

True perspective

Maggie Hamilton, author & lecturer

Author of "What is happening to our girls?"
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Date Friday 6th November 2009
Venue Ipswich Turf Club
Time Breakfast, 6.45am - 8.45am
Speaker Maggie Hamilton
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In a few short years our girls have become vulnerable – not just teen girls - young girls and baby girls. They are facing challenges no other generation has faced. What a twelve-year-old girl experienced at seven, is not what a seven-year-old girl is now struggling with. This is why many of the signposts we offer girls no longer apply.

an insider's view on what girls are experiencing at present.

Informed, revealing, at times shocking, What Is Happening to Our Girls? is a book every parent should read.

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So, what is happening to girls? Why do they pay more attention to their peers than parents? What makes brand-name clothes and looking sexy so appealing? Why are they drawn to 'out there' behaviour, and why are depression, cutting, eating disorders and binge-drinking on the rise? How do so many girls lead secret lives? Why are increasing numbers accessing porn? Why do many teen girls want to marry young and have babies? What are their hopes for the future?

Over two years Maggie Hamilton interviewed dozens of girls, teachers, school counsellors, psychologists, law enforcement and medical personnel to get

About Maggie Hamilton

Author and publisher Maggie Hamilton has held a number of senior roles in publishing and at the ABC. Her professional memberships include having served on the Executive of the Sydney Peace Foundation; as a Member of the Organising Committee for the Federation Australian Women Speak Conference, Office for the Status of Women, set up to examine the future of Australian women; and as Member of the Organising Committee for the Federation Australian Women's History Project, Office for the Status of Women. Her most recent book What Men Don't Talk About, examines the lives of men and boys. She is currently completing What's Happening to Our Boys? Out mid next year.

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