

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
of
The Society of Old Framlinghamians
At 6.15pm on Saturday 13th April 2024
In the Albert Room, at Framlingham College**

Present: Nick Whitehead – President – in the Chair; Nigel Burnip; Chris Bellamy Ruth Elwood (Hon Gen Sec); Chris Essex; Jon Ford; Peter Howard-Dobson; Kate Jackson; Tony Martin; Steve McDowell Richard Sayer; Michael Smy; Malvern Tipping; and Colin Wigg. 14no attended.

1.0	Apologies	
1.1	Hon Gen Sec read out the list of Apologies as: René Behar; Roger Clayton; Bill Collard; David Copeman; Mike Craddock; Frank Craig; Peter Day; Simon Dougherty; John Ellerby; Gerald Garnett; Peter Golding; John Le Grove; Teddy Harrington; John Horton; Geoffrey Hoskins; Ian Howard; Chris Keeble; John Ling; Nick Jacob; Paul Latham; Jim Overbury; Richard Overend; Satine Margaryan; Tom Mason; Christopher Mayhew; Chris Milner-Moore; Charles Packshaw (Hon OF); Norman Porter; James Ruddock-Broyd; Brian Smith; Clive Smith; Chris Sneath; David Summerfield; David Turnbull; Dan Wastnage; and Andrew Wright.	
1.2	The President welcomed everyone to the 2024 AGM, noting his disappointment that the recent heavy rain had caused waterlogging and the cancellation of the proposed OF v FC fun cricket match, that was due to have taken place that afternoon.	
1.3	The President asked if anyone had conflicts of interest and none were declared.	
2.0	Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of 25th March 2023	
2.1	These Minutes had been emailed to Council by Kate Jackson ahead of the meeting and had been made available on the website (www.oldframlinghamian.com).	
2.2	The President invited comments by dissent, but none were received. The minutes were proposed for adoption by Chris Essex and seconded by Michael Smy. These were to be signed as a true record of proceedings on 25 th March 2023. All agreed.	HGS/ President
3.0	Matters arising	
3.1	Hon Gen Sec confirmed actions completed from the 2023	

	minutes.	
3.2	The President invited questions or comments, but none were forthcoming.	
4.0	Report on Financial Statements for the year ending 31st December 2023.	
4.1.1	The Chair of Trustees, Chris Essex, confirmed the accounts but they had not been formally approved by the Trustees and the Society's auditors Ensors, however, no concerns were expected. They had been uploaded to the SOF website.	
4.1.2	The two sets of accounts had been expertly produced for the first time by Mike Coker, for which the Trustees would like to record their sincere thanks. He also thanked Michael Smy for his assistance in ensuring a smooth handover.	
4.1.3	The accounts for the Society and the Charitable Trust were again very detailed, following the format of previous years.	
4.2	<i>Overview</i>	
4.2.1	Over the last year, the three dominant themes had been: the new website development; the launch of the OF Newspaper; and ongoing discussions with the College, over the renewal of the FC-SOF Agreement.	
4.2.2	<i>New Website:</i> This was finally launched in March 2023, after much hard work and had been well received. The balance of just over £10,000 had been paid, bringing the total cost of the new website to just over £34,000. Unfortunately, the Society's attempt to recover payments of just over £4,000 made to the former contractor through the Small Claims Court was making slow progress, due to the Covid backlog and the contractor now contesting the claim. Thanks were offered to PHD for his continued pursuance.	
4.2.3	<i>OF Newspaper:</i> As reported last year, the decision of the College to produce <i>The Framlinghamian</i> in a digital format only, led to the Society deciding to proceed with a printed version of the SOF section, in the form of an <i>OF Newspaper</i> . In 2023, it was decided to reach the broadest possible spectrum of the membership at a cost of just over £9,000. This was to ensure that as many OFs as possible were alerted to the launch of the new website. It was made clear that the SOF would adopt a subscription/donation model in the future. By the end of 2023, just over £3,200 had been received in donations/subscriptions, towards the 2024 Newspaper costs. These donations had since risen to over £5,000.	
4.2.4	<i>The Agreement Renewal:</i> Discussions with FC continued to be ongoing, with the passing of the December 2023 deadline. Consequently, both parties had signed an agreement for a temporary extension to the previous contract.	

