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### **Background**

In 1978, plans for a large women's centre were presented at the Women's Congress at Piha. At that time the Council for the Single Mother and Her Child (Joss Shawyer, Julie Maddison) and SOS (Save our Sisters - Megan Grant) were operating from two premises at New St, Ponsonby. After one building was destroyed by fire, CSMHC took the lease on 63 Ponsonby Rd, which ultimately became the home of the Auckland Women's Centre. Over the following twelve months, a number of women's groups were formed; the Women's Health Collective with Chris Gillies as the first coordinator; Rape Crisis (Susan St Claire). In late 1979, the Lesbian Support Groups began with a lesbian (phone) line on Saturday nights and a Monday night drop-in.

At the close of the 1980s, most groups were experiencing management issues and the house was described as being 'knee deep in paper'. In 1992-3, a new collective was formed and recognising the historic importance of the women's movement, applied for a heritage grant through the Lotteries Commission. Work on the records began in 1995. The records of the various organisations were identified and arranged as individual collections. The Centre's project led to the formation of a lesbian community-archiving group, the Lesbe-Friends of the Archives Trust, which over 1995 and 1996 collected and conserved further material on lesbian life in Auckland.

The objective of forming the Trust was to enter into a formal arrangement with the Auckland Public Library to hold and allow access to the archives under the terms of an agreement with the owning group. However, the project became a collection point rather than an ongoing active group. Collection of new material tailed off, and so too did work on the material held. When the Women's Centre moved to its new premises in Warnock St, the lesbian archives was stored in Linda Hill's house before being transferred to Special Collections, Auckland Central Library.

### **Processing notes**

Originally arranged by provenance, it is assumed that the arrangement and description of the collection was incomplete when presented to the Auckland City Libraries. The collection consists of material gathered from other sources such as Women's Centre and Council for the Single Mother and Her Child, and papers gifted to Lesbe-Friends by members and supporters. Some papers were filed under the name of the donor. Other file titles such as 'Recent material' and 'Older NZ Material' presents difficulties when trying to locate information.

It was decided to rearrange the collection into workable series and include a series titled Lesbian Collections that preserves provenance. While the individual lesbian collections have been maintained, some were separated in the 1995/6 arrangement and there has been no attempt to reconcile. The original 1995/6 inventory consisted of an itemised listing. The 2009 listing includes bullet points - these indicate a listing from the original inventory. Content descriptions written as a paragraph are part of this 2009 arrangement (time did not allow for an itemised listing). Original listings have been placed into the Collection Management file – enquiries to the Manuscript Librarian.

During initial processing (prior to arrival at Auckland City Libraries) all staples, regardless of condition were removed including newsletters pamphlets and books, and while many staples were replaced with paper clips, this was not consistently applied. Some items are too large and as a result, the paper clips not staying in place. Consequently, extra care is required during handling.

Mary Donald. October 2009.

## AUCKLAND LESBIAN ARCHIVES

### SERIES 1 : LESBE-FRIENDS ARCHIVING PROJECT

Papers relating to the formation of the Lesbe-Friends Archives Trust

#### 1.1 Incorporation papers, relating to the Lesbe-Friends Trust

Includes certificate of incorporation Jan 1996 (photocopy); Constitution and Rules of the Lesbe-Friends of the Archives Trust; several draft rules with annotations; The Charitable Trusts Act 1957 (photocopy); a list of founding trustees; a list of members(?) n.d.; *Guide to the incorporated Societies Act 1908* Part 1L Information for societies seeking incorporation March 1972; completed application form for incorporation as a board Jan 1926; minutes of meetings June - November 1995; lists of Trustees and members

#### 1.2 Constitution

Includes the constitution of the Lesbian and Gay Archives of NZ Trust (undated); Deed relating to the amalgamation of Lesbian and Gay Archives of New Zealand Trust Board and the Lesbian and Gay Rights Resource Centre and the formation of the Lesbian and Gay Archives of New Zealand 1992; the constitution of the Auckland Gay/Lesbian Welfare Group Inc.

#### 1.3 Correspondence 1993 – 1995

Includes letters relating to unsuccessful funding applications 1993; a letter to Linda Hill from the Auckland Women's Centre regarding a successful grant application and offering her the position of Archivist; sundry other letters

#### 1.4 Auckland Lesbian Archives

Poster advertising launch with an exhibition of posters July 1995; Flyers (folded and unfolded)

## **SERIES 2: Lesbian Collections**

Lesbian Collections consists of individual deposit and reflect the papers preserved by organisations and individuals

### **2.1 Sue Fitchett papers**

Consists of a collection of papers relating to Lesbian Coalition - a political action group focusing on the Homosexual Law Reform Bill 1985 and sundry lesbian papers.

Presented to Lesbe-Friends by Sue Fitchett (See also - poster collection for list of posters gifted by Sue Fitchett)

#### **2.1 Part 1 - Homosexual Law Reform 1985 - Legislative Papers**

- *Report of the Diocesan Committee on Homosexuality*. Diocese of Christchurch, with covering letter by W.W. Mahan, secretary, 23 October 1979. [photocopy]
- *Discrimination and homosexuality*. A reprint of the Official Summary and Recommendations of the New South Wales Anti-Discrimination Board's Report on homosexuality, undated
- *Public Statement on the Homosexual Law Reform Bill*. 20 May 1985. Human Rights Commission. NZ
- *Homosexual Law Reform Bill*. Hansard report, 9 October 1985. Second reading debate, pp 7254 - 7279
- *Questions for Oral answers, 16 Oct 1985*. Hansard p7392 – 7454 [stamped 'with the complements Fran Wilde M.P. for Wellington Central'] Contains questions and answers relating to the Homosexual Law Reform Bill p 7422 – 7454

#### **2.1 Part 2 – Lesbian Coalition papers**

- Lesbian Coalition letterhead
- Lesbian/Gay Coalition, Press Statement in relation to the item in Issue 26, July 9, 1985 *Minister wants to help homosexuals* [marked 'for Central Leader']
- Lesbian Coalition - Press Statement in relation to 'Stonewall Day' from Lesbian/Gay coalitions
- *Strategies: Tactics and Contingency plans in relation to the reform Bill and Lesbian Rights in Aotearoa*
- Discussion paper *How to Involve Interest Groups*
- Lesbian Coalition - *Statement about the Newspaper Advertisement*
- Leaflet produced by Lesbian Coalition *What's it got to do with you? Everything* leaflet, A4 pink
- Hand written notes re; using the Official Information Act.
- Letter to Greenpeace re: notice in newsletter, dated 2.8.85, Auckland Lesbian/Gay Coalitions – open letter to all supporters of the Homosexual Law reform Bill ... Stand up for Lesbian/Gay Rights March, 13 September 1985 – [pink A4 flier]
- *Input into the Royal Commission on social policy on Issues of Concern to Lesbians and lesbian Groups* Wellington, 4 August 1987
- Ministry of Women's Affairs, Project Titles as at 1.2.89, with handwritten note of meeting between MWA and Wellington lesbians, 21.2.1989
- *Lesbian Consultation Day at the Ministry of Women's Affairs*
- *Attention all lesbians – Finances of lesbian Coalition* [carbon copy and photocopy]
- Draft statement with annotations *We, Anne, Pilar, Sue, Vicki and myself* regarding dissatisfaction within the Lesbian Coalition.
- Theatre plan (Auckland Town Hall) mark-up for action re: Lion [AGM?]
- Meeting papers *Meeting between lesbian Coalition and Fran Wilde; 8am 21 June 1995 – Items for discussion* [annotated with additions mss notes]
- Homosexual Law Reform Bill – Lobbying and parliamentary procedures
- Homosexual Law Reform Bill – *How MP's voted, Who to Lobby and Why*
- Homosexual Law reform and lesbian/Gay Rights – leaflet *Who will be next??*

