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Dear Members and friends of the UNSW Staff Social Club,

As advised late last year it has been difficult to plan any events for the future due to the current continuing pandemic situation.

The Committee has decided to terminate the UNSW Staff Social Club from 1/3/2022. This has not been an easy decision to make but the Committee felt it is the right one. Our membership numbers have been reduced over the years which makes it difficult to continue and to subsidise events. Personally, I also feel that I am unable to organise activities due to the uncertainty forced on us by Covid.

The Committee decided that any funds left in the Social Club account is to be donated to The Children's Cancer Institute (which has links with UNSW). I am sure you will all agree that this is a worthy cause and the Social Club have had a long relationship with that charity.

On behalf of the Committee I thank current and past members for your support over the years - the Club was established in 1961 so it has been operating for over 60 years.

I am sure you will agree that the Social Club brought our members a lot of joy and happiness - we are also left with many memories - we have covered many areas - seen many places - picked many fruits - saw many musicals - visited numerous heritage homesteads - enjoyed many autumn and spring gardens - visited many animal farms - and were able to support those local business where ever we visited.

So finally thank you for your support and all the best for the future.

Nadia Withers