

# OLD HARLOVIANS CLUB

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## NEWS LETTER 1961

Dear Member,

It is the very pleasant duty of the committee to present this News Letter for 1961 to members of the Old Harlovian Club.

I was very pleased to receive quite a large number of replies to last year's news letter and also the notice regarding the A.G.M. and these together with many separate letters makes it possible to include a large section of O.H. News this year. Nevertheless more news is always welcomed and trust I may have the pleasure of hearing from you during the coming year.

Various functions have been held and been very successful but it would be encouraging to see larger numbers of Club Members especially at the Buffet Dance, and apart from renewing old friendships I feel sure you will have a very enjoyable evening.

The committee trust therefore you will find this letter of interest and also that we shall have the pleasure of your company at the Club functions during the coming year.

(J.A.C. Hon. Sec.)

## Annual General Meeting 1961

This was held at the Green Man Hotel, Harlow on Saturday 11th March. The Chair being taken by the President Mr. K.L. Dames.

Some 37 members attended the dinner and meeting and had a very enjoyable evening. In addition approximately 40 other members returned their slips with apologies for absence, so we trust many of these will be able to come next year.

Officers Elected. President K.L. Dames Esq.

Vice-Presidents M/S C.H. Barker, C.G. Clark,  
S. Porcher, J. Jones, J. Chivers,  
M.C. Claydon.

Hon. Sec. J.A. Chivers Esq.

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Sports Organisers M/S I. Taylor & J. Daniel.

Committee Members M/S S. Seward, Madsen, Norris,  
Pyle, M. Seward, Eastwood,  
C. Porcher, Loader, Minnal.



Memorial to E.P. Horsey Esq.

Following the proposition at the A.G.M. in 1960 the committee have now arranged to erect a "lychgate" at St. John's Church in memory of our late President.

A separate letter is attached dealing with this matter which I trust may have your support.

J.A.C.

Forthcoming Functions

Sports Day Saturday 22nd July at 2.30 p.m. Mr. Dames extends a cordial welcome to all Old Harlovians, but would appreciate it if you could advise him before hand, in order to facilitate the catering arrangements.

Buffet Dance To be held on Saturday 21st or 28th October 1961. The Committee estimate that the cost this year may only be 7/6d. We therefore look forward to your support as it is only by increased numbers that we can run such a function at such a reasonable price.

Sports Activities Details of these will be sent to all interested members by the Sports Organisers as they arise, but we would like to hear from anybody interested in the sports activities who is not on this separate mailing list.

Report on Activities.

Buffet Dance. This was held in October 1960 at a new venue namely the Tye Green Community Centre in Harlow New Town. Unfortunately only about 80 people attended but a very enjoyable time was had, and the evening was a success. However as reported elsewhere the cost should be lower this year and we hope to see considerably more members present, and of course as many of their friends as possible.

Sports Day A large number of Old Harlovians attended the Annual Sports day and with the treat from the Head of "no race - no tea" some 30 members lined up for the yearly O.H. race which was won by Seward S.

A very successful raffle was held in aid of the club funds.

Cricket O.H. v Birchanger - This resulted in a win 118 for 8 wkts dec. against Birchanger 55. The highlight of the match was 47 by I. Taylor before being out L.B.W. , and some good bowling by Angin and Bellingham who both took 4 wickets the latter at the expense of only 15 runs.

Two other matches were played by the Old Harlovians team during last summer both resulting in wins for the Old Boys.



Football O.H. v The School resulted in a win for the Old Boys 6-4, and I am glad to say this broke a bad spell as it was the first time for 8 years.

O.H. v Eagle Star this was unfortunately lost 5-1.

#### Football & Cricket Teams

Starting next winter it is hoped to form a regular Old Harlovian's team to play a series of matches against other clubs.

The Sports Organisers already have a number of names of interested members, but if there are others of you, and I hope there are, who are interested please contact Mr. Taylor with full details.

#### Old Harlovian News.

Obituary. It was with great sorrow that we learned of the death of John Henfrey earlier this year. After a lengthy illness. John did a great deal to get the club going again, after the war, during the years he served as Secretary.

For some time prior to his death he was living at Braintree, where he had a teaching position at the High School, apart from which he was interested in various youth organisations, and we feel sure they will miss him as we did when he resigned from the position of Secretary. Our deepest sympathy goes to his family in their sad loss.

