



THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES

NAME OF COLLECTION	10/40 Conferences
ACCESSION NO	100/238; VWLLFA No. 95
CATEGORY	Community and Political, organisations
ACTIVITY	Feminist collectives
DATE RANGE	1991-1992
SIZE OF COLLECTION	12 cm (one archive box)
HISTORICAL NOTE	<p>The first National 10/40 Conference for women over 40 years of age, who had been active in the Women's Liberation Movement for 10 or more years, was held at Lake Cullulleraine, Victoria, on 17-20 April 1987. The venue was chosen because it was equidistant between the three major capitals. It was such a successful conference that it set the agenda for subsequent 10/40s which were held in a different state each year. The Conferences were organised by lesbian feminists and were mostly attended by lesbians with approximately forty to eighty registrations. Ten years of activism in the Women's Liberation Movement was always loosely interpreted and no-one was ever turned away or questioned on this. Discussions in workshops mainly centred round the issue of ageing. The 10/40s were a great deal of fun and helped break down ageist assumptions not only in the broader feminist and lesbian communities but also for the participants themselves. This collection is number 95 in the Victorian Women's Liberation and Lesbian Feminist Archive.</p>
DATE OF TRANSFER	2000
DESCRIPTION	Receipts; accounts; correspondence; registration forms; leaflets; notes; programs; stationary; minutes; contact list; photographs; notes.
ACCESS CONDITIONS	Open
NOTE ON LISTING	Data converted from a FilemakerPro Database in 2008. Series and Item numbers follow the original numbering system established for the VWLLFA. For boxes, the Collection Number precedes the box number. For item identifiers, the Collection Number precedes a classification number and an item number.

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1		Historical note	
	95/01	Accounts: receipts invoice bank statements	1992
	95/02	Articles	1992
	95/03	Conferences: notes	1992
	95/04	Contact list: mailing lists	1992
	95/05/01	Correspondence: incoming	1991-1992
	95/05/02	Correspondence	1992
	95/05/03	Correspondence (return to sender)	1992
	95/06/01	Registration: forms Collective	1992
	95/06/02	Forms: registration, attended	1992
	95/06/03	Registrations: forms, cancelled	1992
	95/07/01	Miscellaneous: leaflets, notes, Conference concert program, timetable, periodical: Wildwords	1991-1992
	95/07/02	Information pamphlets: leaflets, registration forms, budget, maps	1992
	95/08/01	Minutes 1991	1991
	95/08/02	Minutes 1992	1992
	95/09	Stationery	1992
	95/10	Crone group evaluations: notes	1992
	95/11	Perth conference: leaflets, contact list, photograph, periodical: 10/40 Newssheet for New South Wales Women	1992
	95/12	Vera Ray: notes, correspondence, map, contact list, periodical: Grapevine	1992
	95/13	Healesville Conference-Melbourne: Workshops attendance lists	17-20 April 1992
1	95/14	Conference material: spares	1992
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