



THE UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE ARCHIVES

NAME OF COLLECTION	Bird, Karen
ACCESSION NO	100/200; VWLLFA No.88
CATEGORY	Other, individuals
ACTIVITY	Feminists
DATE RANGE	1973-1984
SIZE OF COLLECTION	36 cm (3 archives boxes)
HISTORICAL NOTE	This collection is No.88 of the Victorian Women's Liberation and Lesbian Feminist Archive
DATE OF TRANSFER	2000
ACCESS CONDITIONS	Part restricted. See note on EMBARGOED material below.
DESCRIPTION	Half-way House minutes of meetings, re-evaluation meetings, Victorian Women's Refuge minutes; refuge articles, submissions, petitions, leaflets, media information, pamphlets; Sybylla Press minutes, newsletters, articles, seminar papers, publication catalogues; Women's Liberation discussion papers, articles, pamphlets; booklists; 9th Conference of Lesbians and Homosexual Men articles.
NOTE ON COLLECTIONS	Whole boxes of EMBARGOED material are listed and marked on the exterior and described as EMBARGOED on the list.
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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DATE	February 2011

Box No	Series No	Description	Date
1	88/1/1	'Everything: Anarcho-Feminist Newspaper' Sydney, Nos 4,5,6	1981-1982
	88/1/2	'Girls' Own: Sydney Feminist Newspaper' Nos 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8	1981-1982
	88/1/3	Miscellaneous publications: 'If I Was a Lady' 1975; 'Lowdown on the Top', Darwin Wimmin's Centre Collective (NT); 'Spare Rib' (UK) Jun 1981	1975-1981
	88/1/4	Miscellaneous newspaper clippings	1979-1982
	88/1/5	Maori issues	
	88/1/6	Assorted leaflets and handwritten notes	1979-1986
	88/1/7	Layouts for miscellaneous flyers	
	88/1/8	Film scripts: 'It's OK to Sweat', 'Women Break Out'	
	88/1/9	Non-Sexist education	
	88/1/10	Conferences - Miscellaneous	
	88/1/11	Women and Work- articles, statistics, photocopies, courses	1980
	88/1/12	Articles: rape, incest, sexuality, family some with handwritten notes	1977-1980
	88/1/13	Articles: children and childcare	
	88/1/14	Aboriginal issues	
	88/1/15	Publications on feminism and ideology: 'Gay Resistance: The Hidden History' 1978-1980; 'Lesbianism: A Socialist Feminist Perspective' by Susan Williams (Seattle) 1971 or 1973; revised draft 'Manifesto' (USA); 'The Big Stick of Heterosexuality: Sexual Compulsion Within Patriarchy' by Pat Gowland, 1982; 'Which Road Towards women's Liberation: A Radical Vanguard or a Single-Issue Coalition?' by Clara Fraser (Seattle) 1973; 'In Defense of Marxist Feminism: A Critique of Current Trends in the Socialist Feminist Movement' by Susan Williams (Seattle) 1973; photocopied article 'Feminism: A Statement Read at the First Feminist Congress in the United States, New York, Mar 1, 1919'; 'No Right Turn: A Socialist Feminist Perspective on Fighting the Right' Conference Paper presented at 9 th National Conference of Lesbians and Homosexual Men, Sep 2-3, 1983 at La Trobe University, Melbourne; 'Feminism as Anarchism' by Lynne Farrow (UK); 'Socialism, Anarchism and Feminism' by Carol Ehrlich (UK); 'Anarchism: The Feminist Connection' by Peggy Kornegger (UK); article on 'The Beginning of Women's Refuges' (Aust); 'History of Establishment of L.V. (Latrobe Valley) Women's Refuge', paper presented at State Refuge Conference 1979; assorted articles	1971-1983
1	88/1/16	Sybylla Co-Operative Press: 'Sybylla Cooperative Press and Publications Ltd – Publications Catalogue No 2 April 1984' (2 copies); background article on 'Pressing on'; article on 'Sybylla Press: A Radical Change'; Sybylla Collective minutes of meetings 20 Jul 1982-9 Nov 1982; article 'On	1982-1984

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		Getting Published in the Media' (2 copies); 'All About Publishing'; 'Cooperative Review, No 6, Nov 1982	
1	88/1/17	Women's Refuges Conferences	1980-1981
2	88/2/1	Strategy Against Right-wing Attacks (S.A.R.A.)	
	88/2/2	Womyn's Refuges: Miscellaneous	
	88/2/3	Woman Speak; Vol. 8 Nos. 1,2,3 – Aug-March	1983-1984
	88/2/4	Vashti: No. 26 summer 1979 and No. 29 Autumn 1981	1979-1981
	88/2/5	Women's Liberation Newsletter – Back-ups: Aug and Oct 1979 and July 1980	1979-1980
	88/2/6	Rouge; Australian Feminist Newspaper; Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6	1979
	88/2/7	Mixed publications: Treason for Revolutionary Anarchism (Victoria) No.4, Tightrope (Victoria) No.2, the Freedom Socialist: Voice of Revolutionary Feminism (U.S.) Vol. 9 No.3 1986, Direct Action; newspaper of Socialist Workers Party and Resistance No.470 March 1984, HOWL No.8, Fitzroy Voice May/June 1983, Learning Exchange; a community newspaper No.116 Oct. 1982, National Student (AUS) No.12 Mar 1980	1980-1986
	88/2/8	Lesbian Newsletter Nos. 37, 38 and 39- Aug 1982-Jan 1983 and Lesbian Newsheet Sept 1982	1982-1983
	88/2/9	Girl's Own; Sydney Feminist Newspaper: No. 9 Oct./Nov 1982 and Nos. 12 and 13 Aug-Dec 1983	1982-1983
	88/2/10	CO-AS-IT (Italian Assistance Association) Minutes 1/10	1980
	88/2/11	Victorian State Refuges Conference Papers, Oct	1979
	88/2/12	Race Relations in the USA	
	88/2/13	Women's Studies Reading Lists, esp. Non- Sexist lists	
	88/2/14	Scarlet Woman: No2 Sep 1975, No 4 Jul 1976, No 11 Sep 1980, No 16 Autumn 1983, No 17 Spring 1983, No 19 Spring 1984	1975-1984
3		Folders 1-11 in Box 3 are EMBARGOED until 2070	
	88/3/1	Minutes of Meetings*	1981
	88/3/2	Holden Street Squat (Halfway House HWH)*	
	88/3/3	Child Care*	1979-1981
	88/3/4	Address Issue*	
	88/3/5	HWH assorted material*	
	88/3/6	HWH -Minutes of Meetings*	1980
	88/3/7	HWH –Minutes of meetings*	1981
	88/3/8	HWH –Minutes of Meetings *	1982
	88/3/9	HWH –Minutes of Meetings*	1983
	88/3/10	Victorian Women's Refuge Group Minutes of Meetings, July and August*	1980
	88/3/11	HWH Re-Evaluation Discussion Papers*	1980-1982
	88/3/12	Women's Liberation Newsletter, Melbourne: Jun 1979, Jul 1979, Nov 1979, Dec 1979, Jan 1980, Feb 1980, Jun 1980, Aug 1980, Sep 1980, Oct 1980, Dec 1980, Jan 1981, Feb 1981, Mar 1981, Apr 1981, May 1981, Jul 1981, Aug 1981, Sep 1981, Oct 1981, Nov 1981, Dec/Jan 1981/1982, Feb 1982, Mar 1982, Apr 1982, Jun 1982, Aug 1982, Sep 1982,	1979-1983

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		Nov 1982, Dec 1982, Mar 1983, Apr 1983, May 1983	

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