4.2.5	Despite uncertainties about the new Agreement, the SOF had provided financial support of £3,300 to a current student; £500 to an OF in need; £5,000 towards the Inskips Hockey pitch TV screen; and £2,500 towards a Chapel lighting project. Trustees were very grateful to individual members that had contributed just over £3,000 in donations towards the TV screen, which was in support of the John Edwards (K45-55) legacy.	
4.2.6	Overall, it was a more settled year in terms of investments. The Trustees were seeking a balanced return over a 10 year+ period, between income and growth, based on Rathbones's, (formally Investec) Medium Risk approach. Invested funds rose by just over 8% net of fees and prospects for future income generation had improved. Overall, invested funds were £1.15m.	
4.2.7	During the year, the investment managers took the opportunity to realise some investment gains. This served the dual purpose of offsetting expenditure in the General Account and allowing a start to reposition asset allocation in line with their new Strategic Asset Allocation. The key change was a move away from UK Equities to International Equities, resulting in a target reduction in UK Equities from 30% to 15% and increasing International Equities target from 30% to 45%.	
4.3	Society's General Account	
4.3.1	General Account, Page 8: The General Account showed it has been another active year. As with previous years, the greatest expenditure had again been on completing the website @ £11,402.	
4.3.2	The next largest cost was for the OF Newspaper @ £8,906, which had been circulated to members earlier in the year for 2022. OF activities included the launch of the Arts and Drama section. Regrettably, the lower expenditure reflected the cancellation of both the London Dinner and Suffolk Supper @ £1,203.	
4.3.3	The General Account activities had been partly funded by the Trustees and partly funded by FC under the 2013 Agreement. £4,202 of the College grant was to be carried forward.	
4.3.4	The Trustees Income Accounts, Page 9: Investment income had improved slightly during the year to £20,574 as did the interest received. The donations figure of £3,227 was the total of the contributions made by members towards the cost of the OF Newspaper in the last financial year, in respect of the one received recently. Transfers to the General Account remained high @ £19,695 because of the need to pay for the website development and the newspaper. Donations to the Charitable Trust increased to £9,809 partly to cover the reducing standing order income. All these expenses were partially funded by the	

	sale of investments, which realised £12,000 and reduced the cash balance to around £19,000.	
4.3.5	Balance Sheet, Page 9: The strength of the Balance Sheet improved by £50,007 to just over £1.5m largely due to the increase in the value of the portfolio. The Cash Balance of £23,329 had been enhanced by £4,202 carried forward from the 2023 College grant. As this was to be deducted from the 2024 grant, the Trustees had taken steps to bolster funds available as outlined previously on Page 9, noting that the total included £500,000 of loans provided to the SOF Charitable Fund, paid over to maximise tax efficiency.	
4.4	SOF Charitable Trust Accounts	
4.4.1	Statement of Financial Activities (SOFA), Page 8: as with previous years, at first glance this looked alarming with a deficit of £274,145 in the restricted income fund and an overall deficit of £108,098, after taking account of the expendable endowment. However, the deficit was covered by the long term loan from the Society and no loan repayments had been made in 2023, as permitted under the loan agreement.	
4.4.2	Balance Sheet, Page 9: Over the last year the portfolio, net of fees, rose 9.3% compared with a gross benchmark of 10.0%. When compared with the net of fees ARC Steady Growth Index, they have outperformed their peers over 12 months and over 5 years. The five-year return net of fees was 25.2%. The value of charitable investments on 31 st December 2023 had risen to £166,048.	
4.4.3	Grants and Awards Page 16: These were up significantly @ £21,772 during 2023. As in recent years, the bulk of the individual awards were Speech Day prizes. These consisted of 15 prizes of £50, paid to Year 11 pupils; 15 prizes of £100 paid to Year 13 pupils; and 2 Albert Awards, of £150 paid to Year 13 pupils.	
4.4.4	These awards were in addition to those given for 2 Moreau Leaving Scholarships, for each year, of £1,000 per annum over 3 years, making an outlay of £6,000 in total per annum.	
4.4.5	The Charity had also given financial grants to a current pupil for boarding fees assistance; to two other pupils for a school choir trip to Malta; and to a former pupil in financial hardship. The pupil grants had been at the request of the Principal. As mentioned earlier, grants of £2,500 and £5,000 had been paid to the College for Chapel lighting and towards an outdoor TV display screen.	
4.4.6	CE invited questions or comments on the 2023 accounts, but none were forthcoming.	
4.4.7	Richard Sayer asked if was unique to receive financial requests from the Principal? CE confirmed this was the normal procedure to allow FC to support the SOF grant being	