- *Answers to Myths* [dark yellow information sheet produced by Lesbian Coalition]
- List of names and phone numbers; A4 small accounts notebooks pages – many crossed out; A4 lined page; Photocopy of meeting present list.
- *Proposed Sex Law Vote Opposed* [2 photocopies partially covering article, Herald, updated]
- Media Survey - Working papers.
- Briefing paper prepared by the Lesbian Coalition for Fran Wilde M.P. and sundry papers

### 2.1 Part 3 – Sundry papers 1

- *On Tour '86 Queen Pictures* [flier – 2/3 A4] a touring exhibition co-including with the final reading of the Homosexual Law reform Bill 1986
- OUTLINE: Melanie's section – Homosexual Law reform Bill [Te Hokioi Proposal – June 85]
- *A Personal History and position paper on Broadsheet* – Sue Fitchett.' [3pp, carbon copy]
- Mental Health Foundation of NZ- *Small/Urgent Grants (up to \$1,000) Instructions for Applicants*
- LAVA – Lesbian Action for Visibility in Aotearoa [Wellington 28.2.89]
- Isherwood Trust, Newsletter, December 1989 and October 1992
- *Lesbian National Network* PO Box 427 Wellington, September 1990' ['second full-scale mail out' 'signed Jenny Rankine]
- *Points regarding possible ethics for lesbian therapy (in terms of maintaining a political perspective)* [carbon copy]
- Listener Women's Book Festival – LESBIAN AUTHORS – 16-22 September
- *Announcing The Auckland Lesbian Newsletter* [initial flyer for the Tamaki Makarau Lesbian Newsletter; with hand notes re Wellington newsletter]
- Lesbian Consultation with the Ministry of Women's Affairs
- *Open letter to Taiwi Lesbians from Nga Wahine Takataapui Ki Otautahi* [these three sheets marked 7-12 – could be pulled off a photocopier or gestetnered newsletter e.g. W'ton?]

## 2.2 Womanline Library papers

The following 2 files were transferred from the Woman-line Library's vertical files to the Lesbian Archive; **For Lesbians** was transferred in 1995 and **Lesbian Mothers' File** in 1999.

### 2.2 Part 1 For Lesbians

- *A Lesbian Feminist Statement* Critique of film Personal Best. Contact information for Dyke News, Woman-Line and Lesbian Support Group.
- *Lesbianism and the Women's movement* Nancy Myron & Charlotte Bunch, Diana Press. Photocopy
- *Children of Lesbians: A Case for custody* Leaflet [A4 sheet folded in 3]
- *Lesbianism on Trial in Custody Cases*. Photocopy of articles
- References about lesbian parents, Human Organisation Vol.40(1) Spr'81
- References re: homosexuality
- Extract from Family Law on 'Custody and Access' covering homosexuality
- Lesbian Mothers Publication list
- *Improving Services to gay and lesbian clients* Diana D. Dulaney & 'James Kelly, National Assn of Social Workers, 1982. Photocopy
- *Self-Health for Lesbian Women* Paula Klein 7 Suzanne Vilmain. Iowa 1978 Leaflet [A3 folded in 6]
- List of lesbian contacts, Dunedin, Nelson, Invercargill, Timaru, Auckland, Wellington and Christchurch [page from newsletter?]
- Leaflet about NZ tour of Barbara Hammer, March 1983. Photocopy
- Open letter about Barbara Hammer from Cathie Dunsford

- *Compulsory Heterosexuality and Lesbian Existence*. Adrienne Rich Signs. Vol. 5(4) 1980. Photocopy
- *We are Lesbians* [cross between a poem and a manifesto].

## 2.2 Part 2 Lesbian Mothers' File

- Leah Poulter, *Yoka Neuman and lesbian mothers*, *Broadsheet* November 1985
- *Children of lesbians: a case for custody*. A4 brochure produced by Lesbian Mothers Defence Fund, Dunedin
- Lesbian mothers Newsletter, December 1986
- *Lesbian Mothers workshop* Brief report on Lesbian Festival, Ponsonby n.d. unattributed
- Letter from Yoka Neuman to Womanline re Lesbian Mothers' Defence Group n.d.
- Two letters from J.M. Neuman for the LMDF [one marked "This is our accompanying letter to 'professional' and other people]
- Dunedin addresses, including Lesbian line, Gayline, Lesbian Mothers Defence Fund.
- Lesbian Mothers Defence Fund, Dunedin. 3 page info.
- Lesbian Mothers – Publications List.
- *What it's like to be a lesbian mother*. Lesbian Health Issues. Reprint from Boston Globe 25 September 1980

## 2.2 Part 3 Sundry papers 1

A file containing *Subcultural strategies* in Alan Sinfield's *the Wilde Century* Chapter 8; Andre Lardinois *Lesbian Sappho and Sappho of Lesbos* in Jan Bremmer (ed) *From Sappho to De Sade: Moments in the history of sexuality*; Joan Nestle, *Some understandings* from *A restricted Country*. Also several chapters from Joan Nestle (ed) *The Persistent Desire: a femme Butch Reader* including Amber Hollibaugh and Cherrie Moraga *What we're rolling around in bed with: sexual silences in feminism: a conversation towards ending them*; Arlene Istar *Feminine Dyke*; Barbara Smith *The dance of masks*; Arlene Stein *All dressed up but no place to go? Style wars and the new lesbian*; Myrna Elana *Define 'Community' : this is a test* (Poem); Joan Parkin and Amanda Prosser *An academic affair, the politics of butch-femme pleasures – a celebration of butch-femme identifies in a lesbian community*; Pat Califia *Diagnostic tests* (poem)

## 2.2 Part 4 Sundry papers 2

A file containing sundry papers including: fliers for the Tamaki Makaurau Lesbian newsletter; newspaper clippings; lesbian beer mats promoting safe drinking; Letter from Beatle Treadwell to Renate re Auckland Gay-Lesbian Welfare Group; *hersay* Information and newsletter for the lesbian community, printed by the Non-Alcoholic Lesbian Space Collective 1988; leaflets such as *is your child gay or lesbian*; *Lesbians and the Law*; *Counselling Ethics, some guidelines for lesbians* etc. Also a small quantity of papers relating to the following organisations – Lesbian National Network; Lesbian Coming Out Groups; Out of Line (Christchurch) Dyke News; Aids Foundation; Out Against Torture; Nationwide Lesbian and Gay Guide – Summer 1985/86; Lesbian Haven Info sheet; Metropolitan Community Church, Auckland; Lesbian and Gay Study Group; Auckland Gay-Lesbian Welfare Group etc

