

2000

A chronology of LGBTIQ+ communities and movements in Sydney from 1969 to 2018

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Date	Location (if not Sydney)	Event	Reference
January 2000	Perth	The Satellite Group buys Perth's only gay newspaper, <i>The Westside Observer</i> . It now owns 80% of the Australian gay and lesbian media.	CQ 379
January 2000		NSW Attorney General, Jeff Shaw announces a community education campaign to explain new same sex partner rights following on from the Property (Relationships) Act of 1999.	CQ 379
January 2000		Tony Abbott, the Federal Employment Services Minister, argues in an article in the <i>Sydney Morning Herald</i> that religious employment agencies should be free to impose their values on their employees.	SSO 489
January 2000		The Young Liberal Movement, at its national convention, calls for gay and lesbian couples to be given the same status as heterosexual de facto couples.	SSO 490
January 2000		The NSW Industrial Commission dismisses an attempt by three Roman Catholic schools in Sydney to introduce enterprise agreements requiring teachers to "support the Catholic ethos".	SSO 490
January 2000		Robert Reynold's <i>Camp to Queer</i> is published.	SSO 491
January 2000		The NSW Law Reform Commission's <i>Review of the Anti-Discrimination Act 1977 (NSW)</i> recommends the replacement of references to the word "homosexual" discrimination with a catch all term "sexuality".	SSO 492
January 2000		Tony Grier is appointed male Co-President of PRIDE.	SSO 492
1 January 2000		<i>Queer Time</i> , PRIDE's NYE Party is attended by 10,000.	SSO 489
1 January 2000		Dr David Schwartz receives a Compaq Community Star Award for his work among prison inmates and in the gay community.	SSO 489
1 January 2000		The Federal Broadcasting Services Amendment (Online Services) Act makes internet sites subject to the same classification and censorship guidelines as publishing and broadcasting.	SSO 489 SSO 493



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27 January 2000		A new gay men's magazine <i>DNA</i> , hits the newsagents' shelves around Australia.	SSO 492
28 January 2000		The Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras announces that the 2000 parade will be broadcast on pay per view Main Event, on Channel 10 and by Telstra by net cast on Telstra.com.	SSO 492
28 January 2000		In a first for the NSW Liberal Party, its Darlinghurst Surry Hills branch announces it will enter a float in the 2000 Mardi Gras Parade.	SSO 493
29-30 January 2000	Melbourne	The Australian Council for Lesbian and Gay Rights pledges to fight for equal rights in superannuation and to support the Federal Sexuality Discrimination Bill during 2000.	CQ 379
31 January 2000		John Marsden's defamation action against Channel Seven resumes in the Supreme Court.	SSO 493
February 2000		The AIDS Council of NSW launches the safe sex campaign <i>Give a Fuck</i> aimed at men who go to sex-on-premises venues.	SSO 494
February 2000		Author Ian MacNeill launches his new book <i>Sweet Horizons</i> .	SSO 494
February 2000		The NSW Roads and Traffic Authority refuses to grant total user pays exemptions for the Mardi Gras Parade, with the Mardi Gras organisation expecting to incur costs of \$19,000.	SSO 495
February 2000		<i>She Loves Me, She Loves Me Not</i> , a mermaid sculpture by artist Pip Playford, is installed in the Botanical Gardens as part of the Queer Reflections exhibition.	SSO 495
February 2000		Michael Costa, the NSW Labor Council Secretary, launches his organisation's new book <i>It Takes All Sorts</i> , describing it as "an important first step in establishing more tolerant and fair workplaces".	SSO 495
February 2000		The NSW Attorney General's Department launches the <i>Approved Counselling Scheme</i> by which gay and lesbian survivors of violent crime can access counselling by experienced gay and lesbian service providers.	SSO 496
February 2000		The Women's Legal Resource Centre, the Redfern Legal Centre, the Law Foundation of NSW and the Gay and Lesbian Rights Lobby, launch <i>Lesbians and the Law</i> , a booklet explaining how the Property (Relationships) Legislation Amendment Act 1999, impacts on lesbian relationships.	SSO 496