	requested from Trustees.	
4.4.8	Following the end of the financial year, work and therefore costs associated with design, printing and dispatch of the latest OF Newspaper to over 3000 members principally in the UK, had been completed. This had cost over £8,000, but would have been a lot more if Chris Keeble had not significantly discounted his work costs, recruited and negotiated with the printer and managed the distribution to readers. With annual donations of around £5,000pa (hopefully), this had left a net cost of around £3,000. Trustees believed the Newspaper provided excellent value for money, but, more donations from other members towards these costs would always be welcomed.	
4.4.9	CE requested feedback on the Newspaper – all noted it as being excellent.	
4.4.10	<p>Discussion: Richard Sayer asked what the overseas distribution cost was? CE advised a £12.50 donation was required before distribution, as the postage cost was higher, with only 15 requests received for overseas copies. Non subscription meant other overseas OFs had defaulted to the digital version only. KJ confirmed the only magazines returned to FC were from UK and not overseas.</p> <p>Jon Ford asked what % of members had made a donation? PHD advised that less than c.240@ <10% had contributed, which was disappointing.</p> <p>Steve McDowell asked if cost was an issue, was there was an option for OFs to print their own document? CE confirmed it could be printed as a download from the FC website @ A4. PHD advised the SOF would need to keep beating the drum to maintain production and a marketing review would be needed to see what the reading uptake was.</p> <p>Chris Bellamy asked what feedback had the SOF received? CE advised they had received a number of positive comments. The President highlighted his recent registration of the SOF for 'STRIPE', an on-line payment facility, in the hope it would encourage more OFs to make easy payments. 20 of the last minute young OFs attending the annual gathering had used the Stripe payment link attached to their email invitation, creating a surge in numbers. He noted how the different demographics view on-line technology - embraced by Young OFs, yet alienated and distrusted by elders.</p>	PHD action
4.4.11	Finally, CE offered his sincere thanks to fellow Trustees for their tireless work and continued support over the last year. 6 Trustees were currently engaged. The President echoed his thanks to CE for his role as Chair of the Trustees and a massive vote of thanks on behalf of council for Chris Keeble's enormous efforts and discount in producing the Newspaper. He then invited questions or comments, but none were	

	forthcoming.	
5.0	President's Review of the Year 2023 to 2024	
5.1	The President, Nick Whitehead, provided a brief overview of the last 12 months as follows:	
5.2	<i>Events 2023 to 2024</i>	
5.2.1	The President's year had started in March 2023, with a good turnout to the annual dinner at FC, organised by Kate Jackson. This was followed by the Spring Council meeting, held in a new setting, with a more informal dining arrangement at Ravenswood Hall, kindly organised by Ian Fulcher. In July, the London dinner and the council meeting was rearranged via Zoom, to a due to disruption by the London Tube strikes. Unfortunately, the October Suffolk Supper was also cancelled, due to a lack of interest, following on from the 75 th Anniversary at Brandeston Hall, which had taken place only a few weeks earlier. However, both the Norfolk Supper, organised by Ed Wharton and the West of England Supper, organised by Chris Essex, went ahead with strong numbers and great feedback.	
5.2.2	Away from social gatherings, a full program of OF Golf, shooting and other sports continued. KJ had organised another successful OF sports weekend, which saw cricket, hockey, tennis and netball fixtures, as well as a ceremony dedicating one end of the Back to OF David Larter, one of the OF community's only capped test cricketers.	
5.3	<i>Governance of the Society</i>	
5.3.1	The President made the difficult decision to move all council meetings online via Zoom for the next 12 months. The aim was to allow organisers greater flexibility to arrange events without the need to consider meeting space costs or additional time. This also allowed overseas council members, of which there are many, to join in more frequently. As ever, a huge thank you to our team of event organisers, Trustees, finance committee and council.	
5.4	<i>The College</i>	
5.4.1	Final stage of discussions were underway with the College's senior team regarding the renewal of the 2013 SOF/College Agreement. Meanwhile, NW had signed an extension which would run until such a time that the new Agreement was formalised.	
5.4.2	The new agreement would broadly speaking, feel very similar to the 2013 Agreement, but with some increased communication points between the Society and the College, both on finances and operationally. The new Agreement was to be based on a 5 year Term to avoid future renewal delays and	

