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# Go! Melbourne in the Sixties

What were the 1960s **really** like in Melbourne? Was it just great **music**, brightly coloured **clothes** and **The Pill**? Or was something deeper and perhaps more insidious happening? This **fab** new book takes a close look at the many cultural changes of the Sixties and how they affected the seemingly **conservative** city of Melbourne — and questions modern-day views about the way times **actually** did 'a'change'.

**Go! Melbourne in the Sixties** covers defining moments like the visit of **The Beatles**, the end of six-o'clock closing, the **anti-war** rallies, Jean Shrimpton at **Flemington**, as well as increases in tertiary study opportunities, dramatic population growth through **migration** and a **baby-boom**, and sets them in the context of a decade that many see as a **golden era**.



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