

Lillian



*Lillian Frank dances the night away
with the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra*

oh!
daring

*It's so wonderful to
see young women
dressing up in
beautiful frocks to go to the ball*



powder
room

Gangster wrap

Was sitting next to Roadshow's **Seph McKenna** at lunch and he told me how his American grandfather had outfoxed the legendary gangster **Bugsy Siegel** when Siegel goons turned up demanding 50 per cent of his small bookie business. "**Sol Horn**, my grandfather, handed them the keys and said, 'Take it all', which confused them so much they left and never came back. The lesson being if you want to keep it, you have to be equally ready to walk away."



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Bollywood charity bash

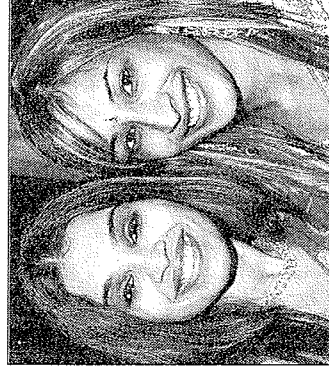
MEMBERS of Melbourne's Indian community held a marvellous bash at Nine Darling St, South Yarra, for a Bollywood extravaganza to launch the new charity organisation DISHA, which aims to raise funds for cancer research.

Event co-ordinator **Rajni Kanodia** told me they'd had a great response for their first fundraiser.

"We have 300 people here tonight but had to turn away 100

more who wanted to come but who we just couldn't fit in," she said.

The hard-working DISHA committee — **Tara Chanbermaulie**, **Suman and Rajni Kanodia** and **Arti Lakhani** — were thrilled that the evening raised \$22,000 towards the purchase of equipment for the Bone Marrow Transplant Unit at the Royal Melbourne Hospital and for lung cancer research at the Alfred Foundation.



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Hot shoe shuffle



Left: Kierah Davis and *Dancing With the*