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# GENERAL MEETING TO DISCUSS NEW CONSTITUTION

INVITATION TO ALL BROTHERHOOD MEMBERS!

All members of the Brotherhood are invited to come to a specially convened general meeting of the utmost importance.

DATE:

October 14th 1973

PLACE:

The Castellorizian Hall,

250 Dorcus Street,

SOUTH MELBOURNE. 3205

TIME:

10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(Lunch will be provided by the Brotherhood)

AGENDA: Discussion of the proposed new Constitution of the Brotherhood (enclosed herewith).

I would urge ALL MEMBERS TO COME TO THIS GENERAL MEETING.

and participate in the discussions. (please note only financial members are eligable to vote).

S. PIPEROGLOU.

(Hon. Secretary).

### BACKGROUND TO THE GENERAL MEETING

At the present time the constitutional framework of the Brothenhood is in a curious position.

- The old Greek constitution which was written at the Brotherhoods formation was the sole legal document up to 1968.
- In October 1968 a very rough translation of the above document was put to a General Meeting and reportedly passed (There exists some doubt whether this constitution was actually agreed to).
- The present committee has not been sure which document has legal validity with respect to it's articles.
- Therefore a new constitution which includes Mr. Karden's taxation recommendations has been drawn up. This document (enclosed herewith) is based on the two previous constitutions. The new constitution will straighten out the Brotherhoods very complex (and confusing) constitutional setup.

### AN APPEAL TO ALL MEMBERS

The General Meeting to discuss and debate the proposed new constitution of the Brotherhood is of the utmost importance and the Committee of the Brotherhood urges all Members to attend and show an active interest in the affairs of their organisation. While we do not expect all the provisions to be unanimously accepted the Committee feels that the proposed constitution is reasonable in so far as it clings on to the old traditions of our organisation while at the same time introduces some concepts which are essential to any sub-ethnic organisation seeking to progress through the 1970's and beyond. In reading and reflecting on the articles of the constitution we ask that members keep the future in mind as well as the past. The Committee feels that this document will suit the Brotherhood for the decades ahead and therefore, the Committee takes pride in recommending the document to members of the Brotherhood.

We would like to see as many members as possible attend this General Meeting and join actively in the discussion that will inevitably result. In order to ensure that there is plenty of time for discussion the meeting is going to start at 10:30 a.m. and lunch will be provided to all members. We envisage the meeting to end at approximately 5 p.m.

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### AN APPEAL TO YOUTH

As Secretary of the Brotherhood and as one who would still like to be included in that metamorphis term "Youth" I make a direct appeal to Castellorizian Youth to attend this General Meeting. If an organization is to survive in the future it will be only by the interest it arouses in the younger generation. At times the Brotherhood has been criticised as being "OLD FASHIONED" or "OLD HAT" and it has also been stated that the Brotherhood does not take the youth into consideration. While there may be some truth in this criticisms the fact still remains that a lot of young Cazzies are not prepared to express an ACTIVE interest in the affairs of their Brotherhood.

The General Meeting is an excellent opportunity to state your feelings so make full use of it. I ask as many youth to attend as possible and prove to the older generation that you do care what goes on in the Castellorizian Brotherhood.

STAN PIPEROGLOU

SUNDAY IS THE 30TH OF SEPTEMBER THE DAY OF THE BROWNLOW PRESENTATION.

## SYDNEY CAZZIES OPEN NEW BUILDING !

The Castellorizian Club Ltd. of Sydney are opening their new premises at Kingsford on October 6th. Various Committee members including the President, Secretary and Treasurer will be representing the Castellorizian Brotherhood at the opening celebrations and the following Pan-Castellorizian convention. The Melbourne Castellorizian Community congratulates its Sydney counterpart upon the completion of its new premises.

It is the earnest wish of the Melbourne Cazzies that we strengthen ties with our fellow Cazzies interstate. Therefore the Pan-Castellorizian Convention is seen as the first step toward a new level of friendship and co-operation between interstate Cazzies, by the Brotherhood of Melbourne.

### REMEMBER

- Cazzie Brownlow Presentation
- **30**/9/73 at 10.30 a.m.
- 86 Westbury Street, ST. KILDA.
- Witness this Historic Event!
- ( It has been reported that K.C.Z. has been disqualified from selection because he's been concentrating on other more important things. This is not true. The "invisible" Grapevine is wrong.
  - It has also been rumored that Richmond and Carlton will win the Grand Final and Collingwood will loose.
    This is also not true. S. P.).