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Four **long-serving members of staff** retire

2005 leavers return for **ten year anniversary**

OW cricketers enjoy summer sunshine back at School.



Forthcoming Events

1940s-60s School House Reunion

Friday 4 September 2015 – Warwick School

As we go to press we look forward to welcoming back 80 boarders from the 1940s to '60s for a Chapel Service and Dinner.

Thank you to the many OWs who have sent photos from their boarding house days for the School Archives.



1961 C dorm feast.



1961 Snooker.



1952 Sunday afternoon.



1960s View from Boarding House.

OWA Annual Dinner

Sat 5 Dec 2015, 19:00

The Pyne Room, Warwick School

The OWA Annual Dinner is a hugely enjoyable opportunity to get together with old friends back at School. The Dinner is open to all OWs and bookings can be made individually or for groups.

Pre-dinner drinks will be served in the Panel Room at 19:00, followed by a five course dinner. Cash bar facilities for wine and spirits are available before and after the meal.

Tickets: £39.50, are available by completing the booking form on the back page of this newsletter or book online at www.oldwarwickians.org.

Recent school leavers in full time undergraduate education are offered discounted tickets at £25.00 and are limited to the first twenty applications. Some wine for recent school leavers will also be made available, courtesy of the Head Master.

Dress: Black tie.

Booking deadline: Friday 27 November.

No refunds are available after the booking deadline.

Hong Kong Reception

Mon 21 Sept 2015

All Old Warwickians in Hong Kong are invited to join Boarding House Master Mike Perry, Maths Master Peter O'Grady and Deputy Headmaster David Wickes at a Cocktail Reception on Monday 21 September from 19:00 to 21:00.

Venue: The Excelsior Hotel, Causeway Bay, Hong Kong.

Dress: Shirt and tie.

Please book your place online at www.oldwarwickians.org.

1985 Zimbabwe Rugby Tour Reunion

Sat 5 Sept 2015, Warwick School

Brian Emmerson, Ian Moffatt and Peter Freeman will be reunited with many of the boys who went on the 1985 Rugby Tour to Zimbabwe. Initiated by Charlie Sheppy (WS 1980-85), this reunion is the first time many of the players will have seen one another for thirty years. A number of OWs are flying in from overseas for this special occasion.



1985 Zimbabwe.

OWA AGM

The Conference Room, Warwick School

The OWA AGM will take place in the Conference Room at School on Saturday 5 December at 18:30. The agenda and committee nominations will be posted on www.oldwarwickians.org.

Forthcoming Events

OW London Reunion

Tues 3 Nov 2015 – The Cavalry and Guards Club, Piccadilly

Enjoy meeting with fellow OWs in London on Tuesday 3 November, 19:00-21:00. Charles Clark (WS 1941-45) is kindly hosting the gathering in The Field Marshals' Room at the historic Cavalry and Guards Club.

There is no charge for attending this event. As numbers are limited (maximum 120), bookings will be accepted on a first come, first served basis. To book your place, please complete the booking form on the back page of this newsletter or book online at www.oldwarwickians.org. Dress: suit or jacket with tie.

Booking deadline: Friday 23 October 2015.



The Cavalry and Guards Club.

OW Events and Reunions

1940s-60s School House Chapel Service and Dinner Warwick School Fri 4 Sept, 18:00.	Hong Kong Reunion Excelsior Hotel, Causeway Bay Mon 21 Sept, 19:00.
1985 Rugby Tour to Zimbabwe Reunion Pyne Room, Warwick School Sat 5 Sept, 12:30-14:00.	OW Coffee Morning Pyne Room, Warwick School Sat 3 Oct, 10:00-11:30.
OWs vs. Old Sils Hockey Old Sils astro Sat 12 Sept, 10:30.	OW London Reunion Cavalry and Guards Club Tues 3 Nov, 19:00-21:00.
OWs vs. Old Sils Rugby Solihull School Sat 12 Sept, 12:00.	OWA AGM Conference Room, Warwick School Sat 5 Dec, 18:30.
OW Golf Autumn Day Kenilworth GC Fri 18 Sept, 08:00.	OWA Annual Dinner Pyne Room, Warwick School Sat 5 Dec, 19:00.

For information on any of these events, please contact Anne Douglas in Alumni Relations. Email: a.douglas@warwickschool.org.

Chapel Services – Michaelmas 2015

Sun 13 Sept	10:00	Beginning of term Service
Sun 20 Sept	10:00	Harvest Festival
Sun 4 Oct	10:00	Grandparents Service
Sun 8 Nov	18:30	Remembrance
Sun 29 Nov	18:30	Advent Service of Light
Sun 6 Dec	16:30	Christingle.

All Old Warwickians and their families and friends are welcome at these services.

