



AL3138 - The David Forbes Collection

Call Number: AL3138
Title: The David Forbes Collection
SubTitle:
Creator: Inventory prepared by Esmerelda Dirks, November 2008, updated in May 2009
Origination: David Forbes
Inclusive Dates: 1977-1983
Bulk Dates: 1980
Extent: 0.1 linear metre (1 archival box)
Language: English
Acquisition: Accession Number: 05-005
Access Restrictions: This collection is open for research
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Abstract: The collection includes a range of student newspapers from different universities from the late 1970s to early 1980s. Forbes was involved as contributor and as part of the editorial teams for these newspapers. Forbes also donated a significant number of 1994 elections posters (mostly posterboards) to the archive. David is currently busy shooting his own documentary on 'The Cradock Four'.

Introduction

David Forbes was on the editorial teams of a number of student publications in the late 1970s and early 1980s and he contributed to other student publications. The collection includes a number of these publications. David Forbes is today a television director / cameramen in South Africa, with numerous international and local awards. He is a Wits Business School graduate. David is currently busy shooting his own documentary on 'The Cradock Four', which is nearly completed. In 2005 he was also shooting hours of serials for the Wits Origins Centre Rock Art Museum.

Notes

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Forbes also donated a significant number of 1994 elections posters (mostly posterboards) to the archive. These materials are described in section B of the inventory. The posters are incorporated into the SAHA Poster collection (AL2446).

Forbes and SAHA also requested documents through a Promotion of Access to Information Act (PAIA) request in conjunction with SAHA for the making of his documentary on the Cradock Four - these documents are included in the Freedom of Information Programme (FOIP) collection (AL2878) at SAHA.

Inventory

- A: Student Newspapers
 - A1.1: Oppidan (leaflet)
[13/09/1977]
 - A1.2: Rhodeo
 - A1.2.1: Rhodeo: Rhodes University Newspaper



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- [25/02/1979]
- A1.2.2: Rhodeo: Rhodes University Newspaper
[01/04/1979]
- A1.2.3: Rhodeo: Rhodes University Newspaper
[06/05/1979]
- A1.2.4: Rhodeo: Rhodes University Newspaper
[25/05/1979]
- A1.2.5: Rhodeo: Rhodes University Newspaper
[13/10/1978]
- A1.3: National Student
 - A1.3.1: National Student: Newsletter
[March 1979]
 - A1.3.2: National Student: Newsletter
[June 1979]
- A1.4 : Inquiry: Rhodes University Publication
[1980]
- A1.5: Bulletin: Rhodes Journalism Newsletter
[1980]
- A1.6: State of the Nation
[December 1983]
- B: Election Posters
[1994]
Stored in the SAHA Poster Collection (AL2446).
- Record no. 10: Remember Chris Hani: People's Hero: Vote ANC
- Record no. 659: Help Protect women and Children Vote
- Record no. 930: Say no to the ANC and Communism: vote NP
- Record no. 931: After 46 years of National Party rule
- Record no. 1429: Mandela for president: the people's choice
- Record no. 3066: Vote ANC A Better Life for All!
- Record no. 3082: You hold the Key! Vote NP
- Record no. 3420: We never killed people... only Apartheid
- Record no. 3423: Every DP vote counts, more freedom less government
- Record no. 3424: No Killers; Kidnappers; Torturers or Corrupt Politicians
- Record no. 3621: Zach De Beer: Protecting you from the abuse of power
- Record no. 4068: Clarence Makwetu: The African hope
- Record no. 4366: Celebrate 50 years of courage
- Record no. 4367: Celebrate the Decade of Workers' and Freedom: Vote ANC
- Record no. 4368: KOKETSO YA DITIRO: BOSENYI JO BO KWA TLASE – TLHOPHA
- Record no. 4369: Vote ANC for Workers Rights and Freedom: The workers Choice
- Record no. 4370: Vote UDM: 14 April
- Record no. 4371: Votela IFP
- Record no. 4372: Mesomo e millione ya Makgonthe
- Record no. 4374: Bly Blank my Volk: Stem HNP
- Record no. 4375: Men take a stand against gender-based violence
- Record no. 4376: Celebrate Freedom Day: 27 April 1995
- Record no. 4377 : Angola en SWA, Oorlog of Vrede?



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- Record no. 4379 : Mandela For President: The People's Choice
- Record no. 4716: Vote for Women's Rights
- Record no. 4717: Federal party Putting the power in your hands
- Record no. 4719: How should Sandton vote?
- Record no. 4720: Stand up to the ANC/NAT Coalition Vote DP
- Record no. 4721: A weak Opposition is No Opposition! Vote to Win
- Record no. 4722: Stop Intolerance Vote DP
- Record no. 4723: Jobs and Security for all Vote ANC
- Record no. 4724: The Proper Foundation for a New Nation
- Record no. 4725: Die ANC kannie Winnie
- Record no. 4726: Make your X Vote ACDP
- Record no. 4728: Vote for real peace and create jobs Vote NP
- Record no. 4729: Final DP Rally
- Record no. 4730: People's Forum All Welcome
- Record no. 4731: FW has united the nation
- Record no. 4732: Workers' List Party says guarantee the right to work
- Record no. 4733: Tony Leon Peter Soal Nicky Oppenheimer
- Record no. 4734: Vote DP
- Record no. 4735: Freedom, Federalism and Free Enterprise
- Record no. 4736: Moenie stem vir jou en my ondergang
- Record no. 4737: Mosebetsi Kgotso Tokoloho
- Record no. 4738: Lets get SA working Jobs Jobs Jobs
- Record no. 4739: Stand out firmly for Justice! Vote ANC or PAC
- Record no. 4740: Be Sure of a better life
- Record no. 4741: Siyanqoba Rally: Mandela speaks
- Record no. 4742: Vavi speaks: Cosatu Anniversary Rally
- Record no. 4743: Get your ID and vote ANC
- Record no. 4744: NP Rally: FW De Klerk
- Record no. 4745: To unite the nation vote NP
- Record no. 4746: 24 Hours Info line
- Record no. 4747 : Leon Mahlangu
- Record no. 4748: Vote Dikwankwetla for Peace and stability
- Record no. 4749: Only the NP can stop the ANC
- Record no. 4750: Go Tlhome ditiro Tlhopa ANC
- Record no. 4751: Local elections! Bringing Democracy Home
- Record no. 4752: Vote for Peace! Vote For Jobs
- Record no. 4753: A People's contract to create work and Fight poverty
- Record no. 4754: Soccer Party, Vote James Mange
- Record no. 4755: Tumalano ya batho go tlisa ditiro le go lwantsa lehuma, Vote ANC
- Record no. 4756: This man can!