

**The Kensington and Norwood Writers'
Group 20th Birthday Celebration
9th November 2006**

The Kensington and Norwood Writers' Group was formed in November 1986 following a series of workshops by well-known writer Elizageth Mansutti and funded by the then Kensington and Norwood Council.

Over the past twenty years the group has gone on to print 6 anthologies, the first of which, 'A Parade of Writers' resulted from the workshops.

We held our 20th Birthday celebration on Thursday 9th November 2006 at Maxims Wine Bar on the Parade, which was attended by members past and present.

The evening commenced with a welcome speech from the co-Presidents Jill Wherry and Anne Chappel followed by MP for Norwood Vini Ciccarello.

The speakers included popular writers Elizabeth Mansutti, Elizabeth Hutchins and the poet Ann Timoney Jenkin, with musical interludes during the evening from Suzanne Wise (daughter of K&N member), Garth Dutton (K&N member) and Ally Hauptmann (K&N member) with her husband Dieter Hauptmann.



” Other guests of note included the Mayor of Norwood, Payneham and St Peters Robert Bria, Councillor for West Norwood Paul Wormald and representatives from the SA Writers Centre, several writers groups, Delta Foundation and local organizations The Kensington and Norwood Historical Society and Norwood Residents’ Association”.

It was an entertaining and informative evening celebrating a literary journey.

