

The Phillipian: Junior High School yearbook collection (1927-1972)  
Wellesley Historical Society

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**Title**

The Phillipian: Junior High School Quarterly Publication Collection

**Date**

1927-1972

**Extent**

1 carton, 1.5 linear feet

**Name of Creator**

Alice L. Phillips Junior High School (1927-1951 issues)

Wellesley Junior High School (1954-1972 issues)

**Historical Note**

*The Phillipian* was created and published by staff and students attending the Junior High School in Wellesley, Massachusetts. This collection dates from 1927-1972 and during that time, the Junior High changed both its name and its location. The Alice J. Phillips Intermediate School was converted to the Alice J. Phillips Junior High School in 1919 and remained at 324 Washington St. until 1952 when the school moved to a new building at 50 Kingsbury St. The new school on Kingsbury St. was renamed the Wellesley Junior High School.

The publication's name was inspired by the school namesake, Alice L. Phillips; Wellesley Junior High School retained the name when they resumed publication. However, the publication was originally titled *The Phillipidian* in the 1927-1928 and 1928-1929 academic year issues and changed to the *The Phillipian* in the 1929-1930 academic year.

The junior high school system in Wellesley was comprised of grades 7-9 during the time of publication; therefore, students referred to as "seniors" in the publication were in Grade 9.

**Scope and Content / System of Arrangement**

The collection contains approximately 110 issues of *The Phillipian*, and is not a complete collection. Please see the Appendix for a Box and Folder List for issues included.

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Issues of *The Phillipian* are arranged by academic year. There were four issues per academic year: Fall, Winter, Spring, and Summer, generally corresponding to November, February, April, and June. Generally, the last issue of each set is a “senior” or “summer” edition which contains photographs of members of that year’s graduating class.

**Conditions Governing Access**

The collection is open for research purposes by appointment only. Please contact the Wellesley Historical Society for more information.

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**Physical Access**

Some of the materials are fragile.

**Conditions Governing Reproduction and Use**

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**Languages and Scripts of the Material**

English

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Acquired from multiple sources; accession numbers are written on verso, inside front cover, on title page when available, or verso. Accessions include: 2015.31.

**Accruals**

The Historical Society may add materials to the collection in the future.

**Existence and Location of Originals**

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**Related Materials held at Wellesley Historical Society**

Photograph Collection: Schools: Wellesley Junior High School: Buildings and People

Photograph Collection: Schools: Wellesley Junior High School: Sports A-Z

Archival Subject Files: Schools [Family Archives room]

Wellesley Public Schools Archives

**Description**

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**Appendix: Box and Folder List**

**Folders**

Phillipidian [The Phillipian]: 1927-1928 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
Phillipidian [The Phillipian]: 1928-1929 (Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1929-1930 (Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1931-1932 (Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1932-1933 (Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1933-1934 (Fall, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1934-1935 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1935-1936 (Fall, Winter, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1936-1937 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1938-1939 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1939-1940 (Fall, Winter, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1940-1941 (Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1941-1942 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1942-1943 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1943-1944 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1944-1945 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1945-1946 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1946-1947 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1947-1948 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1948-1949 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1949-1950 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1950-1951 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1954-1955 (Winter, Spring)  
The Phillipian: 1955-1956 (Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1956-1957 (Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1957-1958 (Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1958-1959 (Fall)  
The Phillipian: 1959-1960 (Fall, Winter, Spring)  
The Phillipian: 1960-1961 (Winter, Spring)  
The Phillipian: 1961-1962 (Fall, Winter, Spring)  
The Phillipian: 1962-1963 (Winter)  
The Phillipian: 1964-1965 (Winter, Spring)  
The Phillipian: 1965-1966 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1966-1967 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1967-1968 (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer)  
The Phillipian: 1968-1969 (Fall, Winter, Spring)  
The Phillipian: 1969-1970 (Fall, Winter)  
The Phillipian: 1971-1972 (Winter, Spring, Summer)