



## Salopian Club e-bulletin April 2018

### From the Director

Fresh, or not so fresh, from the Old Salopian Football Club Dinner, the Director has been reminded by his long-suffering colleagues of this current edition of the e-bulletin. The past two months has seen a flurry of social spring activity, with Salopians gathering for events in Birmingham, Manchester, London, Dubai and culminating with one of the largest assemblies of Salopians in recent years at a memorable President's Dinner given at Wadham College, Oxford. The picture above shows the historic dining hall, ready to receive us.

The next few months will see our summer sports men and women re-enter the fray in their quest for glory and camaraderie, while former thespians plan to celebrate the John Moore musicals at Westminster School on Sunday 20th May. There should be a variety of activities to engage in; we hope you will.

Floreat Salopia.

Nick Jenkins

### Latest News



#### The Old Salopian Football Club Dinner

Friday 27 April 2018

The Old Salopian Football Club Dinner is always one of the social highlights of the spring, and this one, attended both by OS footballers and a growing number of OS girls, proved no exception. In the traditional venue...

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#### Salopian Club Careers Initiative

Wednesday 25 April 2018

My name is Oliver O'Callaghan-Brown (R 1981-86); I am the Chair of the careers section of the Salopian Club. The role of the Club, with particular reference to the Careers section, is to help Salopians make the tran...

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#### The Salopian Club President's Dinner

Friday 13 April 2018

In the stunning surroundings of Wadham College, Oxford, the President of the Salopian Club, Nicholas Barber (SH 1954-58) hosted a sparkling dinner for Old Salopians of all generations on Friday 13th April 2018.

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#### Rob Downs 18 Halves - and it's not in the Pub!

Wednesday 4 April 2018

Rob Cross (S 2008-13) is undertaking a challenge to run 18 half-marathons, one in each first-class cricket-playing county in the UK. He is wearing cricket whites, gloves and carrying a bat for each race as he tries ...

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#### OSGS April Meeting (South) at Denham

Tuesday 27 March 2018

Anthony Pown (R 1959-64), known as 'AP1' to quote one of the more printable of his soubriquets: Buckinghamshire Amateur Match Play Champion (twice), 'Snips' was a member of the winning Berks, Bucks and Oxon...

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#### Darwin Society Lecture - 'Special Relativity, Black Holes and Gravitational Waves'

Wednesday 21 March 2018

On 16th March, we were delighted to welcome back Dominic Dootson (M 2010-15) to give the fifth of this year's science enrichment lectures for the Darwin Society.

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#### The Old Salopian Fives Weekend

Saturday 17 March 2018

Fives is in Fine Form - despite the weather!

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#### Dinner in Dubai

Friday 16 March 2018

Thirty five Old Salopians, partners, parents and friends of Shrewsbury School packed into the Wakame Sofitel restaurant in downtown Dubai for a memorable Salopian evening on Friday 16 March. There was a real internati...

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#### A Gap Year in Tanzania

Tuesday 13 March 2018

Old Salopian Will Hayward (R 2012-17) is currently spending part of his gap year working as a volunteer at DCT Mvumi Secondary School in Tanzania with the help of John Clark. We are grateful to him for sending us a fa...

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#### Heads of the River 2018

Sunday 11 March 2018

Sabrina's racing season is under way! Last Sunday, following our participation earlier in the year in the Wallingford and Wycliff Head of the River race, the Sabrina Eight competed in the Tideway Head. For once th...

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#### The Birmingham Dinner 2018

Thursday 8 March 2018

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#### OS Basketball vs Shrewsbury School U18 Basketball

Saturday 3 March 2018

The OS Basketball lost their game to the Shrewsbury School U18 Basketball 55-51 on Saturday afternoon March 3 at the Shrewsbury Arena in Shrewsbury Town - and none of their big four of Bryan Yick (M 10-15), Michael Po...

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### Forthcoming Events

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



#### The SSPA Private Tour of Pitchford Hall

Friday 4 May 2018 15:00

The Shrewsbury School Parents' Association are holding an event at Pitchford Hall by kind permission of Rowena Colthurst and her husband James Nason on Friday 4th May at 7pm. Pitchford Hall is a Grade I listed Eliz...

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#### A Piano Recital with Galin Ganchev (OS) (Maidment Auditorium)

Friday 11 May 2018 19:30

We are thrilled to welcome back the extremely talented pianist and Old Salopian Galin Ganchev to Shrewsbury School after his incredibly successful recital last spring. Raised in a musical family in Bulgaria, Ga...

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#### Sabrina Club Family Day

Sunday 13 May 2018 11:00

Shrewsbury Regatta is one of the oldest regattas on the racing calendar. It was first held in 1871. I have very fond memories of it - not going back quite that far! - but certainly to the 1960s. It was the first r...

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#### A Song Recital: Dreams and Hallucinations by Daniel Norman (I 1984-88) and David Cowan (R 1974-78) (Maidment Building)

Sunday 13 May 2018 19:30

Two Old Salopians return to Shrewsbury to give an evening of songs exploring the fantastic world of the mind and the visions and dreams that it can unveil. A mixed programme with a wide range of repertoire, from Schub...

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#### A Celebration of John Moore Musical

Sunday 20 May 2018 18:00

A wonderful chance to walk down memory lane... On Sunday 20th May, there will be an evening of reminiscence for anyone who has taken part in a John Moore musical, whether on stage, in the band or as a supporting tech...

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#### Henry Kennedy (I 2009-14) brings his Conducting Magic to a Charity Concert (St John's Smith Square, London)

Friday 15 June 2018 19:30

Henry writes: I will be conducting on Friday 15th June 2018 at 7:30pm at St John's Smith Square, London. The Toner! Symphony Orchestra is an upcoming orchestra made up of all the top musicians from the London music ...

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#### Shrewsbury Half Marathon - Calling all Old Salopians!

Sunday 17 June 2018 09:00

Back in 2013, the town of Shrewsbury decided to shut its streets for one Sunday in June to hold a half marathon. That afternoon a small group of Shrewsbury School runners joined the other competitors to take to ...

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#### Huntercombe Meeting

Tuesday 3 July 2018 10:00

This is the OS Golf Society's special pre-Henley day and will be the last one before their Secretary, Tim Lewis, retires after many years of great service. Those who are interested in attending, either to play a rou...

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#### Sabrina Club Henley Lunch

Saturday 7 July 2018 12:30

Please join us for drinks and lunch at Henley on Saturday, the 7th July. What could be better than slipping fizz with Salopian friends at the Henley Cricket Ground on the final Saturday of the Regatta? Please jo...

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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 Salopian for the School's 10 years 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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#### Old Salopian Masons Meeting and Lunch at the Schools

Saturday 1 June 2019 11:15

The Old Salopian Masons will be having their customary annual visit to the Schools on Saturday 1st June. There will be a Lodge Meeting in the Clubroom of the School Boathouse, commencing at 11.15 am. This will ...

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