

## SOF SOUTHERN COUNTIES SUPPER Held at Piltdown Golf Club On 29<sup>th</sup> October 2016

On a mild October evening, in the warm and welcoming atmosphere of this old East Sussex Golf Club, 11 OFs and their guests (20 in total) enjoyed an excellent dinner and listened to an entertaining talk on the subject of Norman Borrett OF (schoolmaster and sportsman extraordinary) given by Richard Sayer OF, our immediate Past President and College



Governor. Richard has written the fascinating book on NFB, and his talk showed us all something of the man behind this exceptional sporting record (multiple World Squash champion, England and GB hockey captain etc).



Chris Essex (our SOF President) then spoke about the Society and the School, highlighting the passing of the Fowler Bequest gift of £500'000 from the Society to the College for the new Sports Pavilion on the Back.

The supper was organised by Roger Marriott and Andrew Wright, who welcomed everyone, with special mention for Tessa and Ian Foster, who had come from Majorca to join us. Ian featured in NFB's book on Hockey in the 1950s.

Present were: Roger & Jill Marriott, Andrew & Margaret Wright, Chris Essex, Richard Sayer, Keith Handley, Ian & Tessa Foster, Bruce Henderson, Michael & Sue Wright, John Newson, John Odell, Adrian Odell, and guests: Mandy Pearce, Peter & Juliet Ross and Anthony & Jill Sharp. Apologies were received from over 30 OFs.

