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Congratulations Tim Hands



We would like to congratulate **Tim Hands**, (OE1974), who is currently the Master of Magdalen College School, Oxford but who has recently been appointed to be the Headmaster

of Winchester College from September 2016. Tim has had a very successful career in education, having started his career teaching English at the Kings School, Canterbury, before moving to be Deputy Head at Whitgift. He then moved to became Head of Portsmouth Grammar School (and now Master of MCS, Oxford). He has also recently been the Chairman of HMC. This is an exciting appointment for Tim and for Winchester College.

Video Showcase

Old Emanuels may be interested to view six short films about life at

Dates for your Diary

Old Emanuel Luncheon Club

Date: Monday 14th March 2016

Location: The George Inn, 77 Borough High

Street

See the <u>website</u> for further details

Fully Funded Places Launch

The launch event for the new Fully Funded Places Campaign. Email oe@emanuel.org.uk for more information about bursaries at Emanuel and the event.

Date: Tuesday 19th April

2016

Location: The Lansdowne Club

Book your place now online

1980s Decade Reunion

An event for all OEs who left between 1980 and 1989.

Date: Saturday 21st May

2016

Location: Emanuel

School

Book online now

Historical Walking Tour of Emanuel School

Date: Saturday 11th June 2016 at 10am

Video Showcase

Emanuel School which are now available on the School website in the Video Showcase section. If you haven't seen it yet, there is also a Virtual 360 degree Tour of the school which is worth a look too. Although the new films are aimed at introducing

the school to prospective parents and students, we hope you will be interested to see what has changed and what has stayed the same since your time at School! We hope these films give an accurate flavour of what it is like to be a student here (including an insight into Emanuel sport, the arts and the academic and pastoral side of school life). We would like to thank all the students and staff who played a part in making these films. The students are wonderful ambassadors for this school, and it is quite right that they take centre stage in most of these films.

Emanuel School Merchandise



As sixth form
Young Enterprise
Scheme students,
we are excited to
offer you a classy
range of Emanuel
branded products.
We have loved
working together
outside of the
school curriculum
to design, produce

and advertise three items we are very proud of. Our selection includes:

Teatowel with a sketch of the main building- £7

Chunky Mug (with or without the date)- £7

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HOW TO ORDER: We would be delighted if you would like to purchase any of the above. To make an order or simply inquire about our company, send an email to: ye1594@aol.com or call 07514538663 We are happy to negotiate special package deals in this way also. Payment details (PayPal, Bank Transfer, or Cheque) and postage options can be discussed via email.

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Location: Emanuel

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Emanuel School at War: a presentation

Date: Saturday 11th June 2016 at 12pm

Location: Emanuel

School

OEA Lunch

Open to all OEs. Come back to School for lunch and a day of cricket.

Date: Saturday 18th

June

□Location: Emanuel

School

Dacre Day

All OEs are welcome back to School for a visit, archive exhibition and tea with the Headmaster

Date: Saturday 2nd July

Location: Emanuel

School

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Like us on Facebook:

Like our page on Facebook and keep up to

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1980s Decade Reunion



We are organising a special day for all OEs who left Emanuel between 1980 and 1989 on Saturday 21st May 2016. It would be wonderful if you could join us for a trip down memory lane, although we think you may besurprised and hopefully impressed by the many changes that have happened in the few decades since you left.

The programme for the day is as follows:

- 11.00am Coffee and welcome in the Library. Archive material will be available to view
- 11.45am Year group photos and group photo
- 12.00pm Tour of the School
- 1.00pm Lunch in the Refectory with wine
- 2.30pm Tea and coffee
- 3.00pm Finish

Tickets can be purchased through the Old Emanuel Website.

Internship Success



Congratulations to
Upper Sixth students
Daniel and Reuben.
Daniel is the recipient
of this year's Emanuel
Hinduja Scholarship
and will spend a
month during the
summer working on a
project of his choice
both at the Hinduja
Foundation head office

in New Zealand House and also spending time at the Gulf Oil headquarters which is also owned by the Hinduja Foundation. Reuben will spend two months working at the city office of wealth management company, Investment Quorum. Both students were selected from very strong fields after rigorous rounds of interviews and should now look forward to taking full advantage of these exciting opportunities which will provide valuable

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date with everything that is happening in school and the alumni community. Just search for Emanuel School Alumni.

Follow us on Twitter

You can now follow us on Twitter:

@OldEmanuels

Archives Online

We have now completed the digitising of the Portcullis from 1893-2005.