## 2.3 Rosemary Ronald papers

Lesbian material presented by Rosemary Ronald

- *When you met a lesbian person...* [photocopied and retyped]
- *Lesbian Activists Weekend*, Wellington Lesbian Centre, 30 May to 1 June? 1976 or 1972
- *The Lesbian Army is Marching* – songs
- Deborah Jones, *Survival, Sanity, Health and the Needle's Eye*

- Jill Harvey, *Past and Present Issues and Trends in the Wellington lesbian Feminist Scene*
- Rose Curl, *Wimmin's Spirituality*
- Gladys Gurney, *Age*
- Jo Crowley, *Separatism?*
- Chris Poland *Male Children*

## 2.4 Auckland Women's Centre

Lesbian papers transferred in 1995 from the Auckland Women's Centre Vertical Files

### 2.4 Part 1 File title – **Homosexuality and the Law**

- Pink Triangle subscription form
- *Gays and the Police – Your rights, guidelines and some advice*
- *Ought sexual minorities be recognised as prisoners of conscience? – Copenhagen, July 8, 1979*
- *The people approve, a bill is ready, why delay? – Equality Bill Campaign*
- *When Mother is a lesbian. Broadsheet July 1977.*
- *Suitable to nurse? – Nursing Mirror, April 23, 1981.*
- *Homosexuals 'not mentally ill' – Yes they are, claims Mr Hay Inner city News, March 1985*
- *Outfoxing the fuzz – Broadsheet, 1977*
- *Homosexuals plant protest tree NZ Herald October 19, 1992.*

## 2.5 Auckland Women's Health Centre

Lesbian and Gay papers transferred from the AWHC – no date

### 2.5 Part 1 Straight Dykes

[A mid 1980s alcohol and drug free lesbians group. File contains general information the group was using but nothing about the group itself].

### 2..5 Part 2 National Gay Right Coalition

[AWHC vertical file, included index list but only ticked items were in the file in July 1995]

### 2.5 Part 3 Lesbian Herstory Group

- List of members, Minutes of meetings – 1.9.90 and 29.9.90
- Questionnaire

### 2.5 Part 4 Auckland Gay-Lesbian Welfare Group

- Letter 28.2.90 – re: Lesbian line selection day.
- The Centre 6 Walfe Street: Letter from Jenny Rankine re: group about lesbian violence:
- Bi-Lines: Newsletter of the Wellington Bi-Sexual Women's Group 19 (jy92):
- Mindelta Friendship Club [for gay men and women], letters and confidential form.

## 2.5 Lesbian and Gay Speakers Group

### 2.6 Part 1 Minutes and sundry papers

A collection of papers including minutes of meetings Sept 5 – Nov 11 1985 (includes inaugural meeting); pamphlets and articles on AIDS; *Answer to Myths* a paper answering questions about homosexuality; sundry papers relating to the Homosexual Law Reform Campaign, 1985

### 2.6 Part 2 Homosexuality : a fact of life

An audiovisual slide presentation kit prepared by the Campaign for Homosexual Equality (England). The kit is complete with teachers' Guide; Student's booklet; Script; audio cassette and slides. The cassette is pulsed with a frequency that activates a slide change



when used in a Caromate audio/visual unit, automatically changing the slides at an appropriate time in the script

## **2.7 Council for the Single Mother and Her Child**

### **2.7 Part 1 Sexual Health**

Brochure *Do Lesbians need cervical smear tests*. Also a collection of papers transferred from the records of the Council for Single Mother and her Child prior to being gifted to Auckland City Libraries. These include – *Women and HIV Aids* 1994; *Safe Sex Guidelines for Lesbians about HIV/AIDS* (NZ AIDS Foundation); copies of relevant sections of various publications – safe sex; *World AIDS Day 1995* newsletter 1995 No 1; *Lesbian sex survey* by Janet Lever, published in *Advocate* Aug 1995; etc.

### **2.7 Part 2 Untitled file**

Three letters – one addressed to the Lesbian Support Group requesting info on Lesbian meeting places (1991); an 'Open letter to bisexuals and people working with bisexuals' n.d. with an A4 poster and flyer for the 2<sup>nd</sup> National Bisexual Conference in Christchurch 1992; an open letter regarding the lesbian and the Law project with a flyer *Lesbians and the Law*. Also flyers for *Lesbians and AIDs* and a promotional flyer for *Sweet Harmony* a new album of women's music by Hattie St John and Maxine Naden

## **2.8 Jenny Rankine interviews**

Notes from interviews with five lesbians - Shirley Tamihana; Miriam Saphira and Pauline; Jools and Shelagh. Interview notes Anne Young (physically disabled); C1980

## **2.9 Lesbian Community Group'**

Open letter from the Lesbian Community Group March 27 1985 with attached draft letter of law reform support to the Committees Clerk, Statutes Revision Committee ; A copy of an article published in *the Gay Church of New Zealand* 1985 Index No 40 '*God Defend Homosexuals from bigotry, religious zealots and the ignorant*' (from the NZ Herald n.d.)

## **2.10 Sharon Alston papers**

SHARON ALSTON, graphic artists, activist for lesbian and gay rights, lover. Acquisition of lesbian papers from her estate, received 24.10.1997

### **2.10 Part 1 Sundry papers**

- The Women's Gallery, 26 Harris St, Wellington. Includes Flier about Women's Gallery to potential members; drafts of a letter about the Gallery to potential members; Membership rates, with a handwritten letter from Sandi to Sharon & Anna.
- Circle, a lesbian-feminist magazine. Winter 1976 No. 2
- LIP, issue 3, August 1998
- Wellington Lesbian Newsletter, November 1980

#### **Papers**

- Allie Eagle, A Herstory of lesbian/feminism in New Zealand
- Lesbians Ignite: About Lesbian Feminism [First 2 pages about lesbians in the NZ women's movement, followed by 5 pages about lesbians in the women's movement in the US women's movement, refs to Charlotte Bunch]

#### **Fliers**

- "A film about us..." Flyer to get lesbians involved in making "Top Drawer Studio, 440A Richmond Rd, Grey Lynn Auckland. Ph 784 576 and ask for Sharon.
- Lesbian Mothers Weekend, 2-3 July 19\_\_? At Karanga Youth Camp, off Te Henga Rd, Bethells, Auckland. With handwritten note to Sharon from Maureen J.
- Lesbian Liberation March, 10 October 1980, Wellington
- Lesbian Liberation Week, Calendar of events, 4-11 October 1980
- A calendar of events for lesbians and gay people Compiled by Gay Media Alliance, No. 11, October 1980 [New York]

[See also in Posters:

'Anti-gay petition doesn't add up: Lesbians are organising, you can count on this'  
[1985] 'Lesbianism means...giving women primacy in your life – emotionally,  
sexually, personally, politically' – with a sticker 'Lesbianism: Dare to be Free'. Both  
published by the Women's Rights Action Committee, NZUSA, PO Box 9047,  
Courteney Place, Wellington.]