	once agreed, it would be sent to Council for review and approval. The President was confident that once implemented, the future was going to be bright for the ongoing engagement with OFs, the Society and the College	
5.4.3	He offered his thanks to the Relationship Sub Committee, expertly chaired by Peter Howard-Dobson and supported by Chris Essex, Nick Jacob, Jenny Binder and Ruth Elwood.	
5.5.4	<i>The Framlinghamian</i> was soon to be uploaded to the FC website and the President acknowledged the enormous efforts of the OF Newspaper team, who had not only prepared but distributed it to hundreds of OFs, following the successful donation campaign. A special thank you again to Chris Essex and Peter H-D for leading that, and to Chris Keeble for facilitating the printing for distribution.	
5.5	<i>People</i>	
5.5.1	<p>The President made a special thank you to the many who kept the Society running, and those who had offered him the greatest of support:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ruth Elwood – for her role as Hon Gen Sec. • Chris Essex – for his role as Chairman of the Trustees and being an excellent sounding board for me, alongside his fellow Trustees. • David Carr – as Hon. Treasurer. • Kate Jackson - our amazing OF Co-ordinator, who worked tirelessly in organising tonight’s event and always provides her full support with everything we do. • Peter Howard-Dobson – for his role as Chair of the Relationship Committee and for his continued support in learning the ropes as President. • The Website Team – Tim Mitchell, Chris and Peter who keep our lovely website up to speed and operational. • The Moreau Scholarship Selection Committee – David Mallett, Jenny Binder, Peter Howard-Dobson and our newly appointed Rene Bahar. 	
5.6	<i>Membership & Engagement</i>	
5.6.1	<i>Honorary OFs</i> – This award was in recognition of at least ten years’ service on the part of staff, or at any time for particular service to the SOF or the College, by staff and others. Nine Honorary OFs had received recognition and been awarded OF memorabilia in 2023, under the revised ten-year rule. Current Honorary OFs nominations were to be covered later.	
5.7	<i>Deaths</i>	
5.7.1	37 deaths had been notified to the Society since the last AGM in 2023. These included recent notifications since the January 2024 Meeting highlighted* and those listed in Council Meeting	

	Minutes, with all details on the SOF website Noticeboard. All names are listed in Appendix 1 , with key people highlighted**.	
5.8	<i>Other Matters</i>	
5.8.1	Annual Dinner organiser: The Hon Gen Sec appealed again to members, for someone to PLEASE step forward to take on this role. Simon Dougherty had offered his guidance to the new organiser; as Kate Jackson had only stepped in as a temporary organiser for AGM events held at FC in 2023 and 2024. Chris Bellamy asked if the AGM could remain at FC or BH every year. This was endorsed by the President acknowledging attendance was usually better when held at the College, allowing for informal London social gatherings to take place.	
5.9	<i>President's Conclusion</i>	
5.9.1	He was disappointed to have not concluded the renewal of <i>The 2013 Agreement</i> but noted discussions were ongoing. He was pleased that a full calendar of sporting events had taken place to include the OF Sports day.	
5.9.2	That concluded the President's report. The President invited questions or comments, with the following from Members:	
5.9.3	Malvern Tipping enquired into the length of service of Danial Boydd, as a potentially long serving member of staff who may be eligible for Hon OF status. KJ to enquire. Chris Bellamy asked what the cost of becoming a Hon OF was to the SOF. Hon Gen Sec replied that the cost was a tie or scarf, depending on personal choices, presented informally by KJ, if they declined supper invitations. Michael Smy asked if a photo could be taken of them receiving their memorabilia during the presentation, if not done at a formal event or supper.	KJ Actions
5.9.4	Tony Martin registered his formal thanks to Kate Jackson for being so supportive of and helpful to the Society, with the President acknowledging that the SOF would struggle without someone as efficient and gracious as her in the Co-ordinator role.	
5.9.5	TM highlighted the cancellation of the Newmarket supper a few years ago, stating that it had been disappointing that the supper had not gone ahead regardless. He added that the cost for a couple attending a London event for retired OFs was potentially more cost prohibitive than the cost for youngsters, who earned a good salary and lived in London. He felt the discounted tickets were unfair to elders. The President clarified that discounted tickets were simply to encourage more people to attend.	
6.0	Trustees Appointments & Retirements	
6.1.1	None were reported.	

