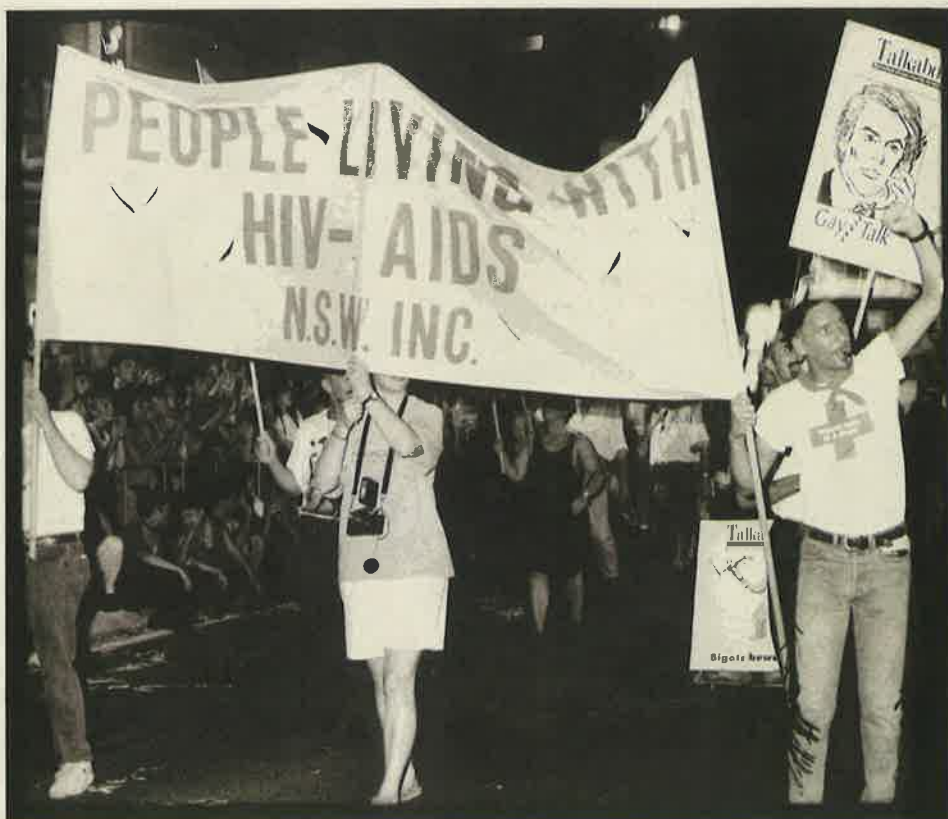


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People living with AIDS NSW (PLWA NSW) was incorporated in September 1988 in the presence of approximately 150 people in Surry Hills. In April 1992, our name changed to People Living With HIV/AIDS NSW (PLWH/A NSW) and in February 2008 to Positive Life NSW.

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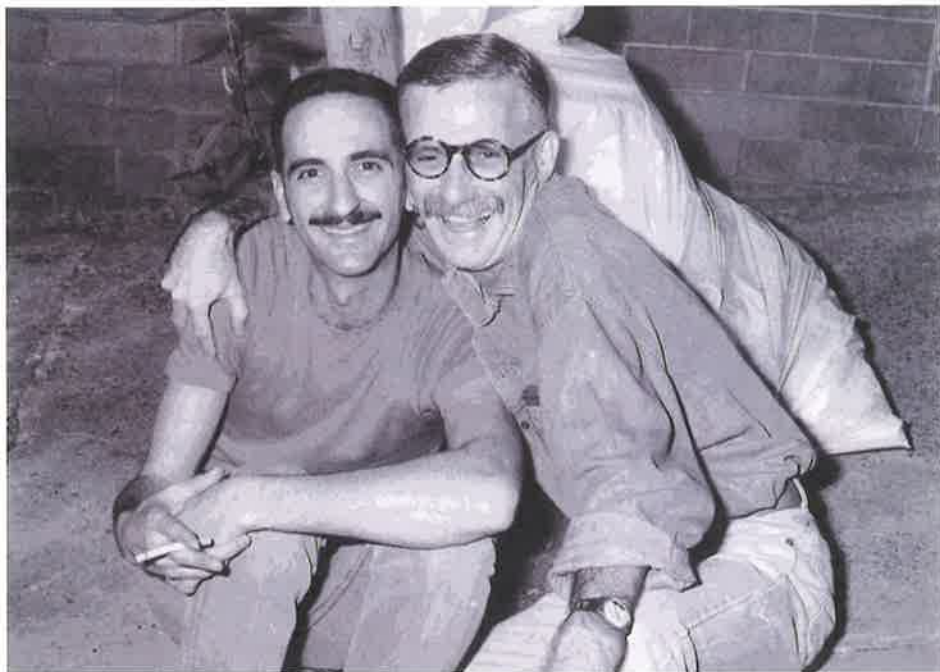
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Please be aware many of the people shown in these images have passed away and these images may be confronting.



