



# NELLY thomas

**Comedian    Writer    MC    Corporate Speaker**

*“The best comedian Australia has produced in the last few years... my absolute favourite comedian at the moment” - Catherine Deveny, ABC Radio*

*“Astringent, intelligent ... very good.” - Metro Newspaper, Edinburgh Fringe*

*“Nelly knows how to get the audience thinking and laughing at the same time.” - Department of Human Services*

*“Thomas distinguish[es] herself as a sublime physical comedian” - Helen Razer, The Age Newspaper*

**Nelly Thomas** is one of Australia’s most natural and intelligent performers. Swinging fast and boldly between refined social satire and a guilty gorging on junk TV, you’d be hard pressed to find a more engaging, challenging stand up comedy experience.

Nelly sprung into comedy suddenly, winning the Comedy Festival’s Raw Comedy competition in 2003. In six action packed years since then, she has directed Barry Award winning Maria Bamford, toured nationally and internationally, established her own Melbourne comedy room and has performed in over a dozen festivals in Australia and around the world. She also continues to work in the community and government sectors, in particular, as a corporate performer and producer of custom-made performances, specialising in health promotion. In addition she is a regular guest and co-host on ABC Radio 774 and has had numerous other media appearances on the Comedy Channel, ABC TV, SBS TC and local community radio.

**www.nellythomas.com** includes extensive background information, reviews and testimonials from her numerous corporate clients, audio and video clips of her general club work, and the golden nugget that is the news that she was an under-13s girls regional BMX champion.

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