This will be available to OEs soon through the password-protected area of the Old Emanuel Website.

Travelling Overseas?

Don't forget the OEA branches round the world:

Peter Lewis in Australia: 90 Glover Street, Mosman, NSW 2088, Australia.

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Alec Parley in Canada:

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Tel: 001 416 694 8119

experience as they move forward to the future world of work.

If any OEs can help current students by providing work experience or internships then please get in touch with us: oe@emanuel.org.uk

Meet the OE



This term we have taken the opportunity to catch up with Emily Gilmour (OE03-08) who is now a qualified Makeup Artist based in London. After leaving Emanuel, Emily studied at the prestigious makeup school, Greasepaint, where she completed the 5* course in TV, Film, Theatre and Fashion Makeup and Hair, Airbrushing and Further Prosthetics. Here, she remembers her time at Emanuel and tells us about some of the highlights and less glamorous sides of her profession.

What inspired you to be a Make-up Artist?

I was never very academic and always found it easier and more rewarding being creative. It's something I've loved for a long time. Being creative can come in many forms from being a chef to a graphic designer but I loved painting and using the bright colours which you see all the time in Editorials.

Makeup to me is an art form, using products which allow you to create everything from a prosthetic fake wound to the smoky eyes you see on celebrities walking the red carpet. It's not just something to cover a blemish on your skin.

I've always loved painting nails and started to doodle on my nails and create images and patterns using a toothpick and a bobby pin before I discovered and bought the real tools. Everyone starts somewhere! Nail art allowed me to put my two passions of painting and beauty together and has allowed me to enter a whole new side of the nail industry.

Can you give us some examples of the work you do?

email:

beachmap@sympatico.ca

Old Emanuel Golf Society

The venue for Autumn 2016 has not been selected, but several options are under consideration and the selection will be advised.

For the OE Spring Meeting, we will be returning to Cuddington Golf Club at Banstead, Surrey in 2016, with 18 holes booked for the afternoon of **Thursday** 12th May. This venue was enjoyed by all in May 2015.

In addition, we will enter a team in the Surrey Schools Old Boys Golf Competition at Clandon Regis Golf Club in June 2016.

Please contact the Secretary, Clive Galyer on 020 8643 1834 or 07859 8215 42, or preferably via clive.galyer@gmail.com, for further details on any of the Golf Society events.

We would really like to see old friends and new from the OE ranks (including ladies – and there must now likely be many golfers!) at the Spring and Autumn meetings – and competing to join the OE team in June. CMG

Proposed 1973 Reunion Dinner

The class of 1973 have already held a number of events in the last few months and are hoping to come back to School on **Saturday 10th September** for a 50th

Anniversary Dinner.

I've been involved in quite a few in-house business films for Unilever, who are a huge multinational company, which is always fun if not a little strange when filming a Christmas film in the middle of September!

I've also had the pleasure of meeting and working with Geoff Hurst, who football fans will know scored the winning goal for England in the 1966 World Cup.

I've also done a few music videos for up and coming music groups which is always fun as the groups are often very down-to-earth and I do make-up for girls'/ ladies' proms and leaving dos.

The nails side is always a lot busier in both environment and clientele. I've had the chance to travel all around London and even to Manchester to do several nail events for clients such as Vans, Marc Jacobs, Tommy Hilfiger and more.

What is the most challenging part of your job?

One of the most stressful parts of the nail industry is being involved in Fashion Week. When you're crammed under a makeup artist's table painting a model's nails and Jasper Conran is running around wanting a runthrough, you question what on earth you are doing! However, once all the stress is over and you get to see the models walk the catwalk, it's a great sense of relief and an amazing feeling to be involved in a designer's show.

Have you worked with any celebrities?

Every so often I get asked to do VIP clients, which is always exciting. I'm sure you can imagine the fear and excitement I felt as I was asked to paint Cara Delevingne's nails and toes for the Elle fashion awards!

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ESBC Sponsored Row



On Saturday 16th
January, the whole of the
Emanuel School Boat
Club (ESBC) took part in
a sponsored row. With
numbers in the Boat Club
on the increase, the
demand on general
equipment such as coxboxes (amplifiers),
ratemeters, megaphones
and blades is outstripping
supply and wearing out
the ones we do have at
an alarming rate! With

Richard Marriott coming up with a cunning plan to get

If you left, or would have left the 6th form, in 1973 then please get in touch to be added to the mailing list for the group and celebrate 50 years since you walked down the drive for the very first time.

oe@emanuel.org.uk

Careers Help

Could you offer advice to current pupils or attend our annual Careers
Convention? Email
oe@emanuel.org.uk to find out more.

