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Jack Clark joins as Development Director



We are delighted to welcome Jack Clark to the role of Development Director. Jack joins us from the educational charity United World Schools (UWS) where he was Partnerships Director for four years. Jack's main role at UWS was to recruit and support the charity's school and corporate partnerships, allowing UWS to bring education to more children in remote areas worldwide.

Jack has also previously been a teacher having trained through the TeachFirst programme and spent two years teaching Citizenship and Geography in an inner-city London Academy.

Jack is passionate about education and the life-changing difference it makes. He said upon accepting the role, 'I am really looking forward to joining Emanuel School, with its great history of philanthropy and reputation for being inclusive and welcoming. I look forward to supporting the Headmaster in

developing the facilities at the school and widening access so that even more pupils can benefit from the world class education Emanuel offers'.

Headmaster, Rob Milne commented, 'We are all very much looking forward to working with Jack. His experience, sense of integrity and evident ambition for the school make him exactly the right person to lead our future development campaigns. In the summer term 2019, we will launch our Battersea Rise Trust. The Battersea Rise Trust will focus on three core aims: to grow our bursaries and sponsorship capacity allowing more pupils of all backgrounds to attend; to financially support our ambitious estate plans for the improvement of educational

facilities; and to widen access and enhance social mobility through education in south west London. I look forward to saying more about this exciting initiative next term and I hope that all members of our school community past and present, will support it.'

Jack would love to hear from you about your time at Emanuel. If you are interested in talking to him or would like to know more about our development plans then please do email him at Jack.Clark@emanuel.org.uk.

Watch our new bursary fundraising video

Former Emanuel student Micaela Wing explains what bursary funding meant to her and why she now donates to the school's Fully Funded Places Campaign.

The Fully Funded Places Campaign seeks to ensure aspirational and talented girls and boys have an opportunity to learn and grow at Emanuel, regardless of financial circumstance. There are currently 17 pupils on fully funded places and we hope to achieve our target of 20 free places by 2020.



To find out more or to make a donation, please click on the button below.

Our thanks to Micaela Wing and Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP. This film was produced by Emanuel staff and students, using the school's new media facilities.

Watch video

Donate now

Pre-1959 Reunion



Please join us for a reunion for all alumni who left Emanuel in 1959 or before on Saturday 27 April, 2019 from 11am to 3pm.

Programme for the day:

11am – Coffee and welcome in the Library

11.45am – Short tour of the school

12.30pm – Year group photos and whole group photo

1pm – Lunch in the Refectory with wine

2.30pm – Tea and coffee in the Library

3pm – Finish

Tickets are priced at £25 and can be purchased by clicking on the link below.

If you left the school early, your leaving year is the year you would have left had you stayed into the 6th form.

Register now

Tallulah Haddon in Black Mirror

Tallulah Haddon (OE2009-14) has appeared on our screens in the latest *Black Mirror* feature on Netflix: *Bandersnatch*, which was released at the end of last year.

Bandersnatch is the first feature-length *Black Mirror* film, with over five hours of content, and viewers are able to interact and choose their own path through it. The episode is set in 1983, when a young computer programmer begins to question reality as he adapts a sprawling fantasy novel into a video game.



We are very proud of everything Tallulah has achieved since leaving Emanuel just a few years ago. She has already appeared in several successful TV shows, including *Taboo*, *Kiss Me First* and *The Living and the Dead*.

Watch the trailer for 'Bandersnatch' [here](#).

OEs selected for World Cup Touch Rugby squad



Congratulations to Will Serocold (OE2006-13) and Dom Tripp (OE2007-12) for being called up to the England Touch World Cup squad in the Men's Open category. The team will travel to Malaysia in April to test themselves against the best in the world.

The 2019 Touch World Cup will be the biggest ever tournament with 116 teams playing in 15 categories. It is the first time that the Touch World Cup will be played in south-east Asia.

Both Will and Dom are also former School Captains who played rugby for Emanuel at every level. Touch rugby is a sport which is growing in popularity and we're sure Dom and Will are terrific ambassadors for the game, with them both also working in the world of sport.

We remember Dom and Will as outstanding Emanuel School Captains so it's fantastic to hear of their continued success on the rugby field. They also play their Touch rugby for the same club side, the London Scorpions. The similarities continue to stack-up.... Both played fly-half at school and captained their respective years at school. Away from rugby, both OEs

also played 1st XI Cricket at school. Finally, in 2016 both played for England when they won the European Touch Rugby Championships, an event held over five days of competition in Jersey.

Joe Quinn in BBC 'Les Misérables'



Joe Quinn (OE 2012) stars in the new BBC big budget six-episode version of *Les Misérables*, playing Enjolras, leader of the revolutionaries, alongside stars including Dominic West and Olivia Colman.

