

STEWART CALLS ON PREMIER TO ORDER A REINVESTIGATION OF ALLEGATIONS THAT LED TO HIS MINISTERIAL SACKING

The State MP for Bankstown, Mr Tony Stewart, has called on Premier Nathan Rees to order a proper reinvestigation of allegations made by a former staffer, Ms Tina Sanger, that led to his dismissal as the NSW Minister for Small Business and Assistant Minister for Health in November last year. Mr Stewart said that today's newspaper revelation, that Ms Sanger has previously made similar allegations against a British Academic during April 1999, demonstrated the need for Premier Rees to order a new investigation of the allegations made against him by former staffer, Tina Sanger.

"It is not a surprise to me that Ms Sanger has pre-

viously made similar allegations against someone else", Mr Stewart said.

"I am advised that Ms Sanger in 1999 made allegations against Professor Mik Heyslop, who was then a Senior Lecturer at Salford University, Manchester, England, claiming he had inappropriately "touched her" and "intimidated her" while she was an undergraduate student. As a result Professor Heyslop was demoted from his position as a Senior Lecturer, eventually leaving his university position because of the problems and trauma that Ms Sanger's allegations had caused him. Importantly, Professor Heyslop has continually maintained that

Ms Sanger's allegations against him were untrue".

"Clearly there are strong similarities between Professor Heyslop's case and mine".

I have continually maintained that the allegations made about me, by Tina Sanger, are totally false and without foundation and it seems that Ms Sanger's pattern of behaviour in terms of both Professor Heyslop and myself is remarkably similar". "I have done nothing wrong and it is now time for this issue to be properly re-examined through a judicial enquiry that has the powers to formally test the real evidence and truth on this matter", Mr Stewart said.

MEET THE PASTRY CHEF



Theo Papacharalambous

Greek Cakes by Eleni
 914 Anzac Pde, Maroubra

1. Where did you complete your training?

I trained to be a pastry chef in Cyprus under various master pastry chefs, which gave me my variety in styles and techniques.

2. What makes a good pastry chef?

The love of creating delicious treats.

3. How do you deal with the early-morning starts?

They're a bit rough, especially in winter. But my first sip of Greek coffee and the switching on of the ovens always sets me on my way.

4. What sparked your interest in cakes?

From a very early age I loved the aroma of cake shops.

5. Who or what has been the biggest influence on your career?

My wife Eleni, because we have been making cakes together for over 30 years and she tells me what to do.

6. What is the most rewarding ingredient to work with?

Creams and sponges, because of what you can do with them.

7. Is there a type of cake you make to really impress?

I would have to say the wedding cakes with royal icing.

8. Do you have any advice for any aspiring pastry chefs out there?

Always maintain a clean kitchen, use the finest ingredients, and take pride in what you do.

Article from the Southern Courier



The Promise of Scouts

*"I promise on my honor
 to perform my job
 God and the Fatherland
 to help everyone
 at all times
 and to keep the promise of the Scouts"*

*Mrs Katerina Bahas gave her Scout Promise
 on Monday night with the presence
 of the Commissioner
 of the Greek Scouts Mr. Papadimitriou
 and other Leaders of Greek Scouts.*

18,000 Greek-Australians expect pension from Greece

Approximately one-third of Greek-Australian pensioners, who responded to last year's questionnaire sent by the Australian pension authority, Centrelink, indicated that they could probably provide evidence to make them eligible for a partial pension from Greece. Correspondingly, in Greece, from October up to now, some 1,200 people have submitted applications to receive full or partial pensions from Australia.

The data was given to ERA-5 by a Centrelink representative, noting that 99% of Greek-American pensioners, who received a letter from the Australian authorities, responded to the questionnaire. About 300 have not yet replied and Centrelink personnel are making every effort to communicate personally with them.

RECESSION-BUSTING LUXURY SELECTV ANNOUNCES FREE INSTALLATION* FOR GREEK CHANNEL PACKAGES

The marketing and advertising slogan says it all: **SelectV - PAY TV WITH LESS TO PAY.** Australia's low cost digital satellite pay TV service, **SelectV**, delivers a great mix of the world's best Pay TV channels at an inexpensive price. And now the **SelectV** offer has never been more attractive to Australia's Greek community.

SelectV has just announced its Greek TV and radio channels are now available as a stand alone package and installed **FREE***. The **SelectV** Greek package is just **\$29.95** per month and features TV channels **Annenna Pacific**, **ERT World** and **Fashion TV** and Greek radio channels **Antenna Radio**, **ERA-Sport** and **Voice of Greece**.

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The 2009 Greek Festival of Sydney in association with the Historic Houses Trust presents

Aristophanes' The Birds: DVD screening

A Tribute to Karolos Koun and the Greek Art Theatre

The event presents Aristophanes' most popular comedy "The Birds" (441BC) first staged by the Greek Art Theatre in 1959 with the participation of leading Greek artists (Tsarouhis, Hadjidakis, Nikoloudi, Rotas). Fed up with the artifices of their contemporary social, political and religious life, two Athenians, Euelpides and Pisthetaerus, decide to establish a new city up in the clouds in partnership with the birds. To ensure that justice and pleasure will rule in the new city, they send away humans who offer to help and issue an embargo on both the Olympian and Barbarian Gods. A tribute to Greek director Karolos Koun and to a world famous innovative production of Theatro Technis.

Date Sunday 17 May Time 4pm for 4.30pm
 Venue Museum of Sydney, Corner Phillip and Bridge Streets, Sydney. Cost Free Entry (Bookings Essential) Contact 02 9750 0440

Language Greek and English Introduction followed by the DVD screening