Join the OEA

If you are interested in joining the OEA simply contact membership secretary Roger Udall or Hon Social Sec. Mike Markland. Just visit the OEA pages of the website for contact details.

AKA Three Lyons



The photo shows three members of Lyons who were all in 4SR and 5SR in 1973-74 and form part of the 1976 leavers who will be celebrating 40 years since we left

Year 9 to row a half marathon, Year 10 a three-quarter marathon and a full marathon (26 miles) for the senior boys and girls, we were set for a long day. With the ebb tide ripping out and temperatures well below freezing when the seniors turned up first thing in the morning, a full day on the river looked a daunting prospect. Luckily as the crews started to boat, the sun appeared and then stayed out throughout the day, helping raise both temperatures and spirits in the process.

In the end all age groups coped magnificently with the challenge and rowed up and down the river without complaint, clocking up the miles and doing some great training in the process. We all know that rowing is a tough sport, but special mention should be made of Year 9 student Juliette, who after catching a nasty crab early on (rowing speak for when your blade gets stuck in the water and knocks you backwards), continued to row without complaint for the rest of the session. Still in pain after completing the row, it eventually turned out that she had been rowing with a broken collar bone all that time.

A key element to the rowers' success was undoubtedly the lashings of hot drinks and bacon sandwiches coming out of the boathouse kitchen throughout the day. A huge thank you therefore to the ESBC supporters committee and all the parent volunteers, for helping keep the rowers and coaches going. A huge thank you also to all those who sponsored the students. We don't yet know the final total raised, but we do know we exceeded our target of £5000. A brilliant effort by all and some very generous donations from parents and relatives. *David Conington, Director of Rowing*

David Barnett remembers Petersfield

Old Emanuel, **David Barnett** (OE1943) recently wrote to us to give a fascinating and detailed account of his time as a wartime evacuee from Emanuel to Petersfield. In his letter, he commented that 'it was a triumph of organisation by the staff who managed to get the school working with very little lost time.'

In 1940, when Peter returned to Petersfield after spending the Christmas holidays at home in London, he was sent to a new family to stay. Peter notes 'my new hosts were Mr and Mrs Hounsome. They had a very full house as they had two daughters, Paddy and Elizabeth, two Emanuel boys, a Battersea Central School girl and her young sister and a traveller working for the Itshide rubber factory. Mrs Hounsome was a very great organiser and made certain that we all helped with the housework and she taught us many card games." It must have been a very busy household!

this year on Dacre day. The chap on the right is me (Mark Tollitt), in the middle is Ian Coleman who I was actually at prep school with in the sixties. Ian lives in Leesburg, Virginia and was in London visiting relatives over Christmas. The guy on the left is Pete Crockford, Although Pete and I had bumped into each other a few years back, this is the first time Ian and Pete had met since leaving school. This picture followed a memory-filled lunch at Skylon on the South Bank. We are all hoping to meet up again at the event on July 2 with other members of the 1976 Leavers cohort.

Mark Tollitt

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An amusing incident occurred when the school joined the Junior Training Corps for training days and conducted mock battles. David remembers, "We would march to a local common and after cocoa would settle down on our groundsheets for a night under the stars. The dew settled on us and we woke in the morning cold and wet, then it was practising manoeuvers. On one occasion, we met at the Devils Punchbowl to challenge Charterhouse School, and having developed fake grenades made by filling empty polish tins with blasting powder and sealing in a fuse which then lit, we made a satisfactory explosion. A side effect, however, was that it set light to the Punchbowl and it took the efforts of both schools to beat it out. We left a rather charred area."

The full account of David's time in Petersfield can be read <u>here</u>.

Archive Matters



We've been rejigging and adding new material to the School Archive. Some of our vintage uniforms and sports kit are now displayed in more prominent positions, and we have tried to add to the atmosphere by

creating period backdrops relating to the photographs. We have also invested in new display cabinets so we can show off the full range of medals, memorabilia and trophies, much of which hasn't been displayed for years. In the photograph Mr **Mike Markland** (OE1955) sits proudly beside the CCF uniform he donated to the School some years ago, but we now we have a photograph which features Mike in the background. He hasn't changed that much in the 61 years since he left school and can still be easily spotted in the photograph! He even claimed he could still squeeze into the uniform. If you're coming to any of the events over the coming months, you're very welcome to visit the School Archive.