### **2.10 Part 2 Sharon Alston Retrospective Exhibition**

A collection of papers relating to Sharon Alston's art work presented by Sue Fitchett  
20/2/1999. Includes an Accounts book marked: "SHARSONALSTON RETROSPECTIVE  
EXHIBITION Committee - Robbie Champtaloup, Jane Zusters, Fran Marno, Sue  
Fitchett. [books disposed of except for pages showing accounts, rest blank. Loose  
receipts also disposed of.] Catalogue, Commentary by Jane Zusters, blessing by Lainey  
Cown. Letters, notices and photocopy of clippings. Print of poster for exhibition, together  
with transparencies [badly stuck together with ink]

## **Series 3 - Lesbian / Gay Community - New Zealand**

### **3.1 Books lists and references**

- LILAC – the lesbian library. Fliers.
- Email relating to Sarah Welch's BMSci thesis on Lesbian Mental Health.
- A canon of lesbian fiction [compiled by Aorewa McLeod, ca. 1995].
- Lesbian book list, January 1994. The Women's Bookshop, 228 Dominion Road, Auckland.
- New Women's press: The exploding Frangipani [1990].
- Lesbian Booklist.
- A lesbian bibliography, fiction and non-fiction. [from Auckland Women's Centre info files].
- The Out! Centre bookshop – special shipment just arrived – new lesbian books. 21 High Street, Auckland.[marked 'Lesbian Public Education Speaking Group, Box 47 090, Auckland'].
- From Woman Line Library book list, see WL 2 in Auckland Public Library archives collection].

### **3.2 Conferences NZ**

- 1995 Lesbian Studies Conference / Honong waahine takatapui, 19 – 21 May, Wellington.
- Brochure, Information Sheet, registration form and programme.
- 1993 Lesbian Studies Conference, programme.
- Lesbian/Gay conference, Auckland, Easter Weekend, March 24-27, 1989. Registration form and change of venue flier.
- Lesbian statement. The text of the lesbian speech to the United Women's Convention. [Christchurch, 1977].

### **3.3 In the News**

A collection of newspaper clippings and articles relating to lesbians including Freda Stark, the first criminal case of same-sex harassment; lesbians challenge High Court for their right to marry 1996; The Topp Twins (Listener Dec 14 1996); etc.

### **3.4 Research papers NZ**

- Karen Adams some lesbians' perceptions of the Human Rights Act MASocSci. Victoria University of Wellington, 1993.
- Law Reform: The issues of lesbians, fact sheet no.1 – lesbian Education Group.
- Jenny Rankine, Sexuality – Choice or Born-Than-Way: And what it all means to women? [for a Broadsheet article, written up from 2 A4 sides of notes distributed with a conference presentation].
- Papers re: ALAC Women and alcohol – Lesbian project, June 1995 [Jenny Rankine].
- Nan McDonald, dykes or Dykies? – more towards Lesbian Economics. Survey questionnaire, 1995.
- Judith Byrne, chapters of poor visibility: Lesbian and Poverty. 1997 Victoria University MA thesis.
- Ch.1 Literature Review. Concluding discussion.
- Julie Glamuzina, Sources for lesbian history in Aotearoa, 1994.
- Judith Byrne: What the 1996 census tells us about lesbians. Paper to Women's Studies Conference, 1998.

### **3.5 Sundry Lesbian papers NZ**

- History – Feminist Activity in Auckland: A history of past and present issues and trends.
- Dilys Grant in discussion with Val Cole, Rosie Howard and Jenny Ruth, September 1974.

- Lesbians Ignite – a clarification. The Lesbians Ignite Fire Brigade. Updated.
- Lesbians Ignite: about lesbian feminism. [ca. 1976-7?].
- Allie Eagle, a history of lesbian feminism in New Zealand. Updated.
- Jan Emetchi, lesbian background paper for Hamilton. October 1978.
- Lesbian feminist gathering, Wainuiomata, 17-20 November 1978.
- Chris Poland, Lesbian Mothers.
- Jill Livestre, Class and lesbianism in New Zealand: Some thoughts.
- Lesbian sexuality, history press, Wellington.

### **3.6 Sundry papers 1**

Includes Relationships and Sexuality, Chapter 10 *Loving Women: Lesbian life and relationships*; *Old Lesbians Organize – National Network Proposed* May 1 1987 'Sentinel' (photocopy); Rape: the end of every wolf whistle (bumper sticker)

### **3.7 Sundry papers 2**

Includes *Women's Shop*, Christchurch – catalogue for May 1991

### **3.8 Sundry papers 3**

Contents of a file. Includes flier such as the Lesbian only night performance of Eugenia performed at Watershed; the lesbian Education and Support Organisation; Northland Lesbian's *Let the Games Begin*; Exhibition of paintings by Linda James 1996; *Exploring our edges – woman's gathering 1996*; Wanderwomen NZ adventure holidays 1996-97; Splendid in the Grass – the lesbian picnic 1996. Also the Pride centre Annual report 1995-1996; an open letter to Tauwiwi lesbians from Nga Wahine Takataapui ki Otautahi n.d. Also 2 tickets to the 13<sup>th</sup> lesbian Ball Aug 1996. Also a single newsletter from the Auckland Women's Health Centre – No 63

### **3.9 Lesbian & Gay Community newsletters**

Includes Centre News; Collective Thinking; Time for lesbian and Gay Youth; Triangle newsletters' Pride Centre news

### **3.10 Lesbian & Gay Community newspaper clippings**

Sundry newspaper clippings 1995 – 1997

## **Series 4 Lesbian / Gay Community - Overseas**

### **4.1 After the Parade : report Back 1992** (Ireland)

For presentation to an open meeting of lesbians and gay men in the Ormond Hotel, Dublin 11<sup>th</sup> April 1992 by GLEN (Gay and Lesbian Equality Network)

### **4.2 Anti-discrimination literature about lesbians, gays and health issues, from Peru and Bolivia**

[in Spanish, visitor to Auckland Women's Centre from the Centro de promoción de la mujer Gregoria Opaga in La Paz.]

### **4.3 Conference Packs:**

- Women and Celibacy Conference, June 20 (no year) (England)
- The 1992 Annual Lesbian Separatist Gathering (USA)

### **4.4. Overseas Papers**

- Robin Morgan, Lesbianism and Feminism.
- Paula Tree, Liberating Sexuality.
- The debate over female sexuality, McCalls, November 1972.
- 'Loving a woman' and other experts from a sexuality handbook, unidentified.
- Femme
- Rita Helling, The Theory of knowledge used as a weapon for the suppression of women.
- Margaret Flaws, Anarchism and feminism.
- CLIT – Collective Lesbian International Terror.
- Part gay – part straight – interviews and notes.

### **4.5 Link, Davao** (Philippines)

*Separatist Symposium* by Liza Cowan, The Gorgons, Penny House (photocopy) with a covering letter from Marivic Desquitado, Lesbian Organisation, Davad City, Philippines. 1993.

