

OLD HARLOVIANS CLUB

Minutes
of the
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, 1989

The President opened the meeting and welcomed all those attending. He hoped that more of the absentees would attend in the future.

The Secretary read the Minutes of the 1988 Annual General Meeting. These were duly agreed and signed as being a true record. Mr. Porcher thanked the members for the bottle of champagne presented to him last year for his 80th birthday.

In the absence of the Treasurer, Michael Slater presented the Accounts for 1988/89, which showed a balance of £814.93.

There were no questions on the Accounts; their acceptance was proposed by Bill Billing and seconded by Robin Smith, with no dissensions.

This was followed by the election of the Treasurer and Secretary, who were both re-elected. This was proposed by Peter Cottee and seconded by Charles Tucker and carried unanimously. The remainder of the Committee was re-elected en bloc by popular consent.

The perennial subject of the cups was then raised by Roger Keningale, who suggested that, in order to keep the name of Harlow College alive, the Old Harlovians should present one of the cups to St. Nicholas' School, which was started in 1936 by Miss Joan Horsey, niece of E. P. Horsey. He had had some discussion with the new Headmaster, who had said he would be only too pleased to accept. Much discussion followed. Colin Porcher suggested that the Headmaster and Assistant Headmaster should be invited to next year's Old Harlovians Dinner, so that

they could select the cups they wanted. This was thought by some other members to be inadvisable as it would inhibit free speech from the membership on the subject. David Fish, who is a Governor of the school, was asked to approach the Headmaster to find out exactly what was required. It was thought that an older cup would be more appropriate, but the discussion ranged from presenting no cups at all to all of the existing cups; a suggestion of a new cup to be presented to St. Nicholas' School from the Old Harlovians Club was also put forward.

Robert Collins then proposed that the Headmaster of St. Nicholas be given the choice of up to three of the cups held by the Old Harlovians. Bill Billing proposed an amendment that such a decision should only be accepted if it was unanimously agreed. This amendment was passed, and Robert Collins' proposal was accepted unanimously. It was then left to the Committee to take the necessary action. The question of the ownership of the cups was raised and it was stated by the President that Miss Johnson, on the death of Mrs. Dames, gave the cups to the Old Harlovians Club to deal with as they saw fit.

The next item on the agenda was the venue for the next meeting. It was suggested that in 1990 the A.G.M. and Dinner should be held at St. Johns Art and Recreation Centre, the only snag being the difficulty in parking. This suggestion was proposed by Robin Smith and seconded by Bill Billing and agreed to by the meeting. The date was set for the 12th May 1990. It was also stated that the standard of the evening must be kept up.

Any Other Business

1. It was suggested that the Minutes of the Old Harlovians Club from 25 years ago should be read out each year.
2. The Secretary was asked to send a letter of condolence to David Brett, whose wife had been tragically killed in a car accident.
3. A vote of thanks was proposed to the Committee.

As there was no further business, the President closed the meeting at 11.30 p.m.

35 members attended. 65 members sent apologies.

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Members attending :

Bill Billing 46 - 51
Michael Collins 41 - 50
Robert Collins 40 - 45
Peter Cottee 48 - 52
Chris Dadson 55 - 61
Jack Daniel 54 - 59
Barry Dwyer 57 - 61
Michael Dyke 50 - 58
Tony Eastwood 49 - 56
David Fish 44 - 49
R. J. Gilbert 49 - 53
Andrew Haigh 55 - 60
John Hockley 34 - 41
David Illsley 57 - 61
Norman Jackson 54 - 61
Roger Keningale 56 - 61
Richard MacKenzie 54 - 61
Rex Marsh 38 - 43
David Morgan 47 - 55
Richard Morgan 53 - 58
Malcolm Norris 50 - 54
John Parsons 41 - 51
R. A. Payze 38 - 44
Norman Pegrum 38 - 43
Michael Philbrick 43 - 51
Colin Porcher 46 - 53
Stan Porcher 20 - 24
Roger Pyle 53 - 58
Robert Reynolds 55 - 60
Michael Slater 50 - 58
Robin Smith 44 - 50
Roger Smith 54 - 59
Charles Tucker 48 - 50
John Upsall 59 - 64
Bob West 41 - 45

Apologies received from :

R. A. Atkins Michael Haffner
R. F. Bailes L. V. Keep
P. E. Barnes F. Le Cren
K. F. Belben Robin Lemale
Howard Bodger S. C. B. Mee
David Brett R. H. Minall
Andrew Brown David Palmer
Vic Bellingham Alan Peacock
Alan Careless Graham Peacock
David Chainey John Power
Neil Chapman Barry Pyle
P. Chivers Bryan Reed
R. A. Collins R. C. Reeves
R. E. Collins P. Robottom
W. W. J. Collins Michael Renshaw
Michael Claydon Graham Stew
Tony Cook L. Stout
Michael Cottee Bevan Trundle
Colin Crouchman David Truscott
Norman Dellow A. D. Tolfts
Graham Dodd R. E. Vyse
Richard Ellice F. E. Warboys
James Foulds Michael Weeks
John Foulds John West
G. A. Gilbert A. White
David Harris J. C. White
A. G. Heath R. E. Wykes
David Hill Henry Smith-Daye
A. James John Pryor
Richard Jefferies
J. H. Jones
E. J. Cheshire
Ken Muir
John Fordham
Tony Funston