### How to Become a Friend

Donations and Bequests – You can help build the Yukon's documentary heritage for the benefit of future generations by donating your Yukon or Northern photos, movies, letters, diaries, club or society papers, business records, books, maps, sound recordings and newspapers.

**Financial Contributions** to our trust fund will help to develop displays, school programs and other projects at the Archives.

**Memberships** – Your membership will support archival programs and projects.

### We value our Friends

#### Benefits of being a FOYAS member:

- invitations to special events
- an annual newsletter describing recent acquisitions and archival projects
- voting privileges at the FOYAS AGM
- the knowledge that you are actively helping to preserve Yukon's heritage

# Some recent FOYAS projects:

- Hougen Heritage Gallery, Arts Underground
- Alaska Highway virtual exhibit
- Genealogy workshops
- Community film shows
- Archives Adviser Program

## **Membership Application**

□ Mr. □ Mrs. □ Miss □ Ms □ Other

Name: Surname First name

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- □Individual \$10 □ Family \$25
- $\hfill\square$  New Membership  $\hfill\square$  Renewal

Send cheques or money orders to: Friends of the Yukon Archives Society Box 31089 Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 5P7

or drop off at Yukon Archives

To learn more about Yukon Archives contact: Box 2703, Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 2C6 tel. 867-667-5321 email: yukonarchives@gov.yk.ca website: www.yukonarchives.ca

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**Celebrating Archival Gold** 

he Yukon Archives – located in Whitehorse, Yukon – is a modern state-of-the-art preservation and research facility. It is supported by the Yukon Government to acquire, preserve and make available the archival heritage of the Yukon. Every year thousands of school children, family researchers, miners, former residents and researchers from every walk of life make use of the Archives collections to touch their past and pursue their passions. ukon Archives is our treasure chest, overflowing with fascinating stories about our history. Yukoners and visitors from all over the world visit the archives. Here they can learn about First Nations culture, the northern environment, family history, mining history, the Klondike gold rush, the White Pass and Yukon Railway and the Alaska Highway – to name just a few of the many topics that can be researched here. As well, Yukon Archives reaches out to share its historical wealth through travelling displays and film shows, and online resources including exhibits, finding aids, and digitized images.

riends of the Yukon Archives Society (FOYAS) is a registered non-profit society. Since 1997, we have worked with the Yukon Archives to acquire and preserve the Yukon's documentary heritage. We are committed to assisting and advising the Archives in its important goal of preserving our past by:

- supporting and promoting Archives programs and activities
- receiving and administering gifts, endowments and bequests
- helping to make Archives records more accessible



This early view of Whitehorse is just one archival treasure. We encourage you to share and safeguard your family stories by donating your photos, writings, business records, publications and other memorabilia to Yukon Archives. Tell your story to future generations.