## **SERIES 5 – Lesbian fliers and brochures – New Zealand**

### **5.1 Social Events**

Predominantly Auckland. Invitations, flyers, postcards, newspaper clippings etc. Includes - includes *Glitter us* dance party 1999; Rhona Cameron 1999; Love Box woman's dance space; Women's festival 1994; Circ fundraiser 1995; Footsteps Nightclub; Auckland Women's Centre presents special preview of *When Night is Falling* at the Rialto; Lesbian Police's secret ball 1996; *Ramona and Juliette*; Cask and Clever (new lesbian club) 1994; 10<sup>th</sup> annual Lesbian Ball 1993; The Womyn's Film Festival – Outreach, Ponsonby c.1990; Summer Camp; Girl Bar; Bar Bella; The Party Dyketionary ; Dancing the Gay Fandango – Depot Theatre; plus sundry lesbian bars, lesbian dances, plays

### **5.2 Lesbian Identity / Coming out**

Flyers and brochures – predominantly Auckland. Includes Lesbian Education and Support Organisation; Wellington Bisexual Women's Group; Bi-social Support Group, Auckland; lesbian Coming Out Groups/Biblio/useful information list; lesbian Support Group – poster; *Lesbians/Gay women who have been counselled by Lesbians* – questionnaire n.d.; *Alpha Awareness for Lesbians* (Work books for weekend workshop) Nov 1989

### **5.3 Political Activist**

Flyers, brochures, clippings etc. Includes flyer for a meeting *Violence in the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & transgender communities* organised by the Pride centre, Auckland 1995; bumper sticker *Rape: the end of every wolf-whistle* n.d.; *lesbians and will making; Counselling Ethics – some guidelines for lesbians*; Wellington Community Law Centre-press release *Lesbian and the law* ; letter regarding *lesbians and alcohol: Pink Health Conference* 1995; *Diversity Policy for the Labour Party 1995 Local Body Election Campaign* prepared by Jo Cowley Draft; Etc.

### **5.4 Lesbian Enterprises**

Indigo Café, Ponsonby; Wanderwomen; Outdoor adventures *Journeys...* an adventure programme for women 1992 – 1993 programme; etc.

### **5.5 Gay and Lesbian Community fliers**

Includes *Summer Out-ing* at Grey Lynn Park 1986 and 1987; *Lesbian and Gay coupled - legal issues*; *Queer Read - readers and writers' festival* 1995 etc

## Series : 6 Lesbian newsletters and periodicals – New Zealand

### 6.1 **Against All Odds**

Dunedin's Lesbian Newsletter – No 5 March 1985

### 6.2 **Bitches, Witches and Dykes:** a women's liberation newspaper

Vol 1 No 1 Aug 1980; Vol 1 No 2 Dec 1980; Vol 2 No 1, June 1982; Issue 6 August 1982; Letter to Women re production Nov 1 1982

### 6.3 **The Circle**

The Circle was produced by a working collective of homophile women from the newly formed Wellington branch of S.H.E. (Sisters for Homophile Equality). In subsequent years additional collectives were set up in Auckland, Christchurch and Dunedin with editorial responsibility spread across the collectives. This affected the number of issues produced each year. Initially a monthly magazine, issues gradually became combined and eventually the Circle was published intermittently. Issue 44 (1985) states in its editorial that The Circle from this point will be for Lesbian women only. A message from the Wellington Collective concludes with these words – '*This time we are not going to forecast when the next issue will come out or who will produce it, as previous forecasts have not been accurate. It is up to you the reader to produce contributions and form the next collective.*'

6.3 Part 1 Issue 1, Dec 1973 (first issue) – Issue 5, April 1974

6.3 Part 2 Issue 6, May – Issue 12, Nov 1974

6.3 Part 3 Issue 13 -14, Dec/Jan – Issue 20-22, Jul/Sep 1975

6.3 Part 4 Issue 23, Winter 1976 – Issue 30, Winter 1978

6.3 Part 5 Issue 31 1979 – Issue 35 1980

6.3 Part 6 Issue 36 1981 - Issue 41 1983

6.3 Part 7 Issue 42 1983 – Issue 44 1985 (last issue?)

### 6.4 **Country Dyke Delight** (Nelson)

Vol 1 No 5 Dec 1992; Vol II No 9 Aug 1993;

### 6.5 **Dyke News 1982 – 1984**

Produced in Auckland, Dyke News was designed to address political and social issues. An incomplete set

4.2 Part 1. Issue 1, April 1982 – Issue 9, July 1982

4.2 Part 2. Issue 10, Aug 1982 – Issue 19, Dec 1982

4.2 Part 3. Issue 20, Jan 1983 - Issue 29, May 1983

4.2 Part 4, Issue 30, June 1983 – Issue 39, Oct 1983

4.2 Part 5, Issue 40, Oct 1983 – Issue 47, March 1984

4.2 Part 6, Issue 50, May 1984 – Issue 56, Nov 1984

- 6.6 Feminist Teachers Newsletter**  
Issue 25, Dec 1986;
- 6.7 Fun Brigade News** (Hamilton)  
No 4 Sept 1993
- 6.8 Gisborne Lesbian Support Group**  
Newsletter No 2, Nov 7<sup>th</sup> 1993; No 3, Nov 27 1993; No 4, Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 1993
- 6.9 The Glad Rag (Wellington)**  
May 1983 and two other issues
- 6.10 Hersay.**  
Information/newsletter for the lesbian community. Printed by Non-Alcoholic Lesbian Space.  
No 1; No 2; No 3 Apr/May 1988; No 4 May 1988; No 5 Jun 1988;
- 6.11 Juno** (Auckland)  
Issue 1, 1977; Issue 2 (2 copies) n.d.; Issue ? n.d.; Series II Issue No 2; Series II Issue No 3; Series II Issue No 4; Series II Issue No 4; Series II No 6 n.d.
- 6.12 K.G Club Newsletter** (Auckland)  
1981
- 6.13 Lesbian Link** (Nelson)  
Newsletter – Dec 1993; Winter Fest 1994; April 1994; Oct 1994; Dec 1994; Feb 1995
- 6.14 Lesbian Lip** (Wellington)  
May/Jun 1982;
- 6.15 Lesbian Newsletter**  
Issue No 8 March 1989; No 10, Aug 1989; No 14 Jun 1990; No 15, Sep 1990; No 18, Jul 1991; No 19, Oct 1991; No 20, Dec 1991; Issue No 21 Mar 1992; No 24, Sep 1992; No 28, Jul 1993; No 29, Sep 1993; No 30, Nov/Dec 1993; No 33, Jul 1994; No 34, Sep 1994; No 35, Dec 1994; No 36, Mar 1995.
- 6.16 LIP: Lesbians in Print**  
Full set from No. 1 (May 1985) to 26 (July 1992). Mainly produced at the Auckland Women's Health Centre, with Kerryn Perkins as the key person involved in the production in its last years
- 6.16 Part 1 Issue 1 May 1985 – Issue 9 Sep 1986
- 6.16 Part 2 Issue 10 Nov 1986 – Issue 17 Jul/Aug 1988
- 6.16 Part 3 Issue Special Oketopa/Noema 1988 – Issue 26 Jul 1992
- 6.17 Otautahi Lesbian Newsletter** (Christchurch)  
Oct 1991, Sept 1992;
- 6.18 Otautahi Lesbian Outpost** (Christchurch)  
Issues No 1 April 1994; Issue No 3 ; Issue 4 Nov 1994; Issue 5 Dec 1994;
- 6.19 Out of Line** (Christchurch)  
May 1991 (2 copies)
- 6.20 Polly** (Proud Older Lesbians Like You) (Auckland)