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February 2000		Sergeant Sue Trusty is appointed the Gay and Lesbian Liaison Officer at Surry Hills Police Station.	SSO 501
4 February 2000		<i>The Sydney Star Observer</i> launches its new website which incorporates interactive polls, chat and feedback for the first time.	SSO 493
6 February 2000		The Asian Gay and Lesbian Pride Group marches in the Sydney Chinese New Year Parade for the first time.	SSO 490
7 February 2000		The AIDS Council of NSW releases <i>Future Directions</i> discussion paper, which re-defines its goals toward a progressive, broad-based gay and lesbian health organisation with a continuing focus on HIV and AIDS.	SSO 494
11 February 2000		30,000 attend the launch of the Mardi Gras Festival. Speakers and performers include transsexual NZ MP Georgina Beyer, Tiddas and the Tongan women's group Manuhiri.	SSO 495
12 February 2000		Mardi Gras Team Sydney Sports Festival is launched at Mission Field, Centennial Park.	CQ 379
15 February 2000		Federal Opposition Financial Services spokesperson, Stephen Conroy introduces a private senator's bill into the Senate which seeks to remove discrimination against gay and lesbian partners seeking access to superannuation benefits.	SSO 495
15 February 2000		Artist John Douglas exhibits a series of paintings of his friends who have died of AIDS in an exhibition called <i>Dead Friends</i> .	SSO 494
17 – 27 February 2000		The 2000 Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras Film Festival proves a success with 29 sell out sessions and 23,000 tickets sold.	SSO 499
19-20 February 2000		The Lesbian Parenting Conference at the University of Sydney brings together lesbian families from across Australia.	CQ 381
20 February 2000		70,000 attend Fair Day at Victoria Park Camperdown.	CQ 382
25 February 2000		66 Darlinghurst Road, Kings Cross, is announced as a legal injecting space.	SSO 497
26 February 2000		<i>Shop Yourself Stupid</i> this year is extended to Broadway Shopping Centre and the Queen Victoria Building.	SSO 497
27 February 2000		The Metropolitan Community Church holds a service at the Heffron Hall to bless the Mardi Gras.	SSO 496



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March 2000		The editor of the <i>Australian Jewish News</i> is called before the Beth Din – the Jewish court of Australia – to explain his paper’s positive coverage of the Jewish float in the 2000 Mardi Gras parade.	CQ 385
March 2000		The Gay and Lesbian Rights Lobby unveils the <i>Gay and Lesbian History Project</i> which aims to document the history and development of inner Sydney’s gay and lesbian communities throughout the 20 th century.	CQ 388
March 2000		Marrickville Mayor, Councillor Barry Cotter calls for expressions of interest for membership of the Council’s proposed Gay and Lesbian Community Liaison Committee.	SSO 500
March 2000		Gay Freethinkers begins meeting every Monday night at the Pride Centre. The Group aims to encourage free thinking and friendship among members.	SSO 500
March 2000		The University of NSW Gay and Lesbian Services Department sets up a support group call <i>Strength in Numbers</i> to meet in a supportive environment and discuss issues related to sexuality.	SSO 500
March 2000		A scientific study by Dr Robert Szabo and Professor Robert Short is released and suggests there is a strong link between HIV rates of infection in the developing world and the practice of circumcision.	SSO 501
4 March 2000		7,200 marchers, 200 floats and 600,000 spectators take part or watch the 23 rd Mardi Gras parade. At the party there is a women’s and a men’s tent and a cabaret featuring such performers as Samantha Leith, Joyleen Hairmouth and Tina C.	CQ 384 SSO 498
13 March 2000		The newly renovated Positive Living Centre which provides a meeting place, meals and referral services for HIV+ clients, in the old Surry Hills Police Station, is opened by Justice Michael Kirby.	SSO 499 CQ 385
14 March 2000		The Administrative Decisions Tribunal hears a claim by Richard Heystraten, a former chef at the Positive Living Centre, that he was refused treatment for a severed finger by the Surry Hills Medical Centre on 24/2/99, because of his HIV+ status. His case is dismissed on 19/3/00.	SSO 499 SSO 501