1.

Left to right: Terry Giblett (in cap) and Rob Lake (far right of the banner) with protesters circa early 90s. Photographer: Jamie Dunbar.



2.

'Scenes from ACT UP's fundraising party QUEER' in Talkabout  
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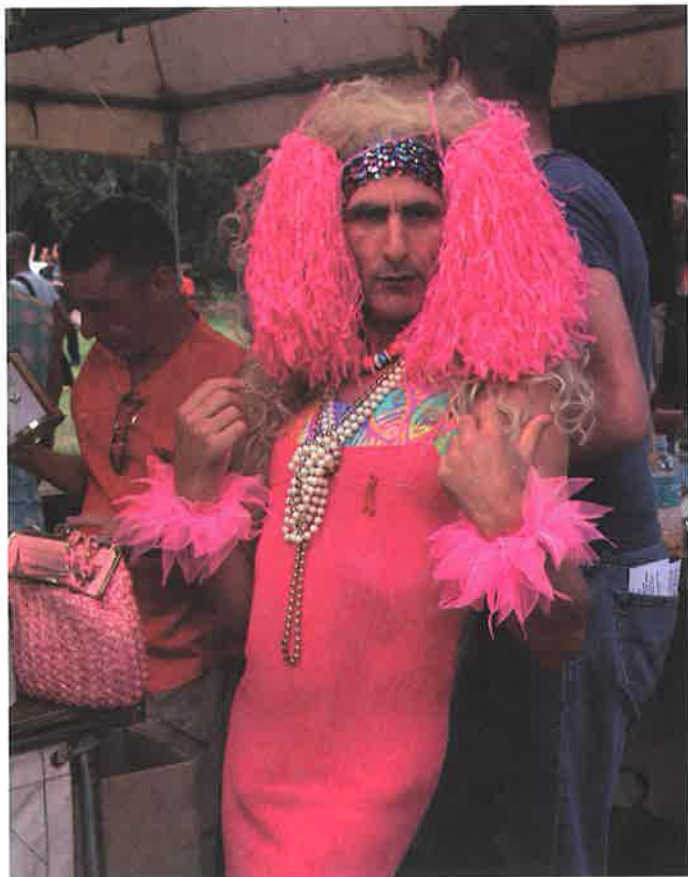
**3.**

Left to right: Don 'Dolly' Baxter with Graham Bray.



4.

Unidentified couple.



5.

Kim Gottlieb, Fairday 2003.





6.

Left to right: Tim Alderman, Vincent, Phillip Medcalf and Mark Denoe.  
Circa 90s.





7.

Sister Margaret Mines at St Vincent's Hospital, Darlinghurst circa 90s.



**8.**

Left to right: Kathy Triffitt (previous PLNSW Health Promotion Manager) with Vanessa Wagner aka Tobin Saunders circa 2000s.



9.

Ray Hansen interviewing a drag queen at People Living with HIV/AIDS NSW Fair Day stall circa 1999.



## 10.

The second food collection for the Manna Pantry outside Aussie Boys in Oxford Street in May 1996 raised almost \$5,000 in cash and \$3,000 worth of food. The collection was organised and sponsored by the Luncheon Club, Aussie Boys and Telstra and graced by the presence of members of the Order of Perpetual Indulgence in Talkabout July 1996. Photography: Mazz Images.

