

## Editorial

Dear Friends

Wallis is almost upon us. I'm really looking forward to it.

When we were thinking about what sort of event we were going to put on we had to think hard about who we were putting it on for.

Ball stalwarts of course. We wanted to create that feeling of fun, apprehension and friendliness of the pre Ball drinks.

Then there were the friends of the group, current and prospective. People who appreciate the feel and history of the Ball, even if they have never been to one.

We had the beautiful room at the Palais Royale and we needed a theme to match. Something glamorous of course. Something a bit adventurous, or even naughty. Probably nudging high camp. Hence Wallis.

And we wanted a sense of intimacy, a collaboration of friends.

We think we have achieved all of this. It's now up to us to enjoy a fabulous evening. It's the people that will make it.

In regards to other matters, please check put the forthcoming events in this newsletter. There's something for everyone. I will however mention World AIDS Day and our annual contemplation at the AIDS Memorial in Medlow Bath. Please save the date for this important occasion.

Until next time, stay safe

Terry

## Upcoming Events

### A Soirée Called Wallis

Palais Royale,  
230 Katoomba Street, Katoomba  
Saturday 12 October 2024

- When: 5-8pm
- Price: \$79 first release, \$99 after

Tickets: on sale at [TryBooking](#)

Details: [more information](#)

### Luncheon

The Grandview Hotel, Wentworth Falls  
12:30PM Tuesday 22 October 2024

- Price: \$41
- Prepay by Direct Deposit. Card/Cash at event.

Reservations by the Sunday evening prior to  
[3sisters.bookings@gmail.com](mailto:3sisters.bookings@gmail.com)

### Payment Methods

Prepay BSB 633 000, account number  
193 701 778. Reference your surname.

Card/Cash accepted at the event.

Reservations are still required.

### Three Sisters Social Group Inc

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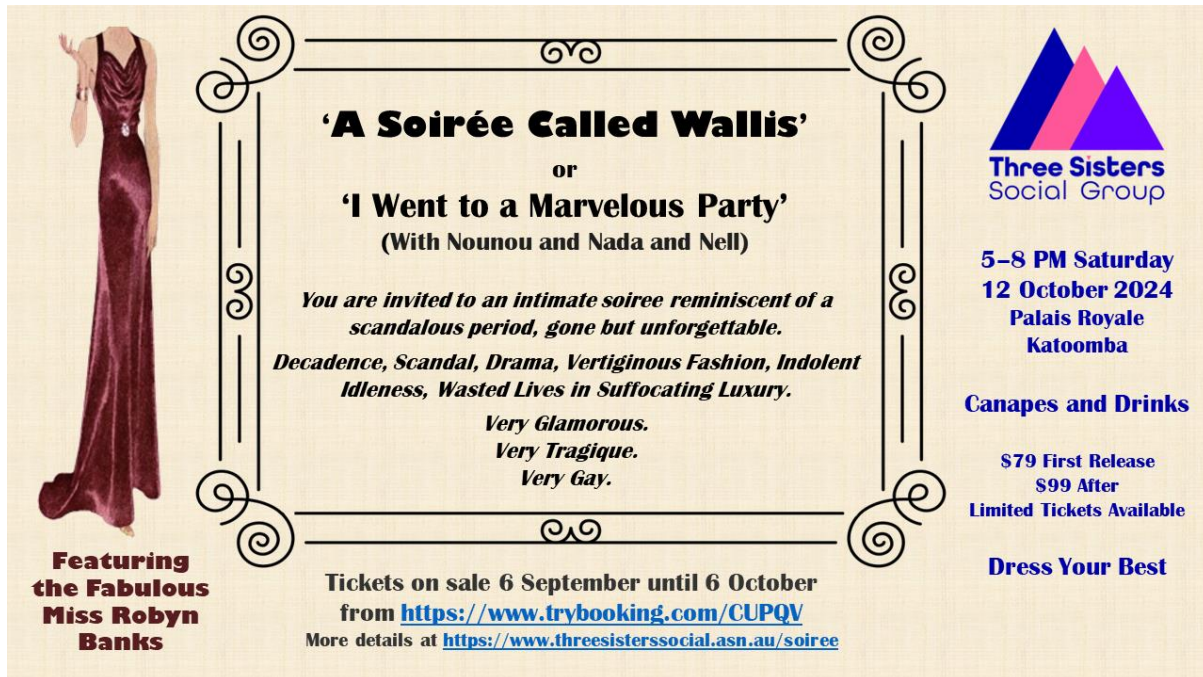
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# A Soirée Called Wallis



