



Salopian Club e-bulletin August 2018

From the Director

For me, the photo above sums up the spirit of this year's Henley regatta - and is perhaps also a reflection of the spirit of Old Salopians in general. Even after 50 years, they can come back together and get on with things with shared camaraderie and excellent good humour. Find out why the boys came back together again in the news report below.

We'd like to think that the same Salopian spirit will be present at Old Salopian Day, on 6th October. This is your last opportunity to register, so please don't miss the boat. In fact, with so much going on this Autumn, it's important for all of you to take stock at this point and make sure we have your details for any of the many celebrations and reunions we will be hosting - from the 10 year anniversary of co-education to the party for 30 years of the Grove.

This will be the last e-bulletin compiled by Kate Hodge, our Events and Administrative Officer, who is shortly moving on to another post. Kate has done a magnificent job in the fifteen months she has been with us and she departs with our deep gratitude and our best wishes for every success in her new role.

Latest News



Last Chance to Book for Old Salopian Day!

Thursday 23 August 2018

Saturday 6th October 2018

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OS Gathering to Celebrate 'The Drowned Bride'

Thursday 23 August 2018

Legend has it that Greyfriars Bobby, a Skye terrier, refused to move from his master's grave. Similar loyalty was exhibited by about twenty five Old Salopians and friends of Shrewsbury School who met on Thursday 23rd...

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Farewell Tim Lewis

Friday 17 August 2018

OSGS Report for the Farewell Meeting for Tim Lewis, Retiring Hon Sec, and Presentation of Gifts to him at Huntercombe Golf Club on Friday 17 August 2018. On Friday 17 August 2018 a Farewell Celebration took place at...

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OSGS Visit to the Nottinghamshire Golf Club, also known as Hollinwell

Wednesday 1 August 2018

On Wednesday 1 August, ten Old Salopians and one guest went to Hollinwell for our inaugural fixture at this very prestigious course. Notts Hollinwell has a long, proud and distinguished heritage which dates from the...

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If you have to lose, at least lose to Wimbledon...

Tuesday 31 July 2018

On 17 June the OS had a quarter final fixture in the D'Abernon Cup against Kings College Wimbledon held at the LTA National Tennis Centre in London. Each side sourced 2 doubles pairings; each pair would play against...

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Shrewsbury reach the Finals in the Grafton Morrish

Tuesday 31 July 2018

Well done, Shrewsbury!

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Crystal High Ball Glasses for Shrewsbury's Winning Pair!

Tuesday 31 July 2018

David Warrington (1951-55), former President of Little Aston GC, designed by Harry Vardon in 1908, has been organising the OSGS team for the Public Schools Midlands tournament, since Adam was a lad. He deserves a...

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Shrewsbury win the G.L. 'Susie' Mellin Silver for the Sixth Time in Nine Years

Friday 27 July 2018

The G.L. Mellin Tournament is a Public Schools six-a-side golf competition contested annually between the second sixteen schools from the Halford Hewitt. Founded in 1960 by T R Parry and aptly named after G.L. (Susie)...

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A Proud Heritage

Tuesday 17 July 2018

Sabrina's part in Leander's 1968 Success

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Henley 2018: What a Year for Shrewsbury!

Saturday 7 July 2018

Shrewsbury rowing made history this year. For the first time ever, three Shrewsbury crews (1st VIII, 2nd VIII and Sabrina) all qualified to row at Henley Royal Regatta, and on both Wednesday and Saturday that week over...

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50 years - where did they go?

Friday 6 July 2018

Last Friday on 6 July, the surviving members of the School's victorious 1968 First VIII got together for an outing at Henley Regatta followed by lunch in Leander. Sadly, the single exception was Chris Buckle...

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The OSH Summer Term Report

Friday 6 July 2018

A Summer at Shrewsbury School conjures up different memories for Salopians. Remember the crack of leather on willow, echoing across Top Common, the rhythmic splashes of oars breaking the surface of the Severn, the um...

