## Richard Nixon Presidential Library Materials on the Space Program

#### **Textual Materials**

## White House Central Files (WHCF) – Subject Files

# **FG (Federal Government-Organizations): FG 6-4** – National Aeronautics and Space Council

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-6-4-national-aeronautics-and-space-council-white-house-central-files-subject-files

## **FG 6-9** – Office of Science and Technology

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-6-9-office-science-and-technology-white-house-central-files-subject-files

#### FG 33-17 – House Committee on Science and Astronautics

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-30-fg-46-legislative-branch-white-house-central-files-subject-files

## FG 36-1 – Senate Committee on Aeronautical and Space Sciences

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-30-fg-46-legislative-branch-white-house-central-files-subject-files

## **FG 164** – NASA (2 boxes)

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-164-national-aeronautics-and-space-administration-white-house-central-files-subject

#### FG 209 – President's Science Advisory Committee

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-209-presidents-science-advisory-committee-white-house-central-files-subject-files

## FG 221-18 – Space Task Force (Box 3)

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/fg-221-task-forces-white-house-central-files-subject-files

#### OS (Outer Space) (13 boxes)

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/os-outer-space-white-house-central-files-subject-files

#### SP (Speeches)

<u>https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/sp-speeches-white-house-central-files-subject-files</u>

Box 21 - GEN SP/OS Outer Space

Box 155 - SP 3-60 NASA Personnel in Launch Control at Kennedy Space center

## and Cape Kennedy, Florida 11/14/69 Box 171 - SP 3-176 Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center, Houston, Texas 3/20/74

## WHCF – Staff Member and Office Files (SMOF)

## **Daniel Patrick Moynihan**

<u>https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/daniel-patrick-moynihan-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files</u>

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Box 41 – Administration 4: Space
Box 81 – Science 1 Space Program [3 folders]
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## **David Gergen**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/david-gergen-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files

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Box 53 - Fact Sheet: Mtg with Neil Armstrong 7/74
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Box 58 - Statement: NASA: Anniversary 9/73 [OA 13481] Box 84 - Remarks: NASA/Houston 3/74 [2 folders]

Box 85 - Nat'l [National] Space Week Proclamation 7/74

Box 86 - [Fact Sheet: Meeting with Astronaut Neil Armstrong July 19, 1974]

Box 87 - Message to Dr. Fletcher – NASA 3/74

Box 87 - Telegram: Skylab Astronauts: 2/74

Box 88 - Apollo 17 Letter [CFOA 1131]

Box 88 - Skylab Astronauts – Telegram [CFOA 1131]

Box 89 - Telegram: Skylab Astronauts 9/73 [CFOA 1130]

#### Edward E. David

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/edward-e-david-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files

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Box 26 – White House – President - 1969
Box 27 – White House – President - 1972
Box 33 – WH PSAC – Title Folder, 1969-1970 [3 of 3]
Box 35 – White House Press – 1969-1972
Box 35 – White House – Space 1969-1972
Box 35 – White House – Space Task Force 1969 [2 folders]
Box 36 – White House – Space Task Force 1967-1969 [9 folders]
Box 37 – White House – Space Task Force 1969 [3 folders]
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## Box 41 – White House – Vice President, 1969-1972 [2 folders]

## Edwin L. Harper

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/edwin-l-harper-white-house-central-files-staffmember-and-office-files

Box 53 - NASA - MIP [National Aeronautics & Space Adm.]

Box 53 - NASA Research Center Box 61 - Space Program

#### Frank Gannon

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/frank-gannon-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files

Box 1 - NASA

#### Glenn R. Schleede

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/glenn-r-schleede-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files

Box 32 - NASA [National Aeronautics and Space Administration] [4 folders]

Box 55 - NASA [National Air and Space Administration] - 1973

#### John Whitaker

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/john-c-whitaker-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files

Box 80 - NASA [National Aeronautics and Space Administration, 1970, 1972-73] Box 155 - NASA--Engine [search for a non-polluting engine, 1971] [from CFOA 1294]