**‘A Soirée Called Wallis’**  
or  
**‘I Went to a Marvelous Party’**  
(With Nounou and Nada and Nell)

*You are invited to an intimate soiree reminiscent of a scandalous period, gone but unforgettable.  
Decadence, Scandal, Drama, Vertiginous Fashion, Indolent Idleness, Wasted Lives in Suffocating Luxury.  
Very Glamorous.  
Very Tragique.  
Very Gay.*

**Featuring the Fabulous Miss Robyn Banks**

Tickets on sale 6 September until 6 October  
from <https://www.trybooking.com/CUPQV>  
More details at <https://www.threesisterssocial.asn.au/soiree>

**Three Sisters Social Group**

**5–8 PM Saturday  
12 October 2024  
Palais Royale  
Katoomba**

**Canapes and Drinks**

**\$79 First Release  
\$99 After  
Limited Tickets Available**

**Dress Your Best**

You are specially invited to An Intimate Affair that has been especially planned for our members and friends.

Our Soirée draws upon the glittering, manic days of glamour and excess before the oncoming deluge that drowned it all. A period worthy of a Wagnerian opera. Evita may have inspired a musical. Wallis and her cohort inspired a Ring Cycle. A cross between high drama and high camp.

Introducing A Soirée Called Wallis, a homage to an age of outrageous events that threatened an empire, outrageous behaviours away from Belgravia, outrageous characters of both good and questionable character and the lightning rod in the middle of it all, Wallis.

Wistfulness wrapped in Dior and restrained in jewels whilst the party raged about. It was a marvellous party before the bird in the gilded cage became wrapped in ennui and wrinkles.

My God, it's sounding all too familiar. Pour me a gin.

Very Glamorous. Very Tragique. Very Gay.

The perfect vehicle for a themed party in the fabulous bijou surrounds of the Palais Royale. A chance to dress your best. Sip something cool. Nibble something nice. Chat to friends. Maybe, have a foxtrot.

Be entertained by the fabulous Miss Robyn Banks. A chanteuse of impeccable music talents, crooning tunes of elegance, sophistication, style and romance; as well as a lot of swing.

The Palais Royale offers the perfect venue for an intimate soiree. A right sized event for a select group of friends made over the years, or, maybe, just made yesterday.



You have been invited to the event of the year. A Soirée Called Wallis. Three hours of canapes, drinks, music and entertainment at a sensible time. Unbeatable value. Limited tickets. Make a party, bring friends.

Check out our web page for more details. You won't be sorry  
<https://www.threesisterssocial.asn.au/soiree/>

Only a few First Release tickets are still available. Get yours at [TryBooking](#) for \$79 before the price goes up.

## Events September to December 2024

- 12 October 2024 'A Soirée Called Wallis' A Special Three Sisters Event. Palais Royale.
- 22 October 2024 Luncheon, The Grandview Hotel, Wentworth Falls
- 2 November 2024 Polyester Mt Vic Flicks. See the article in this Month's Newsletter
- 5 November 2024 Melbourne Cup, Katoomba RSL
- 1 December 2024 World Aids Day Medlow Bath Park, Aids Memorial.
- 10 December 2024 Christmas Dinner the Chalet Medlow Bath

## Three Sisters Events Payments

We have introduced new payment methods for Three Sisters Dinners, Luncheons and other events hosted by the Three Sisters for our member's and friend's convenience.

Dinners and Luncheons may be paid by

1. prepayment through our Bendigo Bank account at BSB 633 000, account number 193 701 778. Reference your surname, or,
2. by Card or cash at the event. Reservation are still required at [3sisters.bookings@gmail.com](mailto:3sisters.bookings@gmail.com)

Some events, eg the Disco and the VandA Dinner, that require payment to third agencies such a ticket agencies or other venues, will need to be paid directly to that agency or venue as is the current practice.

## New Email Addresses

The Three Sisters Social Group has new email addresses. This is a part of upgrading our infrastructure.

Our new general email address is [3sisters.sg@gmail.com](mailto:3sisters.sg@gmail.com). This is sent to the Secretary, who will forward to the appropriate person within the organisation.

Our new bookings email address is [3sisters.bookings@gmail.com](mailto:3sisters.bookings@gmail.com). Please RSVP to this email address for our events.