7.0	To Elect Officers of the Society for 2024-2025	
7.1.1	President: Nick Whitehead had offered to stand for his 2 nd year; proposed by PHD and seconded by CE, with unanimous support for election.	
7.1.2	The President announced the remaining Officers of the Society to be elected were:	
7.1.3	Vice Presidents: No new Vice Presidents were being proposed.	
7.1.4	Hon Gen Sec – Ruth Elwood was to continue, following co-option onto Council in May 2019 and elected at the 2020 AGM.	
7.1.5	Hon Treasurer: David Carr was to continue, following his election at the 2020 AGM.	
7.1.6	Young OFs & Sports Co-ordinator: Luke Quartermaine was to continue in both roles, following his election at the 2021 AGM.	
7.1.7	Council Members: The President nominated new Council members: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sam Ponty: who was co-opted as a retiring Moreau Scholar in July 2023. • Maja Theisen and Lyla Endean: who were ex-officio members of Council, as current Moreau Scholars. 	
7.1.8	Finance Committee – appointed in accordance with SOF Rule 5a: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • President, Trustees, Hon Sec, Hon Treasurer; golf & shooting organisers; the sports co-ordinator; OF coordinator at the College; Chair of Young OFs Committee are all included in the Finance Committee. • Objections were invited, with none received and all appointments confirmed. All agree. 	
7.1.9	Independent Examiner: Ensors, to continue as appointed by the College in accordance with the SOF FC Agreement.	
7.1.10	Elections were concluded and The President invited questions or comments, but none were forthcoming, allowing all the above to be elected 'en bloc'.	
8.0	New Hon OFs	
8.1.1	The President continued with the following nominations, as proposed at the 25 th January 2024 Council Meeting.	
8.1.2	Rule 3.3a - Hon OF Nominations – None were proposed.	
8.1.3	Rule 3.3b - Hon OF Nominations – under the 10 year revised rules, the following four individuals had been agreed as eligible and accepted their invitation, in recognition of at least ten years' service to FC, having undergone consultations and due diligence by FC HR: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yvette Cook, who had been a House Matron with 10+ years' service. 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tracy Galloway, who had been a House Matron with 10+ years' service. • David Ashton, Deputy Head Academic, who had 10+ years' service. • Sue Hornsby, a visiting Music Teacher of 20 years, who retired due to poor health, nominated by Jonathan Egan. 	
8.1.4	1 member of staff, Shaun Hadley, had declined.	
8.1.5	No election process was required, as this was an automatic FC selection process as per the Rules. Tony Martin raised his usual dissent at the appointment of Hon OFs, which was noted and supported by Chris Bellamy.	
8.1.6	Hon Gen Sec is to issue formal letters to those listed under Rule 3.3b with photo of presentation of memorabilia by KJ.	HGS/KJ Action
9.0	Any Other Business	
9.1	The Hon Gen Sec outlined forthcoming meetings and suppers as follows:	
9.1.1	The Spring Council Meeting was to be held at 6.30pm via Zoom, on 25 th April 2024. Details to follow.	
9.1.2	An informal evening social event was to be held at Ravenwood Hotel, Blackthorpe, Bury Saint Edmunds, IP30 9JA, on either 4 th or 6 th June 2024, with opportunities to stay over and enjoy the hotel's rural surroundings. Organised by Ian Fulcher. Details to follow. Organiser required for 2025.	
9.1.3	29 th June 2024, Summer Ball at FC, targeting Noughties and Teenies. Organiser FC.	KJ
9.1.4	30 th July 2024, the London Council Meeting at 6.30pm, via Zoom. Details to follow. [Date revised to accommodate Bisley Shooting].	
9.1.5	17 th August 2024 Northern Gathering lunch in Edinburgh, organized by Douglas Thomson. Details on the SOF website.	DT
9.1.6	2024 Weekend event: 7 th September, in Heidelberg Germany to see the Castle illuminations. Organiser Kim Dickel. Details to follow.	KD
9.1.7	Sunday 29 th September 2024, the West of England Supper, organised by Chris Essex. Details to follow.	CE
9.1.8	19 th October 2024, Suffolk Meeting & Supper at FC. Organiser Ruth Elwood.	RE
9.1.9	November Norfolk Supper, TBC. Organiser Ed Wharton. Details to follow.	
9.1.10	January Council Meeting via Zoom & social event. TBC.	EW
9.1.11	The date of next AGM. TBC. Organiser required.	ALL
9.2	AOB Discussions	
9.2.1	Steve McDowell identified 99 year old, Doug Cracknell who worked in the FC kitchens during the war, asking if he could be made a Hon OF forthwith, as it would mean a great deal to	KJ/HGS Action

	him. TM stated the rules should be 'bent' to acknowledge his great age and commitment avoiding any delay until the 2025 AGM. KJ to enquire with FC and if approved, Hon Gen Sec to invite him formally by letter.	
9.2.2	<p>TM asked for an update on the status of the FCPS head master and numbers.</p> <p>The President responded in his ex-officio capacity as a Governor stating Jonathan Egan was confirmed as leaving for family reasons: numbers were down, but a new Head had been appointed. The school had been busy planning around likely VAT impacts and FCPS fees had been reviewed as a benchmark against other schools with a correction to fees, having been too cheap for early years and too expensive for later years. The senior school numbers were slightly down but not a concern.</p>	
9.2.3	Chris Bellamy highlighted the potential loss of the Brandeston Queens Head PH, that had not yet been given permission to be converted into a house. The President suggested this was a discussion for the bar.	
9.2	The President closed the meeting at 7.19pm.	