Since first appearing in the BBC's *Dickensian* in 2015, Joe has featured in several theatre productions. More recently, he appeared in the TV version of *Howard's End* and has had a small part in the last series of *Game of Thrones*. Whilst taking a break from the six-month production shoot for *Les Misérables*, Joe starred in his first feature

film *Make Up* - a psychological thriller set in Cornwall, written and directed by Claire Oakley and co-starring Molly Windsor - which is due to be released later this year.

Meet the OE - George Killoughery

It was great to catch up with George at the Young Leavers' Christmas drinks event in December. When he left Emanuel, George joined his family's business, George Killoughery Ltd.

What are some of the highlights of your time at Emanuel?

Two stand-out highlights from my time at Emanuel would be:

- Getting chosen to attend the 2012 London Olympic boxing in Stratford with a group of other students and Ms Fitzgibbon.
- Coming back from 3 lung operations to play my last ever game of Emanuel rugby on the last game of the upper sixth. I played a full match for the second team (and scored a try) and then played nearly a half for the firsts straight after which was a really kind thing for Mr Traynor to allow me to do.



What did you do when you left Emanuel?

As soon as I left Emanuel, I went into working for my family business aptly named George Killoughery Ltd after my grandfather who founded the company in 1965. Our company offers a lot of services to the construction industry including demolition, skip hire, plant & labour hire, producing and supplying recycled aggregates & ready mix concrete. We run a fleet of over 50 lorries, operate various types of heavy plant machinery and employ approximately 150 people.

[Click here](#) to read George's full account.

Luke Dillon elected Steward at Henley Royal Regatta



We were delighted to hear that our former Captain of Boats from 2006-07, Luke Dillon, has been elected Steward at the Henley Royal Regatta. This is a highly prestigious position and recognises Luke's long-term commitment to the Regatta, and to rowing in general.

Sir Steve Redgrave announced the appointments on the Henley Royal Regatta website: "We're delighted to have Alison [Faiers], Luke and Sarah [Cook] in their new posts. They've all played integral roles at the

Regatta in recent years. The Stewards are a tribute to the long-standing history of the Regatta; we look forward to seeing them all in their new roles at next year's event."

The website also comments: "[Luke] rowed at Henley Royal Regatta in six different crews from 2005 to 2011 and became an assistant to the Regatta's Chairman in 2016."

Luke also rowed in some strong Emanuel crews and showed commitment to all aspects of school life when he was a pupil and we're not surprised his tremendous work ethic has been rewarded by Henley. When not on the river, Luke participated in the Duke of Edinburgh scheme and was a key member of the lighting and backstage crew of many musicals and drama productions. Luke was also an outstanding Deputy Head Boy and the photo features the senior boys of 2006-07, of which he was Captain. Congratulations to Luke for this outstanding achievement.

Mick Rock stars in 'SHOT'



SHOT!, the documentary about (and starring) legendary music photographer Mick Rock (OE1956-63) has recently arrived on Netflix and other streaming services. Mick is one of the most famous music photographers in the world, noted for capturing iconic images of artists such as David Bowie, Lou Reed, Iggy Pop, Blondie and Queen. He is often called 'The man who shot the Seventies'.

The documentary opens with a recreation of his near fatal heart attack of 1996 and then heads back to 1967 when Mick studied Philosophy at Cambridge University, eventually meeting original singer of Pink Floyd Syd Barrett whom he photographed.

Edgar Asher (OE1950-56)



Edgar Asher (OE1950-56) wrote to express his regret that he is unable to attend the Pre-1959 Reunion as he lives in Israel. The following is an excerpt from Edgar's account of his career in photojournalism and his school days at Emanuel. You can read Edgar's full account [here](#).

For several years I worked part time as a photographer for the Daily Express and Daily Mail. I then worked as a photojournalist with BBC News. Forty-four years ago, I moved with my family to Israel. In Israel I was appointed the chief photographer of the Israel Museum in Jerusalem and later I was appointed head of photography of the Museum of the Diaspora in Tel Aviv. I held this position for over ten years. After that I decided to establish my own business and photo news agency. Despite now being almost eighty years old I still work in the field of photo-journalism.

When I was at Emanuel, one of my activities was playing the violin in the school orchestra under the very, very strict hand of Bernard Oram. I was also instrumental in establishing the school's first photographic society all those years ago when I was at school.

Continue reading Edgar's account [here](#).

New OE play at The Battersea Arts Centre

Daniel Barnard's (OE 1993-2000) new play, *The Justice Syndicate*, will be showing at the Battersea Arts Centre from 11th-23rd February. It has already attracted rave reviews, including five stars in *The Stage* magazine and a feature in [The Guardian](#).

The Justice Syndicate is part interactive play, part psychology experiment developed by fanSHEN and Kris De Meyer, a neuroscientist at King's College London. It explores how we form and change opinions, our tendency to stick to initial instincts and how groups influence our views.

