



AUGUST NEWS FROM YOUR LIBRARY

MUSICAL PERFORMANCE – 17TH AUGUST, 6PM

Library favourite the Inveni Ensemble is back, with a performance on Friday 17th August from 6-7.30pm.

Inveni Ensemble's performances are always very popular so book early to avoid disappointment.

It's free for members and \$10 for guests. Refreshments will be provided and bookings are essential, either be calling 9650 3100 or emailing library@melbourneathenaeum.org.au



Inveni Ensemble performing in the library in 2017

Why not make a night of it and add dinner at the Bistrot d'Orsay to your plans?

Library members enjoy a 10% discount off the total bill. You can make a reservation by calling 9654 6498 and don't forget to present your membership card when paying your bill!

If you RSVP for a musical event and are then unable to attend please let us know. We often have a waiting list to attend musical performances.

AND THE WOMEN CAME TOO – BOOK LAUNCH, 10TH August, 10.30am

Anne Marsden's fascinating new publication, *And The Women Came Too*, will be launched at the library on Friday 10th August at 10.30am. The book tells the insightful stories of the women associated with the founders of the Melbourne Mechanics' Institution (now the Melbourne Athenaeum), and their incredible efforts in providing stability and raising families in the most challenging of conditions. It is the companion volume to *The Making of the Melbourne Mechanics' Institution*.

The book will be launched by the secretary of The C.J. La Trobe Society, Dianne Reilly AM, and members are welcome to attend. Please RSVP by calling 9650 3100 or emailing library@melbourneathenaeum.org.au



Sophie La Trobe, wife of Charles La Trobe



NEW MAGAZINES IN THE LIBRARY

The library has recently added a couple of new magazines to its collection. Please check the magazine stand for new titles, including *Traces* and *History Today* (kindly donated by a library member).

Current issue magazines cannot be borrowed but members can enjoy them while visiting the library. Past issues can be borrowed.



NEW BOOKS ADDED TO THE COLLECTION

More than 100 new books are purchased each month. Book lists are added to the library website within the first few days of each month. Please check the website soon for July's new books or contact the library for the book list.