

South Australian Chapter Sunday Luncheon

7th September, 2003 Guest Speaker: Pat Rix

Prominent South Australian playwright and composer

11.30 am to 2.30 pm

The Governor Hindmarsh Hotel

59 Port Road Hindmarsh SA 5022

The Story of Tutti: Social Inclusion by Design or Evolution?

Pat Rix is internationally recognised as a leader in bringing the strengths of community and mainstream writing and music together for quality performances. Of the 26 works she has written and composed, 24 have been produced by SA urban and regional theatre companies. 'Bananas' even found its way to Canada. In recent years she has founded The Tutti Ensemble, a socially inclusive arts organisation involving over one hundred people who are slowly but surely reframing public attitudes and perceptions about disability. In 2001, Pat was awarded the inaugural ART SA mid-career Artist Fellowship to develop her work – My Life, My Love – with State Theatre for the 2002 Adelaide Festival. The first community inspired work ever to be produced by a flagship company in Australia, MLML was directed by Rosalba Clemente and brought STC, Tutti and Pat national recognition.

The production was described as 'triumph of inclusivity', awarded the critics 'Light of the Festival Award' and received a nomination in the best special event category in the recent Helpmann Awards.

In keeping with her commitment to diversity, Pat's recent projects include The Singing of Angels – a critically acclaimed experimental Tutti/Restless Dance Company collaboration for Come Out 2003, the libretto for the world premiere of 'Towards Unlit Skies' sung by Yvonne Kenny with the Adelaide Symphony Orchestra and an anti-gambling comic for the Vietnamese Community. She is currently leading a team of urban and rural artists in the development of Melrose Under The Big Top up in the Southern Flinders Ranges.

Price:

\$22 includes a light lunch. Prepayment is required. <u>Bookings by 29th August 2003.</u>

Bookings:

Phone Josie on 8303 3364 or complete and fax/ post back the form below

The Governor Hindmarsh Hotel sponsors the cost of the light lunch for a maximum ten young people (under 25). If you wish to nominate someone to attend the luncheon as a guest please indicate when booking.

BOOKING FORM - By 29th August, 2003.	Payment Details
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