

# connect with... JOY 94.9

JOY 94.9 is a gay and lesbian volunteer-based community radio station committed to providing a voice for the diverse lesbian and gay communities, enabling freedom of expression, the breaking down of isolation and the celebration of our culture, achievements and pride.

**listen to JOY** JOY 94.9 is a self-funded, volunteer-based community radio station, providing an independent voice for the diverse lesbian & gay communities. We broadcast 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year – listen live to award winning music & talk, news & current affairs, arts & cultural programs. Made in Melbourne – for the World. Listen on-line or to podcasts, interact via SMS, Twitter, Facebook or blogs. Download our new smart phone App and listen to JOY from anywhere... see our website for full details [joy.org.au](http://joy.org.au)

**be a member** support the work of the station by becoming a financial member. Join the JOY family and ensure that the valuable service provided by JOY continues. Your membership proudly signifies your support for a dedicated gay and lesbian community radio station in Melbourne. JOY entertains you and your membership keeps your favourite JOY programs on-air and enables us to grow so we can present new and exciting programs for your enjoyment. JOY gives you a voice, your membership means you can have a say in the way the station is run... see our [webpage](#)

**present a program** you could present a show on JOY! Let the world hear your voice and opinions; share your enthusiasm and knowledge. Check out our current program grid and how to submit a proposal... see our [webpage](#)

**learn to make radio** don't have the skills? Join one of the JOY Taste of Radio Courses and get hands-on experience, including panel operation, digital editing, media law, interviewing, microphone technique, and much more. Use these skills in your future life in the media. Take your first step with JOY... see our [webpage](#)

**community service announcements** JOY provides a free service for community service announcements to inform and educate our listeners about activities and services within the LGBTI communities. CSAs are only available to not-for-profit organisations and applicable to campaigns in the areas of HIV/AIDS and health, social support groups, social justice, public awareness, community-based activities, and issues & events in the public interest... see our [webpage](#)

**volunteering behind the scenes** over 200 volunteers are involved in the day-to-day running of the station and produce what you hear on-air, every volunteer brings a unique contribution of skills and energy, whilst sharing the common goal of creating excellent radio for our community - the station is made up of a variety of people from a range of backgrounds, professions, ethnicities and sexualities. Consider being part of the team... see our [webpage](#)

**donating money & equipment** you can support the work of JOY with a donation of cash or equipment. Our technical gear has limited endurance and needs to be replaced regularly. Can you help out, please? see our webpage [webpage](#) Become a JOY Patron and support JOY with your philanthropic contribution... see our webpage [webpage](#)

**sponsoring JOY** sponsorship advertising with JOY is effective, allowing your brand and/or services to reach into the LGBTI communities. Whether it's spot airtime, program sponsorship or prize donations for competitions, we can help! Ring our sponsorship team for competitive rates, and in-house tailored production of the right message for your products & services... see [webpage](#)

**about JOY** JOY first went to air on 1<sup>st</sup> December 1993. JOY is incorporated in Victoria as JOY Melbourne Inc, operating under Rules of Association and governed by a Board of Directors elected by the membership. The Board has strategic short-term and long-term plans, and reports to membership via an Annual General Meeting. Copies of the Annual Report are available. JOY is self-funded and not-for-profit; we have deductible gift recipient status with the Taxation Office.

**“ we may be On-air... but we don't run on air ”**

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