OW Coffee Morning

**Pyne Room, Warwick School
Sat 3 Oct 2015, 10:00-11:30.**

No need to book, just turn up for coffee, bacon butties and a chat.

Wives, partners and friends welcome.



Armed Forces Chapel Service and Dinner

The Pyne Room, Warwick School



Lt Col Jules Buczacki, Inspecting Officer at CCF 2014.

Lt Col Jules Buczacki (WS 1981-92) invites all OWs who have served or who are currently serving in the Armed Forces to join him in 2016 for the biennial OW Armed Forces Dinner. Invites to be posted early September. Wives and partners are most welcome.

Lt Col Jules Buczacki is SO1 Strategy in the Army HQ Capability Directorate. He has recently been selected for promotion to Colonel. Jules spent most of his career as a King's Royal Hussar (main battle tanks), before transferring to command The Queen's Royal Lancers (armoured reconnaissance). He has undertaken operational tours in the Balkans, Sierra Leone and Afghanistan. He has a MLitt (with Distinction) in Terrorism Studies from the University of St Andrews. His passions are rugby, cryptic crosswords, music and darts. One day, he will write a book.

For further information about this special Dinner, please contact Anne Douglas, a.douglas@warwickschool.org.

Recent Events

2005 Leavers' Ten Year Reunion

Saturday 27 June 2015

The Head Master was delighted to welcome back a number of 2005 leavers on 27 June, for an informal ten year anniversary reunion. Leavers gathered for Pimms and lunch in the new Halse Pavilion and were joined by teachers Robert Hudson, Gervald Frykman, Jon Stone, Eric Hadley, Scott Wilson, Carlo Giudici and Louise Haines.



Greg Mann, Chris Helps, Cian Power and Conor Smith.



Richard Pearce, Sam Jones and George Powell.



Will Greaves, Jack Navein, Richard Ward and Richard Pearce.



Richard Ward, G Scott Wilson, Jon Stone and Jack Fielder.



Philip Antrobus, Hin Kwan Wong, Matt Ayres, Harry Stephenson, Tom Haighton, Dmitry Gruzinov.

Not pictured: Kamal Chhibber and Rob Rigby, who were playing for the OW 1st XI in their match against the School (see page 14).



Some of our 2005 leavers and friends.



2005 leavers pictured at school with form master Eric Hadley c.2002.

OWA President's Dinner

The Mary Rose Museum

Saturday 9 May 2015

OWA President Michael Harwood has always been drawn to the sea. The Mary Rose Museum at Portsmouth Historic Dockyard was therefore a fitting choice for his President's Dinner.

After a gentle stroll through the Dockyard, past HMS Warrior, the Royal Naval Museum and HMS Victory, 80 OWs and guests gathered for drinks in the Pavilion of the Mary Rose Museum.

The Mary Rose was the pride of Henry VIII's fleet before she sank in 1545. Before dinner, guests explored the Museum, witnessed the restoration work and discovered some of the 19,000 artefacts which have been recovered from the wreck site and which are on display today.

Lt Cdr Anthony Pimm (WS 1992-99) gave Grace. Dinner and good company were greatly enjoyed in the Admiral's Gallery. The President was especially pleased to welcome a number of OWs for whom this was their first President's Dinner. Maj Michael Pimm (WS 1993-2000) proposed the Loyal Toast and the evening finished with a toast to the School from the President and a reply from Head Master Gus Lock, who toasted the Old Warwickian Association.



Mark and Rachael Harwood, Diana Coleman and Mike Harwood.



Anthony and Thelma Atkins with Richard and Mary Ashley, on the balcony of the Mary Rose Museum.



Maj Gen Mike and Anne Huntley with Sir David and Lady Angela Foskett, in front of HMS Warrior.



Ken Dorsett in front of HMS Victory.



Clive Boast and Douglas Barrell.



Guy Chamberlain and Nigel Evans.



June Sturley, Rachael Stevens, Alan Sturley, David Stevens and Mike Beeston.



Maj Michael and Lt Cdr Anthony Pimm.



Paul and Judy Ramage.



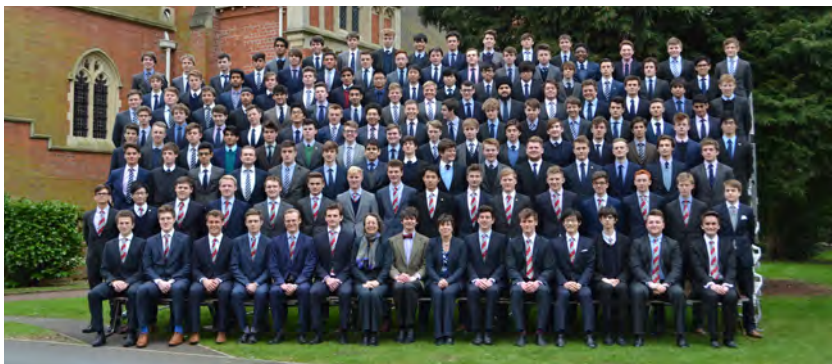
Sarah Twigger, Tim Harry, Sam Harry and John Twigger.