#### **Martin Anderson**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/martin-anderson-white-house-central-files-staff-member-office-files

Box 49 - Space [1969]

#### Michael Raoul-Duval

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/michael-raoul-duval-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files

Box 22 - [NASA - National Aeronautics and Space Administration]

#### Nils A. Boe

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/nils-boe-white-house-central-filesstaff-member-and-office-files

Box 27 - NASA 1969-71

#### President's Advisory Council on Executive Organization (PACEO)

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/presidents-advisory-councilexecutive-organization-white-house-central-files-staff Box 39 - Staff Papers, NASA

Box 79 - Agencies Participating in SP's, National Aeronautics and Space Administration

#### William Timmons

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/william-e-timmons-white-house-central-files-staff-member-and-office-files

Box 18 - NASA [2 folders]

Box 45 - NASA

Box 54 - Appropriations – Hud, Space Science, Vets Appropriations (HR 9382)

Box 74 - NASA

Box 81 - Space Shuttle

## WHCF: Alphabetical Name Files

<u>https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/alphabetical-name-files-white-house-central-files</u>

Box 111 - Apollo 1-10

Box 111 - Apollo 11

Box 111 - Apollo 12

Box 111 - Apollo 13

Box 112 - Apollo 14

Box 112 - Apollo 15

Box 112 - Apollo 16

Box 112 - Apollo 17

Box 136 - Paine, S-Z [contains Thomas O. Paine]

Box 163 - Low, G [Contains George M. Low]

Box 163 - Fletcher, James

## White House Special Files (WHSF) – SMOF

#### **Charles Colson**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/charles-w-colson-white-house-special-files-staff-member-and-office-files

Box 107 – Space Program

#### H.R. Haldeman

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/harry-r-haldeman-white-house-special-filesstaff-member-and-office-files

OLD Box 294 – [H.R. Haldeman Personnel Material] \*William Safire's speech "In Event of Moon Disaster"

John W. Dean, III

<u>https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/finding-aids/john-w-dean-iii-white-house-special-files-staff-member-and-office-files</u>

Box 54 - National Aeronautics and Space Administration [3 folders]

## **Peter Flanigan**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/peter-m-flanigan-white-house-special-files-staff-member-and-office-files

Boxes 7, 8 - NASA [9 folders]

## National Security Council Files

## **Subject Files**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/forresearchers/find/textual/files/subject\_fi
les.pdf

Box 307 – Apollo XI, "GIANT STEP" Vol. I

Box 307 – Apollo XI, "GIANT STEP" Vol. II

Box 307 – Giant Step Vol. III

Box 308 – Apollo XI and XII Lunar Landing Missions

Box 308 – Apollo XII BULLSEYE Vol. I

Box 308 – Apollo XII BULLSEYE Memo's Vol IA

Box 308 – Apollo XIII

Box 392 – Space Programs and Foreign Cooperation (1970)

Box 393 – Space Programs and Foreign Cooperation (1971)

Box 393 – Space Programs and Foreign Cooperation (1972 -)

## National Security Council Institutional Files

<u>https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/finding-aids/national-security-council-institutional-files-h-files</u>

Box H-162 – NSSM 72 INTL SPACE COOPERATION COMMITTEE 04 SEP 69

Box H-217 – NSDM 70 INTERNATIONAL SPACE COOPERATION: US-USSR

ACTIVITIES 10 JUL 70

Box H-217 – NSDM 72 EXCHANGE OF TECHNICAL DATA BETWEEN

THE

US AND THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE COMMUNITY 17 JUL 70 Box H-236 – NSDM 187 - INTL SPACE COOPERATION -TECHNOLOGY AND LAUNCH ASSISTANCE 30 AUG 72

Box H-288 – NSDM 70 INTERNATIONAL SPACE COOPERATION: US-USSR

ACTIVITIES 10 JUL 70

#### Box H-288 – NSDM 72 EXCHANGE OF TECHNICAL DATA BETWEEN

THE

US AND THE INTERNATIONAL SPACE COMMUNITY 17 JUL 70 Box H-292 – NSDM 187 - INTL SPACE COOPERATION -TECHNOLOGY AND LAUNCH ASSISTANCE 30 AUG 72

