## Sophia Komarkowski was awarded a Certificate of Commendation for her service to the Community



Sophia Komarkowski, Her Excellency the Governor of NSW Professor Marie Bashir and Mr Harry Hirakis principal of St Euphemia College.

Sophia was awarded an, Order of Australia Medallion and a Certificate of Commendation in recognition of her services to the Community from the Order of Australia Association NSW branch, by Her Excellency the Governor of NSW, Professor Marie Bashir AC CVO at Government House on Friday 20th November 2009.

ophia was the 2009 School Captain of St Euphemia College, member of the SRC and Peer Support Leader. She has participated in fundraisers for a number of charities including Red Nose Day, Genes for Jeans Day, Bandaged Bear Day, Daffodil Day, Australia's Biggest Morning Tea and the Cancer Council from Year 7 through to Year 12. She was part of the 2008 and 2009 Relay for Life St Euphemia College 'Doc Anderson' team.

Previously, in recognition of the community service work that she has undertaken, Sophia was awarded in 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 and 2008, the Parliament of New South Wales - Certificate of Merit "School and Community Service" award, as well as the St Euphemia Greek Orthodox College - Community Service Award "In recognition of our appreciation for your timeless efforts as well as your accomplishments".

It is through her dedication and hard work, to raise funds to help and assist these organisations, that she was nominated and selected as one of the 22 recipients to be award this award from Secondary School students across New South Wales.



Celebrity MasterChef finishes up this week, and although it's sad, it's also exciting. It revved everyone up for the second season of MasterChef Australia, which we're working on now, and it's going to be even bigger and better than season one.

I've had a lot of fun filming with the celebrity contestants. I was a little bit intimidated when I first heard about it-I thought, "Oh celebs, I know how they can be!" But there were lots of lovely moments just sitting off set and chatting. Now they're all coming down to Melbourne and visiting me at the restaurant! I've created a really good friendship with Michelle Bridges, and she keeps busting my chops to go running with her, which I'm considering. It's nice!

Since this is the last week of the show, I thought I'd share a few of my favourite memories of the season with you...

Alex Perry coming into the MasterChef kitchen and trying to wow me with his version of spanakopita, which he cooked with a pair of sunglasses on!

Making Michelle Bridges do push-ups during her heat.

Allowing the celebrities to step into my world, working a lunch service in the kitchen of Altitude at the Shangri-La Hotel in Sydney.

Simon Westaway trying to stare me down, Mafia style!

One of the most memorable dishes of the season, for me, was Fuzzy's watermelon salad - it was gorgeous!



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Η Παναχαϊκή Φιλανθρωπική Ένωση "Ο Παλαιών Πατρών Γερμανός" γνωστοποιεί ότι: φέτος ο εορτασμός του Πολιούχου της Πάτρας Αγίου Ανδρέα θα γίνει την παραμονή, Κυριακή 29 Νοεμβρίου 2009 με αρτοκλασία στον Ιερό Ναό

των Αγίων Κωνσταντίνου και Ελένης, King Street, Newtown στις 10.00 π.μ. Κατόπιν θα ακολουθήσει η ετήσια Τακική Γενική Συνέλευση των μελών της Ένωσής μας (ώρα 12.00 μ.μ. στην αίθουσα του κτιρίου 180 Unwins Bridge Rd., Sydenham με τα ακόλουθα θέματα):

## ΗΜΕΡΗΣΙΑ ΔΙΑΤΑΞΗ

- 1. Καλωσόρισμα των μελών από τον Πρόεδρο της Ένωσής μας κ. Κοσπέτα Χάρη
- 2. Ανάγνωση και Επικύρωση των πρακτικών της τελευταίας Ετήσιας Γενικής Συνέλευσης
- 3. Αναφορά Προέδρου
- 4. Ισολογισμός
- 5. Διάφορα άλλα απορρέοντα θέματα από το Καταστατικό της Ένωσής μας
- 6. Εκλογές για την ανάδειξη νέου Διοικητικού Συμβουλίου

Μετά το τέλος της Γενικής Συνέλευσης θα προσφερθεί η πατροπαράδοτη σκορδαλιά, διάφορα μεζεδάκια, ποτά, αναψυκτικά και γλυκά.

Με πολύ εκτίμηση

Ο Πρόεδρος Χάρης Κοσπέτας Ο Γεν. Γραμματέας Σπύρος Μιχόπουλος