Title: Dr. James Mungas and Windsor (Seaman) Papers

Name of Creator: Dr. James Mungas


Extent: >0.5 lf

Collection Number: AR038

Name and Location of Repository:
William P. Sherman Library and Archives Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation, Great Falls, MT

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Language:
The contents of the collection are primarily English language documents.


Biographical/Historical Note:
Dr. James Mungas was an avid reader and his interest in history and love of the outdoors encouraged him to become actively involved with the Lewis and Clark Interpretive Association, the Portage Route Chapter of the LCTHF, and the Lewis and Clark Honor Guard. His Newfoundland dog, Windsor, volunteered as Seaman at the interpretive center and played that same role with the Honor Guard. Windsor was the model for the Joe Halko bronze located at the Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center in Great Falls, MT. Dr. Mungas helped the Portage Route Chapter equip its medical chest for programming and was actively involved from the beginning stages of planning for the Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center. He was also an artist who created several works of art focused on scenes from the Expedition.

Dr. Windsor was raised in Phillipsburg, MT on his family ranch. He graduated pre-med at Carroll College and completed his M.D. at Chicago Medical School. He was a surgeon in Great Falls for 30 years.

Scope and Contents:
The collection includes various papers and letters from his involvement with the Lewis and Clark Interpretive Association, the Portage Route Chapter, and the Lewis and Clark Honor Guard along with research and materials collected through his involvement.
Arrangement: By Topic.

Acquisition Date: 2015.

Acquisition Source: Carol Mungas.

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Related Materials:

RG 003 LCTHF Records

Separated Materials:

Johnson, Peter. “Keeping the explorers’ spirit alive.” Great Falls Tribune, 16 October 1997, pp. 1-5A. To newspaper clippings.

Johnson, Peter. “Honor Guard needs recruits to handle future L&C furor.” Great Falls Tribune, 16 October 1997, pp. 5A. To newspaper clippings.

Johnson, Peter. “Group helped spur support for new interpretive center.” Great Falls Tribune, 16 October 1997, pp. 5A. To newspaper clippings.


15 Star Flag replica.

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Seaman statue at Lewis and Clark Interpretive Center, Great Falls, Montana.
**Container List**

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- Folder 2: Portage Route Chapter, 1990-1991
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- Folder 4: Honor Guard, 1996-2006
- Folder 6: Photographs of James Mungas and Windsor, c. 1996
- Folder 7: L&C Art by Dr. James Mungas, 1996-1997
- Folder 8: Expedition Rosters
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