

Finding Aids: Yearbook Collection



Creator: Tillotson College, Samuel Huston College, Huston Tillotson College

Title: Yearbook Collection

Dates: 1924-1992

Extent: 145 books (included copies and two papers printed version), three shelves

Abstract: Published by student and staff members, the yearbooks are a valuable source of Huston-Tillotson's history and people in a yearly presentation. *The Arrow*, known as the yearbook of Tillotson College, was the first yearbook of Tillotson College, followed by the renamed *The Blue Bonnet Hill* and later *The Bluebonnet*. *The Dragon*, known as the yearbook of Samuel Huston College. *Ramshead*, a yearbook of Huston Tillotson College, has been published since the merger of Tillotson College and Samuel Huston College.

Location: The Huston-Tillotson University Archives Repository at Downs-Jones Library

Call Number: R-N-001

Language: English

Access: Open for research

Scopes and Contents:

The yearbooks usually start with the latest campus development and current President's foreword speech, followed by the list of faculty and staff. Most of the yearbooks consist of photos of campus activities, graduation, senior students' spotlight, as well as the rest of the student groups and clubs. *The Arrow* focused on introducing the history of each graduating class, while *Ramshead* presented each year's Miss HT, Geek life and athletics.

The collection consists of Tillotson College's yearbook in 1924, 1930, 1947, 1948 and 1952, and Samuel Huston College yearbook in 1928, 1929 and 1946. Meanwhile, the collection of *Ramshead* ranges from 1953 to 1981, and 1987 to 1992.

Organization and Arrangement:



The Yearbooks are placed chronologically with copies and print copies from left to right, it occupies three shelves in total. The first shelf contains the collection of Tillotson College yearbook, Samuel Tillotson College yearbook, and *Ramshead* from 1953-1963. The second shelf ranges from *Ramshead* 1964 to 1972, and the third shelf puts in 1972 to 1992.

Restrictions:

Conditions Governing Access-Advance notice required retrieval, contact repository for retrieval.

Books are delicate, needed to be handled carefully.