## Governed by Deed of Gift: General Donations

#### **Oral Histories**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/index.php/oral-histories

Ash, Roy Borman, Frank Klein, Herb Nixon, Ed

#### Richard Nixon Pre-Presidential Materials (Laguna Niguel)

## Series 320 General Correspondence, 1946-1962

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/forresearchers/find/textual/findingaids/findingaid\_lagunaniguel\_series320.pdf

Box 170 - Committee Appointments - Space Special Committee on Astronautical and Space Exploration

Box 170 - Committee Appointments By RN Outer Space, Peaceful Uses of (Sponsored By the U.N.)

Box 171 - Committee Appointments Ad Hoc Committee on Peaceful Uses of Outer Space 5/59

Box 290 - Glennan, T. Keith

Box 545 - National Aeronautics and Space Administration

#### Richard Nixon Pre-Presidential Materials (Richard Nixon-Owned)

#### Campaign 1960

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-10/inventory\_campaign1960.pdf

PPS 64 "Hamlin File"

Box 4 - Space and Aeronautics – Rockets and Satellites

Box 4 - Space and Aeronautics – Other

PPS 77 Subject Files

Box 21 - RN – Position Paper – Space (never issued)

## Campaign 1968

#### PPS 500 Research Files

Box 76 - Space News Clippings

Box 76 - Space Program

Box 77 - Space Program

Box 98 - USSR Space

## **PPS 208 Speech Files**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-12/PPS 208 Speech File Inventory.pdf

Box 62 - October 25, 1960. Space Exploration Statements. Cincinnati, Ohio

Box 92 - Sep. 6, 1968. Statement. Space Program. Houston Space Center.

Houston, TX.

Box 95 - Sep. 30, 1968. Statement on importance of Space Programs. Miami, FL.

Box 98 - Nov. 3, 1968. Statement re: space.

## White House Tapes

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/white-house-tapes

Conversation Number: 477-13 Conversation Date: 4/12/1971

Participants: Nixon, Stephen Bull, Victor Lasky, Patricia Lasky

Topics: SST/space

Conversation Number: 486-1 Conversation Date: 4/22/1971

Participants: Nixon, H.R. Haldeman, Robert Dole, Anne Armstrong

Topics: Space, Moon Landing, Prospects

Conversation Number: 489-35/491-1

Conversation Date: 4/28/1971

Participants: Nixon, Haldeman, Henry Kissinger

Topics: Space Program

Conversation Number: 490-24 Conversation Date: 5/4/1971 Participants: Nixon, Haldeman

Topics: National Aeronautics and Space Administration [NASA]

Conversation Number: 500-16 Conversation Date: 5/18/1971

Participants: Nixon, John D. Ehrlichman, George Schultz

Topics: Space Program

Conversation Number: 531-12 Conversation Date: 6/30/1971

Participants: Nixon, Paul McCracken

Topics: National Aeronautics and Space Administration [NASA]

Conversation Number: 268-6/269-1

Conversation Date: 8/2/1971

Participants: Nixon, Schultz, John B. Connally

Topics: Space Program

Conversation Number: 273-7 Conversation Date: 8/12/1971

Participants: Nixon, Haldeman, Schultz

Topics: Space Program

Conversation Number: 660-17 Conversation Date: 1/31/1972

Participants: Nixon, Benno C. Schmidt, R. Lee Clark, Robert A. Good, Elliot L.

Richardson, James H. Cavanaugh and Kenneth R. Cole, Jr.

