



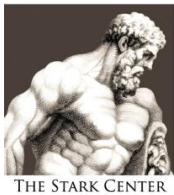
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Bob Samuels Collection
1922 - 1986

Abstract

The collection consists of publications, programs, correspondence, photographs, records and results of Bob Samuels weightlifting coaching career.



SUMMARY INFORMATION

Size of Collection:	1/2 Box (1 linear feet)
Creator:	Bob Samuels
Acquisition Info:	Unknown.
Accruals:	No accruals are expected.
Language(s):	English, Spanish and Hebrew.
Processed By:	Emily Landis, 2019.
Conservation Notes:	Not applicable.

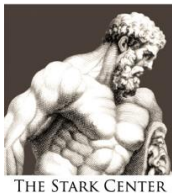
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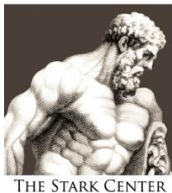
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Separated Material

None.

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Bob Samuels (1911- date unknown) was a pioneer powerlifting and Olympic-style weightlifting competitor and coach. Born in New York City to Jewish immigrant parents, Samuels set records as a weightlifter. Samuels also worked as coach for the New Orleans Athletic club, the New Orleans YMCA, and Amateur Athletic Union. Samuels was both coach and a competitor for the U. S. weight lifting team for the 1965 Maccabiah game. Other coaching highlights include the 1969 YMCA weightlifting championship and the 1967 A. A. U. international weight lifting contest between U. S. and Mexico.



SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The Bob Samuels Collection consists of materials related to Samuels career as a weightlifting coach and his interest in weightlifting as a sport. The types of materials included are weightlifting publications, programs, correspondence, photographs, records and results of the events Bob coached. The collection is divided into three series: series 1: photographs, series 2: weightlifting events and results, and series 3: publications.

COLLECTION INVENTORY

Series 1: Photographs, 1959-1962, undated

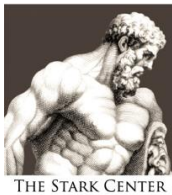
Folder Title	Box Number	Folder Number
Photographs – Lifts, 1959, 1962, undated	1	1
Photographs – People, undated	1	2
Photographs – Poses, 1961, undated	1	3

Series 2: Weightlifting Events/Results, 1931-1970, undated

This series consists of 4 subseries: 2.1, S. A. A. U.; 2.2, A. A. U. Region III.; 2.3, YMCA.; and 2.4, Maccabiah Games

SUBSERIES 2.1: S. A. A. U., 1931-1970

Folder Title	Box Number	Folder Number
Novice S. A. A. U. Weight Lifting, 1945-1947, 1953-1961, undated	1	4
Junior S. A. A. U. Weight Lifting, 1931, 1946-1961, 1970	1	5
Senior S. A. A. U. Weight Lifting, 1935-1939, 1946, 1949-1961, undated	1	6
State S. A. A. U. Weight Lifting, 1938-1964, undated	1	7



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SUBSERIES 2.2: AAU-Region III, 1966-1967

Folder Title	Box Number	Folder Number
International Weight Lifting Contest, U.S.A. (Region III A. U.) vs. Mexico, 1966-1967	1	8

SUBSERIES 2.3: YMCA, 1936-1959, undated

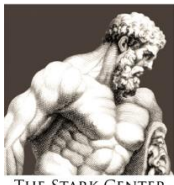
Folder Title	Box Number	Folder Number
YMCA Weightlifting Competition, 1936, 1951-1959, undated	1	9

SUBSERIES 2.4: Maccabiah Games, 1965

Folder Title	Box Number	Folder Number
Maccabiah Games U. S. Weight Lifting Team, 1965	1	10

Series 3: Publications, 1922-1986

Folder Title	Box Number	Folder Number
Marshall Stillman Association Boxing, 1922	1	11
Publications, 1964-1968, Am-Au	1	12
Publications, 1952-1953, 1964-1966, F-S	1	13
Publications, 1922, 1959, T-W	1	14
Newspaper Clippings, 1951, 1971, undated	1	15
Miscellaneous, 1985-1986, undated	1	16



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SUBJECT HEADINGS

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