



KASTELLORIZIAN COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA (INC.)
2023 NATIONAL CONFERENCE – PERTH,
WESTERN AUSTRALIA
PROGRAM OF EVENTS



Friday 20 October – Monday 23 October, 2023

HER ODYSSEY AND BEYOND

A Historical and Current Overview of the Role of Women in
Kastellorizian Society

The important contribution made by Kastellorizian women in shaping the lives and
destiny of Kastellorizians both while living on the island and around the world.

Day 1	<i>Friday 20 October - Welcome to Her Odyssey</i>
1:00pm (onwards)	Registration Day: Kastellorizian Assoc. of WA, (street parking only) 160 Anzac Rd, Mt Hawthorn Perth, Western Australia.
	Market Place & Exhibition Tables Open: Items for sale include: Aprons, Cookbooks, Tea Towels, Badges, Books, & a Wedding Photo display with Allan Cresswell
2:30pm	Afternoon Tea
5:00pm	Conference Official Opening & Blessing: CAWA President, KCA President, Father Terry Gerovasilis
6:00pm	Dinner at Cazzie House: Souvla Boys (Choice of Lenten/Seafood option available)
Day 2	<i>Saturday 21 October - Women Who Inspired Us</i>
8:30am	Registration – Tea & Coffee: Australian Institute of Management 76 Birkdale St, Floreat (parking available on site)
9:00am	Welcome: Host: Theona Mitaros: Media Professional & Educator
9:15am	Conference Welcome & Introductions: Jim Manifis: Vice- President of Kastellorizian Council of Australia, and President Kastellorizian Association of Western Australia (Inc.)
9:25am	Acknowledgment of Country: Voula Terzoudi
9:30am	“Women In The Bible” Father Terry Gerovasilis: Parish Priest, Saints Constantine & Helene Church, Perth WA
10:30am	Morning Tea
11:00am	“Migration and Megistopoules Revisited” Dr John Yiannakis: Historian Educator
12:00pm	Lunch
1.00pm	“Women, Gold and Power” Nicholas Bogiatzis: Social Historian
2.00pm	“Kastellorizian Women Inspiring Traditional Greek Cuisine” Helen Anastasas: Educator and Facilitator of Cazzie Cooking Classes
3:00pm	Afternoon Tea
3:30pm	Summary of the Day: Theona Mitaros
3:45pm	Day concludes
6:30pm	Evening Dinner: The University Club of Western Australia UWA, Hackett Drive, Crawley (parking available on site)

Day 3	<i>Sunday 22 October - Women of Our Future</i>
9.00am	Sunday Morning Liturgy: Sts Constantine & Helene Church, Parker Street, Northbridge (Street parking only – Free on Sundays)
	Conference Program Re-commences: Australian Institute of Management 76 Birkdale St, Floreat (parking available on site)
12:00pm	Lunch
1:00pm	Day 3: Host: Dr Angela Evangelinou-Yiannakis: Researcher working in Higher Education
1:05pm	(Greek) Women in Diplomacy and Foreign Relations: Georgia Karasiotou: WA Consul of Greece
1:45pm	Panel Q&A Session 1: Current Day Careers & Choices: 'Interwoven Influences & Forebears' Chair: Marilyn Tsolakis Panellists: Dr Sophia Economis: Dental Surgeon, WA Anna Gelavis: Deputy Chief Pharmacist, Department of Health WA Katherine Gregory: Senior State Prosecutor, Office of Public Prosecutions, WA Eleni Kakulas: Successful Business Woman, WA Felicity Karageorge: Partner Johnson Winter Slattery Law Firm, NSW
2:45pm	Afternoon Tea
3:00pm	Panel Q&A Session 2: "Closing Remarks, Reflections and Beyond" Chair: Anna Gelavis Panellists: Nicholas Bogiatzis: Social Historian, ACT Meliesse Agapitos: Educator & Human Resources Generalist, WA Mining sector Amanda Kailis: Senior Assistant State Solicitor, State Solicitor's Office, WA Marilyn Tsolakis: Educator & Co-ordinator Friends of Kastellorizo, WA
3:30pm	Summary of the Day: Dr Angela Evangelinou-Yiannakis
3:45pm	Day Concludes
6:30pm	GALA DINNER Frasers Kings Park, State Reception Centre, Perth (Parking available on site) Host: Dr Angela Evangelinou-Yiannakis
Day 4	<i>Monday 23 October – Welcome to Perth</i>
	Day free for Delegates
	Optional Day Tour of the Swan Valley – Dependant on interest
10:00am	Optional Northbridge Walking Tour: "Walking Tour with Dr John Yiannakis" Please book early – numbers are limited (Only 25 tickets available). • Participants are asked to please bring their own water bottle, hat and sun glasses. • Tour commences at the Perth Cultural Centre James Street and ends at Saints Constantine & Helene Greek Orthodox Church, 20 Parker Street, Northbridge at approximately 11:00am.