**Abstract**

**This is a small collection of material, primarily images, related to the Big Band and Jazz Festivals held at Aquinas College from the late 1970s to the early 2000s.**

**Collection #: 17**

**Donor: Unknown**

**Span dates: 1977-2002**

**Size: approx. .5 linear ft., one flat box**

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**History**

**Scope and Content**

**This small collection contains primarily group photos of festival participants and a small amount of documentation (correspondence and one Grand Rapids Press article) related to Bruce Early.**

**Contents**

**Box Folder Description**

**1 Big Band Festival**

 **1 Slides, Bruce Early Big Band, 1977**

 **2 Photographs, Intercollegiate Big Band Festival, 1980**

 **3 Photographs, Intercollegiate Big Band Festival, 1985**

 **4 Photographs, Intercollegiate Big Band Jazz Festival, 1986**

 **Jazz Festival**

 **5 Posters, Jazz Festivals and Camps, 1987-2002**

 **6 Sheet Music, n.d.**

 **7 Photos, date and event unknown**

 **8 Photos, date and event unknown**

 **Oversized**

**O Group photo of Big Band Jazz Festival, 1986**

 **Wonderland piece on Bruce Early, April 28, 1985**