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The Headmaster would like to express his thanks to the following members who sent him Christmas Cards. Mr. Dames much appreciates these cards, and has suggested that the addresses where included may be welcomed by a member who wishes to contact another O.H. I would therefore be very pleased to pass on any addresses which may be in my possession. C. Barker (Eastbourne), W.G. Billing (Portrush), H. Bodger (Manchester), G. & N. Burgess (Worplesdon), N.E. Burrows (Guys Hospital), M. Calcutt, J. Chivers, D. Clark, M. Claydon, R. Coleman, J. Daniel (Felstead), C. Dawtrey, K. Davey, N. Denton, M. Drain, C. Duncan, M.O. & S.E. Ellis, The Fisher Brothers (Theydon Bois), I Gardiner (Melbourne), P. Goozee, I Gow, M. Hastler, H. Jermy, P. Madsen, I Morley (S.W.20), Rex O'Hare, Eric & Dorothy Robertson (Frinton), M. Sainsbury, A.D. Tolft's, R. Uglow (In the states), A.R. White, T. Woods (Grimsby).

During the year we have heard the following items of news about the following Old Harlovians:-

Geoffrey & Nigel Burgess are at the Surrey Farm Inst. Merrist Wood Worplesdon.

N.E. Burrows is at Guys Hospital, S.E.1.



Peter Goozee has our congratulations on his promotion to Lt. Col. Ian Gow wrote from the Staff Mess at Woomera, Australia.

Ralph Uglow is somewhere in the States.

D.R. Bartlett is a stock jobber on the London Stock Exchange. He now lives at Broxbourne and is married with two sons.

D.J.D. Dufton (1945-53) has now left Bishop's Stortford to take up a teaching appointment at IZMIN in Turkey. WIVES permitting he has promised to pass on the secrets of the Harem in a subsequent letter.

K.W. Rose (1946-53) has gained a National Cert. & Institute Cert. in Agriculture and is now working a small holding attached to his Father's Inn, which if you are in the vicinity, is the Royal Oak Inn, Gretton Hill, Nr. Winchcombe, Glos.

H. Curryer A past Sec. of the club sends kind regards to all old friends.

J.G. Lampard writes from his home address at Malvern. He is Managing Director of his firm Mitchell Cox & Williams of the same town.

R.J. Ward-Booth completed his National Service in the Royal Army Dental Corps., and consequently has now applied for entry as a student at the Royal Dental Hospital.

M. Claydon wrote after the A.G.M. with thanks to the members for electing him a Vice-President. He and his family have now settled comfortably at Bristol, and he has taken over the branch there of his firm who are Merchants in animal feeding stuffs etc.

F.E. Warboys has now moved to Epping and is working in the finger print department of Scotland Yard. He sends regards to all old friends.

M.A. Calcutt now lives at East Wellow and is the proud Father of a son born last October.

L.C. Secker sends kind regards to all old friends.

Rex Paine (Formerly Pain) has now proceeded abroad again to Nigeria.

W.G. Billing is now in 204 Sqn. R.A.F.

P.D. Shipman is a student in landscape architecture at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia U.S.A.

Ian Gardiner. Having spent  $6\frac{1}{2}$  years in India with the English Electric Company, has now after home leave, has gone to a new position with the same firm in Melbourne, Australia. He states that he and his family have settled down there, but at first found a marked contrast between India and Australia.

David Maynard has written to Mr. Dames and we learn he is with the Ministry of Agriculture in Kenya Colony.



OLD HARLOVIANS CLUB

As from Harlow College,  
Old Harlow,  
Essex.

Dear Old Harlovian,

Proposed Memorial to the late E.P.Horsey Esq.

As reported in the General News Letter, acting on the proposal passed at the 1960 A.G.M. the committee of the Old Harlovians Club, after considerable thought, felt that the most suitable form of a memorial to our late President would be a "lych gate" at the entrance to St. John's Church, together with a suitably engraved panel incorporated.

A letter has already been sent to many Old Harlovians of Mr. Horsey's era in an appeal for subscriptions, and I am pleased to say the response has been very good.

However the committee feel that there must be a considerable number of Old Boys who have attended the College since Mr. Horsey's time, who would also like to support this project.

E.P.H. had a distinguished career, and I feel sure that nobody can have attended Harlow College without realising what the school owed to him, and indeed Harlow itself with the great deal of public work he did, and the least we can do is to perpetuate his name in a suitable manner.

We feel sure you will be anxious to support the committee in this great venture and contributions, however small, will be most welcomed, and should be sent in the first instance to the Headmaster.

With very best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

J.A. CHIVERS  
(Hon. Sec. O.H. Club)