Topics: Space Shuttle Program

Conversation Number: 871-5 Conversation Date: 3/7/1973

Participants: Nixon, Kissinger, Schultz

**Topics: Space Agreements** 

Conversation Number: 919-34 Conversation Date: 5/16/1973 Participants: Nixon, Schultz

Topic: Space Program

## Audiovisual Materials

#### **Audio Collections**

## White House Communications Agency (WHCA) Sound Recordings

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-08/whca-sr-complete-20180806.pdf

File ID/Number: B-016

Date: 7/16/69

Tape Contents: Interview with Agnew by ABC correspondent Bill Lawrence-JFK

Space Center Program Time: 08:44

File ID/Number: B-017

Date: 7/16/69

Tape Contents: Interview with Agnew by CBS correspondent Walter

Cronkite-JFK Space Center

Program Time: 10:14

File ID/Number: B-025

Date: 11/14/69

Tape Contents: Sprio Agnew's remarks at a luncheon following launch of Apollo

12-Cape Kennedy

Program Time: 05:10

File ID/Number: H-141

Date: 3/7/70

Tape Contents: Press briefing by Thomas Paine, Administrator, National

Aeronautics and Space Administration and Gerald Warren following the release of President Nixon's written statement Statement About the Future

of the United States Space Program

Program Time: 00:34:20

File ID/Number: H-159-160

Date: 4/17/70

Tape Contents: Press briefing by Ronald Ziegler and Michael Collins concerning

the Apollo 13 space flight and splash down.

Program Time: 20:00, 20:07

File ID/Number: H-353

Date: 3/9/71

Tape Contents: Press briefing by Apollo 14 astronauts

Program Time: 18:00

File ID/Number: H-486

Date: 1/5/72

Tape Contents: Press briefing by Gerald Warren, Dr. Fletcher of NASA, and

George Lowe on the starting of the Space Shuttle Program

Program Time: 44:00

File ID/Number: H-581

Date: 5/24/72

Tape Contents: Press briefing by Agnew and Dr. Fletcher of NASA regarding

US/USSR space relations

Program Time: 1:14:00

File ID/Number: P-690531

Date: 5/26/69

Tape Contents: Remarks by President Nixon in a telephone call to Apollo 10 astronauts Thomas Stafford, Eugene Cernan, and John Young, with

remarks by the astronauts

Program Time: 09:33

File ID/Number: P-690628

Date: 6/30/69

Tape Contents: Remarks by President Nixon at dinner for Apollo 10 astronauts

with Vice President Agnew, Lovell, Stafford, Cernan

Program Time: 11:00

File ID/Number: P-690709

Date: 7/15/69

Tape Contents: President Nixon's telephone call to Apollo 11 astronauts

Armstrong, Collins, and Aldrin at Cape Kennedy

Program Time: 06:05

File ID/Number: P-690714

Date: 7/20/69

Tape Contents: President Nixon's telephone call from the Oval Office to Apollo 11 astronauts Neil Armstrong and Edwin Eugene "Buzz" Aldrin on the

Moon, with remarks by astronauts Armstrong and Aldrin

Program Time: 02:39

File ID/Number: P-690715

Date: 7/21/69

Tape Contents: Congratulatory message by President Nixon to those involved in

Apollo 11 mission Program Time: 02:02

File ID/Number: P-690719

Date: 7/24/69

Tape Contents: Conversation between President Nixon and astronauts Armstrong,

Collins, and Aldrin aboard USS Hornet

Program Time: 06:05

File ID/Number: P-690821

Date: 8/13/69

Tape Contents: Remarks by President Nixon at a State Dinner for Apollo 11 astronauts at Century Plaza Hotel in Los Angeles, with remarks by Governor Reagan, Dr. Tom Payne, Vice President Agnew, Astronauts

Collins, Aldrin, and Armstrong

Program Time: 37:36

File ID/Number: P-691108

Date: 11/14/69

Tape Contents: Remarks by President Nixon to NASA Personnel at the Kennedy Space Center following the launch of Apollo 12 with additional remarks

by Dr. Thomas O. Paine Administrator of the National Aeronautics and

Space Administration

Program Time: 08:32

File ID/Number: P-691203-691204

Date: 12/3/69

Tape Contents: Remarks by President Nixon at the Opening Session of the Governors' Conference at the Department of State. With additional remarks by John D. Ehrlichman, Sprio Agnew, Robert Finch, Daniel P.

