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Silver service

FIRST day on the job as CEO and Silver Chef boss **Charles Gregory** was in fine form at yesterday morning's launch of the equipment financiers hospitality index, a new annual report pegging trends in the cafe scene.

Although Gregory didn't whip out his beloved set of bagpipes, which City Beat is assured he can proficiently strangle, he did sing the praises of the event's host, **Will Cooke** of Vapiano. Silver Chef assisted the Albert Lane eatery with a sparkling array of kitchenware, which was put to good use for the event.

Also spied was Silver Chef's founder, outgoing CEO and new chairman, **Allan English**, a happy man on day one of retirement from executive life – and on his way to another farewell lunch, impressively his 15th such knees-up.