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# Stringbean Festival - Gray Hawk, Kentucky (FA 651)

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*Descriptive Inventory*

**FA 651      STRINGBEAN Festival – Gray Hawk, Kentucky**

1 box. 4 folders. 62 items. 2003. Originals, photographs, negatives, and slides.

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***COLLECTION NOTE***

The Stringbean Festival is held annually in June in Gray Hawk, Jackson County, Kentucky. The festival is hosted by Stringbean Memorial, Inc. which is a non-profit corporation named in honor of the late David "Stringbean" Akemon (1916-1973), a native to Jackson County, who was an internationally known musician and performer at the Grand Ole Opry and the television show, Hee Haw. The mission of Stringbean Memorial, Inc. is to organize, plan, and host annual traditional music and heritage festivals in Jackson County and to preserve and promote Bluegrass music.

***SHELF LIST***

<b>BOX 1</b>	<b>STRINGBEAN Festival – Gray Hawk, Kentucky</b>	<b>2003</b>	<b>62 items</b>
Folder 1	Inventory		1 item
Folder 2	Correspondence	2003	5 items
Folder 3	Photographs	2003	37 items
Folder 4	Slides and photos	2003	19 items

**BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD**

FA 651 STRINGBEAN Festival – Gray Hawk, 2003  
Kentucky

Materials documenting the 2003 Stringbean Festival, held in Gray Hawk, Jackson County, Kentucky. The festival is hosted by Stringbean Memorial, Inc. a non-profit corporation named in honor of the late David “Stringbean” Akemon (1916-1973), a native to Jackson County and an internationally known musician and performer at the Grand Ole Opry and the television show, Hee Haw.

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**SUBJECT ANALYTICS**

Akemon, David “Stringbean”, b.1916, d.1973 – Relating to  
Akemon, Phillip (Director)  
Bluegrass music  
Festivals – Kentucky  
Folk music

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