11. Twin Brothers, Tim and Jonathan Vincent photographed for Talkabout Cover December/January 1997/1998 by C. Moore Hardy. 'You can't kill the spirit that helps us all handle this epidemic. In many ways, we support each other and motivate ourselves to overcome the obstacles that HIV throws in our way'. Caption from Talkabout December/January 1997/1998.







12.

Left to right: ACON Safe Sex Slut, Craig Patterson (Commonwealth Department of Health), Cindy Pastel and Paul Kinder ACON Deputy Director, at the launch of ACON's Gay Men Education Strategy on 4 September 1995. Published in Talkabout October 1995. Photographer: Maz Images.



**13.**

Zsa Zsa relaxes at the People living with AIDS (PLWA) tea dance on World AIDS Day 1990, published in Talkabout January/February 1991.  
Photographer: Jaime Dunbar.





**14.**

Left to right: Stewart Ogden, AIDS Trust Director Bruce Pollack and Ray Bradbury celebrating new radios installed in the Tiffy Transport vehicles. Tiffy's Transport run by ACON provided people living with HIV and AIDS transport assistance to medical appointments. Published in Talkabout September 1993. Photographer: Peter Elfes.



15.

Unidentified, ACTUP protests circa late 80's/early 90's.



16.

Left to right: ACON president Peter Grogan, Peter Hornby and Claude Fabian as People Living with HIV/AIDS (PLWH/A) are presented with a cheque for \$4,000 from ACON's Hand in Hand party proceeds. Published in Talkabout September 1994. Photographer: Maz Images.



17.

Right to left: Eryka, Scott Berry and Barry Brockwell aka Salmonella aka Ms Mururoa, Queen of Gay and Lesbian Sydney, at the annual ACON fundraiser November 1996. Published in Talkabout December/January 1996/1997 Photographer: John Douglas.



18.

Scenes from People Living with HIV/ AIDS Mardi Gras Time Out Room 1996.



**19.**

Left to right: Unidentified and Norman Last, previous board member.



## 20.

Left to right: Adrian Ogier, Michael Staiff and David Edler. Lou McCallum in the foreground. Blessing the new Oxford Street Office, Big Sisters of Universal Joy and Fra. Michael of the Little Brothers of Positive Joy presided over the spiritual aspects of the People Living with HIV (PLWHA now Positive Life NSW) office warming on 9 February 1993. Mother Desiree of Light and Theresa Aurora Thunder lead the gathered faithful in an exorcism of demons such as the demon of "Do something", from the new premises, and the welcoming of beneficent spirits such as the spirit of "More Than Adequate Funding". Published in Talkabout March 1993.





**21.**

Scenes from People Living with HIV/ AIDS Mardi Gras 1996. Published in Talkabout April 1996. Photographer: Paige Slan.



**22.**

Scott Berry (previous President of PLWH/A) circa mid-90s.



**23.**

Caroline Brooks with Albion Street Centre Dietitian, teaching healthy and inexpensive cooking techniques to people living with HIV and their friends/ carers at the first positive cooking course in 1994. Published in Talkabout July 1996.

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24.

Talkabout Cover May 1993. Photographer: Jaime Dunbar  
(in collaboration Andrew Morgan).

