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Newsletter of the Tramountanas-North Family [Since 1842]
Website: <http://www.tramountanas1842.org>

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T-NA Committee members meet with Dina Gerolymou from Neos Kosmos.



Dina Gerolymou is a journalist for Neos Kosmos Newspaper and in November '09 she met with our Chairman: Daryl Edmonds, Secretary: Dianne Jaspers & committee members Paul Willis & Mario Jaspers to gather information for her article titled "Greek roots bind Australian clan" a history about the FIRST Greek in S.A George North (Tramountanas), his wife Lydia (nee Vosper) and their descendants. The 2 page article with photos was the centre spread of the November issue of Neos Kosmos Newspaper. See the website for a link to the on-line article. The Tramountanas-North Association Inc. would like to extend our sincere thanks to Dina for her article and helping us to celebrate the history of our ancestors George & Lydia North (Tramountanas)

Membership Fees

Reminder that membership fees become due on the 1st January each year. If you have not paid your fees yet, then please take this opportunity to remain a "Financial Member" by sending a cheque/money order, or a direct deposit into our account. (quote "fees" & your name as the reference)

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Tramountanas-North Association Inc.

Account no: 63330244

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January to March 2010

Immigration Bridge



<http://www.immigrationbridge.com.au/>

Fundraising is continuing, so if you would like to be a part of this historic occasion, please send your contribution to Tramountanas-North Association Inc. c/o 4 Fourth Ave Seaton S.A 5023 or direct deposit to the Association's account as below. (quote "Imm Brdg" & your name as the reference)

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P.S any excess funds raised, will be directed to the fundraising for the restoration of George & Eliza and Hero & Rosina's gravesites.

ACCU Community Lottery

(As advertised on TV)



The ACCU Community Lottery 2010 is now officially under-way. Please let us know if you can help to sell some books as we can post them to you with instructions for their return in a DL envelope (reducing postage costs). Some of the funds raised will be allocated for the restoration of the gravesites of Hero & Rosina and George & Eliza North.

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Reunion 2010

The annual family reunion held in Adelaide recently was a huge success with 35 descendants and their partners attending and also members of the Lemnos Assoc of S.A. Everyone had a great time recounting their family's histories and viewing the displays of photos, family trees & historical information. If you were not able to make it, we hope to see you next year. We would like to express our sincere thanks to Jim Marinakis and the Lemnos Association of S.A for their generosity in allowing us to use their hall and the fabulous buffet they provided for the enjoyment of our family.



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(Ph: 08-8687 9177)

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(Ph: 08-82446006)

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(Ph: 08-83532875)

Please support these organisations wherever possible, as they support your Association.

Life Membership

A family member recently enquired about becoming a "Life Member" and therefore paying a once only membership fee. The Managing Committee (MC) has discussed this issue at its meeting in March 2010 and concluded that a member could become a "Life Member" at any time by paying an amount equal to 20 times (equals 20 years) the current annual membership fee, currently \$10 so the current "Life Membership" fee is \$200. Your Association could in effect, be "out of pocket" as we would not gain from any inflationary rises in the annual membership fees, we would therefore need to invest these "Life Membership" payments in a long term investment account at a higher interest rate to keep pace with inflation. The MC is asking family/members to have a say, let us know what you think of the "Life Membership" issue. You can phone or e-mail us, details at the foot of this newsletter.

The Managing Committee of the
Tramountanas-North Association Inc.

Chairperson: Daryl Edmonds

Secretary: Dianne Jaspers

Treasurer: Pauline Warne

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Andrew Bartlett, Anne Gavini, John Lesses,
Denise McEvoy, Bernadette North, Leo North

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Contributions to our newsletter

If you have something to contribute, please contact us via the details at the foot of the front page. Anything of interest will be considered, ie: photos, articles from other sources, family history. etc

Note: you must be the owner of the information and include a footnote stating that you give permission for it to be used in our newsletter.

If you have family history or photos of deceased ancestors, then you, as a descendant, are the owner. If you have an article from another publication, please obtain permission from their editor for it to be used in our newsletter.