

UQFL307

Madeline McPherson Collection

Size	3 boxes
Contents	Correspondence, leaflets, brochures, minute books, membership lists, newsletters, press clippings, publicity material relating to activities of various Queensland branches and organizations to which she belonged, including Australian Labor Party branches and factions, the Queensland Council for Civil Liberties and the Australia-China Society.
Date range	1978 to 1984
Biography	Madeleine McPherson was born in Brisbane 1941 and is a librarian by profession. She has held a variety of positions within Queensland branches of the Australian Labor Party at State and local level and served on numerous committees. She has also been a member of a range of organisations including the Queensland Council of Civil Liberties, Australia-China Society, Family Planning Assoc. (Qld.), Amnesty International, Queensland Women's Coalition, People for Nuclear Disarmament.
Notes	Open access

Box 1

Folder 1

Papers relating to the Centre Caucus of the ALP

Folder 2

ALP Toowong Branch. Papers. Ms McPherson was delegate to the 1st State Conference 1979.

Folder 3

Newsletters, correspondence etc.

Folder 4

Material relating to ALP factions, 1982-83. Clippings, copy of union record for Henry Richard Palaszczuk (ALP candidate).

Folder 5

Further material relating to ALP factions, 1982-83. Clippings re Bill Hayden. "Build a better Branch Planning Kit."

Item 6

The Whole World Watched, by M. Steer. On history of anti-apartheid activities in Queensland during the Springbok tour 1971.

Item 7

Centre Left Minutes Book 1982-83.

Item 8

ALP Queensland *Constitution and General Rules* 1981.

Box 2

Folder 1

Copies of CV, membership lists, electorate of Forde; Coopers Plains Branch list 1984. Papers relating to McPherson's pre-selection for Forde in 1984 election.

Folder 2

ALP Membership Committee. Correspondence, leaflets, brochures, publicity, 1982-83. McPherson was chair of this committee.

Folder 3

Organising and Planning Committee 1983. Papers.

Folder 4

David Coombe Fund. Bankbook, correspondence, clippings etc. relating to the Coombe-Ivanov affair, the Hope Royal Commission, fund-raising for Coombe. 1983-84.

Folder 5

Correspondence re Centre Left faction 1982-1985.

Folder 6

Centre Left- Centre Majority faction, papers 1982-84.

Folder 7

Australia-China Society. Newsletters, correspondence, details of 1979 tour.

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ALP Queensland *Constitution and General Rules* 1982.

Item 9

Webb, John E. *Menzies Goes to War*. Brookvale, NSW: Printcraft Press, 1965.

Item 10

Envelope containing election campaign material 1980. Booklets, tickets, badges, stickers etc. Peter Beattie candidate for Ryan.

Box 3

ALP leaflets, brochures, How-to-vote cards.

ALP. Queensland 1978 – 1980. Correspondence, clippings, leaflets relating to Reform Group, Federal intervention, Federal Division Executive, expulsion of George Georges. Not sorted into folders.

Queensland Council for Civil Liberties material. Unsorted.

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Australia-China Society. Newsletters, 1979; details of tours 1978, 1979; pages from minutes book.