

## socialscene

WHO'S DOING WHAT, WHERE AND HOW...



**Best wishes:** Lauren Michod and Kelly Cruz



**All smiles:** Elisabeth King and Terry Oscar



**Here's cheers:** Naomi Shivaraman and Lucy Jennings

**Birthday toast:** Maria Benardis and Nik Christodoulidis

**WHAT:** Greekalicious birthday bash  
**WHERE:** The Intuitive Well Centre, Bondi Junction  
**WHEN:** Monday, January 14  
**WHO:** Zoe Ventoura, Peter Everett

Sydney's most authentic Greek cooking school celebrated its first birthday this month in its newly acquired abode in the heart of Bondi Junction. Culinary queen and founder Maria Benardis welcomed guests as family on the night. SBS Kick star Zoe Ventoura topped the night off with an inspiring tale about her Greek heritage. Tasty mezedes, including mastic-infused kataifi prawns, oysters with an ouzo-spiked dressing and a variety of Greek cheeses circulated the crowd, leaving no doubt that Benardis's "true to the source" philosophy had been dutifully upheld.



**Star style:** Zoe Ventoura and Peter Everett