Aug 1990; Sep 1990; Oct 1990; Nov 1990; Feb 1991; May 1991; Jun 1991; Jul 1991; Aug 1991; Sep 1991; Nov/Dec 1991; Jan 1992; Apr 1992; May 1992; Jun/Jul 1992; Jul 1992; Aug/Oct 1992; Nov 1992-Jan 1993; Jan/Feb 1993; Mar/Apr 1993; May/Jun 1993; Jul 1993; Aug/Sep 1993; Oct/Nov 1993; Mar/Apr 1994; Jul/Aug 1994; Sep 1994; Nov/Dec 1994; Aug/Sep 1995;

**6.21 Pride Newsflash (Hamilton)**

No 1(?) June 1994; No 10 Apr 1995

**6.22 Sapphic Star (Auckland)**

No 3 Dec 1989; No 6, Mar 1990; No 8, May 1990; No 9, Jun 1990; No 10 Jul 1990; No 11 Aug 1990; No 12 Sep 1990; No 13 Oct 1990; No 14 Nov 1990; No 16 Feb/Mar 1991

**6.23 Tamaki Makaurau Lesbian Newsletter, (Auckland)**

Incomplete set, from commencement in September 1990 to 2000

6.23 Part 1 Vol. 1. Issues 1 - 11 1990 – 1991

6.23 Part 2 Vol. 2, Issues 1 - 9, 11, 12 1991 – 1992

6.23 Part 3 Vol. 3, Issues 1 – 12 1992 – 1993

6.23 Part 4 Vol. 4, Issues 2, 3, 5 - 11 1993 – 1994

6.23 Part 5 Vol. 5, Issue 1 – 11 1994 – 1995

6.23 Part 6 Vol. 6, Issues 1 - 11 1995 – 1996

6.23 Part 7 Vol. 7, Issues 1 - 11 1996 – 1997

6.23 Part 8 Vol. 8, Issues 1 - 11 1997 - 1998

6.23 Part 9 Vol. 9, Issues 1 - 11 1998 – 1999

6.23 Part 10 Vol. 10, Issues 1 – 10 1999 - 2000

**6.24 Wellington Lesbian Network Newsletter**

6.24 Part 1 Lesbian Newsletter, assorted issues 1989 – 1995

6.24 Part 2 Lesbian Newsletter, assorted issues 1989 – 1995

**6.25 Womins Resource Centre Newsletter (Wellington)**

**6.26 Womyns Words (Hamilton)**

No 29 and No 30 (year not known)

**Series 7****Overseas Lesbian newsletters and periodicals**

- 7.1 Amazonas d'hier Lesbiennes D'aujourd'hui** (Canada)  
Vol 1 No 0 Mar 1982;
- 7.2 Angles** (Canada)  
The magazine of Vancouver's Lesbian and Gay Communities  
Sep 1992
- 7.3 Big Apple Dyke News** (USA)  
Lesbian Feminist Month. New York  
7.3 Part 1 Vol II - No 5, 6, 8, 9, 10  
7.3 Part 2 Vol III – No 1, 2, 3, 4, 6,
- 7.4 Books for Us: a catalogue from Gay's the Word** (England)  
Spring 1981
- 7.5 Capital Gay** (England)  
No 551 Jul 3 1992
- 7.6 EuroPride : Absolutely Proud 1992** (England)  
June 27 1992 (first issue)
- 7.7 Gay Community News** (Aus)  
Vol 4 No 3 Apr 1982
- 7.8 Gay News** (USA)  
Vol 12, No 43, Nov 1 1985; Vol 12 No 48 Dec 6 1985
- 7.9 International Lesbian and Gay Association** (Belgium)  
ILGA Bulletin 4/1993: ILGA Bulletin 3/1994 with inserts including flyer for Stonewall 25 (1994 New York) and flyer for Gay Games New York 1994
- 7.10 In the Life: newsletter of the West Coast Lesbian Collections** (USA)  
No 2 Fall 1983;
- 7.11 Lesbia** magazine (France)  
No 100 Dec 1991
- 7.12 Lesbian Connections** (USA)  
April 1982 (cover missing) Vol 5 No 6 Sep 1982; Vol 6 No 2 Mar/Apr 1983; Vol 6 No 3 Jun/Jul 1983; Vol 7 No 1 Apr/May 1984; Vol 7 No 3 Aug/Sep 1984; Vol 9 No 4 Jan/Feb 1987;
- 7.13 Lesbian Contradiction** a journal of irreverent feminism (USA)  
Issue 48 Fall 1994
- 7.14 Lesbian London** (England)  
Issue 7 Jul 1992; Issue No 12 Dec 1982/Jan 1993; Issue 20 Vol 1993; Issue 21 Dec 1993/Jan 1994; Issue 22 Feb 1994; Issue 24 May 1994.
- 7.15 Lesbian Network** (Australia)  
7.15 Part 1 Issue No 5, Spring 1985; Issue No 9 Spring Equinox 1986; Issue No 13 Spring Equinox 1987; Issue No 14 Summer Solstice 1987; Issue No 26 Summer Solstice 1990

- 7.15 Part 2 Issue No 27 Autumn Equinox 1991; Issue No 29 Spring Equinox 1991; Issue No 33 Spring Equinox 1992; Issue No 38 Summer Solstice 1993;
- 7.16 Lesbian News (USA)**  
Vol 9 No 1 Aug 1983 (ex Hattie St John); Vol 11 No 4 Nov 1985'
- 7.17 Lesbian Resource Centre (USA)**  
November 1985;
- 7.18 Lesbians on the Loose (Australia)**  
7.18 Part 1 Issue 12 Dec 1990; Issue 15 Mar 1991; Issue 33 – Vol 3 No 9 Sep 1992 (2 copies); Issue 34 – Vol 3 No 10 Oct 1992; Issue 45 – Vol 4 No 9 Sep 1993; Issue 49 – Vol 5 No 1 Jan 1994  
  
7.18 Part 2 Issue 50 – Vol 5 No 2 Feb 1994; Issue 52 – Vol 5 No 4 Apr 1994; Issue 53 – Vol 5 No 5 May 1994; Issue 55 – Vol 5 No 7 Jul 1994; Issue 57 – Vol 4 No 9 Sep 1994; Issue 58 – Vol 4 No 10 Oct 1994; Issue 59 – Vol 4 No 11 Nov 1994; Issue 60- Vol 5 No 12 Dec 1994; Issue 61 – Vol 6 No 1 Jan 1995; Issue 61 – Vol 6 No 1 Jan 1995
- 7.19 Lesbian Times (Australia)**  
Vol 2 No 3 May 1993; Vol 2 No 11 Jan 1994; Vol 2 No 12 Feb 1994; Vol 3 No 1 Mar 1994;
- 7.20 Out Loud (Australia)**  
No 4 Mar 1993; No 6 Aug 1993
- 7.21 New Internationalist (Aus)**
- 7.22 Revolutionary & Radical Feminist Newsletter (England)**  
7.22 Part 1 Autumn 1980; No 7 Summer 1981; No 8 Autumn 1981; No 9 Winter 1981/82; No 11 Summer 1982; No 11 Autumn/Winter 1982  
  