Daniel co-founded fanSHEN in 2006. Over the subsequent years he has directed or been creatively involved in a wide range of theatre including audience participation or feature-challenging (often political) subjects presented in an extraordinary way.

Whilst at Emanuel, Daniel starred in many productions, including *Into The Woods*, *Tin Pal Ali*, *Oliver*, *Bugsy Malone*, *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*, *Carousel*, *The Miser* and *The Caretaker*. In addition, he was on the debating team, held the role of senior prefect and was the pupil editor of *The Portcullis*.



Emanuel Science Journal

This term's wonderful science journal, put together by upper sixth students, features a range of interesting articles - from calculating the Earth's radius using simple mathematics, to considering whether technology is leading to a decrease in fine motor control, to an insight into the processes of memory formation and memory loss.

Click [here](#) to read the Journal.



Emanuel news bulletin



In the first Emanuel News Bulletin of 2019, pupils share some of the recent highlights of school life including the sixth form revue, talks by influential speakers, the service to commemorate the end of World War 1, St Cecilia's Concert and the Independent Schools Ski and Snowboarding Championships.

Click [here](#) to watch the film.

Clapham rail memorial

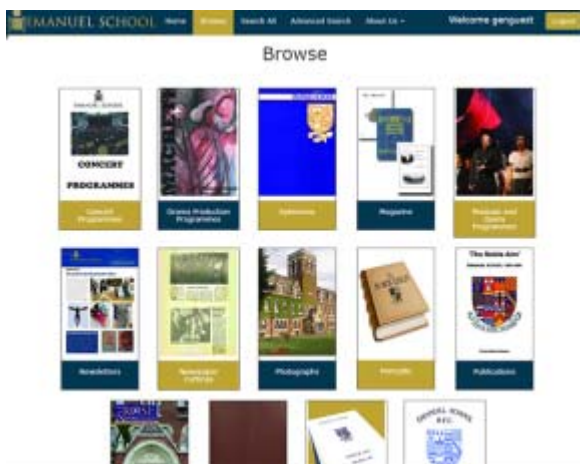
On the 30th anniversary of the crash, Emanuel and many others remembered the Clapham rail disaster of 12 December 1988 when 35 train passengers were killed and a further 484 suffered injuries in a three-train crash very close to the school.

There was a representation from the school at the remembrance service on Spencer Park outside the gates to the school. Our head boy and deputy head girl followed London Mayor Sadiq Khan and emergency services by laying a wreath on behalf of Emanuel School.



A number of the school community went on to the remembrance service at St Mark's Church. The Mayor read the names of the 35 people who lost their lives and candles were lit in their memory. At the school itself, a parent who was involved in the legal inquest in 1988 gave a talk to middle school pupils.

Archives Online



The Archives Online is a treasure trove of Emanuel publications, concert, drama, musicals, speech day and sports programmes, The Portcullis, newspaper clippings and photographs. With a fully searchable database, it's easy to find what you are interested in from your time at Emanuel.

Please use the following details to access the Archive:

User name – genguest

Password – genguest

Please note that we do not have individual access details any more.

If you can't find what you are looking for, please contact our Archivist, [Tony Jones](#).

Obituaries

We are sorry to announce the death of David King (OE1980-85) and Ian Dorn (OE1948-55). Ian's obituary will be published in the next edition of the e-news.

David King (OE1980-85) by Tony Jones, Emanuel Archivist

David was a well-known figure on the rugby scene at Blagdons and when he was younger often played for the Old Emanuels. In recent years he returned to Emanuel to watch his nephew Jasper Pittam play for both the 1st and 2nd XVs between 2015 and 2017. David's niece Bethany Pittam was one of our School Captains in 2014/15.

[Read more.](#)



Old Emanuel Luncheon Club



Following the record numbers that booked for the Christmas lunch, the pre-Brexit meeting of the Old Emanuel Luncheon Club will be held at the Union Jack Club, Sandell Street, London, SE1 8UJ, on Monday 11 March.

All OEs are very welcome to attend the lunch. If you would like to find out more or book yourself a place, please contact Stuart Cameron-Waller (Hon Sec) on stuart@cwt2001.com.

OERFC Update



Just over halfway through the season sees all the senior sides mid table. After the heady heights of 3 promotions in 4 seasons this is almost a relief, as a year of consolidation is not a bad thing. The Club now sits in the very competitive London South West 2 league. As ever we are keen to recruit players for our 3 senior sides and offer training every Tuesday and Thursday evening between 7:30pm and 9pm.

The mini and junior sections continue to grow and thrive. We are re-energizing our girls' section with the recruitment of two ex-Surrey age group coaches. Recently we held a girls' recruitment day which attracted good numbers. This was supported by the RFU through their regional development officer.

Read the Chairman's full update [here](#).

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