Nude centrefold



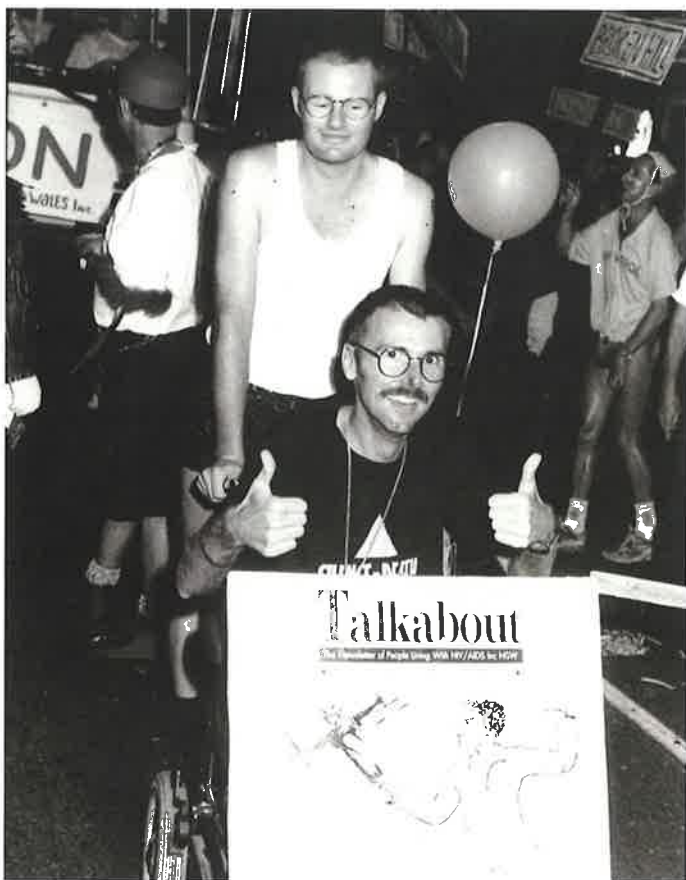
25.

Scenes from People Living with HIV/ AIDS Mardi Gras 1996 float, Oxford Street.  
Published in Talkabout April 1996. Photographer: Paige Slan.



26.

AIDS candlelight memorial Oxford Street circa early 90s.



27.

Alan Brotherton pushing Matthew Bradshaw, one of the first coordinators of NPLWAC – now NAPWHA – at Mardi Gras in the 1992 Mardi Gras Parade. Published in Talkabout February 1994.



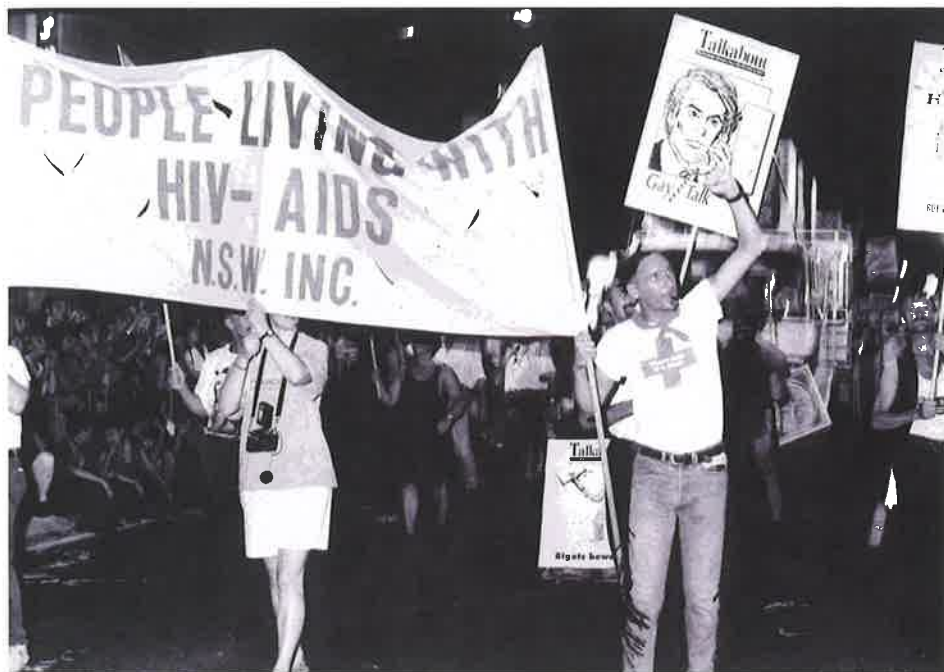


28.

ACT UP Protest freeze in Castlereagh Street, Sydney on 24 May 1991 to draw attention to treatments access. Published in Talkabout July/August 1991.

Photographer: Jamie Dunbar





30.

People Living with HIV/AIDS NSW marching in the Mardi Gras Parade circa early 90's. Andrew Morgan standing at with sign (right).

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