The Admiral's Gallery.

Upper Sixth leavers – welcome

The Old Warwickian Association is delighted to welcome the Upper Sixth leavers from 2015.



Global politics

Members of the School's Politics Society were fascinated to hear from Peter Varnish OBE, FREng (WS 1954-65), an independent electronics and weapons engineer specialising in defence and security technologies. Peter spent 32 years working for the MOD on stealth techniques, radar and electronic warfare and discussed present threats – 'from IEDs to Cyber, and Putin to ISIS'.



Peter Varnish with some of the Politics Society.

Our man in Moscow

During one of many School trips organised this year, 30 Warwick School pupils and staff were treated to a tour of the sumptuous Residence of the British Ambassador to Moscow, Sir Tim Barrow (WS 1975-82). Tim kindly offered the boys a question and answer session and then escorted the party to the balcony "with the best view of the Kremlin in the whole of Moscow".



WS boys meet British Ambassador Tim Barrow.

Angus is new Ambassador

Angus Lapsley (WS 1981-88) has taken over as the UK's Political and Security Ambassador to the EU. He is actually the second OW to hold the post of Ambassador in five years. His predecessor-but-one was Tim Barrow – now our Ambassador in Moscow!

Légion d'Honneur for Les

Les Baynton (WS 1935-41) fought as a Royal Engineer in the 49th (West Riding) Infantry Division – the 'Polar Bears', throughout the North West Europe Campaign 1944-45. He has just received the prestigious Légion d'Honneur, as promised by President Hollande to the surviving veterans of the liberation of France at the 70th anniversary of D-Day at Ouistreham in Normandy.



Les in conversation with HRH The Prince of Wales at Ouistreham.

Tommy at Cheltenham

Amateur jockey Tommy Williams (WS 2000-11) took part in the St Patrick's Derby Charity Race at Cheltenham Festival in March. The flat race, over a mile and five furlongs, is run in aid of the Injured Jockeys Fund. It is a firm favourite at the Festival and after a thrilling ride Tommy, on Red Four, was placed eighth.



Tommy Williams with A P McCoy.

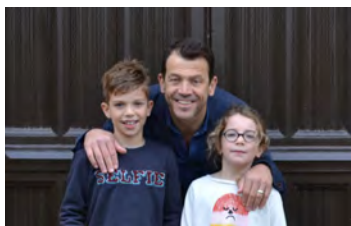
Travelling Tim

For 15 years Tim Spicer (WS 1992-97) has travelled the world as a Global Event Manager for a group of private individuals and their mega yacht, The World. This year, Tim has been to St. Helena and Ascension Island and is taking an expedition to the east coast of Greenland, before heading off to Antarctica and South Georgia for Christmas. Catch up with Tim on Twitter @tim_spicer.



Tim with king penguins on South Georgia.

Welcome back



Chris Lewis (WS 1982-87), over from Australia, visited in early April. Chris is pictured with his children Josh and Tessa.



Keith Chung (WS 2006-08) and Henry Yuen (WS 2007-11) visited the School at Easter.



Dan Oates (WS 2001-12) gave Warwick School boys 'A peek through the Windows of Microsoft' at a Careers Business Lunch.



Chris Brown (WS 2000-11) and Eugenio Cappuccio (WS 2005-13), visited in June.

Marathon men

Congratulations to the many OWs who ran the London Marathon in April.

Dave Phillips (WS 1955-61) would like to give huge thanks to all those who have been sponsoring him as he runs. Dave completed his 450th marathon at London in April and raised £8,000 for the Brain and Spine Foundation. His fundraising total now stands at £86,000, with just 50 full marathons and £14,000 to go!

Paul Rothwell (WS 2000-07) has been working for Tenovus Cancer Care since September 2013 as part of the *Sing with us* team. With nine other musicians, Paul has been establishing and running 16 choirs, with 1,000 choristers coming to a local rehearsal every week.



Dave Phillips.



Paul Rothwell.

Wedding bells

Congratulations to all those who have recently got married.



Barrister Richard Reynolds (WS 1988-99) married Robyn Simpson on 14 March at Byron Bay in New South Wales. Best man Tristan Shippides (WS 1991-99) delivers his speech.



Jo Wright (WS 1987-94) married Georgina Farley at Henley-in-Arden in April.



Christian Homer (WS 1987-92) married Geri Halliwell at Woburn on 15 May.