Moynihan, John Broger, Art Linkletter

Program Time: 11:02

File ID/Number: P-700415

Date: 4/17/70

Tape Contents: Remarks by President Nixon in a telephone conversation with

Apollo 13 astronauts on their return to Earth

Program Time: 03:04

File ID/Number: P-740317

Date: 3/20/74

Tape Contents: Remarks by President Nixon at NASA awards ceremony in

Crystal City, Texas Program Time: 20:00

#### Main Audio File

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-08/maf-complete-20180806.pdf

File ID/Number: MAF-6800003

Date: 10/7/68

Tape Contents: Speech by Richard Nixon at a campaign rally in Buffalo, New

York

Program Time: 31:27

File ID/Number: MAF-691008.1

Date: 10/8/69

Tape Contents: "U.S. Department of State Report, Vol.3, No.4"

Program Time: 20:00

File ID/Number: MAF-710400

Date: 4/71

Tape Contents: "U.S. Department of State Report, Vol. 4, No. 11"

Program Time: 20:00

## **Motion Film Collections**

#### **National Photographic Center Film Collection**

## https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-10/npc\_complete\_20180806.pdf

File ID/Number: NPC-1211-173-72

Date: 1/5/72

Event: Nixon Photo Ops: 1) Meeting with Fred Foy (1/8/1972); 2) Meeting James

C. Fletcher with model of a space shuttle

Runtime: Not listed

File ID/Number: NPC-1211-176A-74

Date: 3/20/74

Event: Nixon speech at the Lyndon Baines Johnson Space Flight Center. Includes tour (interior) of Space Center; being briefed on space modules; presenting

medals to three U.S. Astronauts

Runtime: Not listed

## **Motion Film File**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-08/mff-complete-20180806.pdf

File ID/Number: MFF-200

Date: 9/18/69

Event: "[President Nixon's] Address to the United Nations"

Runtime: Not listed

File ID/Number: MFF-235

Date: 1970

Event: "The First Step For Mankind": Actual footage of the Apollo 11 moon flight

and landing.

**Runtime: 34:50** 

File ID/Number: MFF-303

Date: 7/24/69

Event: President Nixon Greeting the Astronauts Aboard the Carrier Hornet

**Runtime: 32:40** 

## Video Collections

#### **WHCA Videotape Collection**

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2020-02/nixon-library-whca-video-complete-20200211.pdf

File/ID: WHCA 3372-3381 Title/Event: Apollo 11 Coverage

Date: 7/16/69-7/24/69

File/ID: WHCA 3412

Title/Event: State Dinner for Apollo 11 Crew

Date: 8/14/69

File/ID: WHCA 3510-3511; 3534-3535

Title/Event: Apollo 12 Coverage

Date: 11/14/69-11/24/69

File/ID: WHCA 4133, 4141 Title/Event: Apollo 14 Coverage

Date: 1/31/71

File/ID: WHCA 6382-6383

Title/Event: Skylab Landing, Tapes I & II

Date: 6/22/73

## Photographic Collections

## White House Photo Office (WHPO) Collection

https://www.nixonlibrary.gov/sites/default/files/2018-10/whpo-complete-20181001 1.pdf

Roll Number: 1558 No. of Images: 5 Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver

Date: 7/16/69

Event: President Nixon and NASA astronaut Col. Frank Borman at the White House, watching a television broadcast of the Apollo 11 moon shot liftoff

Participants: Nixon, Col. Frank Borman

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 1577-1578, 1582-1583, 1602

No. of Images: Unknown

Color/B&W: Both

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver

Date: 7/20/69

Event: President Nixon phone call to Apollo 11 astronauts on moon

Participants: Nixon, Col. Frank Borman, Ronald Ziegler, Dwight Chapin, Roger

Ailes, John Price, Bruce Whelihan, Oliver Atkins

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 1828-1830, 1832-1833, 1836

No. of Images: 81 Color/B&W: Both

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver

Date: 8/13/69

Event: Ceremonial award dinner for Apollo 11 astronauts in Los Angeles

Participants: Nixon, Neil Armstrong, Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin, Michael Collins, Mrs.

