

CENTRE D'ARCHIVES DE LA GRANDE ZONE ARGILEUSE
Archival description

Title: Journal Northern Times

Dates: 1976, 1983-2018.

Extent of descriptive unit: 9.9 m of textual documents.

Administrative history or biography: The Northern Times, Kapuskasing's weekly newspaper, was founded by René and Olga Piché, in March 1961. On its silver anniversary in 1986, the Northern Times was « the largest communication media operating exclusively in the area »¹. Sold in 1998, the weekly is now part of the Sun Media Corporation, a division of Québecor Media. The Northern Times is also responsible for the publication of a weekly called The Weekender.²

Scope and content: The collection consists of a series of the Northern Times newspaper, for 1976 and from 1983 to 2018. Some issues are missing.

Sources of information: Wayne Major and *Signs of The Times, 1961-1986, 25 Years of Community Publishing*, Kapuskasing, Northern Times Silver Anniversary Edition, March 19, 1986.

Physical description: The collection contains 49 bound hardcover volumes of the Northern Times, one for 1976, the others from 1983 to 2009. Since 2010, the newspapers are kept in archival boxes.

Immediate source of acquisition: The collection, a donation from the Bibliothèque Maurice-Saulnier of the Université de Hearst, was acquired in 2013. Since then, the issues of the newspaper are donated to Le Centre d'archives de la Grande Zone argileuse, on a regular basis.

Language: English.

Restrictions on access: None.

Terms governing use and reproduction: Copyright law applies. Reproduction permitted according to the condition of the hardcover books or of the newspapers.

Finding aids: None.

Accruals: Further accruals expected.

General note: Missing are the issues from July to December 1993.

Descriptors: Northern Times
L'Horizon
The Weekender
Sun Media Corporation

see also Québecor Media
Kapuskasing (Ont.)
Presse – Ontario, Nord-est de l'
Journaux – Ontario, Nord de l'
René Piché

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1. *Signs of The Times, 1961-1986, 25 Years of Community Publishing*, Kapuskasing, Northern Times Silver Anniversary Edition, March 19, 1986.
2. See L'Horizon/Weekender in our "Collection Journaux de la Grande Zone argileuse", for more information about the Weekender.