© Joshua Lawrence.



Glyn Edwards (WS 1986-89) married Jane Anderson on 28 March... also in NSW.



'The Sydney OWs'... Tim Holroyde, Mickey Finn, Colin (Percy) Harris, Chris Heath (back), Guy Stanton, Julian Ball (best man), Chris Lewis (back), Glyn Edwards and Sid Cooper. Tim and Mickey are 'associate' OWs, as they went to Myton and Binswood respectively!

Then and now...

The Rashleighs are some of many siblings who have attended Warwick School (and King's High) from the Prep to Sixth Form. To mark their parents' 40th wedding anniversary, Charles (WS 1987-98), Julia (KHS 1993-2000), Hugh (WS 1993-2004) and Phil (WS 1995-2006) recreated 12 photos from their childhood, trying to replicate everything from location and outfits to expressions and props!



Wild water racing

Philip Dean (WS 2000-07) took time out from his PhD in physics at Durham University to compete in Team GB wild water river racing. He paddled in Bosnia, Slovenia and Austria. Wild water racing, the canoeing equivalent of downhill skiing, requires both physical fitness and steady nerves to negotiate raging waters.

The top places were taken by full time professional paddlers, and Phil came 18th in his class of over 30, finishing top of the GB team in his discipline of K1.



Philip Dean paddling for Team GB.

B&B for railway buffs

Retired architect and railway enthusiast Geoff Mann (WS 1946-56) owns a railway station in the Scottish Borders, at Saughtree, with a diesel shunter, wagons and 1/3 mile of track. B&B guests always welcome! Google 'Saughtree Station B&B'.



Saughtree Station.

English National Opera

Tom Lee (WS 1997-2008) is now production manager for English National Opera, working on such shows as *Sweeney Todd* at the London Coliseum.

A placement with English National Opera as Production Assistant has developed to a role of Production Manager, with responsibility for individual productions. As well as freelancing on a number of shows in theatres across London, Tom is working for English National Opera on a revival of *The Barber of Seville* and *The Mikado*. Watch out, too, for *Norma* (February 2016) and *Jenufa* (May 2016).



Emma Thompson and Bryn Terfel in *Sweeney Todd*.
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Crime fiction

Diehard crime and thriller fans may enjoy browsing www.crimefictionlover.com. David Prestidge (WS 1958-65) is assistant editor and reviewer.

The Bridge – a love affair

With six technical books in print, Dr Allan Organ (WS 1952-58) has redirected his literary efforts with a work of action fiction. Most of the characters in his new novel are friends. The central figure is named after David Sewell (WS 1952-56), whose life was tragically cut short in a Territorial Army accident in July 1963. *The Bridge – a love affair* by Allan J Organ is available on Amazon.



Mike Lambert (WS 1993-98) begins his new role as Headmaster of Dubai College.

Little Malcolm

Over the summer, Barney McElholm (WS 2002-09) produced and acted in the startling comedy *Little Malcolm and his struggle against the Eunuchs* at Southwark Playhouse.

Skydiving

Dean Lomas (WS 1992-97) has raised money for the Lily Mae Foundation, which supports bereaved parents and families affected by the death of a baby. As well as being a Trustee, Dean has helped organise charity golf days, dinners, a fun run and football match. He also skydived for the charity from 13,000 ft.



Dean with his instructor from Hinton Skydiving Centre.

Royal posies

At the RHS Chelsea Flower Show floral decorator Simon Lycett (WS 1974-85) was delighted to create a posy for HM The Queen. The posy, with British flowers and garden herbs, included some grown by the winner of the RHS Young Gardener of the Year.

The stunning posies were also presented to HRH the Duchess of Wessex and HRH the Duchess of Cornwall.



Simon's Mad Hatter's Tea Party at the RHS Chelsea Flower Show.

School Archives



1924.

Colin Shiner (WS 1944-51) returned to School in May with an amazing collection of photos belonging to his father, Philip Shiner (WS 1919-25). Colin also gave the School a photo of the whole School, taken in 1924. The existence of the photo was hitherto unknown. Colin was one of 'nine bright Shiners' who came to the School over three generations.

Tim Nichols kindly donated war medals and other memorabilia belonging to two of his three OW uncles, all of whom survived WWI. His three uncles are pictured below in their school uniforms, taken circa 1905.



Jean and Colin Shiner.



1920s Reed, Shiner, Parry, Karrison, Young and Lucas, cleaning the pool.



1925 OTC Band.



Louisa, Tom (WS 1905-10), William (WS 1905-07), Richard (WS 1907-10), Irene and Thomas Nichols.



Tim Nichols.

School News

Warwick School boys continue to flourish and achieve, both in and out of the classroom. We include here a taste of some of the many stories from the summer term.