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16 March 2000	Vermont, USA	The Vermont House gives final approval to a bill to grant benefits to same sex couples. It creates a new category for long term relationships called "civil unions" and treats these similarly to marriage in areas such as child custody, family leave benefits, probate law and workers' compensation.	SSO 500
16 March 2000		Bill Gray, a.k.a. Land Turnip, a fixture at almost all of Sydney's drag community fund raisers, dies from a heart attack, aged 36.	SSO 500
25 March 2000		<i>Sublime Dance Club</i> closes its Pitt Street doors, before re-opening at <i>Home</i> .	SSO 500
29 March 2000		George Petersen a former NSW ALP Parliamentarian dies.	SSO 501
31 March 2000		The Australian Broadcasting Authority receives 124 complaints about internet content in the first 3 months of the Federal Government's Internet Content Scheme.	SSO 505
1 April 2000		The Metropolitan Community Church takes possession of its new home at 96 Crystal Street Petersham. Originally built as a church in 1940, the building recently housed the Mastertouch Piano Roll Company.	CQ 387 SSO 502
10 April 2000		NSW Deputy Premier and Minister for Housing, Andrew Refshauge, launches a housing project for people living with HIV/AIDS. The Project was developed by NSW Health, the NSW Department of Housing and the Bobby Goldsmith Foundation.	SSO 503
17 April 2000		A downturn on the stock exchange hits the share value of Satellite Group shares.	SSO 504
18 April 2000		Lou-Anne Lind and Chris Maynard are elected as the two new Co-Presidents of the PRIDE Centre.	SSO 506
22-24 Apr 2000		The Australian Gaymes are held at Sydney University.	CQ 387
26 April 2000		<i>Out and Out</i> a radio documentary on lesbian parenting broadcasts on 2SERFM.	SSO 504
29 April 2000		Sydney Leather Pride Association holds <i>Basilica</i> and <i>Inquisition</i> dance parties.	SSO 501

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29 April 2000		An Extraordinary Meeting of the Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras rejects a proposal which would have enabled bisexual applicants to be accepted as members without further justification.	SSO 506
29-30 April 2000		2,000 people visit the full display of the Australian AIDS Memorial Quilt at the Exhibition and Convention Centre Darling Harbour.	SSO 505
May 2000		FPA Health (formerly Family Planning NSW) distributes a new education resource, the <i>Yes You Are</i> leaflet, in response to requests from secondary school teachers for material to use for lesson plans on sexual orientation and sexual health.	SSO 507
May 2000		The third state-wide anti-homophobia campaign funded by the Crime Prevention Division of the NSW Attorney-General's Department is launched to encourage young people to take a stand against homophobia.	SSO 508
May 2000		The HIV/AIDS Legal Centre launches the <i>HIV/AIDS Sentencing Kit</i> , designed to assist barristers and solicitors present accurate and current information about HIV to judges and magistrates before a sentence is passed on a positive person.	SSO 509
May 2000		The Australian Medical Association elects its first woman federal president, an out lesbian, Dr Kerryn Phelps.	SSO 510
May 2000		On the 250,000 strong Reconciliation March across the Sydney Harbour Bridge about 600 people followed the gay and lesbian <i>Black + White + Pink</i> Banner.	SSO 510
May 2000		The <i>Anti-Homophobia Access and Equity Kit</i> is launched at the Penrith Council by Chris Puplick, Chair of the Anti-Discrimination Board.	SSO 510
4 May 2000		The Oxford Hotel is auctioned.	CQ 388
6 May 2000		The Aurora Foundation, an organisation which aims to raise funds for gay and lesbian community organisations, is launched.	SSO 507
6 May 2000		The Erskineville premises of the Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras is sprayed with anti-gay slogans.	SSO 507
7 May 2000		DCM nightclub is raided at 4am by Surry Hills Police and Licensing Enforcement Agency and is issued a notice to suspend trading for 72 hours after a quantity of drugs is found.	SSO 507



