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## Napoleon Perdis Make Me Over day



Napoleon Perdis concept stores recently hosted a special in-store Make Me Over day to raise awareness and vital funds for Ovarian Cancer Australia. Read more in Friday's edition



Take a look and decide which is the most justified cover for this month's Focus magazine. It's about time, Germany pays its debts to Greece!!!

## Greece caught up in an all-out flour war

GREEKS have put their economic woes behind them by getting rid of their frustrations with a mass flour fight. The bizarre tradition, known as the Flour War, involved thousands of people dressing up in plastic suits and goggles to do battle on the streets of a small fishing village.



VILLAGERS, joined by out-of-towners, were split into two gangs to fight it out with coloured flour bombs in the center of Galaxidi. But the scenes were a little friendlier than those in Athens last week. There, thousands of people protested government plans to cut public sector wages and hike taxes to deal with the country's massive budget deficit. Participants said the tradition, in which 3,300 pounds of flour were used, was a great way of releasing frustration as the country suffers the worst economic crisis in its history. The tradition was believed to have originated in 1801, when Galaxidi residents defied their Ottoman rulers by celebrating the forbidden Carnival festival and painting their faces with ash while dancing.

## GREECE IS THE WORD

Hollywood stardom hasn't quite happened for Alex Dimitriades so far - unless you count Deuce Bigalow: European Gigolo - but he's making it big in Greece. The star of The Heartbreak Kid, Head On and Wildside is heading to the Mediterranean next month for the premiere of his first Greek film, the comedy Bang Bang Wedding. "It's a road movie about a young couple who travel from the church ceremony of their big day to the reception and the wheels fall off for all involved," Dimitriades says. "People get lost, they get drunk, they get into smashes. Everything goes wrong."

Dimitriades spent three months on Crete playing the groom opposite the Greek actress Faye Xila. "I'm currently on every magazine cover in Greece," he says. "My days of being anonymous over there are long gone."



## Young learning from the best

NICHOLAS Danaskos from Kingsgrove joined more than 100 children who took part in Sydney Football Club's (FC) holiday clinics last month.

The holiday clinics were a great opportunity for budding young soccerroos to learn from the best Sydney FC has to offer. Participants in the three day clinic met Sydney FC players and watched them train, learnt football drills from accredited coaches, trained at the official FC training grounds and received official Sydney FC uniforms.

The clinics success could be seen in the smiles of the young children who learnt new skills, made new friends and met their idols. He is pictured with Sydney FC player Steve Corica.



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