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**IRVINGTON MOTHER'S CLUB
MINUTES AND CONSTITUTION, 1910-1917; 1932**

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 1 manuscript folder; 1 bound volume

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NOTES:

SKETCH

The first regular meeting of the Irvington Mother's Club, George W. Julian School, took place on 19 October 1910 with Mrs. Jameson presiding over the first meeting. She was later succeeded by Mrs. Treat. In 1913 the name was altered to the Parent-Teacher Club and later it officially became the Irvington Parent-Teacher Club, and finally the Parent-Teacher Association of the George W. Julian School. The club's purpose was "to bring about a closer acquaintance and better understanding of the association, to acquaint teachers with any home conditions necessary for them to know in order to work for the best interests of the children; to furnish the school, when possible, things not furnished by the Board of School Commissioners which seem necessary to the development and happiness of the children the school. The meetings also featured reports, community involvement and usually a lecture or recital.

The organization was re-started/founded in March, 2018, as the George Julian School #57 to bring families, students, parents, and faculty together. The school, located on the city's east side, serves grades K-8 and is part of the Indianapolis Public School system.

Sources:

Information in Collection

George W. Julian PTSA website <https://www.georgejulianptsa.com/about.html> accessed 18 February 2020.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The records consist of a bound volume of the organization's minutes from October, 1910-May, 1917. Included are recommendations to the school, efforts to assist children and the Irvington community, and usually concluded with a program in the form of a lecture or musical recital. Of note is the 11 April 1917 meeting in which the president recommended that the teaching German be discontinued for economic reasons, stating that "the amount and time spent for this instruction during the seven years of graded schools could be used to better advantage."

Also included is the club's constitution and by-laws that were adopted in May, 1932.

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