

Three Sisters Social Group

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From the President

I'd like to wish all our members and friends a very happy Mardi Gras.

Mardi Gras is a special time for all of us even though many of our august members have left their partying days behind, mostly unwillingly. Many members have memories of 1978 and have strong memories of the foundation years of this amazing event which celebrates our lives.

The first Mardi Gras party was in 1990 at the Paddington Town Hall. By that stage our Three Sisters Mountains Ball and Disco, held every Queens Birthday weekend, had been going for 9 years. This year will be out 39th Ball and Disco.

The founders of Mardi Gras sought to seek social change through dance and fun. It seems that the substantial mountains LGBTI+ community, adept at spectacle, dance and fun, beat them to it.

This year we will continue with that tradition with Elegance at the Ball and frenzy at the Disco. I hope to see you on the dance floors.

So Good bye for now

Your president

John Wilson



UPCOMING EVENTS

Monthly DINNER

Tuesday 7pm 10 March 2020

Venue: Canton Palace
7 Station St., Wentworth Falls

Menu: Banquet including dessert.
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Price: \$35 (\$30 concession)

Bookings by Sunday 8 March to
bookings@threesisterssocial.asn.au

MONTHLY Luncheon

Tuesday Noon 24 March 2020

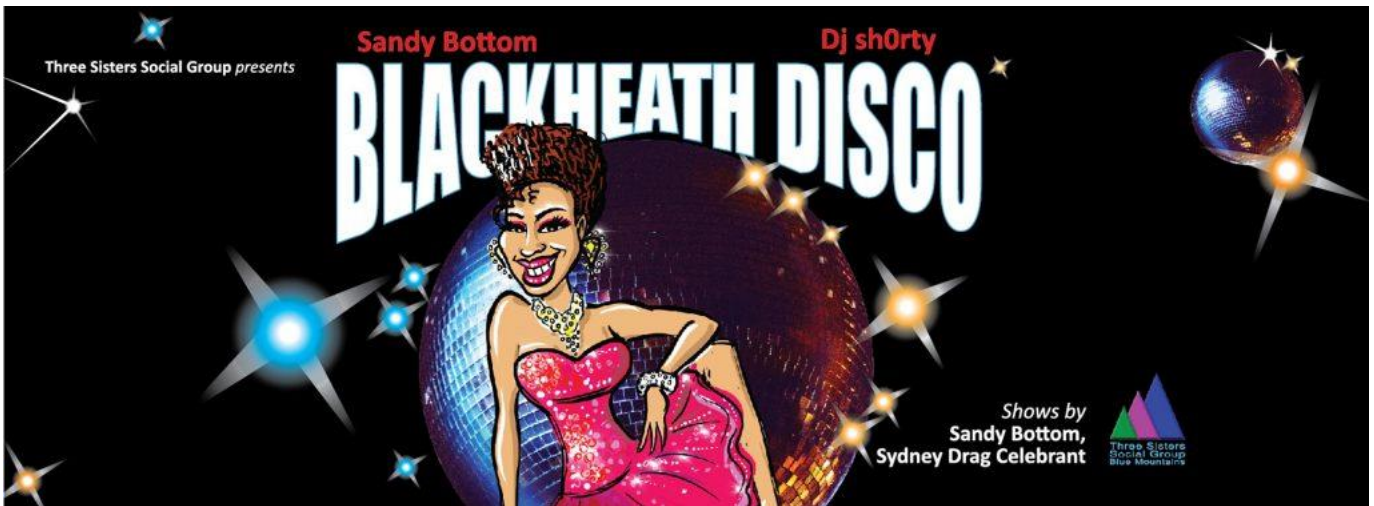
Venue: The Grandview Hotel
Great Western Highway
Wentworth Falls in the Veranda
room near the main entrance to
the Hotel.

Menu: A choice of main course
and dessert.

Price: \$27.50.