A Midsummer Night's Dream

Warwick Junior School third year boys presented a highly entertaining Shakespeare 4 Kidz version of *A Midsummer Night's Dream*.



Sports Day 2015

After three years of cancelling the event, the sun shone and Junior School Sports Day was enjoyed by all.



National Concert Band Festival



Four Warwick School bands (Jazz Lab, Big Band, Little Big Band and the Foundation Wind Orchestra) took part in the National Concert Band Festival.

They returned with a fantastic set of platinum, gold and silver awards.

Farewell

Four of the School's longest serving masters retired this summer. Between them, Messrs Derek Shield, Paul Snell, Gervald Frykman and Robin Flintoff gave a combined 134 years service to the School. Without doubt they have made a tremendous contribution to the School over the years. Gervald continues his role as School Archivist.



Sixth Form art exhibition

A number of OWs returned to the A2/AS Summer Art Exhibition and joined members of the Upper Sixth to say a special thank you and farewell to Robin Flintoff.



Dan Marcus, Oliver Wright, Robbie Hoare, Kai Saunders, Tony Wang, Johnny Wang, Robin Flintoff, Theo Taylor, Peter Green, Alex Fox, Joe Canning, Joel Sulston, Oliver Matthews, Donald Lau.

Rugby World Cup 2015

The School is looking forward to welcoming the Japanese team for the Rugby World Cup in September. The squad have already visited the School as part of their familiarisation trip to the UK.



The Japanese forwards.

Trips and tours

The annual CCF Adventurous Training to the Lake District and Sports Tour to the US were enjoyed over the Easter holidays and there were exchanges and trips to Germany, Russia, France, Spain and Switzerland.

Lower School Prize-giving

Thanks to James Hadley (WS 1982-92) who was guest of honour at Lower School Prize-giving.



Tom Pierce, Gus Lock, James Hadley and Keith Davenport.

Charity news

Last academic year the boys raised over £20,000 for charity. The School's chosen charities were British Blind Sport, Action Aid, The Woodland Trust and Myton Hospice.

Careers Fair 2015

Our biennial Careers Fair was another great success with over 130 exhibitors offering advice on universities, gap years, job opportunities and apprenticeships. Huge thanks to OWs who supported this event.

Biology Challenge

150 Middle Fifth students took part in the nationally recognised Biology Challenge competition. 9 gold, 24 silver and 27 bronze medals were awarded, plus 43 Highly Commended and 29 Commended certificates... the largest ever number of such awards for the School.

The Warwick School Hall



The Guy Nelson Hall.



The vision for the new Hall.

The Guy Nelson Hall, which faithfully served as the heart of school life for almost five decades, hosted its final School assembly in March 2015. Many OWs have fond memories of the 'Guy Nellie', remarkable less for its architecture and more for the experiences and opportunities afforded to hundreds of boys.

In recent years the Guy Nelson Hall was unable to meet the School's needs. The hosting of whole school weekly assemblies became impossible, and the Hall's acoustics and technical infrastructure did not match the increasingly creative music and drama demands of the School.

An evening with James TW

Before leaving to pursue a music career, Sixth Former and talented singer songwriter James Taylor-Watts performed to a sell-out audience in the Bridge House Theatre, to raise funds for the Warwick School Hall Campaign.

The event was both a fundraiser and a farewell concert, as James has signed a record deal with Island Records in the USA and has headed over to New York and Los Angeles to co-write, start producing and perform his first album. The evening raised over £3,000 for the Warwick School Hall Campaign.



James TW.

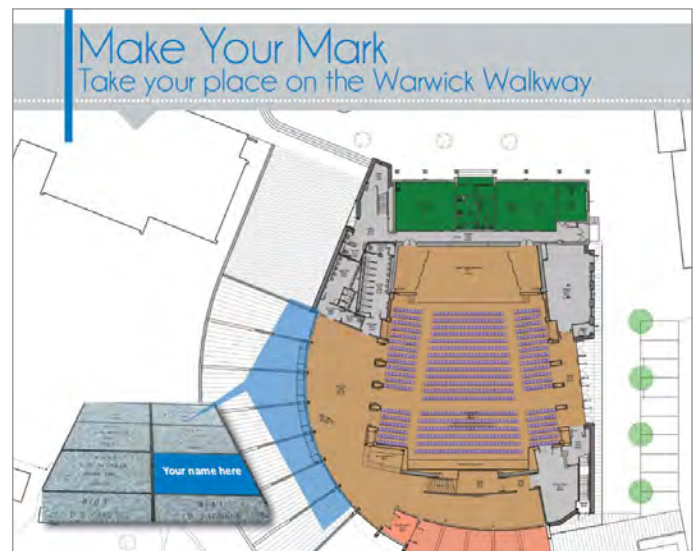
Work is now underway to redevelop the space into a state-of-the-art 1,000 seat venue to serve future generations of Warwick School boys. The cost of the redevelopment will be £7.5 million. To make the hall the best it possibly can be, the Warwick School Hall Campaign has been launched to raise £1.1m. We are already over halfway towards this goal, thanks to a number of generous donations from Old Warwickians, parents and friends.