Collins, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Aldrin, Pat Nixon, Spiro Agnew, Judy Agnew, Julie Eisenhower, David Eisenhower, Tricia Nixon

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 1962 No. of Images: 10 Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver

Date: 9/15/69

Event: Nixon and Agnew attending meeting of Space Task Force

Participants: Nixon, Sprio Agnew, Thomas O. Paine, NASA Administrator; Robert C. Seamans, Secretary of the Air Force; Lee A. DuBridge, Science Advisor; Robert P. Mayo, Director, Bureau of the Budget; Arthur F.

Burns,

Counsellor; Peter M. Flanigan, Assistant; Milton Klein, Director, Division of Space Nuclear Systems, (Atomic Energy Commission AEC); U. Alexis Johnson, Ambassador; Russell Drew, Office of Science and Technology (OST); William A. Anders, Executive Secretary, NASA; Jerome B. Wolff, Office of the Vice President; Frank Pagnotta, Executive Officer, Office of Science and Technology (OST); Julian Scheer, Assistant Administrator for Public Affairs, NASA; Kenneth Esky

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 2357-2362

No. of Images: 101 Color/B&W: Both

Photographer: Kightlinger, Jack; Knudsen, Robert L.; Schumacher, Karl

Date: 11/5/69

Event: President Nixon and Pat Nixon with the Apollo 11 astronauts and their wives standing on a platform on the South Lawn, during a White House welcoming ceremony

Participants: Nixon, Pat Nixon, Commander Neil Armstrong, Mrs. Armstrong, Lt. Col. Michael Collins, Mrs. Collins, Col. Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin, Mrs. Aldrin

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 2410-2419 No. of Images: Unknown

Color/B&W: Both

Photographer: Schumacher, Karl; Atkins, Oliver

Date: 11/14/69

Event: Apollo 12 Launch

Participants: Nixon, Pat Nixon, Tricia Nixon, Spiro Agnew, Judy Agnew, Ron

Walker, Dwight Chapin Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 3336 No. of Images: 11 Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Knudsen, Robert L.

Date: 4/10/70

Event: President Nixon at the Goddard Space Center

Participants: Nixon, H.R. Haldeman, John Ehrlichman, Michael Collins

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 3353-3355

No. of Images: 61 Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Knudsen, Robert L.

Date: 4/17/70

Event: President Nixon meeting with former astronauts Michael Collins and

William Anders

Participants: Nixon, Michael Collins, William Anders, Henry Kissinger, Ronald

Ziegler

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 3371-3376 No. of Images: Unknown Color/B&W: Color

Photographer: Knudsen, Robert L.

Date: 4/18/70

Event: President Nixon awarding Medal of Freedom to Apollo 13 astronauts Participants: President Nixon, Pat Nixon, James A. Lovell, Mrs. Lovell, Fred W. Haise, Mrs. Haise, John L. "Jack" Swigert, Dr. Sigurd Sjoberg, Thomas

Paine, NASA Administrator

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 5564-5567 No. of Images: Unknown Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Schumacher, Karl

Date: 1/31/71

Event: Apollo 14 launch

Participants: Spiro Agnew, Judy Agnew, Henry Kissinger

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 6151-6153

No. of Images: 31 Color/B&W: Both

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver; Knudsen, Robert L.

Date: 4/27/71

Event: President Nixon attending swearing-in ceremony of Dr. James Fletcher as

Administrator of NASA by Judge James Belson

Participants: Nixon, James Belson, James Fletcher, Fay Fletcher, Mary Sue

Fletcher, Ginger Fletcher, Stephen Fletcher, Missy Fletcher

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 7962 No. of Images: 20 Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Schumacher, Karl

Date: 12/8/71

Event: Vice President Agnew presenting the NASA Distinguished Service Medal to the crew of Apollo 15, Col. David Scott, Lt. Col. Alfred Worden, and

Col. James Irwin while family members look on

Participants: Spiro Agnew, David R. Scott, Alfred M. Worden, James B. Irwin

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 8171-8175 No. of Images: Unknown Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver; Schumacher, Karl

Date: 1/5/72

Event: President Nixon with NASA officials in San Clemente

Participants: Nixon, John Ehrlichman, Dr. James Fletcher, George M. Low, Helen

**Thomas** 

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 8898-8899 No. of Images: Unknown Color/B&W: B&W

Photographer: Schumacher, Karl

Date: 4/16/72

Event: Vice President Agnew at space center for Apollo 16

Participants: Spiro Agnew, Judy Agnew

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: 9178-9180 No. of Images: Unknown Color/B&W: Color

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver; Knudsen, Robert L.

