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Our Lady Of Nazareth Academy  
Wakefield, MA  
1947-2009



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## Descriptive Overview

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**Citation:** Our Lady of Nazareth Academy Collection, Sisters Of Charity of Nazareth (SCN) Archives.

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**Preservation Note:** Some photographic material was removed from its original framing and backing for conservation purposes. Any inscriptions were preserved with the photograph.

**Languages:** English and Latin

### Historical Note

Our Lady of Nazareth Academy was founded in 1947. The interest in the school began when Archbishop Cushing recommended to Mother Ann Sebastian that the Wakefield, MA. Winship estate would be ideal for a school. The property was purchased and renovated into what would become a fine academic institution.

The school was run for many years by the SCN's, with a number of sisters also serving on the staff. In 2009 the school was closed due to financial reasons; the closing caused a great deal of sadness in the local community.

### Scope and Content

The collection consists of business materials, correspondence, photographic material, video material, school and student publications, clippings, as well as various miscellaneous materials. The materials are arranged according to material type.

**Rules or Conventions:** This Finding Aid prepared using DACS.

**Container Listing**

**Series I      ONLA Corporation**

**Box 1**

Folder 001	Correspondence	1946-1947
Folder 002	Correspondence	1953-1966
Folder 003	Correspondence	1975-2000
Folder 004	Correspondence	2001-2004
Folder 005	Correspondence	2005-2009

**Box 2**

Folder 001	Accreditation	1967- 1978
Folder 002	Accreditation	1986-1998
Folder 003	Accreditation	2006-2008
Folder 004	Administrative Material	c. 1988
Folder 005	Administrative Material	1978-1988
Folder 006	Administrative Material	1978-1986
Folder 007	Administrative Material	c. 1988
Folder 008	Annual Reports	1981-1989
Folder 009	Annual Reports	1995-2000
Folder 010	Annual Reports	2001-2006

**Box 3**

Folder 001	Annual Reports, Published	2000-2008
Folder 002	Board Meeting Minutes	1953, 1955
Folder 003	Board Meeting Minutes	1985, 1999
Folder 004	Board Meeting Minutes	2000-2004
Folder 005	Board Meeting Minutes	2005-2007
Folder 006	Board Meeting Minutes	2008-2009
Folder 007	Business Papers- Purchase and Renovation of Winship Estate	1947-1963
Folder 008	Business Papers	1975-1979
Folder 009	Bylaws and related Correspondence	1990-2007

**Box 4**

Folder 001	Evaluations- Visiting Committee and Buildings	c. 1965-1967
Folder 002	Evaluation- Self	1976-1977
Folder 003	Evaluation- Self	1976-1977
Folder 004	Evaluation- Engineering Reports	1995-2003
Folder 005	Evaluation- Visits	1997-2002
Folder 006	Incorporation of OLNA	1947-1953
Folder 007	Mission Statement	1979
Folder 008	Mission Statement	1980
Folder 009	School Guide	1985
Folder 010	School Guide	1985

**Box 5**

Folder 001	School Guide	1985
Folder 002	Strategic Long Range Plan, Meeting Notes	1998
Folder 003	Strategic Long Range Plan, Presentation to NLBI	2002
Folder 004	Strategic Long Range Plan	2008
Folder 005	Strategic Long Range Plan	2008
Folder 006	Quarterly Reports	1998-2003

**Series II Publications****Subseries a: Student Produced Publications****Box 5**

Folder 007	Chrysalis	1983- undated
Folder 008	Expressions	1992-1994
Folder 009	Literary magazines	1996-1997
Folder 010	The Nazaorean	2002-2004
Folder 011	The Nazaorean	2005-2009
Folder 012	Newspaper	1965-2006

**Subseries b: School Publications****Box 6**

Folder 001	Calendars	1987-2007
Folder 002	Event Publications	
Folder 003	Fund Raising Publications	1965
Folder 004	Graduation and Commencement	1964-2008

Folder 005	OLN Newsletter	1989-1998
Folder 006	OLN News	2000-2002
Folder 007	Connections	2003-2008
Folder 008	Our Lady of Nazareth Guild	1953-1957
Folder 009	Promotional Pamphlets	2006-2008
Folder 010	Recruitment Publications	c. 2000s

**Box 7**

Folder 001	Programs: Christmas and Winter	1963-2008
Folder 002	Playbills	1971-1973
Folder 003	Playbills	1974-1978
Folder 004	Playbills	1979, 1987
Folder 005	Playbills	1988-1989
Folder 006	Playbills	1995-1996
Folder 007	Playbill	1998
Folder 008	Playbill	2000
Folder 009	Playbill	2001
Folder 010	Playbill	2004
Folder 011	Playbill	2006
Folder 012	Playbill	2009

