

## HSBC Malta Foundation brings Christmas presents for the disadvantaged

HSBC Malta Foundation continued its Christmas tradition of celebrating the festivity with those from disadvantaged backgrounds by supporting a number of charities in December.

The financial donation from the Foundation brought the season's spirit to those who might not otherwise have had a celebration. This time the recipients included: National Foster Care Association Malta, Kummissjoni Djaġonija – Żurriq, Paediatric Day Care Ward Mater Dei, and Friends of Mount Carmel Hospital Society.

The HSBC contribution during the festive time of the year allowed a range of activities and parties to be held. These typically feature Christmas elves, gift toys, Christmas delicacies, and of course a visit from Santa Claus.

Reflecting the sentiment of the charity recipients, John Lanzon, secretary at Friends of Mount Carmel Hospital Society, said: "On behalf of our organisation, I thank the HSBC Malta Foundation for their generous donation towards the activities held during Yuletide, benefiting children getting treatment at the Young People's Unit. With HSBC's donation, these youths had the opportunity to enjoy a better environment and good spirit during this period."



Kids in the care of National Foster Care Association Malta celebrated an HSBC-sponsored Christmas party at Pembroke Parish Hall. The Foundation's spirit of giving brought smiles to countless disadvantaged individuals

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