

**S1113 WASHINGTON, ARTHUR (1917-2001), PAPERS, nd, 1929-1995  
70 FOLDERS**

**PROVENANCE**

Richard Washington donated the collection on October 16, 2013.

**BIOGRAPHY**

Arthur Washington served nearly fifty years in the St. Louis Public Schools as a teacher, a coach and a high school administrator. His tenure at Sumner High School included teaching science, health and coaching track and field, in addition to serving as athletic director. Washington also served as Assistant Principal at Beaumont and Soldan High Schools before retiring in 1988.

**SCOPE AND CONTENT**

The collection reflects Washington's heavy involvement in Sumner High School's scholastic and athletic programs. It also emphasizes his involvement in the larger African American community including the Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity; the Archdiocesan Development Appeal; and the campaign to revitalize the historical African American Ville neighborhood. The papers also contain a large photograph collection.

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3. Alumni, 1989
4. Alumni Programs, 1992
5. Greater St. Louis Athletic Association, 1961-1968
6. Certificates and Awards, 1961-1995
7. Clubs, 1952
8. Communicator Memos, 1984-1991
9. Commemoration Party, 1991
10. Cunningham Case, 1976
11. Evaluations, 1975
12. Hudlin Scholarship, 1976

13. Joseph Thomas, 1962
14. Performance Reviews, 1983
15. Posture Contest, 1961
16. Sumner High School Programs, 1947-1979
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21. School Security, 1977-1985
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26. Building Maps, 1978
27. Cub Journals, 1951-1984
28. John Buckner, 1969
29. A Brief History of Sumner High School 90th Anniversary Edition, 1965
30. A Brief History of Sumner High School 100th Anniversary Edition, 1975
31. Sumner High School Student Handbook 1st Edition, 1929
32. Sumner High School Student Handbook 2nd Edition, 1933
33. Sumner High School Student Handbook 4th Edition, 1945
34. Sumner High School Student Handbook 5th Edition, 1952
35. Sumner High School Student Handbook 6th Edition, 1960
36. Sumner High School Student Handbook 7th Edition

37. Physical Education, Activities, Sports and Games, 1952
38. Alpha Phi Alpha 69th Anniversary Convention Minutes, 1975
39. Alpha Phi Alpha 70th Anniversary Convention Minutes, 1976
40. *American Freedoms*, 1974
41. *Lovejoy's Guide to Colleges and Universities*, 1948
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43. Private Journals, 1948
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