



Another year almost over!

Wow! Another year almost over, filled with so many events and positive outcomes. Christmas means so much to people, especially as it means getting together with family and friends.

The entire Thalassaemia & Sickle Cell family is no exception as we celebrate this festive season with all our loved ones.

However, we also need to spare a moment to reflect on those families and friends of loved ones who have been sadly missed. As Christmas draws near the feelings and emotions associated with the loss of a loved one who is no longer with us becomes more evident.

Everyone at Thalassaemia Australia and the Thalassaemia Society of NSW feels the sadness and sense of loss as we deal with having to move forward and remain dedicated to making a difference to all in our community.

Despite all the challenges faced by our entire patient group, we are constantly amazed by the strength, courage and resilience shown to overcome them throughout the year. The benefit of displaying such traits is they get to enjoy a life that is as close to normal as possible.

In addition, they also get the opportunity to spend another Christmas with their families and friends, not to mention looking forward to another new year. A new year brings with it the renewed hopes and dreams of a better life and better outcomes in dealing with, and conquering new challenges.

Whichever way you celebrate Christmas, we can all agree that the common thread is in how we come together as people in peace, happiness, love and harmony. Unlike the presents associated with Christmas, these simple values are things that no amount of money can buy.

Finally, we at Thalassaemia Australia together with the Thalassaemia Society of NSW, would like to acknowledge the contribution of all our major stakeholders and those that have kindly donated their time, money or services.

Any assistance makes an enormous difference to the successful operation of our organisation in reaching key objectives. Without this generous support many of the services provided by TA and the Thal Society of NSW would have been compromised.

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Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to all in our Thalassaemia & Sickle Cell family and we look forward to reaching out to everyone in the coming New Year.
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