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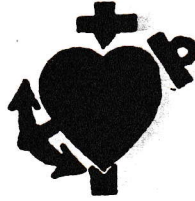
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As this is the final Newsletter for 1989 I would like to extend to Members, on behalf of the President and the Board a Happy, Healthy and Safe Christmas!! Let me remind Members of our Castellorizian Family Picnic Day to be held at Doncaster and Templestowe Gardens - George Street and the Boulevard. Melways Map 33.

Sunday December 17th, 1989 at 11.0a.m.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT

Cup Eve Dance at Hawthorn Receptions

A very successful function was held at Hawthorn Receptions. The Board would like to express its thanks to Mr. & Mrs. Con Batsiakos and his staff for the excellent catering provided by them. We also welcomed to this Dance the President and Vice President of the Ithacian Society Mr. Dennis Katsimas and Mr. Anthony Drake Vice President. From Sydney Mr & Mrs. Angelo Adgemis and Mrs. Maria James. We thank Mrs. James for her donation of a painting for our Society. The Cup Eve Sweep was won by Mrs. Anna Adgemis and the door prize by Mrs. Christina Pavlou. It was also pleasing to see two immediate past Presidents of our Society - Mr. Steve Zombos and Mr. Michael Christopher enjoying the Cup Eve Dance.

BIRTHDAYS

We congratulate Con Constance (Koutsoukis) on his 80th birthday - 28th February, 1990.

We also congratulate Con & Vera Constance on their 50th Wedding Anniversary on 19th January, 1990.

In Melbourne for George Adgemis 30th Birthday Mrs. Maria Mangos (Adelaide) who is Georges mother-in-law.

OVERSEAS

Recently returned from a ten week trip overseas are Peggy and Peter Pactos along with Pegg's sister Irene George. The trio travelled through the East, Greece and the Islands, Turkey and a weeks stay on Castellorizo. The highlight of their trip was travelling by Eurail from Vienna through the Swiss Alps to Switzerland, Lausanne and West Germany, the happy travellers had a marvellous holiday.

Yvonne Kyriakos off on an extended tour of Africa, Egypt and Greece. Yvonne is the daughter of Herb and Maria Kyriakos and granddaughter of Mrs. Daisy Mangos.

**Mr & Mrs. Andrew Salvaris and son Basil on a round the World Trip.
WORKING TRIP**

John N. Adgemis going to Los Angeles and Toronto, left Melbourne 21st November.
IN MELBOURNE

Holidaying in Melbourne from Sydney Mr. Mick Theodore. While in Melbourne he will be staying at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Con Adgemis. Nick Theodore is the brother of Maria Mangos (dec) and Paraskeua Christopher. Mr. Mick Theodore is 90 years of age.

In Melbourne for the Melbourne Cup Mr & Mrs. Angelo Adgemis.

From Rhodes - Greece - Mr. & Mrs. Savvas Boyiatzis to Queensland and then to Melbourne.

From Rhodes - Mr. George and Dialekti Louisidis. Savvas and Dialekti are the brother and sister of the late Mr. Tony Voyage.

In Melbourne visiting his aunty Vayani Bisas, Michael G. & Patricia Kailis from Perth, W.A.

WELFARE REPORT

Mrs. Christine Dimer continues to visit Members, this month Christine on behalf of our Society has visited Mr. Michael Mangos, Christine was accompanied by her father Mr Steve Pactos. Christine again with her father also visited Mrs. Evangelia Mangos.

Don't forget to let us know of Members who would appreciate a visit.

All names to the Convenor Jack Bisas 25 6233

MARATHON RUN

The Marathon run from Frankston to Melbourne was also completed by James P. Pactos and Anthony Kritikides who both finished in the same time of 3 hours 29 minutes.

FORTHCOMING FUNCTIONS

Pokies Bus Trip January 23rd, 1990
Childrens Fashion Parade and afternoon tea February 11th, 1990
Bus Trip to Sydney Holiday weekend March, 1990
Dinner Dance April 21st, 1990
Castellorizian Youth Conference Weekend June, 1990
2nd Tennis Tournament date to be finalised.

Don't Forget our Trip to Sydney for the holiday weekend
March 10th/11th/12th

All enquiries and bookings to Eva Lucas Tel: 654 3866

This will be a great opportunity to join with our Sydney Castellorizians in a pleasant weekend.

HOME AFTER A STAY IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Marika Bisas, Mrs. Daisy Mangos

STILL IN HOSPITAL

Dr. Paroulakis

BAPTISM

Stephanie Victoria Antonopoulos was christened at St. Eustathios Church on Sunday 12th November, 1989. Stephanie is the daughter of Helen and Bill Antonopoulos. A cocktail party to celebrate was held at the Palace Hotel, Camberwell.

From Adelaide for the christening was Dr. Basil Tsakalos (the godfather). Grandparents Evangelo and Erasnia Tsakalos, Dr Lucas Tsakalos. Stan & Foto Tsakalos, Tony Tsakalos, Evelyn Gacas(nee Antonas) with children Maria and Anthony.

From New York U.S.A. was Vasilios A. Tsakalos (Stephanies uncle) Vasilios has just completed his Master of Architecture in Urban Design with distinction at Harvard University Boston and is currently employed in New York.