Signed:

President

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APPENDIX 1

Notified OF Deaths since the 2023 AGM.

5.7	<i>Deaths</i>	
5.7.1	37 deaths had been notified to the Society since the last AGM. These included recent notifications since the January Meeting* and those listed in Council Meeting Minutes, with details on the SOF website Noticeboard. All names are listed below, with key people highlighted**, as listed in the Appendix.	
	*John Percy Ineson (G43-50): Who died on 8 th March 2024 at the age of 90.	
	*David Anthony Reeve (G55-57): Who died on 5 th March 2024, at the age of 83.	
	*Edward Fox (G46-52): Who died on 1 st February 2024, at the age of 88.	
	*Keith John Maunder (K58-62): Who died on 27 th January 2024, at the age of 79.	
	*Clive Carrington Simpson (K49-53): Who died on 15 th January 2024, at the age of 85.	
	**John Rankin, (K47-56): Who died on Friday 8 th December 2023.	
	Bruce Micklewright, (S48-51): Who died on 8 th December 2023, at the age of 89.	
	**Barry Lorkin, (S54-57): Who died on 4 th December 2023, at the age of 83.	
	The Rt Revd George Edward David Pytches, (K44-48): Who died on 21 st November 2023, at the age of 92.	
	**Ian Foster (K46-53): Who died peacefully aged 88 on 18 th November 2023.	
	*Michael John Rowland Evans (S45-48): who died on 12 th November 2023, at the age of 92.	
	Indy Mason Kidd, (K12-17): A young OF who passed away in November 2023 at the age of 24.	
	Geoffrey Mann (R40-49): Who died in late 2023, but no further information was available.	
	*Andrew Clive Slater (G63-67): Who died on 27 th October 2023, at the age of 74.	
	**Brian Smallcombe, (Hon OF): who died on 8 th October 2023.	
	Keith Charles Oakley, (K45-50): who died on 9 th September 2023 at the age of 89.	
	David Edwin Hkio (R58-63): who died on 10 th August 2023.	
	Richard Howard Brown, (S48-54): who died on the 19 th July 2023, at the age of 85.	
	Richard Howard Brown, (S48-54): who died on the 19 th of July 2023, aged 85 years old.	
	Guy Brooke-Smith (S41-44): who died on 28 th June 2023.	

	Christopher Eamon Core (S73-78): who died during the last week of June 2023.	
	Andrew Dean (G85-90): Who died w/c 19 th June 2023, at the age of 51.	
	John Ingate (R53-58): who died on 17 th June 2023 at the age of 80.	
	Benjamin Robin Barringer (G56-61): who died on 12 th May 2023, aged 80 in Spain.	
	Alexander William Hicks (S52-55): Who died on 18 th April 2023, at the age of 85.	
	**John Kerr MBE JP DL (G53-56): Who died on 15 th March 2023 at the age of 83.	
	*Professor Stephen Hugh Salter MBE (R50-56): A distinguished OF, who died on 23 rd February 2023 at the age of 85.	
	**John Alexander Waugh (K41-48): Who died on 29 th January 2023, at the age of 91.	
	Christopher George Lawrence (G47-51): Who died in January 2023, at the age of 89.	
	Harley John Barnard (R58-62): Who died in November 2022, at the age of 77.	
	Nicholas Thompson Argent (R62-67): Who died on 12 th October 2022.	
	Frank Whewell Eyre (S46-53): Who died on 15 th April 2022, at the age of 86.	
	Colin Hugh Rigby (R43-45); who died on 27 th March 2021 at the age of 91 in Nottingham.	
	Kenneth William Foxhall Painter (K39-45): Who died on 27 th February 2022, at the age of 94.	
	John Nesling (S46-50): who died in February 2022, having lived at Winton, Great Bealings.	
	Colin Rigby (R43-45): Who died in 2021.	
	Rodney Michael Crabtree (K49-56): Who passed away some seven years ago, in 2016.	