

The All-India Anglo-Indian Association

Lucknow Branch



DIRECT MAIL LETTER

Dear Members,

Due to the pandemic and its related guidelines and restrictions on number of people attending gatherings and the fear of a speculated third wave around September 2021 the Branch Committee does not deem it fit to risk the health of members and conduct the annual AGM with a physical gathering of all eligible members for the year ended 31 March 2021 between the stipulated period of April to August as specified in the *Memorandum and Articles of Association* of the All-India Anglo-Indian Association under clause '96' and I quote "Provided that if, for any exceptional reason the Annual General Meeting cannot be held within the specified period, namely between the months of April and August, the existing Branch Committee shall seek the permission of the President-in-Chief in writing through the Governing Body Member in charge of the State/Union Territory, not later than 31 July, stating the reason for the delay and requesting permission to hold the Branch AGM as early as possible or at such time as the President- in-Chief may determine." Accordingly we have informed the President-in-Chief in this regard through an email dated 12 July 2021.

The Council for the Indian School Certificate Examination has declared the class 10 and 12 Board Examination results a few days back and I am happy to inform you that all our children have cleared the examination successfully with flying colours and our best wishes are with them as always. Those who sent in their results to us, were shared with members in our WhatsApp group, Facebook page, Twitter and Instagram accounts as well.

Senior Citizens of the Branch who have paid their subscriptions for the current year and have no source of income or pension facility and wish to apply for assistance under the *Col Adams Old Age Benefit Scheme Fund*, may fill up the prescribed form and submit to the Secretary or Treasurer latest by **30 August 2021**. The decision of our Head Office in this regard is final and binding.

Youth of the Branch who have paid their subscriptions for the current year and whose parents' joint income is below Rs 30000/- per month and who desire to apply for Scholarship may fill up the prescribed form and submit to the Secretary or Treasurer latest by **30 August 2021**. The decision of *the All-India Anglo-Indian Educational Institution* is final and binding in this regard.

Members of the Lucknow Branch whose **names appear on the Branch roll as of 31 March 2021 and WHO DO NOT HAVE ANY SOURCE OF INCOME CURRENTLY** may kindly contact the Secretary Mr Warren Hopkins on 8953556655 for assistance with regards to dry rations. We shall be happy to discreetly assist you ASAP and keep your identity confidential. **Before calling the Secretary kindly ensure your membership status to avoid any embarrassment.** The Branch cannot help non-members at this stage.

The Branch Roll is updated at regular intervals and is shared in the WhatsApp group and on our website. Kindly check it for errors and omission if any and inform the Secretary ASAP for corrections if any. Members who wish to renew their subscription for the current year via online transaction may contact the Secretary or Treasurer for bank details. This is necessary for us to keep a tab on transactions and issue receipts. Kindly **DO NOT** share our account details amongst members to avoid accounting problems. The Committee shall not take responsibility for such transactions.

With all good wishes.

(Adrian Michael)
President

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