

## *Lesbians in the House Concert*

**SUNDAY 10 JULY SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE**

2000 lesbians gathered at the Sydney Opera House 20 years ago for an unforgettable night of great music & dance. On **10 July 2011** from 7 to 11pm lesbians will be back in the House with many of the original artists plus a whole lot more! The 1991 performers Judy Small, Deborah Cheetham, Anique, Kath & Ini and Jive with Jeanette dancers will be joined by Bluehouse, Julie McCrossin, Shauna Jensen, Kerriane Cox, Mignon Lee-Warden, Donna-Maree Dunlop, Sally Whitwell, Maeve Marsden, Cath Golden, Toni Lalach & Pia Cameron.

This unmissable celebration begins when the Opera Theatre Foyer opens at 6pm with a photographic exhibition by Diann Payne, a drumming welcome by Tranceportation and Feral Fingers and ACON's *This is Oz* social justice photo campaign. The concert includes surprises, a community choir, an honouring of lesbians who have died during the last 20 years and a young singers showcase featuring: Bo Banta, Gabby Dever, Hannah Matysek and Genevieve Chadwick.

This gala community event is for lesbians, our friends and family. Tickets available until concert begins \$140/\$100 Phone 02 9250 7777 [www.sydneyoperahouse.com](http://www.sydneyoperahouse.com) The concert will be Auslan interpreted.

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## **LESBIAN WEEKENDER SYDNEY 8 – 10 JULY 2011**

**Lesbians in the House Concert, Sydney Opera House  
Bush Dance, Marrickville and Day in Newtown**



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**Many thanks to everyone who has  
contributed to this special weekend.**

Weekender Photographers: Tracey Beckler and Dani Lane.

## Lesbian Bush Dance

FRIDAY 8 JULY 7-11PM  
HERB GREEDY HALL  
79 PETERSHAM ROAD, MARRICKVILLE

A kick up your heels for a rootin-tootin fun night with KD Twang, Lesbian Bush band led by Ruth Shepherd and guest country singer/whip cracker Kerrin Dow. Prizes for Dancing and Best Dressed. Raffle supporters include: Digital Camera Warehouse & King Street Newtown businesses Bloodwood Restaurant, Holy Sheet, Better Read Than Dead, Gelatomassi Women's Library & Eastern Flair. Women \$15/\$10 at door, children free.



*I have met many feminists who were not Lesbians  
but I have never met a Lesbian who was not a feminist.*  
~ Martha Shelley, Lesbian Activist, Feminist, Writer, Poet.

## Lesbian Movie Night

SATURDAY 9 JULY 7.30-10PM  
THE WOMEN'S LIBRARY  
10 BROWN ST, NEWTOWN

The Women's Library presents a great lesbian movie in feminist company. Join us for 'Better Than Chocolate', hot chocolate, chocolate treats and a lively discussion among the stacks.  
Women welcome, \$10/\$5 at the door.

*As a woman, I have no country. As a woman, I want no  
country. As a woman my country is the whole world.*  
~ Virginia Woolf (Lesbian Discussion Forum Topic)

## Day In Newtown

SATURDAY 9 JULY 10AM – 5PM  
NEWTOWN NEIGHBOURHOOD CENTRE  
1 BEDFORD ST, NEWTOWN (OPPOSITE TRAIN STATION)  
Women all day entry \$15/\$10 at the door, children free

### 10am – 5pm Lesbian Artisans Market & Stalls

Fiona Davidson, Jack Draper, Marg McHugh, Denise Walker, Sonia Zutt  
LOTL, Fostering Young Lives, One-in-Ten, Sound Therapy  
Rainbow Warehouse, Self Defence Now, Chai & Cakes and more !

### 10.30am Self Defence, Same Sex Salsa & Martial Arts

Demonstrations also at 1.30pm and 4pm by Newtown Martial Arts

### 11am – 12.15pm Lesbians in the Hall Poets: Host Jenni Nixon

Beatriz Copello, Keztril, Tricia Dearborn, Gabe Journey  
Jenni Nixon and Ray Tyndale followed by Open Mic

### 12.15pm – 1pm Lesbian Walking Tour of Newtown

Meet front steps of Newtown Neighbourhood Centre. Tour includes  
Twenty10, Flying Penguin and other lesbian owned/friendly places  
concluding with a 1pm BBQ Lunch at The Women's Library

### 1pm – 2pm Short Films by Girls' Own Pictures

Launch of feature film project "The Trouble with E"

### 2pm – 3.30pm Lesbians in the Hall Musos: Host Sin

Westgate Lounge, Sue Gee, Kerrin Dow, Pilot Darcy, Sally Hackett  
Colleen Fricker, Su Blu and Aimee Francis followed by Open Mic

### 3.30pm – 5.30pm Lesbian Discussion Forum: Facilitator Katrina Fox

Gail Hewison, Siri May, Steph Sands, Gabe Journey  
Corrina Liao, Holly Bennett and Mardi James

**Kids Corner:** 11am - 1pm Face Painting with Maureen Nash  
Art/Craft all day; 4pm Story Telling with Sara Johnston

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