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Huntercombe: Pre-Henley Golf

Tuesday 3 July 2018

As the evening shadows lengthened over the glorious setting of Huntercombe Golf Club at the top of the Chilterns, a group of 30 Salopians and partners, who had flocked from far and wide including the United States, we...

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So Near and Yet So Far

Sunday 1 July 2018

The Saracens just miss out in the Second Round of the Cricketer Cup

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Old Cliftonians vs Saracens

Thursday 28 June 2018

Cricketer Cup, Round 1: Old Cliftonians 233-6, Williams 4-35, 50 overs LOST to Shrewsbury Saracens, 236-4, Williams 99, 37.3 overs - by 6 wickets

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Magnificent Molyneux

Wednesday 27 June 2018

Cesca Molyneux (EDH 2012-14) was in the Oxford Brookes University crew which won the Colgan Foundation Cup (Academic Eights) in the record time of 4:46, at Henley Women's Regatta 2018. Cesca is the first Sal...

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Forthcoming Events

All these events, and many others, are listed in detail in our website [Calendar](#)



Go Golfing Enthusiasts

Sunday 2 September 2018 06:00

The Old Salopian Golf Society (OSGS), working with the Shrewsbury School Parents' Association, is organising a golf fixture at Hawkstone Park on Sunday 2nd September to bring parents and Old Salopians together on...

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Young Old Salopians Party

Friday 7 September 2018 06:00

Calling all Young OSs: It's the time of the year you have been waiting for! The Young Old Salopian Summer Bash will be taking place at the Bar Elba Rooftop, Mercury House, 109-117 Waterloo Road, London SE1 8UL o...

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OS Masons: Lodge Meeting

Tuesday 23 September 2018 17:00

The next Lodge meeting of the Old Salopian masons will be held at the Civil Service Club, 13-15 Great Scotland Yard, Whitehall, London SW1A 2HJ, on Tuesday 25 September, commencing at 5.00pm. This will be followed by...

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Chapel Choir sing Evensong at Trinity College, Oxford

Tuesday 25 September 2018 12:00

All are welcome to attend this service of Evensong sung by our Chapel Choir in the splendour of the chapel of Trinity College, Oxford. The service begins at 5.15pm and afterwards the Headmaster and senior members of...

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Celebrating 10 Years of the Girls

Saturday 29 September 2018 12:00

Here come the Girls! The Salopian Club is organising a party to celebrate our Fabulous Female Old Salopians for the School's 10 year anniversary of co-education. We already have 60 girls coming along - and if y...

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Old Salopian Day

Saturday 6 October 2018 12:00

We would be delighted to welcome all Old Salopians to the 2018 Old Salopian Day. This year, we have filled the day with activities to suit all tastes, but particular highlights include: the new Salopian Drivers'...

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The Arrow Trophy Sailing

Saturday 13 October 2018 06:00

The OSYC will be participating in the Arrow Trophy competition once more this year in Cowes. This is a magnificent event - and both crew and supporters are always welcome. Do try to join us if you can.

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Shrewsbury School Hong Kong Gala Concert

Monday 22 October 2018 19:00

To support the official opening of the Shrewsbury International School Hong Kong...

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30 Years of the Grove

Sunday 4 November 2018 12:00

Are you one of the special few who remember the opening of the Grove back in 1988? Are you a proud Grovite, hoping to celebrate 30 years of glory? If so, please come and join us for a special celebration L...

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Birmingham Drinks

Thursday 6 December 2018 18:00

Our annual festive saunter to Birmingham takes place at All Bar One, 43 Newhall Street, Birmingham, B3 3NY on Thursday 6th December this year. If you are interested in attending, please reply to oldsalopian@shr...

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Salopian Club and Foundation Christmas Drinks

Sunday 9 December 2018 18:00

Christmas is ushered-in in Shrewsbury this year on 9th December at 6.30pm, with a drinks party at the Allington Hall. Please email - oldsalopian@shrewsbury.org.uk - if you would like to attend.

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