7.22 Part 2 No 12 Spring 1983; No 13 Autumn 1983; No 14 Summer 1984; No 15; No 16 (1986?).
- 7.23 Sacramento Star (USA)**  
Vol 1 No 15 Dec 15 1982
- 7.24 Sappho: Lesbian feminist voice (England)**  
Vol 8 No 7 1981;
- 7.25 Sappho of the Hunter (Australia)**  
Issue 18 1983; Issue 3 Nov 1993; Issue 4 1994; Issue 5 1994; Issue 6 1994; Issue 7 1994
- 7.26 SEPS News (USA)**  
Vol 1 No 1 & 2 1991; Vol 6 No 3 April 1992
- 7.27 Telewoman; a woman's newsletter (USA)**  
July 1983; Aug 1984
- 7.28 Womynlovers; separatist newsletter (USA)**  
Vol 1 No 3 Winter 1981

## **Series 8: Sundry NZ newsletters, magazines, publications**

- 8.1 Canta** (Christchurch)  
Canta Comes Out. Vol 52 No 13 June 28 1982
- 8.2 Craccum – Girl Love Issue**  
Issue 21, Sep 16 1991. Auckland University Students Assoc
- 8.3 Lesbian sexuality**  
*Lesbian Sexuality* reprinted by Auckland Circle Sept 1974 by SHE, Wellington:
- 8.4 Out Front: lesbian political activity in Aotearoa 1962 – 1985**  
By Julie Glamuzina . Edited and designed by Jenny Rankine.
- 8.5 Sexuality 1**  
reprinted by Otago University Students' Association
- 8.6 Womenspace monthly** – Women Writer's Collective  
Issue 1; Issue 2; Issue 3. 1995(?); AUSA, Auckland
- 8.7 Korerotia Wahine Ma**  
Black Women's Forum June 1992. Also two photocopied articles *Black Dykes* 1980; *I am a Dyke* August 1982

## Series 9: Overseas newsletters, magazines, publications

- 9.1 **Connexions** : an international women's quarterly (USA)  
No 3 Winter 1982 with article on 'Global Lesbianism'
- 9.2 **Lesbian Festival July 1991 Sydney (AUS)**  
Programme, 3 flyers promoting functions, order forms for *Directory of Lesbian Skills* and the Lesbian Festival '91 ticket booking form
- 9.3 **Lesbian Space Project (AUS)**  
Flyer for the Lesbian Space Project, Glebe, New South Wales, Aus
- 9.4 **New Woman's Times (USA)**  
Jul/Aug 1982 with article 'lesbian wins custody case';
- 9.5 **Off our backs** : a women's news journal (USA)  
Vol 10 No 9 Oct 1980- report on lesbian workshops in the international conference UN mid decade for women and other articles.  
Vol 17 No 5 May 1987- report on a Sexuality conference New York.
- 9.6 **Real Time** : Theatre, Performance and the National Arts. (Aus)  
No 2 Aug 1994
- 9.7 **Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras (Aus)**  
1996 Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras. Programme

## Series 10 : Publications

- Title Submission to the Parliamentary Select Committee of the Crimes Amendment Bill 1974  
Author Auckland University Gay Liberation  
Publisher Auckland University Gay Liberation 1974
- Title Calendar 1984 - Lesbian calendar  
Publisher Sue, Stephanie and Colleen. Lower Hutt, NZ 1994
- Title Calendar 1984 – Year of the Dyke  
Publisher Auckland Women’s Centre?1983
- Title Catalogue of the Waxing Moon Lesbian Archives  
Author Zoe Catherine Alice  
Publisher Waxing Moon Archives Collective, 1985, Hamilton  
Description Waxing Moon classification system for arrangement of Lesbian archives
- Title First impressions  
Author unknown  
Publisher unknown
- Title Hero 6 Spirit  
Publisher Hero magazine  
Notes Produced in association with Auckland’s Hero Festival 1996
- Title Hero The 1999 festival programme  
Notes Produced in association with Auckland’s Hero Festival 1999
- Title Korerotia Wahine Ma  
Author Peka Evans – introduction  
Publisher United Congress of Maori & Pacific Women, Auckland. n.d.
- Title Lady Slipper Catalog: Records & tapes by Women  
Publisher Women’s Press Collective, California (USA)
- Title Lesbian and Gay Film Festival Auckland 1997  
Notes Produced in association with Auckland’ Hero Festival 1997
- Title Lavender Annual  
Author Saphira, Miriam (compiler)  
Publisher Papers Inc, Auckland 1989  
Description Poems, Pride, people, puzzles, pictures, purple prose, passion and fashion
- Title Lesbians Speak Out  
Publisher Women’s Press Collective, 1974, California USA
- Title Loving Women  
Author by the Nomadic Sisters and illustrated by Ann Miya  
Publisher Nomadic Sisters, 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. 1976 (USA)
- Title New Lesbian Literature 1980 - 1988  
Author Saphira, Miriam (compiler)  
Publisher Papers Inc, Auckland, 1988  
Description Bibliography of lesbian literature

Title Power and the Glory and other Lesbian stories  
Author Saphira, Miriam (collected by)  
Publisher Papers Inc, Auckland.1987  
Description Lesbian fiction by the following writers – Fran Marlow; Ngahuia Te Awekotuku; Nicole Patterson; Aorewa McLeod; Annabel Fagan; Linley Dearson; Angela; Morgaine; Lynn Suttie; Barb Abernethy; Mil Gibson;

Title Sisters  
Type booklet  
Publisher YWCA, n.d., Wellington  
Description E Nga Tuahine – choices; life; friends; sexuality; talk; relationships; safer sex; emotions & feelings

Title The Directory: Dynamic and Proud professionals  
Publisher GABA (Gay Auckland Business Association)  
Description Business directory

Title Womanual; a women's resource book  
Author Womannual Collective  
Publisher Womanual Collective, NZ . n.d.  
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## Box 20. Posters

[All encapsulated posters were displayed at the 'opening of the lesbian archives, 1996]

### Folder 1

- 11.1 Working Title Theatre, Groundwork by Renee, Thurs 25 April to May 18 [1989? 1995?]
- 11.2 Bangles brings you live Hattie St John Jools Topp, Nettie Bird, Old Star Tavern Lincoln Rd Sunday 20 May [1990]
- 11.3 Topp Twins at the Phoenix Club, Saturday 12 May [1990]
- 11.4 Unfolding, exhibition of felt wall pieces by Judith Morgan, Saturday 25 March to 23 April [1989] [from Pat Rosier & Hilary Lapsley]
- 11.5 Robin Morgan, WEA59 Cloucest St, Chch, 26 April [from Glenda Lawrence]
- 11.6 The Muse at Footsteps, after Mellisa at Western Spring, Saturday 25 November, 1995
- 11.7 Coming Out Day Parade 1995
- 11.8 Bernice Johnson Reagon, Cultural Warrior, 30 July, 1, 6, 8, August 1996
- 11.9 If we can't sing we won't be part of your revolution, Wton Working Women's Resource Centre 1 May 1995
- 11.10 Cowgirls Go Country, Ponsonby, Friday 31 May 1991

