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California Indian Basketweavers Association poster collection

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Museum of the American Indian
Title:	California Indian Basketweavers Association poster collection
Date:	1992-2010
Identifier:	NMAI.AC.063
Creator:	California Indian Basketweavers Association
Extent:	13 Posters
Language:	English .
Summary:	The California Indian Basketweavers Association (CIBA) is a nonprofit organization formed in 1992 in Woodland, California. CIBA's goal is "to preserve, promote, and perpetuate California Indian basket weaving traditions while providing a healthy physical, social, spiritual, and economic environment for basketweavers." CIBA holds an annual gathering for weavers to show their work, share techniques and stories and provide support to one another. This collection consists of 13 posters from the CIBA annual gatherings from 1992, 1993, 1996, 1997, 2002, 2003 and 2005 through 2010. There is also one poster from the California Statewide Traditional Gathering Policy. Several of these posters are signed by Deborah McConnell (Yurok/Quinault/Hoopa) who is the Northwestern California Field Director for CIBA.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

The CIBA poster collection was donated to the museum by Marian Kaminitz in 2010.

Processing Information

Processed by Rachel Menyuk, Archives Technician in 2013. Item level description added in 2024.

Preferred Citation

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Arrangement

The posters are organized chronologically.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Indian basket makers -- California -- Congresses

Types of Materials:

Posters

Container Listing

Map-folder 1	California Indian Basketweavers Annual Gathering poster, 1992 1 Poster
Map-folder 1	California Indian Basketweavers Annual Gathering poster, 1993 1 Poster
Map-folder 1	California Indian Basketweavers Annual Gathering poster, 1996 1 Poster
Map-folder 1	California Indian Basketweavers Annual Gathering poster, 1997 1 Poster
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Map-folder 1	California Indian Basketweavers Annual Gathering poster, 2009 1 Poster
Map-folder 1	California Indian Basketweavers Annual Gathering poster, 2010 1 Poster
Map-folder 1	California Statewide Traditional Gathering Policy poster, undated 1 Poster Notes: Signed by Deborah McConnell