Bookings by Sunday 22 March to
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Blackheath Disco



The Three Sisters Social Group Blackheath Disco is on again this Queen's Birthday Long Weekend. It is on Saturday 6 June at the Blackheath Community Centre.

We again have Dj sh0rty on the decks playing all those great disco tunes and the latest dance music. Sandy Bottom will be giving us two fabulous shows during the evening. Greg will be on the lighting with a new exciting design.

Doors open at 7pm and the night runs till midnight. Tickets are still \$30+bf and available online at <https://www.trybooking.com/BHIAX>. There will be some tickets available on the door. Book your tickets now, or follow the event on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/events/2710340199052450/>

Volunteers



The Blackheath Disco is the main income source for our group. It allows us to support our members with discounts at meals and to donate to charities that support our community. We need volunteers to help with putting on this important event. We need people to help set the hall up, during the evening and tidying up afterwards. Please contact Larry on blackheathdisco@threesisterssocial.asn.au if you are able to help.

The Queen's Birthday Ball



Welcome to Elegance. At the Stork Club.

This Ball will be all about you and your flair, style and elan.

We have updated the ball while maintaining the feel and atmosphere of the past balls that you loved so much.

For this we have paid special attention to the music selection, which is guaranteed to get you dancing all night.

Bookings have been flowing in and we are thrilled to have so many of our friends joining us again.

Tickets can be ordered at <http://www.threesisterssocial.asn.au/ball-bookings/>

Early bird tickets \$150 until 31 March 2020, \$165 from 1 April 2020

Artistes, Chanteuses, Showoffs Wanted

In the spirit of balls past we would like to pay tribute to the talent of our remarkable community and would love to hear from any of our friends who would like to have a role in providing entertainment on the night. You may also like to nominate talented friends and acquaintances you think would like the opportunity to shine at the ball.

For more information please contact Terry Preeo at vice-president@threesisterssocial.asn.au

Our New Website



The website for the Three Sisters Social Group <http://www.threesisterssocial.asn.au/> has had a refresh. It has been designed to be easier for you to navigate and for us to keep up to date. Please visit it regularly.

Mailing List Refresh

We have also refreshed our mailing list management, moving it to Mailchimp. Emails are now created and sent through Mailchimp. You can control which emails you receive by changing your Interests. Use the "update subscription preferences" link at the bottom of this email. If you are not on our email list and would like to sign up, use the form at the bottom of any page on the website or go to <http://eepurl.com/gStpoX>.

Sometimes email from mailing lists can end up in your Junk or Spam folder. Please check if your friends are receiving these emails. If they are not, please ask them to check their Junk or Spam folders. If this is happening, they should mark the email and the email sender as Not Junk.

Facebook

We are also using Facebook as a channel to promote our events and those of other community groups. Please like our Facebook Page at <https://www.facebook.com/threesisterssocialgroup/> or join our Facebook Group at <https://www.facebook.com/groups/threesisterssocialgroup/>. The Facebook Group is used for our regular events, while the Facebook Page is used mainly for the Queen's Birthday Weekend Ball and Disco.

bentART Trivia Fundraiser 2020

Following on from last years Trivia arvo success we are back in 2020. Bigger, better and brighter than ever!

We have great prizes on the rounds, a Raffle, fantastic Silent Auction prizes, mid-point Gold Coin donation games and YES the old chestnut Mintiest Wrapper number.

Although this is being run by bentART that doesn't mean it is exclusive to our LGBTQI+ Community – everyone is welcome.

Tickets: bentART Current Financial Members \$10 – not a member? [JOIN HERE FIRST](#) Non-Members \$15

If you are a group of 10 then book a whole table. If you aren't a group of ten, add yourself to another table and get to know some new friends.

Thank you for supporting BentART Inc.

Venue: Katoomba RSL, Lurline Street Katoomba

Date: Sunday 22 March

Time: 13:30

Food: available at the venue

Drinks: only to be purchased at the venue

Monthly Newsletter

Please send items of interest for inclusion in the newsletter to - info@threesistersgroup.asn.au