**Shelf Material**      **Yearbooks of Our Lady of Nazareth Academy**

Yearbooks	1951-1952
Yearbooks	1954, 1956
Yearbooks	1957-1966
Yearbooks	1968-2008

**Series III**      **Media Material**

**Box 8**      **Recorded Visual Material**

Item 001	Betamax – “Choices of the Heart”	1983
Item 002	VHS- Christmas Show	1984 Dec 11
Item 003	VHS- National Honor Society	1984
Item 004	VHS- Awards Ceremony	1984
Item 005	VHS- “The Sound of Music”	1984

Item 006	VHS- Underclassman Awards Ceremony	1984
Item 007	VHS- Graduation	1984
Item 008	VHS- Graduation	1984
Item 009	VHS- Graduation	1985
Item 010	VHS- Freshman and Sophomore Retreat	1986
Item 011	VHS- Graduation	1987

**Box 9**

Item 001	VHS- Baccalaureate	1988
Item 002	VHS- Graduation	1988
Item 003	VHS- Academic Awards Ceremony	1989 May 24
Item 004	VHS- Commencement	1989 May 25
Item 005	Graduation	1990 May 24
Item 006	VHS- "Wizard of Oz"	1992
Item 007	VHS- Baccalaureate	1992 May 20
Item 008	VHS- Baccalaureate	1992 May 20
Item 009	VHS- Graduation	1992 May 21
Item 010	VHS- Christmas Musical	1994
Item 011	VHS- Baccalaureate	1994

**Box 10**

Item 001	VHS- Baccalaureate	1994
Item 002	VHS- Graduation	1994
Item 003	VHS- Graduation	1994
Item 004	VHS- Christmas	1995
Item 005	VHS- "Anything Goes"	1995
Item 006	VHS- Papal Visit, UN Speech	1995 Oct 5
Item 007	VHS- "Priority"	1996
Item 008	VHS- "Nonsense"	1996
Item 009	VHS- Commencement	1996 May 23
Item 010	VHS- Christmas Homecoming Concert	1997
Item 011	VHS- "Joining the World in Harmony"	1997

**Box 11**

Item 001	VHS- Graduation	1997
Item 002	VHS- Graduation	1997

Item 003	VHS- "Godspell"	1998 May 8
Item 004	VHS- "Godspell"	1998 May 9
Item 005	VHS- Commencement	1998 Jun 5
Item 006	VHS- Naz Choir at BCTV	1998 Sep 18
Item 007	VHS- "The Wizard of Oz"	1998
Item 008	VHS- Christmas Show	1999
Item 009	VHS- Christmas Show	2003
Item 010	VHS- "Outrage"	Undated
Item 011	VHS- "Wilma Whatever: A Shakespearean Experience"	Undated

**Box 15      Audio Material**

Item 001	Cassette Tape	2003
Item 002	Goodbye DVD	2009
Item 003	CD- "Sing To The Lord": OLN A Choir	2003
Item 004	CD- "Joy In My Soul"; OLN A Choir ( 2 copies)	1997
Item 005	CD- "Godspell": OLN A Theatre Department	2003

**Box 12      Photographic Material**

Folder 001	Athletics	Undated
Folder 002	Buildings	Undated
Folder 003	Graduation	Undated
Folder 004	Student and Alumni Events and Activities	Undated
Folder 005	Students and Faculty	Undated
Folder 006	Theatre Department	Undated

**Box13      Clippings**

Folder 001	Clippings	1940-1969
Folder 002	Clippings	1970
Folder 003	Clippings	1971-1976
Folder 004	Clippings	1977-1979
Folder 005	Clippings	1980-1989

**Box 14**

Folder 001	Clippings	Undated
Folder 002	Clippings	1990-2000

Folder 003	Clippings	2003-2004
Folder 004	Clippings	2005-2006
Folder 005	Clippings	2007-2008
Folder 006	Clippings	2009

**Series IV    Miscellaneous Materials**

**Box 15    Misc. Materials**

Folder 003	Guestbook: 1963 Class Reunion	Undated
Folder 004	Guestbook	1947-1967
Folder 005	Guestbook	1947-1952
Folder 006	The Annual	1947-1979
Folder 007	Crest	Undated
Folder 008	Drawing (Blueprint) of the School	1953
Folder 009	List of SCN's serving at school	1947-2009
Folder 010	2 Metal Pendants	1912 and undated
Folder 011	Subdivision of Land	1957

**Box 16    Oversized Materials**

Item 001	Document Granting Permission to Perform the Way of the 1947 Cross	
Item 002	Document Granting Permission to Perform the Way of the 1947 Cross	
Item 003	Portrait with Inscription from the Archbishop of Boston	
Item 004	OLN Times	1993
Item 005	The Plaid newspaper	1986 Jan
Item 006	The Plaid newspaper	1987
Item 007	The Plaid newspaper	1987 May
Item 008	OLN Alumnae Newsletter	1991 Fall
Item 009	OLN Alumnae Newsletter	1991 Fall
Item 010	Copy of Incorporation Document	1948 Jan
Item 011	Class of 1998 Photograph	1998