Date: 5/24/72

Event: President Nixon signing the agreement of cooperation in the exploration

and use of outer space in Moscow

Participants: Nixon, William Rogers, Henry Kissinger, Leonid Brezhnev, Nikolai

Podgorny, Alexei Kosygin

Frames Selected:

Roll Number: 9837, 9839

No. of Images: 16 Color/B&W: Both

Photographer: Knudsen, Robert L.; Atkins, Oliver

Date: 6/15/72

Event: President Nixon holding a space ship model while standing in the Oval office talking with Apollo 16 astronauts Commander John Young, Lunar Module Pilot, Charles Duke, Command Module Pilot Ken Mattingly and

NASA Administrator James Fletcher

Participants: Nixon, James Fletcher, Cdr. Thomas Mattingly III, Capt. John

Young, Col. Charles Duke, Jr

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: E1109 No. of Images: 13 Color/B&W: Color

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver

Date: 6/24/73

Event: President Nixon and Leonid Brezhnev with astronauts Capt. Charles Conrad, Jr., US Navy, Commander of Skylab, Commander Paul J. Weitz, USN, Skylab astronaut, and Cdr. Joseph P. Kerwin, USN Skylab astronaut.

Participants: Nixon, Leonid Brezhnev, Charles Conrad, Jr., Paul J. Weitz, Joseph

P. Kerwin

Frames Selected: All frames

Roll Number: E2470-E2471, E2473-E2474

No. of Images: Unknown

Color/B&W: Both

Photographer: Atkins, Oliver; Schumacher, Karl

Date: 3/20/74

Event: President Nixon at the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center

Participants: Nixon, James C. Fletcher, Administrator of NASA; Christopher C. Kraft, Jr., Director of the Johnson Space Center; Glynn Lunney, Technical Director of the Apollo-Soyuz Test Project; Brig. Gen. Thomas P. Stafford, astronaut and member of the Apollo 10 crew, Donald K. "Deke" Slayton, astronaut and Director of Flight Crew Operations; Vance Brand, astronaut;

Robert Thompson, Manager of the Space Shuttle Office

Frames Selected: All frames

#### Richard Nixon Foundation Collection of Audiovisual Materials

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Event: Nixon at the Apollo 12 launch

Participants: Nixon, Edgar Mitchell, Jim Lovell, Jim McDivett, Thomas Paine

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Event: Richard Nixon sits on the steps of the Capitol Building with a group of

astronauts. Three of them hold a model of a space rocket Participants: Nixon, Gordon Cooper, Alan Shepard, Scott Carpenter,

Wally Schirra, Gus Grissom, Deke Slayton, John Glenn,

Source: Not Listed

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Event: Richard Nixon and Leonid Brezhnev stand in front of Marine One with

NASA plaques in hand

Participants: Nixon, Leonid Brezhnev

Source: Not Listed

## Additional Materials

## Public Papers of the President

#### **American Presidency Project**

https://www.presidency.ucsb.edu/people/president/richard-nixon

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## **Primary Resources**

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## **NASA HQ Archives**

https://history.nasa.gov/finding\_aids.html

Purdue University Archives and Special Collections: Neil A. Armstrong Papers <a href="https://archives.lib.purdue.edu/repositories/2/resources/1158">https://archives.lib.purdue.edu/repositories/2/resources/1158</a>

University of Utah J. Willard Marriott Library, James Chapman Fletcher Papers <a href="http://archiveswest.orbiscascade.org/ark:/80444/xv61880">http://archiveswest.orbiscascade.org/ark:/80444/xv61880</a>