### Folder 2

- 11.11 Hamilton Women's Music Festival – Levitating Daffodils, Mahina Tocker, Guiles, 7 October
- 11.12 Women's Purple Rage, with Gerlz, Friday 30 November [1990]
- 11.13 Women's Purple Rage, the Gerlz Band, Friday 13 Dec [1991] Broadsheet fundraiser
- 11.14 Dance – Women Only – Saturday 30 May [1994]
- 11.15 The Womyn's Film Festival, Outreach, 4-8 December,
- 11.16 The Womyn's Film Festival 7<sup>th</sup> Lesbian Filmmakers 25-29 September – Black Rose Productions [Chrissie Duggan]
- 11.17 Ishtar Books is pleased to announce...Juliet Batten, The Power Within
- 11.18 The Muse, Footsteps Nightclub, Saturday 30 September [1995?]
- 11.19 *Broadsheet* Halloween Dance, 26 October [1990? Varcity café]
- 11.20 Girlfriend Promotions [presents an evening of dance and entertainment for all women loving women and their sisters, Sunday 7 June 1995, Footsteps, August 1995]

### Folder 3

- 11.21 Iolanthe Espresso – a new musical
- 11.22 Express Yourself M7M is now *Express* [*Man to Man*, gay newspaper]
- 11.23 Topp Twins, Bruce Mason Centre, Takapuna, Friday 9 August and Saturday 10 August 1996
- 11.24 1991 Lesbian Ball, July 6
- 11.25 Masquerade Lesbian/Gay masked ball, Saturday 31 August [1996? 1985?] – [from Pat Rosier]
- 11.26 The 13<sup>th</sup> Lesbian Ball, Saturday 24 August 1996, Auckland
- 11.27 14<sup>th</sup> Lesbian Ball, Masked, 20 September 1997, Auckland
- 11.28 Building Bridges: Gay/Lesbian arts festival, March 20-31 also brochure [from Pat Rosier]
- 11.29 Queer Read: Readers & Writers Festival, Saturday-Sunday 5-6 July [1997]
- 11.30 Circe Dance, Dead Famous People, Pikelets, Saturday 1 November [1986]

### Folder 4

- 11.31 Dyke Hyke 26 May
- 11.32 Outlaws and In-laws Auction, 28 April 1996
- 11.33 Lesbian Avengers, 1996



- 11.34 Valentines Day Dance, 16 February 1996
- 11.35 Anti-gay petition doesn't add up [1985 campaign]
- 11.36 Lesbianism means giving women primacy in your life...
- 11.37 Lesbian visibility – we have to be seen to be believed [No.2]
- 11.38 Maree Sheehan – debut album. *Drawn in Deep*
- 11.39 Equal – equal rights for all working women 1977
- 11.40 *The last time I was here would have been about six months ago...* AIDS Advert

**Folder 5** (Laminated posters)

- 11.41 *The last time I was here would have been about six months ago...* AIDS Advert (2 copies, laminated)
- 11.42 Looks are deceiving – so is HIV (2 copies, laminated)
- 11.43 Sex was so hot ... it was fatal (2 copies, laminated)
- 11.44 My Boyfriend gave me AIDS – I was only worried about getting pregnant (2 copies, laminated)
- 11.45 You probably know someone who has HIV... (1 copy, laminated)
- 11.46 AIDS - its your body. Women count (1 copy, laminated)
- 11.47 Standing Strong Gala Concert Judy Small, Alix Dobkin etc. Dallas Brooks Hall, Friday 26 January [1990? 1996?]
- 11.48 Audre Lorde in Aotearoa, August Wednesday 21 August 1996

**Folder 6** (encapsulated)

- 11.49 Lesbian means giving women primacy... Lesbian Centre Wellington
- 11.50 1991 Lesbian Ball – July 6<sup>th</sup>
- 11.51 The 9<sup>th</sup> Lesbian Ball, 4 July 1992
- 11.52 The Muse...Footsteps, Saturday 30 September 1995
- 11.53 Wommins Dance, Midnight Cub, Wed 16 September 1992
- 11.54 Women Loving Women Dance, Dolphins, Saturday April 25 [1992? 1987?]
- 11.55 Indigo Girls, Auckland Town Hall, Sunday 26 February [1994]
- 11.56 Wanna have a Larf?' Lesbian Activities Recreation Festival 14-23 Feb 1992
- 11.57 National Lesbian & Gay Conference Auckland, Easter 24-27 March [1989]
- 11.58 Sue Dunlop, 'Better than Normal', Jave Jive, Tuesday 8 October [1991]
- 11.59 Lesbians are everywhere – Queen Victoria
- 11.60 Lesbian visibility – we have to be seen to be believed

**Folder 7** (encapsulated)

- 11.61 Bar Bella [early 1990s]
- 11.62 The Phoenix Club, Friday 16 August [1991]
- 11.63 Alex Dobkin at the Gluepot, 1988
- 11.64 Circe Dance, Dead Famous People, Pikelets, Saturday 1 November [1986]
- 11.65 National Lesbian & Gay Conference 1989 Sociasl, at the Stage, featuring the Guile Circle Dance, second copy
- 11.66 Welcome to Auckland's 12 lesbian ball, 1995
- 11.67 Queer Pictures, Works by lesbian and gay artists, [from Pat Rosier]
- 11.68 Rage with Too Wild, Footsteps, 1995
- 11.69 A special tribute to Sharon Alston, 6 February [1995] – plus club flyers

**Folder 8**

- 11.70 Auckland Women'[s Centre Winter – Spring 1995 courses
- 11.71 You're invited to Get Plump...
- 11.72 Women's Art 1990 – auction and exhibition ASA Gallery (4 copies)
- 11.73 Women who run for chocolate...

- 11.74 Time for a change – there are alternatives to tampons, sanitary pads and disposable nappies
- 11.75 Life drawing – tutor Fran Marno
- 11.76 Auction of women's art. Suter Art gallery 1996
- 11.77 Sexual Harassment poisons the work place. Working Women's resource Centre
- 11.78 Women and music – performance nights at Java Jive
- 11.79 DIP RAVED Riotous women's comedy duo
- 11.80 Dionne Warwick – live in concert 1995

#### **Folder 9**

- 11.81 Rouge non competitive talent quest. Box Factory
- 11.82 *I am a dangerous woman*
- 11.83 Woman's Purple Rage with Pink Terraces (Broadsheet dance)
- 11.84 Disarm Rapists – smash sexism
- 11.85 The Pope and the Witch by Dario Fo. Galaxy Theatre . The Turning Tide Company
- 11.86 If the Pope could get pregnant... abortion would be a sacrament
- 11.87 Women for Peace and Justice – May 24<sup>th</sup>. Women's Action for Nuclear disarmament
- 11.88 Women's votes O! Temperance – a centenary production. Written and directed by Mervyn Thompson with students of the Diploma of Drama
- 11.89 The GluePot (new look)
- 11.90 A Day of Action – Reclaim the Night 1990

#### **Folder 10**

- 11.91 Womin Artists Debut – proceeds to Volcanic Productions
- 11.92 Women's Liberation is gonna get your mama and your sister and your girlfriend
- 11.93 From the estate of Lois White Judith Anderson Gallery
- 11.94 Red Shoes – a frightening look at daytime TV fashion victims... Watershed Theatre
- 11.95 Middle Eastern vegetarian/ Vegan Cooking class, The Women's Centre
- 11.96 Digital Realms – Actors Anonymous. October 4 – 12 Basement Theatre
- 11.97 King Lear with Ian Mune. Theatre at Large

#### **Folder 11**

- 11.98 Thursdays in Black – demanding a world without rape and violence (leaflet and button)