Take your place on the Warwick Walkway

To help the campaign, OWs, parents, teachers and friends of the School are being offered the opportunity to sponsor a stone on the new Warwick Walkway. The Walkway will run around the perimeter of the Hall and will mark a new entrance to the School. You may wish to sponsor a stone to commemorate your time at Warwick and/or your family's connection with the School.

Engraved individual paving stones are available at £1,000, or from as little as £13.34 per month over five years. Individuals, families, groups of classmates and friends are all warmly invited to sponsor a stone.

To book your stone, for further details and/or to discuss sponsoring part of the new Hall contact Phillip Rothwell, on 01926 776402 or p.rothwell@warwickschool.org or visit www.oldwarwickians.org/support.



OW Rugby

The 2015 match between Old Warwickians and Old Silhillians takes place at Solihull School on Saturday 12 September at 12 noon. Come on Warwick!

An OW squad entered the Cronk-Cunis National U21 Rugby Festival over the August Bank Holiday weekend. See www.oldwarwickians.org and the next Old Warwickian for news of how they got on. Follow OW rugby on Twitter @OWsRugby.



The 2014 encounter against Old Sils.

OW Hockey

This year's encounter between Old Warwickians and Old Silhillians takes place at Old Sils astroturf on Saturday 12 September at 10:30. The OW Hockey team have won both previous matches and are hoping for three in a row.

OW Tennis

Thanks to Ian Macvie for captaining the OW team for the annual fixture against the School. A hard fought struggle on a hot Saturday morning against an enthusiastic school squad saw OWs triumph by 6-3.



Nick Ash, James Mower, Dan Jackson, Carlo Giudici, David Payne and Ian Macvie (capt).

Clay Pigeon Shooting

OWs repeated their success in Clay Shooting magazine's annual competition. Paul Fox, Stefan Haig-McMahon and Jonathan Scott won for OWs.

OW Cross Country

Sat 12 Dec 2015

Thanks to those who have already expressed an interest in the five mile Thames Hare and Hounds Alumni Race over Wimbledon Common on 12 December. If you would like to run and join the OW cross country team (we can enter a team of unlimited runners as long as they are OWs) please contact Anne Douglas: a.douglas@warwickschool.org.



The 2014 Alumni Race.

OW Golf

Grafton Morrish Qualifier

Sat 16 May 2015 – Olton Golf Club



James Cumberland, Tim James, Julian Marcus (capt), Peter Gordon, Matt Leefe and Phil James.

Not only did Warwick have a later tee off time this year, we also had a change of playing companions. Solihull were replaced by Repton and, with the course in immaculate condition and playing conditions near perfect, we felt a good performance would give us a great chance of qualification for the GM Finals in September.

Peter Gordon and Phil James got off to a steady start, followed by James Cumberland and Tim James. Julian Marcus and Matt Leefe were left in the 'anchor role'. With greens fast and hard we were steady, without being fantastic. Coming off the last green we realised with regret we had left a few too many shots out there.

Joint winners on the day were Solihull and Coventry, on 82 pts. Warwick was placed equal sixth, on 76 pts. We will have to find a way to do better next year. Another great effort nonetheless – well done and many thanks to the team yet again.

With thanks to Honorary Secretary and Captain, Julian Marcus.

Spring Day

Tues 19 May – Tadmarton Heath GC



Left to right and front to back – Duncan Rotherham, Chris Davis, Tim Harry (back), David Payne, Geoff Thorpe, Chris Adams, Andrew Dunnell, Peter Baird, Oliver Pearman (back), John Mayo, John Abbott, Julian Marcus, Malcolm Lines, Clifford Bellerby (back), Brian Woodham, Vic McDonald, John Ayres, Chris Kaye, Tim Shenton-Taylor, Peter Gedge, David Tandy (back), Mike Barnwell, James Cumberland, Nigel Harper, Dave Phillips and Malcolm Eykyn.

The biggest number of OWs for many years turned out for the Spring Golf Day. 13 golfers played all day and a further 13 joined for the afternoon's main event. Some had not seen one another for over sixty years! It was lovely to welcome some newcomers, plus a few who have been unable to attend in recent years.

Tadmarton Heath GC has undergone some wonderful improvements and the course was in magnificent condition. The weather delivered its own challenges as we experienced all four seasons in one day. Retiring to the bar for afternoon tea crossed many golfers' minds.

