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Dear Members and friends,

We are pleased to announce the Museum's next upcoming exhibition:

"From the Phoenix to the Drachma and the Euro. The history of money in modern Greece."

How the evolution of the Greek state is reflected in its currency, the banking system, and everyday life.

We present the history of Greece through the lens of money or, conversely, the history of Greek currency as it was shaped by historical events.

We will exhibit coins, banknotes, bonds, documents from the occupation-era (World War II) and refugee loans (1922), commemorative items from the Bank of Greece, all interconnected within the Cowandilla Community Room of the City of West Torrens, 175 Sir Donald Bradman Dr, Cowandilla 5033 View Map.

Opening Day: Saturday, 12 September, 3pm–5pm

Opening Period: 15 September – 17 October

Open to the public: Every **Tuesday**, **Saturday**, and **Sunday**, 11am–3pm

Where: 175 Sir Donald Bradman Dr, Cowandilla 5033 View Map.

Admission: Free

The Greek Museum of Adelaide Inc.

invites you to
the exhibition:

FROM THE PHOENIX TO THE DRACHMA AND THE EURO:

THE HISTORY OF MONEY IN MODERN GREECE





An exhibition of exceptional cultural significance, illuminating Greece's financial and social journey across nearly two centuries.

The evolution of Greek currency, from the birth of the Phoenix in 1830 to the modern Euro, through exquisite displays of original and replica banknotes, coins, archival collections, and rare memorabilia.

At the heart of this exhibition lies the history of World War II's compulsory occupation loans, a profound financial injustice imposed by German and Italian forces.

Complementing this narrative is the historical backdrop of the Asia Minor refugee crisis, offering essential insight into the human resilience that shaped Greece's modern identity.

Join us for an afternoon of cultural enrichment, historical reflection, presented through authentic archival resources.

12 September - 17 October

OPENING DAYS
TUESDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY

OPENING HOURS
11am - 3pm

VENUE
COWANDILLA COMMUNITY ROOM,
CITY OF WEST TORRENS
173 SIR DONALD BRADMAN DR,
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Latest Museum's News

The Museum's recent film screening of "Kapodistrias" on 17 May 2026 was a great success. All seats were fully booked, and the atmosphere throughout the event was truly exceptional. Your enthusiasm, presence, and support made the evening memorable for everyone involved.

We sincerely thank you for embracing our cultural initiatives and helping us bring these events to life.

Renew your membership:

If you would like to renew your annual membership, you may do so easily online.Simply click the button below and complete your $20 payment using your credit card or PayPal account.Please remember to include your **name and surname** during checkout.

Renew Membership

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