Please add these email addresses to your address book so our emails don't end up in your spam folder.



# October Luncheon



**1230 PM, Tuesday**

**22 October 2024**

## **The Grand View Hotel**

**Wentworth Falls**

**\$41**

**Prepay by Direct Debit.**

**Event payment by  
Card/Cash**

**Luncheon reservations  
the Sunday evening prior**

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# Polyester

Victoria & Albert Guesthouse

# Polyester

Join us for a special screening of Polyester at  
Mount Vic Flicks on  
Saturday, November 2nd at 5.45pm

After-party at  
Victoria & Albert Guesthouse at 7.30pm

### **Polyester Experience the Odure of a Classic**

Experience John Waters' first studio picture *Polyester*, a brilliant subversive take on the Hollywood melodrama, as it was meant to be seen - and smelled!

Starring Waters' favourite Divine as Francine Fishpaw, a suburban housewife trying to manage her dysfunctional family. Tickets include scratch n sniff cards (thanks to [Smell Art](#)) but book early as they're in limited supply! Don't forget to dress the part for a free choc top.

Complete the Divine experience with canapés, Polyester trivia, dinner and after party tunes and dancing at the Victoria and Albert Guesthouse afterwards!

Plus prizes for Best Dressed and Trivia Winner!

**Movie: Mount Vic Flicks**

**Date: 5.45 – 7.15 pm Saturday 2nd November**

**Price: \$24**

**After Party: Victoria & Albert  
Guesthouse**

**Date: 7.30 PM Saturday 2nd November**

**Price: \$50**

Dress Code: Channel your inner 70s star and bring the vintage glad bags and your personal glitz and glam!

Details <https://vaguesthouse.com/polyester-movie-and-dinner/>

Mount Vic Flicks [BOOK TICKETS HERE](#)

VandA [BOOK TICKETS](#)



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## Melbourne Cup



5TH NOVEMBER 2024

# Melbourne Cup

at KATOOMBA RSL

\$55 <sup>PP</sup>	2 course buffet lunch FREE GLASS OF BUBBLY
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Sweeps • Raffles  
Prizes for best dressed

Watch the race live

DOORS OPEN MIDDAY LUNCH FROM 1PM

TAB opens at 9am / Bar opens at 11am  
TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE CASHIER OR BY SCANNING THE QR CODE.  
BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

### Melbourne Cup

Katoomba RSL Club

Tuesday 5 November 2024 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM

2 Course Buffet Lunch & a free glass of bubbly.

Join us for sweeps, raffles & prizes for best dressed.

**IN ORDER TO BE SEATED TOGETHER, ALL TICKETS FOR OUR GROUP MUST BE PURCHASED IN ONE TRANSACTION.**

**PLEASE PAY FOR YOUR TICKET/S TO ENABLE US TO MAKE A TABLE RESERVATION AT**

**BENDIGO BANK ACCOUNT**

**BSB 633 000, ACCOUNT NUMBER 193 701 778.**

**REFERENCE YOUR SURNAME.**

**PREPAYMENTS DUE BY SUNDAY 13 OCTOBER 2024**

## World AIDS Day



The Three Sisters will be meeting at the AIDS Memorial, Medlow Bath, at Noon, 1 December 2024. The theme for this gathering is resilience and renewal. In the spirit of the occasion we will have a brief contemplation followed by a picnic/BBQ.

Sun, 1 Dec 2024

1 December every year the world AIDS day is held in respect to the many victims of AIDS. It likewise centres around issues encompassing HIV and (AIDS) awareness. What to do on World aids day? This Day is the point of convergence of the global AIDS Campaign, which is dynamic throughout the entire year.



**More information next Newsletter  
Save the Date**



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# Three Sisters Annual Christmas Dinner



**Save the Date**  
**10 December 2024**  
**Three Sisters**  
**Christmas Dinner**



# Happy Snaps September Dinner at the Avalon



**Three Sisters**  
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## Happy Snaps Luncheon September 2024



## Seahorse Society

The Seahorse Society has joined with Magic Circle to stage this year's TransActShon at The Carrington on the same weekend as Oktoberfest. Now that should be interesting. They asked the Three Sisters to advertise their event.



TransActShon is a LGBTQI friendly event held over 3 days in spectacular surroundings providing a weekend experience for the Transgender and Cross-Dressing community. More information at <https://www.transactshon.com/>