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26 May 2000		The High Court refuses to grant Guo Ping (Simon) Gui, a gay Chinese man who is afraid of being imprisoned for his homosexuality on his return to China, special leave to appeal against a decision of the Refugee Review Tribunal not to grant him a protection visa.	SSO 510
27 May 2000		In a story in the <i>Sydney Morning Herald</i> , Neal Blewett, the former Hawke Cabinet Minister, comes out, discussing his long-standing partnership with Robert Brain.	SSO 510
June 2000		NSW employees who take time off to care for a parent, partner or child are protected from workplace discrimination, by Legislation passed by the NSW Legislative Assembly.	SSO 511
June 2000	New York	Irish singer Sinead O'Connor tells <i>Curve</i> , an American lesbian magazine, that she is a lesbian.	SSO 512
June 2000		Managing Director of the Satellite Group, Greg Fisher, announces plans to sell property and concentrate on gay media, in response to the Group's sluggish share price.	SSO 513
June 2000		An Australian research team is awarded a \$27 million contract by the US National Institute of Health as a part of a world-wide effort to develop an effective HIV/AIDS vaccine.	SSO 514
June 2000		The Satellite Group announces the sale of the Beresford Hotel.	SSO 514
1 June 2000		A bondage themed display featuring two bound female dummies wrapped in plastic, designed by Rachel Lafferty for the ACON <i>Sweat Party</i> , at the Oxford Street S(A)X Leather shop is censored by the South Sydney Council.	SSO 511
10 June 2000		Hand in Hand, a fundraiser for ACON, presents <i>Sweat</i> , a dance party at the Hordern Pavilion and the Dome in the old Showgrounds.	SSO 507
24 June 2000		200 people join a Pride Week rally organised by Collective Action Against Homophobia. Gay writer and activist, Craig Johnston addresses the crowd.	SSO 514
24 June 2000		The fourth National HIV/AIDS Strategy meeting, <i>Changes and Challenges</i> is launched by the Australian Federation of AIDS Organisations and is aimed at addressing and responding to HIV/AIDS in the face of increasing complacency.	SSO 514

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24 June 2000		At a fundraising dinner attended by 400 people, the Aurora Foundation raises at least \$100,000 for gay and lesbian organisations.	SSO 514
29 June 2000		A forum facilitated by the Cumberland Women's Health Centre concerning violence against lesbians is held at Westmead Hospital.	SSO 510
29 June – 2 July 2000		The Australian Lesbian Medical Association Conference features a discussion on isolation, workplace discrimination and homophobia.	SSO 515
30 June 2000		The NSW Attorney General Jeff Shaw resigns to return to his law practice. Shaw is seen by the GLBTI community as an effective reformer for gay rights.	SSO 514
July 2000		The Luncheon Club moves into a new home, at 255 Wilson Street, Redfern.	SSO 514
1 July 2000		Four gay men are elected councillors on the 15-member South Sydney Council.	SSO 515
5 July 2000		The Satellite Group requests the Australian Stock Exchange halt trading in the company's shares. Managing director, Greg Fisher is asked to resign.	SSO 515
8 July 2000	Perth	Perth city residents vote 55% to 44% in favour of keeping the Pride Parade despite opposition from the Lord Mayor.	RF
12 July 2000		John Fowler, an openly gay member of the Community Independents, is voted the new Mayor of South Sydney.	SSO 516
15 July 2000		The Australian Democrats field a ticket for the Strathfield Council elections with a ticket headed by openly gay man Carl Piraino.	SSO 514
24 July 2000		Elaine Nile MLC, retires from the NSW Parliament.	RF
31 July 2000	Strasbourg	The European Court of Human Rights rules that the UK gross indecency law violates Europe's guarantee of 'respect for private family life'.	RF
August 2000		Damian Meyer takes over from Rodney Croome, as a co-convenor of the Australian Council for Lesbian and Gay Rights.	SSO 522
August 2000		The owner of <i>Campaign</i> Indrani Bandyopadhyay, puts the magazine on the market.	SSO 525



