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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of awards, commemorative items, and memorabilia presented to General John R. Dailey, Director, 2000-2018, as an individual or on behalf of the museum. In addition, this accession also includes items that Dailey received during his career at the United States National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA), but maintained in his office at the National Air and Space Museum (NASM). Some materials may have been received by previous NASM directors. Materials include plaques, photographs, commemorative coins and metals, a retirement certificate from NASA, a book, and a paperweight.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Aeronautical museums
- Astronautical museums
- Museum directors
- Museums -- Administration

Types of Materials:

- Artifacts
- Books
- Color photographs
- Manuscripts

Names:

Dailey, John R.
United States. National Aeronautics and Space Administration

Container Listing

Box 1	
Box 1 of 1	Book - "ABC: The National Air and Space Museum" by Florence Cassen Mayers, 1987
Box 1 of 1	General John R. Dailey's Certificate of Retirement from NASA, December 1999
Box 1 of 1	Photographs - General John R. Dailey's Farewell Celebration at NASA Prior to Joining NASM, February 17, 2000
Box 1 of 1	Plaque from the American Fighter Aces Association to General John R. Dailey for Being a Guest Speaker, August 25, 2001
Box 1 of 1	Plaque to NASM from the Special Olympics for Dulles Day Plane Pull, 2002
Box 1 of 1	Commemorative Coins/Metals - NASA Dryden Flight Research Facility (one coin dated March 1, 1994, and one coin marked "20th Anniversary") (2 coins)
Box 1 of 1	Commemorative Coin/Metal - In Honor of Russell W. Meyer, Jr., In Citation of the Special Olympics Airlift, Minted by Cessna, December 15, 1995
Box 1 of 1	Commemorative Coin/Metal - Planetario C. Gulbenkian, Lisbon, Portugal
Box 1 of 1	Commemorative Coin/Metal - ITT Exelis
Box 1 of 1	1980 United States Olympic Team Crystal Paperweight Given to General John R. Dailey by Colonel Frank "The Swoose" and Margo Kurtz, 2001 (small box with paperweight and folder with accompanying documentation)