OEA Lunch

SATURDAY 18th JUNE, 2016

When the Annual Dinner of the Association due to be held last October had to be cancelled, it was decided that every effort should be made to hold a replacement gathering for the OEA as soon as possible. This was especially so if it could be held at School. Consequently, the Headmaster's suggestion of holding a Buffet Lunch in what we hope will be the fine weather of Summer was immediately taken up. We hope that a daytime reunion

will appeal more to members who may have been previously concerned about evening travel arrangements.

Having settled on the date we were pleased to find that the School 1st XI is to entertain Hampton Grammar on that day, which is another good reason for once more making the pilgrimage to SW11. However, should cricket not necessarily hold your total interest, I am sure that the ever expanding archive display in the Library will. To this has recently has been added an impressive collection of medals won by OEs in the various conflicts in the past hundred years, or so, which is worth more than just a glance. If this were not enough, Tony Jones, the School Archivist, has told me that in addition to all this he is planning another exhibition which will be ready for our visit in June. To say the very least, the OEA is extremely grateful to Tony for the continued effort he puts in for the benefit of all past pupils of Emanuel and the Association in particular.

I hope that this proposed replacement for last October's Dinner meets with your approval and will be worthy of your support. If so, I would urge you to contact me soonest at mikemarkland@uwclub.net to register your interest in attending the School for lunch on SATURDAY 18 JUNE, 2016. The cost of the Buffet Lunch, which will be served in the Refectory, and will include a choice of sweets, will be £25. A cash bar will also be available.

While this event is, primarily, a reunion to replace the cancelled OEA Dinner last October, the OEA is pleased to extend this invitation to all past pupils of Emanuel and their guests. However, in doing this I'm sure that you will understand that on an occasion such as this the Association - and, of course, the Caterers - need to be sure of numbers. Consequently, it will be necessary to ask for payment in advance. Therefore, following the registration of your initial interest in attending by emailing me and stating your name, address and years at Emanuel together with name(s) of any guests, please be warned that I will, at a later date, seek early payment.

I look forward to receiving your prompt replies and, in that connection, please remember that should we be fortunate to attract a substantial number, then applications for lunch will be dealt with on a first come first served basis. *Mike Markland*

The Great Pangbourne Mystery

The Colts Crew of 1960...

As many will remember, Derek Drury coached the Boat Club to a high standard at the end of the '50s. The Colts crew of 1960 completed that season unbeaten in the London Schools Rowing League using a very nice clinker-built boat borrowed from the Vesta RC, "Benny".

Later that season we were invited to compete at Pangbourne Regatta. On the day, understandably full of confidence and having "thrown" our boat (rare with a clinker-built) we were drawn on the outside lane of the course which had a significant bend. After one minutes rowing, we were a length up on the other crews only to lose all our advantage and finish last. To make matters worse, in the Repechage we were once again drawn in the same lane and again suffered the same result. In fact, no crew won from that lane on that day. I have often wondered; did the organisers make the elementary mistake of placing the lane marker buoys further up the course, instead of nearer, to compensate for the bend? The one blight on our season and we will never know!

My kind Regards to The Colts of 1960

Steve Hibbert (OE1960)

OERFC



Old Emanuel Rugby
Club 1st XV is in the
competitive league
of Surrey 1. Having
achieved promotion
last year, the team
is continuing to
show its talent. The
current top two

teams in the league have lost to OE, but a couple of slips in bad weather prevented a couple of wins, which would have had the club pressing for promotion again. On April 9th the 1st XV plays in the semi-final of Surrey Shield hoping to make the Final on 2 May.

2nd XV plays in the top Surrey reserve league against many other club's 1st XVs.

Old Emanuel is one of the few clubs in London and Surrey putting out **three teams** each week in league play.

The **OE 3rd XV** have had Matt Hearsum involved in coaching them this year, increasing attendance at training, and catering for the influx of new players, some of them novices, some returning to the game and some with excellent record at high levels, giving something back and just enjoying their rugby.

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David Hart Bafta Winner



When **David Hart** (OE1960) was nearing the end of his Emanuel School career, one of his teachers suggested he do a gap year in France speaking conversational English with French school pupils. He

enjoyed this tremendously and had his first taste of film making whilst he was over there. When he returned to the UK he was accepted to study a two year Diploma at the London School of Film Technique.

