a list of Vassar alumnae who attended the exposition, many people with no connection to the college added their signatures.

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## **Subject Headings**

### **Organizations:**

- Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition (1909 : Seattle, Wash.)
- Vassar College--Alumni and alumnae

### **Subjects:**

- Women's colleges--New York (State)--Poughkeepsie
- Women--Societies and clubs

### **VCL Categories**

- Vassar College Alumnae/I Organizations

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## **Encoding Information**

Finding aid encoded by Jason Kovari, 12 Mar 2009

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## **Administrative Information**

### **Preferred Citation**

Puget Sound Vassar Club Records, Archives and Special Collections Library, Vassar College Libraries.

### **Processing Information**

Collection processed by Archives and Special Collections Library staff.

### **Acquisition Information**

The Puget Sound Vassar Club Records were a gift of Jane T. Merritt (VC 1981), June 1992.

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## Container List

Folder 1.1	Constitution, 1945
Folder 1.2	Vassar Club Handbooks and other general AAVC material, 1942-1955
Folder 1.3	Minutes (with a note about Club's History), 1945-1957
Folder 1.4	Correspondence, 1945-1957
Folder 1.5	Mailings to Members, 1945-1955
Folder 2.1	Membership Correspondence, 1945-1955
Folder 2.2	Financial Records, 1945-1956
Folder 2.3	Foreign Alumnae Assistance, ca. 1948
Folder 2.4	Mailing Lists
Folder 2.5	Holly Lists
Folder 2.6	Northwest Products
Folder 2.7	Cooking School
Box 3	"Vassar Register" from the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, 1909

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### ▼ Details

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