Gracey Tankards

Edinburgh foursomes (the best of two drives and play alternate shots on either odd or even holes).

Winners, on 39 pts, Nigel Harper (rookie winner) and Cliff Bellerby. Runners-up, on 35 pts, Ollie Pearman and Tim Harry.

Langley Trophy

An individual stableford off 7/8 handicap.

Triumphant, on 34 pts (won on the back 9), Brian Woodham.

Runner-up, on 34 pts, Duncan Rotherham.

Third, on 32 pts, Chris Adams.

Nearest the pin (7th green), Julian Marcus.

Longest drive (13th), Malcolm Eykyn.

Next year will be the 50th anniversary of the Langley Trophy when we hope to see as many people as possible. Provisional date: Tuesday 17 May 2016.

Autumn Golf Meeting

Fri 18 Sept 2015, 08:00 – Kenilworth Golf Club

Please do your very best to support the club. It is great to see numbers growing. Everyone is always very welcome and it is always lovely to see some new faces, some 'old' but younger faces and, of course, the old stalwarts.

OWs vs School

Fri 26 June



Mike Barnwell, Pip Whitting, Geoff Tedstone, Chris Hart, Tim Harry and John Gibbons.

Teams of 6 paired up to play 4-ball better-ball match play, played off 3/4 handicap difference... just for a change. Battle commenced between OWs and School for the prestigious Jack Marshall Trophy. The School's young golfers were ready to avenge last year's 3-0 defeat and our Hon Sec watched a dazzling display of long hitting off the first tee.

Ingon Manor Golf Club provided a change of venue well received by all the players. The weather was dry, but our golfers knew a decent speed of golf was required. Driving off first for OWs were Mike Barnwell (13) and Geoff Tedstone (10)(capt), playing the very promising pair of George Gill (2) and Josh Dennison (3). Sadly, the game did not go as far as the stand-in captain would have liked, with hands being shaken on the 14th green – 5 and 4 loss.

Our second string of Tim Harry (16) and Chris Hart (14) found themselves duelling with Laurence Johnson (5) and brother Jamie Johnson (14). The long hitting of Laurence proved too much for our second string and thoughts of a Ryder Cup style fight back disappeared fast. The 14th green seemed to be a common meeting place where hands were shaken – another 5 and 4 defeat.

So, with the trophy already being engraved and heads held low, OWs tried to salvage some pride with our final pairing. Pip Whitting (18) and John Gibbons (4) battled against Anant Gill (11) and Ross Perry (10). This time it was the 17th green that saw hand shaking and a sorry white wash declared.

Final score: OWs 0 – School 3. The Jack Marshall Trophy was presented by Geoff Tedstone to George Gill and will remain at School for a further 12 months before battles are resumed.



Geoff Tedstone presents the Jack Marshall Trophy to George Gill.

OW Cricket

The Cricketer Trophy

With thanks to Tommy Williams.



Back: Jordan Dunant, Harry Abell, James Cumberland, James Harcourt, Jake Salmon and Josh Hickman. Front: George Tedstone, Tommy Williams (captain), Jack Atkins and Tom Edwards. Not pictured: Harry Smith.

Old Warwickians drew Old Millfieldians in the first round of this year's Cricketer Trophy, and played at home on 21 June.

OWs won the toss and elected to bowl. The Millfield opening batsmen were on the attack from ball 1 as Rory Hamilton-Brown quickly reached 50 in the 10th over. An excellent spell from Josh Hickman got its rewards with the prize wicket of Rory. Unfortunately, the top five for Millfield were all exceptional cricketers and continued to score freely to put them in a commanding position at 185/3 after 28 overs. Harry Abell and Tom Edwards bowled very well, restricting the visitors in the middle overs, both taking 3 wickets with some good catches from George Tedstone and Tommy Williams. Millfield ended on 292/9 off 50 overs.

OWs were well aware of the task at hand with Simon Jones opening the bowling. After an incredible performance for England in the 2005 Ashes series, the question was how much ability remains after all his injuries. The answer was... a lot! Figures of 10 overs 4/30 put OWs on the back foot on 60/5. Unfortunately, OWs were never able to get in against the strong Millfield attack, and ended on 111 all out.



The Cricketer Trophy match.

OWs vs. School 1st XI – Sat 27 June

With thanks to Gareth Roots.



Back: Tommy Williams, Ali Mather, Sam Wood, Ben Howard, Josh Hickman and George Tedstone. Front: Rob Rigby, Gareth Roots (capt), Kamal Chhibber and James Williams.

