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Ms Ruth Wilson, Public Speaker

Subject – “The Air Affair”

It grabs you, tugs at your mind and body. Just have to be up there. The sky becomes your playground

"The smell of propane in the morning hits my nostrils. I open the burner tap and the flame shoots forward. All my attention and energy is focused on the inflation and I am HOME. - Born to fly. A privilege to find my passion in life."

Ruth Wilson is a pioneer.

One of Australia's earliest balloon pilots who interviewed a balloonist for a magazine story in New Zealand in 1975 and purchased her first balloon a few weeks later. She is also a long distance gas balloonist and more recently took up flying fixed wing – Cessna and Piper.

Australia's first national champion in ballooning, Ruth has flown her balloon over the European Alps, deserts and oceans, worked with French film crews flying her balloon, and in most countries with over 3000 hours as P1.

Her near death experience while on a marlin fishing expedition reflects the strength of her mind and her will to live.

A confident and entertaining speaker, Ruth has presented talks in Canada, Switzerland, New Zealand and throughout many towns in Australia.

In her presentation, she brings her journeys to the screen with vivid images and inspires others to grab a hold on life and follow their heart.

Ruth is available for speaking engagements. Please contact her:

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