

# The Australian Women's Register

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## Australian Women's Land Army Association NSW

(1946 - )

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**Born** 1 January, 1946

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**Occupation** Ex-Services organisation

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### Summary

At the end of the World War II, surplus funds were divided between the different state Women's Land Army groups. New South Wales was allocated 500 pounds. A group of 'girls' who had worked at the New South Wales Australian Women's Land Army Headquarters, established a committee. Aileen Lynch former AWLA superintendent in NSW suggested that the money be placed in an account which would be used to establish a club to further the interests of all ex-members of the AWLA in welfare, training and advisory capacity. The club was to have a city base where the girls could continue their wartime friendship and arrange return visits to the country centres where they had worked. [1]

[1] Scott, Jean. *Girls with Grit* p. 157

### Published resources

#### Book

Girls with Grit: Memories of the Australian Women's Land Army, Scott, Jean, 1995

#### Journal

Roundabout

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

### Archival resources

#### Private Hands (These regards may not be readily available)

[Australian Women's Land Army Association NSW](#)

#### State Library of New South Wales

[Scrapbook relating to the Women's Australian National Service \(WANS\) 1940-1946 and album of the Australian Women's Land Army Association, 1942-1987](#)

[Australian Women's Land Army. United Association of New South Wales - further records, 1942-1997](#)

[Australian Women's Land Army. United Association of New South Wales - further records, 1990-1992](#)

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