



ANGLO-INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF NEW SOUTH WALES Inc.
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Dear Members,

It has been a long and chaotic year for every one of us. I hope each one of you have kept safe and well during these difficult and uncertain times.

Due to the unfortunate circumstances of the pandemic and the Government's health guidelines, the Association was unable to gather and host events for the year of 2021 (including the AGM, annual Christmas Tree and NYE Ball). With the Government's health regulations regarding vaccinations, we were restricted from scheduling any events to be held at the end of this year. As a result of the NSW lockdown, the committee was also not able to hold meetings and consider future events.

With the easing of restrictions, the Executive Committee met last week to discuss the steps in moving forward with future events in a covid-safe manner. The committee has planned to host our first event early in the new year which will be a special General Meeting as we could not hold our AGM for 2021. This event will be for all current financial members, followed by lunch. Once the details have been finalised, a flyer will be mailed to all our members. We look forward to seeing you all again.

On a happy note, I am pleased to share that Mr. Stanley Gonsalvez, a member of our Anglo-Indian community, celebrated his 100th birthday. On behalf of the Association, I had the pleasure of meeting and congratulating him on this joyful milestone.

The 2020/21 financial statements were audited and returned from the accountant. For any members who require further information, please contact the Treasurer, Clive Jones, or myself.

Throughout this year, we unfortunately lost a few of our members, and our condolences and prayers go out to their families and loved ones.

I wish you all a Merry Christmas and a safe and prosperous New Year. I hope to see you and your families in the New Year. God bless.

Yours Sincerely,

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