

## HER PLACE WOMEN'S MUSEUM

EDUCATION/SECONDARY/PETA SEARLE

# WOMEN AND SPORT FACT OR MYTH ACTIVITY

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No	Statement	Fact	Myth
1	Most women's sport coverage in the media comes on days when there is little news regarding men's sports.		
2	Australian female athletes have always been able to compete in the Olympic games.		
3	The average salary of female AFL player is 10,000 dollars and the average salary of a male AFL player is 170,000 dollars.		
4	Women in sport make up only 9% of all sports coverage in Australian television news.		
5	Sally Pearson, a 100 meter hurdles gold medallist from the 2012 London games lost her sponsors after the games		
6	Peta Searle had to give up coaching football after being offered a \$5000 contract.		
7	The Matildas (the national women's soccer team) earn just \$500 per international game, while the male national team, the Socceroos earn more than \$ 6500 per game.		
8	The Australian women's hockey team the Hockeyroos have won more gold medals than the male Hockey team the Kookaburras.		



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