DONATIONS IM MEMORY Of:-

The late Mr. H. Georgouros (brother of Renee Adgemis)
Dr & Mrs. A. Varigos \$20.00 Mr & Mrs. F. Josephidis \$10.00
Mrs. Maria Karpoozis \$20.00

The late Mr. Steve Salakas (Sydney)
Mrs. Maria Karpoozis \$10.00 Mr & Mrs. F. Josephides \$10.00

The late Mrs. E Karageorge
Mr. & Mrs. S. Symons (Queensland) \$20.00

The late Mr. B. Piperoglou
Mr. & Mrs. John Trellis \$20.00

CONGRATULATIONS

To George Alex Bisas on completing his degree in Dentistry "well done George". George is the son of Alex and Maria Bisas and grandson of Mrs. Vayani Bisas and the brother of Dr. Terry Bisas.

To Andrew Papadopoulos, son of George and Melody Papadopoulos for completing his Bachelor of Economics degree, majoring in Chinese at Melbourne University. Andrew will be furthering his studies towards an Arts degree.

To Angelica Papadopoulos, daughter of George and Melody Papadopoulos for completing 1st year Arts degree at Melbourne University receiving 2nd class honours in philosophy and classical studies. Angelica will continue her studies towards an honours degree.

A.H.E.P.A.

Many of our Members attended the 35th Pan Australian Convention of AHEPA held in Melbourne last month. We print a short article on the aims of the organisation in this months Newsletter.

"AHEPA is an Australian organisation with members of Hellenic descent who are dedicated to the preservation of the traditions and cultures of Greece, and the promotion of Australia and its society.

It is a prime function of the organisation to foster the ideals of good citizenship, mutual understanding, community recognition and cultural activities such as the Greek Festival Week, education, social welfare and philanthropy.

AHEPA is a non-political association which, with pride, upholds the finest traditions of freedom and democratic thought and action, its many activities include:

Sponsorship of a Chair of Modern Greek at the University of Sydney to help perpetuate for all Australians the magnificent language of the Greeks.

Active participation in naturalisation ceremonies to explain to the new citizens their privileges and responsibilities.

Adoption of orphans from Cyprus, Korea, India, Kenya, and provision for their education.

Support, both within Australia and overseas, for many charities, appeals, welfare projects, families and individuals in need.

Financial backing for medical research particularly with regard to thalassaemia and the implementation of an extensive test screening programme for this condition.

AHEPA is the only Pan-Hellenic organisation within Australia. Its strength lies in its unity and, in large part, in the cohesion within the association of Greeks from all sections of the Greek speaking world. The members act not as individuals but as one family.

AHEPA is a world-wide movement with affiliated organisations in the United States of America, Canada, The Bahamas, Japan, Great Britain and Greece. It began in Atlanta, Georgia, U.S.A. in 1922, came to Australia in 1935 and has since spread to all Australian states and the Australian Capital Territory.

There are over 10.000 members of the Order in Australia today.

The major purposes of the Order of AHEPA is to bring about a more complete understanding between the Hellenic people and Australian society in general and at the same time to preserve, maintain and foster the immortal traditions and culture of Greece."

CASTELLORIZIAN YOUTH CONFERENCE IN MELBOURNE JUNE 1990

We print a copy of the proposed working Agenda for the Conference:
Third Annual Conference Queens Birthday weekend June, 1990

FRIDAY

7.0p.m. Welcome - Formal Dinner - Official Opening of Conference.
9.0p.m. Melbourne by Night Highlights - by bus.
10.0p.m. Free time.

SATURDAY

11.0a.m. -
1.0p.m. Forum No 1 (topic to be finalised)
1.0-2.0p.m. Lunch at The Deli
2.0-5.0p.m. Forum No 2 (topic to be finalised)
7.0p.m. Castellorizian Theatre Restaurant Night with Entertainment
by Cassie Youth over Dinner.
Late evening - Free time.

SUNDAY

11.0a.m. Morning Stroll through Victoria Market
Lunch at Melbourne's famous Lygon Street, Carlton.
2.30-5.0p.m Sports Competition with "The perpetual Cassie Cup"
7.0p.m. "The Great Debate"
Interstate debate competition over dinner.
Late evening - Free time.

MONDAY

a.m. Queens Birthday breakfast at Windsor Hotel.
followed by stroll to Captain Cook's Cottage and then to
Sports Gallery at Melbourne Cricket Ground.
p.m. Lunch at famous M.C.G. and in the afternoon watching a
famous A.F.L. Football match.

We need people to become involved in the Conference. If you would like to join the organising Committee or would like to take part in just one of the activities let us know as soon as possible.

N.U.G.A.S.

The National Union of Greek Asutralian students will hold their 21st Annual Convention in Melbourne from January 13th - 23rd, 1990.

The Annual Convention brings youth together from all around Australia, its aim is to stimulate the body and the mind through social, academic and cultural events.

If you have any queries or enquiries re the Convention don't hesitate to call the Convention convenor - Peter Andrinopoulos 523 6472

Some of the highlights will include a series of seminars to be held at different venues including St. Johns Monastery, a Ball at the Hilton, one of the guest speakers will be George B. Bisas the editor of New Generation for Neos Kosmos Newspapers, past Presidents of N.U.G.A.S. include Nick Zervos and Jim Bisas.