

Reference Number: **2018.0074**
 Collection/Series Title: **PERFORMING OLDER WOMEN'S
CIRCUS**

Creator	Performing Older Women's Circus
Creator's Activity/Occupation	Feminists
Creator's Historical Note	
<p>The Performing Older Women's Circus began when Women's Circus member Jean Taylor conducted a brief series of workshops on circus skills for women over forty in 1995. These workshops culminated in a performance - Act Your Age. After the show members decided to continue as an autonomous group, under the auspices of Melbourne's Footscray Community Arts Centre. This collection is No.120 of the Victorian Women's Liberation and Lesbian Feminist Archive</p>	
Date Range of Collection/Series	1997-2016
Size/Extent	7 Units (2.29m)
Access Conditions	Access: Open
Scope and Content of Collection/Series	
<p>This collection is part of No.120 of the Victorian Women's Liberation and Lesbian Feminist Archive (VWLLFA) Photograph albums of POW events, audio visual material, posters, governance and organisational</p>	
Collection Category	Community and Political, organisations
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Unit/Box	Item Number	Title	Date Range	Description
2018.0074 Unit 1	2018.0074.0000 0.0001		c. 2000-2004	Performing Older Women's Circus Colour photographs need rehousing POW Photos 2000 The Art of Falling is Never Landing POW Photos 2001 The Art of Falling is never landing directed by Kim Baston POW Photos 2002 The Maiden Aunts Story POW Photos 2003 Pride March POW Photos 2004 Footscray Community Arts Centre Piggerlypress Draft POW Structure and decision making, administration and governance
2018.0074 Unit 2	2018.0074.0000 0.0002		2003-2011	Colour polaroid photographs of women practicing at North Melbourne or Northcote Town Hall 2003 Photos for This Skin 2004 Newspaper clippings Sheryl Correspondence 2011 CD POW Pride 2011 POW 19 September 2009 Photos CD File Cost effectiveness 2004 Staff Survey Loose papers governance and structure. Future of the POW POW Circus 2008, Class notes and administration POW Circus 2007 Pride POW Circus 2006 Pride POW Circus 2005 Pride March

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2018.0074 Unit 3	2018.0074.0000 0.0003		c. 1997-2003	Correspondence invitation to Jean and Ardie to presenters at the Radical Womens meeting Minutes c. 1999 2003 Budgets and Submissions c. 1997 2003 This Skin 2006 photographs / scrap book POW 2000 Scripts
2018.0074 Unit 4	2018.0074.0000 0.0004		2002-2016	Grant applications events and funding i.e. for the Art of Falling and Never Landing Mind your Mind Grant application documentation Age Shall Not Weary Her Correspondence file Age Shall Not Weary Her Cyberfeminism Publications Scripts and running sheets for small shows / gigs 2005-2016 POW Notes 2002-2003 promotion and administration of shows POW Notes 2004 promotion and administration of shows POW Minutes and Other notes 2005 POW Minutes and Notes February 2006 - 2008
2018.0074 Unit 5	2018.0074.0000 0.0005		2001-2015	Performing Older Women's Circus audio visual collection. 6 video recordings Power Moves 2001 broadcast on ABC. 10 cds POW events 2001-2015

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2018.0074 Unit 6	2018.0074.0000 0.0006		1997-2006	3 x unframed items photograph of POW with Steve Bracks and 2 certificates of appreciation Community Safety Week and the Big Day Out POW Power Moves 2001 POW Scripts The Maiden Aunts Story 2002 POW Show 2003 Something Old, Something New POW Show, Info and Research Script & Other notes / poems etc. This Skin March / April 2006 Carers Week 1999 POW Negatives POW Training notes POW Unstopped Mouths 1997 POW 1998 Over the Top with Tarot POW Aerials Fees 2002-2005 Transcript of 7:30 Report April 2002 POW Enquiries Melba Project Gig 2006 Storage and Display Notes
2018.0074 Unit 7	2018.0074.0000 0.0007		Undated	Performing Women's Circus photo montage x 7 A1 Boards
SI (Oversized) Unit 25	2018.0074.0000 1		2003-2006	Performing Older Women's Circus posters - Something Old Something New Directed by Kim Baston 12-20 September 2003 This Skin Directed by Vanessa Chapple 30 March-8 April 2006 - 2 copies

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