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4 August 2000		The President of the Human Rights and Equal Opportunity Commission affirms that “faith-based” job networks are subject to international and national discrimination laws when dealing with employees.	SSO 525
19 August 2000		The Sydney Gay and Lesbian Choir perform in the Sydney Dance Company production of <i>Mythologia</i> .	SSO 522
23 August 2000		Julie Regan is elected President of the Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras.	SSO 522
29 August 2000	Canberra	The Federal Government withdraws from the United Nations Human Rights Committees and will obstruct monitoring of Australian human rights.	SSO 523
September 2000		Representatives from 20 community organisations meet at a forum called <i>Collaboration 2000</i> aimed to address issues facing the GLBT community and the changing face and complacency about HIV/AIDS.	SSO 524
September 2000		<i>Edges</i> an exhibition examining the lives of lesbians and gay men scheduled for the 2001 Mardi Gras Festival at the Liverpool Regional Museum, receives funding from the Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras.	SSO 524
September 2000		Giorgio Armani reveals his bisexuality in the latest issue of <i>Vanity Fair</i> magazine.	SSO 526
1 September 2000		The annual queerDoc Film Festival opens with the screening of <i>Paragraph 175</i> .	SSO 523
4 September 2000		Kerryn Phelps and Julie McCrossin and 100 women debate issues around fertility treatments at an event organised by Lezbiz.	SSO 524
6 September 2000	Melbourne	The Victorian <i>Equal Opportunity Bill</i> is passed through the Upper House and includes anti-discrimination coverage for people who cross-dress, the first protection in Australia.	SSO 525
11 September 2000		Joe de Bruyn, National Secretary of the Shop Assistants’ Union, is unsuccessful in urging the ALP National Executive to allow a conscience vote on the Howard Government’s planned move to limit IVF access to married couples and heterosexual de facto couples.	SSO 528
12 September 2000	Netherlands	Same gender couples are granted equal marriage rights in the Netherlands Parliament.	RF



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14 September 2000		Crowds swamp Oxford Street for the passing of the Olympic Torch at 520pm. 80-year-old former Olympian, Lola Hardinge-Irma was followed by a troupe of drag queens to the sounds of Barry Manilow's <i>Copacabana</i> .	SSO 526
25 September 2000		Lisa-Marie Vizaniari, Australia's first out lesbian to compete at the Olympic Games, qualifies in 6 th place for the final of the women's discus.	SSO 527
October 2000		The AIDS Council of NSW appoints a lesbian health project officer. The project will include the development of a health policy for lesbians, the inclusion of lesbian issues in current government health policy and advocacy around equity and access to health care for lesbians.	SSO 530
October 2000		The 22 nd Annual Reclaim the Night Rally through the streets of Sydney to Tumbalong Park Darling Harbour hear speeches from Meredith Burgmann and Betty Little.	SSO 532
October 2000		<i>The Ghost of Ludwig Gertsch</i> a novel by Sandra Harvey is published.	SSO 529
October 2000		Neighbours to a Glenhaven transitional home to treat lesbians, appeal to the Land and Environment Court. The local council had previously approved the home for Mercy Ministries, a part of the Hills Christian Life Centre.	SSO 532
1 October 2000		42 drag queens burst into the limelight at the Sydney 2000 Olympics Closing Ceremony as part of the <i>Priscilla, Queen of the Desert</i> segment.	SSO 528
5 October 2000		The new private drinking rooms at the top of the Oxford Hotel, previously called <i>Gilligan's</i> , is renamed <i>Ginger's</i> .	SSO 529
8 October 2000		\$12,000 is distributed in grants to lesbian community projects across Australia, by Lesbians Incorporated, the successor to the Lesbian Space Project.	SSO 529
10 October 2000		The NSW Greens fail to get amendments for the right of same sex couples to adopt included in the <i>Adoption Bill 2000</i> passed by the NSW Upper House.	SSO 529
16 October 2000		The Drag Industry Variety Wards are held at the Hordern Pavilion, hosted by Portia Turbo and Penny Tration.	SSO 527



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17 October 2000		Pauline Pantsdown runs a Woollahra leg of the Paralympic Torch Relay to the “complete bemusement” and “gracious adulation” of the locals.	SSO 530
17 October 2000		The Australian Catholic Bishops’ Conference makes a successful application to apply to the Full Bench of the High Court to examine the Victorian legal decision of 28 July removing restrictions on lesbians and single women to access fertility treatments in Victoria.	SSO 530
21 October 2000		The Gay and Lesbian Rights Lobby begin a series of community consultations focusing on parenting issues of lesbians and gay men.	SSO 529
25 October 2000		A motion to merge the resources, membership and format of aspirant FM broadcasters, OutFM and FreeFM is lost at the OutFM annual general meeting.	SSO 531
26 October 2000		Katy Reade and Anthony Schembri are elected co-convenors of the Gay and Lesbian Rights Lobby for 2001.	SSO 532
29 October 2000		Bill Whittaker is elected President of the Australian Federation of AIDS Organisations.	SSO 532
31 October 2000		The NSW Special Minister of State, John Della Bosca, announces legislation that extends the definition of a de facto relationship to include same sex couples and provide partners of public service members of defined benefit superannuation schemes a benefit when they die.	SSO 532
November 2000		The Gay and Lesbian Counselling Service launches a new database based on calls received since 1995, which will be used to tailor counselling training and streamline calls.	SSO 534
November 2000		A Senate inquiry is held into the Sex Discrimination Act, following a Federal Court decision that found that Victoria’s IVF laws discriminated against single women.	SSO 535
November 2000		Various Australian state gay and lesbian counselling services unite as the Association of Gay and Lesbian Community Counselling.	SSO 535
November 2000		A Bill which attempts to bring superannuation schemes in line with the Property Relationships Act 1999, by extending the definition of de-facto to same sex couples, passes the NSW Legislative Assembly.	SSO 535



