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This Newsletter gives details of a Special General Meeting to be held on the 5th June, 1988 at 533 Centre Road, Bentleigh. This is probably one of the most important meetings to be held by our Association for many years and it is important that all members be present.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT MAY 1988

What a wonderful response to our St.Constantine & Eleni's Day. Over 100 guests including the representative from the Greek Consulate Mrs. Triantafillou.

A delegate of Victorian Castellorizian Youth will be in Sydney for the Castellorizian Youth Convention in June.

SPECIAL NOTE

The Board of Directors believe that our building is unsuitable for our present and future needs. The Board has inspected another property which it considers to be more appropriate. We are calling as a matter of **urgency** an extra-ordinary general meeting to discuss the matter. The meeting will be held at the site of the premises 533 Centre Road, Bentleigh (next to St. Raphael Greek Orthodox Church). YOUR ATTENDANCE IS VITAL.

JUNE 19th BINGO & FILM NIGHT

Don't forget June 19th at our Club Rooms. If you have a movie or video of past functions, picnics etc. Please contact George Verginis.

Telephone 898 3492

BIRTHS

To Dr Michael & Janet Conos a baby girl on 14th May, 199 at Royal Womens Hospital. First child for Michael & Janet & 1st grandchild for Theo Conos.

To Gina & Con Gekas on the 20th May, 1988 at St. Vincents Private Hospital a girl, 2nd child for Con & Gina and 4th grandchild for Nina & Michael Kyriakos, 11th great grandchild for Mrs. Evangelia Koutsoukis.

Home after a stay in hospital - Kevin K. Kominos. Get well wishes to Mr. Peter Christophas.

ENGAGEMENT

Niki Exintaris to Leigh Loizou, Niki is the younger daughter of Peter & Doxa Exintaris, and Leigh is the son of Angelo & Georgia Loizou.

OFF OVERSEAS

Mr. George Papadopolous to Europe, George who is Chairman of the Ethnic Affairs Commission, is a former committee member of our Association.
Mr. & Mrs. Steve Adgemis - to Castellorizo.

Welcome to the visitors who joined us at the St. Constantine & Elini celebration from Perth W.A. George & Angela Gunellas, Karen Neates, from "Voulla" Greece Mr. Kostas Stabelos visiting his brother Anthony Stabelos from Athens.

Danae Korypas (Geronikolas) daughter of Rosa arrived in Australia on 3rd January and stayed with her cousins Agapitos & Eve Kalatlzis in Sydney, 1 month in Brisbane and 2 months at the home of Con & Chrissie Adgemis. She attended our St. Constantine & Eleni celebrations before leaving for Athens on Tuesday. We wish her a safe journey and hope she will return again soon.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

A Memorial Service to the late Mrs. Panayiota Zervos was held at Evangelismos Church on Sunday 22nd May, 1988. Mrs. P. Zervos died in Melbourne on May 22nd, 1987. The Memorial Service is for twelve months. In Melbourne for the Memorial Service Mrs. Vangie Kailatzis & Mrs. Marie Karp.

GREEK WELFARE CENTRE 28TH APRIL, 1988

I attended the Opening of the Greek Welfare Centre of the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of St. Eustathias Church Dorcas Street, South Melbourne on 28th April, 1988. The Opening was by His Grace Bishop Ezekeil of Dervis, and the Chairman of the Welfare Committee Mr. Michael Barbayannis. Mr. Barbayannis in his speech thanked all those who had helped to make the centre a reality. He gave special thanks to Mr. Nick Adgemis.

CHRISTIAN NEWS

On February 22nd, 1988 the Greek Orthodox Theological College of St. Andrew began the third year of its operation as a tertiary institution aiming at training Priests and lay persons for the Mission of the Church of Australia.

Orientation Week was held on Friday 19th February, 1988 in the College grounds in Redfern, New

South Wales.

Any person interested in a career of theology should contact the Dean of the College His Eminence Archbishop Stylianios.

STATE RECEPTION

A State Reception was hosted by the Governor and Mrs. McCaughey at Government House on Wednesday 18th May, 1988 to welcome to Victoria the Deputy Prime Minister of Greece Mr. Yannis Haralambopoulos together with his wife Aga. Present at the reception were the President of the Castellorizian Association of Victoria Mr. Steve Zombos, the Chairman of the Board of Management of the Society for the Care of the Elderly Pronia Hames, Mr. John B. Salvaris and the President of the Australian Greek Welfare Society Mr. Jack Bisas.

STATE RECEPTION TO HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN & PRINCE PHILIP

I attended the State Reception to the Royal held on board the S.S. South Steyne on the 27th April, 1988. Over 500 guests were present for the trip along the Yarra and into the Bay. It was very disappointing to see only three persons of Greek background at this reception, they were Mr. Sam Papasauas President of the Greek Community of Melbourne and Victoria and Mr. P. Yannoudis President of the Cypriot Association of Victoria. In conversation with Prince Philip he showed great interest in the large Greek population of Victoria and the achievements of the Welfare Organisation, together with the history of the early arrivals of Greek migrants to Australia.

NOTICE OF EXTRA-ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

An extra-ordinary General Meeting of ALL members will be held at 533 Centre Road, Bentleigh

TIME:-

3.30p.m. SHARP.

DAY:-

Sunday 5th June, 1988.

AGENDA

- 1. Discussion and views on proposed property.
- 2. Motion: that 250 Dorcas Street, South Melbourne be sold.
- 3. Motion: that the property at 533 Centre Road, Bentleigh be purchased.

NOTE:

533 Centre Road, Bentleigh will be open for inspection from 3.0p.m. - 3.30p.m. followed by the General Meeting in the main hall 3.30p.m. 4.30p.m.

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