

ZINE FEST 2009: PROGRAMME

Saturday 24th January 2009, 12-4pm, Free

The Women's Library, 25 Old Castle Street, London

***12-1.30pm Self-publishing 101 (seminar room)**

A hands-on introduction to making your own zine and comic with fabulous tips from Anna-Marie and Phoebe Pamflet, Rachel Pamzine, Karrie Fransman & Jay Bernard. After the intros, we'll make pages for a collective workshop zine!

***12- 2.15pm Screen Your World -Printing Desire (activities room)**

Gosia will introduce you to the wonderful world of screen printing: making your own frame and light exposure table, and preparing your work space and picture to screen. You'll also print something yourself! Materials provided - but bring along a t-shirt if you wanna wear your designs!

15 places max- please book your reservation at moreinfo@thewomenslibrary.ac.uk

P.S. this workshop isn't suitable for children, but they & their adult companions are welcome to screen print something with Gosia after the workshop!

***1.30-2pm and 2-2.30pm Zine Tour (meet at reception)**

Take a tour round the Between the Covers magazine exhibition and check out the library's own women's zine collection with some lovely staff from the Women's Library.

***1.45 - 2.30pm History of Queer Zines (friends' room)**

Ms Colly will lead you in a show-and-tell discussion about the history of queer zines.

***2.30-4pm Radical Publishing Panel (seminar room)**

Chaired by debi withers, this panel considers feminist publishing collectives past and present. Our marvellous speakers include Jess Baines (See Red and Women in Print poster making collectives), members of Outwrite (anti-imperialist women's newspaper in the 80s), and Melissa from Cherry Bomb Comics (based in Auckland and London).

This discussion panel opens up important histories & looks at how women have worked together from the second to the third wave to create ongoing independent, visual, publishing projects. Come and ask your questions!

***12-4pm Comic Exhibition (cafe space)**

Curated by Melanie Maddison (Colouring Outside the Lines art zine), this UK-focused comic exhibition will feature women and transgender comic makers sharing their publications and original artworks.

***12-4pm Outwrite Exhibition (cafe space)**

Members of the FAF Feminist History Group will be showcasing their exhibition ideas on the anti-imperialist women's newspaper Outwrite, as the first stage of an ongoing project. They're also looking for volunteers to get involved in the exhibition, so find out more at www.feministactivistforum.org.uk

***12-4pm Stalls (mezzanine)**

Manifesta, Subtext, Synthesis, Paper Dinosaur, Girls Rock!, Richochet Richochet!, Cherry Bomb, Unfinished Histories, Marching Stars, Emma Jane Falconer, Feminist Childrearing Zine Group, Liz Greenfield, Ilk, & more tbc