On a hot day, OWs broke tradition and decided to bowl first. They started promisingly, with Ali Mather picking up the early wicket. However, the School responded well and their captain quickly looked at home, playing some delightful straight drives. He went on to complete an excellent century. With some able support, Warwick were eventually bowled out for 236 from 49.4 overs. Rob Rigby was the pick of the OW bowlers, taking five and Kamal Chhibber took two.

In reply, OWs got off to a great start, with George Tedstone and Tommy Williams both passing 50. Sam Wood came in at three and played beautifully (71 not out) and was well supported by Ben Howard, who also finished unbeaten. OWs eventually cruised home for the loss of 3 wickets in 41 overs. Final score: Warwick School 1st XI 236-10 (50 overs), Old Warwickians 237-3.

Cups were awarded as follows:

Leo Jones Cup for bowling – Rob Rigby.

OW Batting Challenge Cup – Sam Wood.

Mike Cotton Cup for Fielding – George Tedstone.



OWs and School.



Simon Francis presents the Treadaway Salver to OW Gareth Roots.

OW Cricket

OWs vs. School 2nd XI – Sat 27 June

With thanks to Tom Hunt.



Back: Gurjeev Satsavia, Piaras Connolly, Sean Connolly. Front: Ross Newton, Alex Wood, Tom Hunt (captain), Dan Marcus and Nick Chesher.

The OWs vs. School 2nd XI match was a great success. The turnout was less than hoped but this didn't deter OWs from giving the School 2nd XI a run for their money. OWs batted well, with great performances from Dan Marcus and Sean Connolly, who piled on the runs while the BBQ got going.

In reply, the School team batted well and, despite playing 13 men, struggled to chase the runs they needed. This wasn't helped by the great standard of OW bowling and fielding, with a stand-out performance from Gurjeev Satsavia. The match ended with OWs winning by 10 runs.

Thanks to Jon Stone for arranging the match and all OWs who turned up for a great day's cricket. Until next year...



John Taylor, John Mayo and John Wetherby.



Enjoying the cricket.

The JMA Marshall cricket bell

A number of former OW cricket captains, players and staff gathered on 27 June for the inaugural ringing of the new JMA Marshall cricket bell.



1946 JMA Marshall.



The JMA Marshall Bell.

Jack Marshall served Warwick School for half a century as boy and master. Entering the school in the Upper Fourth in 1930, he quickly made his mark, and was awarded a Governors' Foundation Scholarship in 1932. He took the newly created Guy House from bottom to top of the Cock House Competition. He left in 1935 as Captain of School and of Cricket, Captain of Fives for his last three years and a 1st XV cap.

Jack spent the next three years at St Paul's College, Cheltenham, then took a teaching post before joining the Army in the Physical Training Corps. He spent most of WWII in the Middle East.

In 1946 he joined the Warwick School staff. The following year he became responsible for the Junior School and Games throughout the School. His personal influence was reflected in the strengthening of school fixture lists, with many young men going on to represent the county or country.

Jack did much for the Old Warwickian Association on the sport and social side, organizing many successful cricket and rugby matches. In 1967 activities celebrating his 21st birthday as Chairman of the Games Committee were very well supported, and included a memorable cricket match between JMAM's XI and an OW XI.



Mike Smith, Geoff Tedstone, Tim Shenton-Taylor, Ralph Thornton, Ian Moffatt, Sir David Foskett, Mike Cook, Mike Barnwell, Head Master Gus Lock and Paul Ramage.



Tony Crockert and Geoff Tedstone.



JMA Marshall and Pip c.1978.

Booking Form



Events Booking Form

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London OW Reunion

The Cavalry & Guards Club
Tues 3 November 2015, 19:00-21:00.

- ☐ I would like to attend.

For the London OW Reunion, this booking form must be returned by 23 October.

OWA Annual Dinner

The Pyne Room, Warwick School
Sat 5 December 2015, 19:00 for 19:30.

- ☐ I would like to attend and enclose a cheque for £39.50.
- ☐ I would like to attend, am in full time undergraduate education and enclose a cheque for £25.00.

For the OWA Annual Dinner, this booking form must be returned by 27 November.

Please make cheques payable to **Warwick School Enterprises Ltd** or **WSEL**. No refunds are available after the booking deadline.

Please detail below any special needs, seating preferences and/or dietary requirements.

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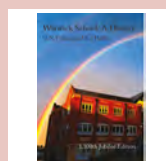
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Christmas Baubles

Limited edition Warwick School Christmas tree baubles are available from Gill Cumberland, priced £10 each.
Please Email g.cumberland@warwickschool.org to place an order.



Front cover:

2015 retiring staff Derek Shield, Paul Snell, Gervald Frykman and Robin Flintoff.
Some of our 2005 leavers at their ten year reunion.
The Cricketer Trophy, on 21 June.