

# One Night Only

by Briony Chisholm

Briony Chisholm is known to many pharmacists because of her work at the Medicines Information Centre and National HIV and TB Hotline, based at the University of Cape Town. She now works part time for the hotline and the rest of the time she writes, travels and writes about travelling, both in the sphere of accessible travel and common or garden able-bodied travel. She is pretty sure that she is the fiercest boss she's ever had.

On her way home from finishing her pharmacy degree in 1996, Briony had a car accident which left her quadriplegic. She returned to Grahamstown to launch her new book at the National English Literature Museum.

"One Night Only", set in Cape Town, chronicles the life of 33-year old Sarah Trafford, who has sworn off committed relationships after her last failed affair. In the book exists a familiar world of lascivious bosses, heartbreakers and clingers-on. While we are asked to consider the meaning of 'ever after' within the levity provided by Sarah's antics, the story is fun, humorous and entertaining; it allows us moments of letting go with the comfort of an exit.



Ros Dowse (left) with pharmacist and author, Briony Chisholm