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RHODIAN BROTHERHOOD OF MELBOURNE & VICTORIA (INC.)
"DIAGORAS"

15th January 2023

Dear Members,

On behalf of the Rhodian Brotherhood Committee, I would like to take the opportunity to wish all our members a healthy and prosperous 2023.

Our first event for 2023 will be a **DFA picnic to be held at Portarlington Foreshore on Sunday 19th February 2023 from 10.30am. A BBQ Lunch and cold refreshments will be available together with fun activities and prizes for all ages (Raffle Draw).** All interested parties please contact Monique Angelides on 0402 313 257 or Lefteri Tsoukalas on 0408 449 176 by the **10th February 2023.**

For members who were unable to attend our recent AGM, the Brotherhood was pleased to present a sound financial position which will only strengthen over the coming year. Whilst, we are pleased with the Brotherhood's financial position, it is vital that we all share in its prosperity.

At the Brotherhood's AGM, the Committee sought views and suggestions for the events scheduled for the coming year and on how we can differentiate from other similar clubs. This was an extremely pleasant and positive discussion that brought up many suggestions. However, one of the most popular suggestions was a proposed vacation on a Cruise ship subsidised by the Brotherhood.

The Brotherhood's Committee has taken this suggestion seriously and we are exploring heavily subsidised options for paid Rhodian members. These discounts will be based on holiday packages supported by the interested members and can be as high as 80% off the price per person. We were pleased to have Anastasis Kokkinos attend and contribute to our discussion. Anastasis operates Lux Tours and is willing to assist us with many tour options. To assist the Committee, we ask all interested members to contact Monique Angelides on 0402 313 257 or Lefteri Tsoukalas on 0408 449 176 to express their interest.

Your expression of interest will help us determine if this is a viable proposition and will also meet one of the qualifying requirements for the proposed cruise holiday. All members who express interest by 10th February 2023 will be invited to a meeting at the club premises to discuss holiday options. Only members who express interest in participating will receive further communication regarding our proposed cruise holiday.

The Brotherhood will post further details when available on our web page at www.rhodesclub.org.au. We urge all members to participate by expressing their interest and we look forward to the DFA Picnic on 19th February 2023.

Best wishes for 2023.

Kind regards,

Kosta Sevdalakis
President

Monique Angelidis
Secretary