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November 2000	NZ	Parliament passes the <i>Property (Relationships) Amendment Act</i> which will allow same sex and defacto couples to access the courts for the division of property when these relationships break down.	RF
2 November 2000		The PRIDE Centre holds its second <i>Collaborations Forum</i> . The focus is the interaction between the media and community groups.	SSO 526
11 November 2000		A sell-out crowd of 14,000 attend the annual Sleaze Ball, this year themed <i>2000 Degrees</i> at the old Sydney Showgrounds.	SSO 533
17 November 2000		The Board of Directors of the Satellite Group announce they have appointed an administrator to the company.	SSO 535
21 November 2000		200 people attend the annual AIDS Candlelight rally.	SSO 535
21 November 2000		John Marsden's libel trial ends after 214 days.	RF
24 November 2000		The Satellite Group's administrator closes all the Satellite newspapers including <i>Capital Q</i> in Sydney. 50 staff across Australia are laid off.	SSO 536
24-25 November 2000	Melbourne	The Australian Lesbian and Gay Archives hosts the Australian Homosexual Histories Conference at the University of Melbourne.	SSO 537
25 November 2000	Gold Coast	The Annual Community Broadcasting Association of Australian awards the <i>Sisters of Perpetual Indulgence History Walk</i> the Best-Spoken Word, Programming News, Current Affairs and Documentaries Award.	SSO 536
28 November 2000		Australian researchers at Verax Holdings Ltd, receive the green light to push forward with human trials of a treatment vaccine for HIV.	SSO 536
December 2000		Clive Faro and Garry Wotherspoon publish <i>Street Seen: A History of Oxford Street</i> .	SSO 538
December 2000	London	The UK Labour Party invokes the Parliament Act to equalise homosexual and heterosexual ages of consent. It became law on 1 January 2001.	RF
1 December 2000		The Leichhardt Hotel which has been the hangout for groups like the Dykes on Bikes and a well-known Sydney lesbian pub, closes.	SSO 537



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1 December 2000		Staff of the former Sydney GLBTQ paper, <i>Capital Q</i> put out a new paper <i>G</i> . It is published by the Lencut P/L Group.	SSO 536
1 December 2000		<i>G</i> , a Sydney GLBTQ community weekly is launched to fill the gap left by the failed <i>Capital Q</i> .	SSO 551
2 December 2000		<i>Sydney Out Now Expo</i> , a consumer trade show organised by consultancy firm <i>Significant Others</i> and directed at gay men and lesbians, is held at the Millennium Hotel and attracts 2,500 visitors.	SSO 537
4 December 2000		<i>Acts of Passion</i> Campaign, which aims to improve the GLBTQ Community's understanding of new laws governing same-sex relationships, is launched by the Attorney-General's Department.	SSO 537
7 December 2000	Berlin	The lower house of the German Parliament issues an apology to homosexuals persecuted by the Nazi regime.	RF
9 December 2000		The Chair of the Australian National Council on AIDS, Hepatitis C and Related Diseases, Chris Puplick, convenes a summit to discuss the broad strategic response to HIV.	SSO 537
19 December 2000		The Beauchamp and the Beresford Hotels, 2 former assets of the Satellite Group, go on the market.	SSO 539

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Melbourne – by Jamie Gardiner and Graham

Hobart – by Rodney Croome and the Tasmanian Gay and Lesbian Group website

Adelaide – by David Hilliard, the late John Lee, Chris Smith, Malcolm Cowan and Dino Hodge

Perth – by Neil Roberts

Northern Territory – by Dino Hodge

