

The Australian Women's Register

Entry type: Person
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Lee, Margaret Helen

Nationality Australian

Occupation Telephonist

Summary

Margaret Lee was a once only candidate (Independent) who ran for the New South Wales Legislative Assembly seat of Manly in 1984.

Details

At the time of her campaign Margaret Lee's four children were grown up, but she had begun her community activity in connection with children, initiating the establishment of two kindergartens and a community centre in the Balgowlah area to which she moved in 1968. She promised to support whichever party was elected and to encourage thoughtful discussion of and public involvement in politics. She intended to resume her maiden name following the election.

Published resources

Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Site Exhibition

Putting Skirts on the Sacred Benches: Women Candidates for the New South Wales Parliament, Australian Women's Archives Project, 2006,

<http://www.womenaustralia.info/exhib/pssb/home.html>

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