Whilst he was studying he picked up a few odd jobs and incredibly whilst he was on Summer holidays ended up working on Stanley Kubrick's masterpiece 2001. This was a complete fluke. In those days, if you had an accredited union card you could pick up summer work quite easily. The eight weeks work on 2001 essentially involved running around the set, talking to actors, working on set designs and being a general dogs-body. Due to the lighting and make-up, he often had to be up at 2am for a 4am set and was heavily involved in the final sequence where the actors age dramatically.

Other summers saw David work on "A Man For All Seasons" and "The Great St. Trinian's Train Robbery". Sadly Third Directors were rarely credited and David was unacknowledged on all three of the films.

Click here for the full article

Obituaries

We are very sorry to have to announce the death off OEs Carl Nargang (1933), Professor Robert Pritchard (1948), David Frost (1948) and Roy Veal (1949). You can read obituaries for some of these OEs on the <u>website</u>.

Historical events for your diary

Saturday 11th June - 10am: Historical Walking Tour of the Grounds and Buildings of Emanuel School

As part of the Wandsworth Heritage Festival, the Emanuel School Archivist will take you on a 75 minute tour of the buildings, interiors and grounds which will whisk you back to the days of when it was a boarding school and orphanage as well as bring you up to date on all the current building projects and changes. The School Archive will also be open with a war themed display

which was premiered in November 2014 in a major school exhibition.

Saturday 11th June - 12pm: **Emanuel School at War: a Presentation**

In November of 2014, Emanuel School published 'Emanuel School at War', a 640 page book which investigated the 1700 Old Emanuels who fought in both World Wars. This audio-visual presentation details the five year project, the research that went into it, and explores some of the stories featured in the book. There will also be a war themed display, in addition to the permanent School Archive being open.

School Sport Update



Rugby

The 1st VII won the Emanuel School Dick Woodall Memorial Rugby Sevens Tournament this week, beating the opposition of City of London Freeman's School,

Colfe's School and Royal Alexandra and Albert School. Congratulations to the squad of 12. This is good preparation for the team who now go on to compete in the Surrey Sevens in Richmond and the Rosslyn Park National Sevens in the coming weeks. The 2nd VII also did themselves proud finishing second in the U17s tournament just behind City of London Freeman's School.

All the other age groups sevens squads also begin their run of tournaments this week leading into the Easter holidays.

Duncan Traynor, Director of Rugby

Netball

Whilst this term is usually a bit quieter for netballers, this does not seem to have been the case. The U13's played in the Surrey Finals and after some impressive scores against some of the county's strongest sides, they came 3rd in their group, missing out on a place in the semi-final by just 1 point. Two highlights here were beating JAGS 4-3 and Coloma 10-4. This same team will play in the Plate Quarter Final of the Independent Schools Netball Cup later on this week where they will face St Georges College, Weybrigde. We wish them luck here. Likewise the U15's will play in the Surrey finals on Sunday and missed out on a place in the National Semi Final when they played Brighton College and lost by just 3 goals! The seniors continue to play and train hard and

will soon play their last home fixture against Kingston Grammar School which will be the last time our Upper 6th pull on their golden bibs. We will miss them next year but wish them all the very best for the future.

Anna Smuts, Head of Netball

Rowing

Though a little quiet in terms of wins, rowing has continued to move from strength to strength this past term. In early January, the whole of the Boat Club took part in a 'sponsored row', raising over £7000 towards new equipment designed to benefit all squads. Purchases have included new Coxboxes, rate-meters and megaphones, as well as a replacement video-camera and TV, after their theft from the boathouse last year.

Girls rowing has continued to flourish and we have strong squads now in all age groups. The J15 girl's coxed four won silver medals at the prestigious Hampton Head in February, while the J14 girl's octuple won bronze. Darcy (L6) is also continuing to home in on her aim of gaining international honours, after finishing an excellent 13th overall in the February GB Junior trials. Rosamond (Y11) has also been invited to the GB J16 Easter camp in Nottingham.

Likewise on the boys' side, we are gradually regaining strength in depth, with a vibrant squad of oarsmen in the L6th, a strong and talented group of J16's (4th out of 11 at the Reading University Head) and a large, keen squad of J14's.

At the time of writing, we are in final preparation for the main races of the term: the Schools' Head and the Junior Sculling Head at Dorney.

David Conington, Director of Rowing

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