



**VICTORIAN
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Prison Songs Screening and Panel Discussion

Please join us for a screening of Prison Songs, a groundbreaking documentary that gives voice to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. The film screening will be followed by a panel discussion to examine and consider why indigenous Australian women may face incarceration and what they face when incarcerated.

For 2017, VWL's Justice Committee is focusing on Australian women who are or who have been incarcerated.

This screening and panel discussion is the first in a series of events to highlight the need for national attention to recognise the increasing population of Australian women in prison and the challenges they face in, and out, of the justice system.

DATE: 31 May 2017

TIME: 5.30pm – registrations and light refreshments

6.00pm – screening

7:00pm – panel discussion

VENUE: Cornwall Stodart
Level 10, 114 William St
Melbourne

COST \$10 for VWL Members
\$15 for non-members

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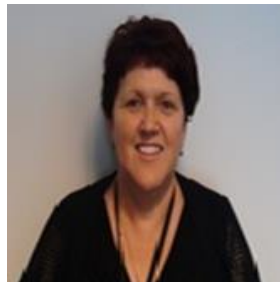
SCREENING



PANELLISTS:

TERRIE STEWART

Terrie is the Koori Court Coordinator for the County Court of Victoria.

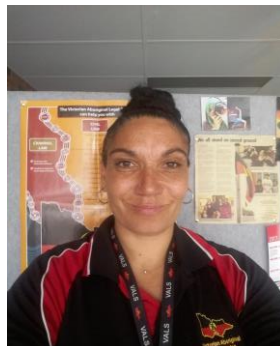


Terrie is a Taungurung woman with an extensive history in the criminal justice system. Terrie has had involvement with the Victorian Aboriginal Legal Service, the Magistrates' Court of Victoria, and now the County Court of Victoria. Terri also worked as a support worker, in both youth and Koori support roles.

Terrie is an award winning activist for Indigenous justice and has dedicated her career to supporting and advocating for Aboriginal men, women, and youth.

NAOMI MURPHY

Naomi is a Client Services Officer for the Victorian Aboriginal Legal Service and works for the Service in the Central Gippsland region.



Through her role at the Victorian Aboriginal Legal Service, Naomi works directly with incarcerated women as they are processed through the criminal justice system.

Naomi is a proud Waka Waka woman with Aboriginal and Irish roots. Naomi has worked for many years in the Aboriginal community and has a passion for assisting Aboriginal women and youth.

All funds raised will be donated to Sisters Inside

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Do you have a question for our panel?
Send an email to vwl@liv.asn.au