

WIGS '72 - ASSOCIATION

The closure of Wallington Independent Grammar School last July, and the most encouraging attendance at a meeting on 9th December last, of about 80 past pupils resulted in a unanimous decision that a further meeting should be arranged to co-ordinate the various wants of Old Boys.

An Association called the WIGS '72 Association has been formed and the following Committee elected:-

Chairman ; Dudley J. Baker
Deputy Chairman : Richard Lawrence
Secretary : John L. McGuffog
Treasurer : Nicholas F. Watson

COMMITTEE

Ian T. Allen	Robert V. Leech
Lester Brown	Raymond J. Miles
David Curgenvin	Peter J. Nathan
David Dunn	David R. Parr
Patrick A. Hall	Derrick C. Phillips
G. Richard Gibbons	Paul C. Troke

The Committee are anxious not to overwhelm you with the notion that frequent meetings will be held. They are hopeful, however, that you will attend two informal meetings this year - one on Saturday 14th April at the 'Windmill' Public House, 37, Stafford Road, Wallington; and the other on the 15th December at a venue to be confirmed.

Representation has been made to Mr. H.P. Hopkins to support the Association but in any event Old Boys will be asked to subscribe £1.00 per annum (50p per annum for full time students). The funds will be used to promote at least one social evening each year, all the profits from which will go to a local charity, thus perpetuating the School's generosity each Christmas from the proceeds from the Annual Plays. Indeed the Committee were able to provide food parcels to numerous needy people in the Wallington locality last Christmas from a modest profit obtained from the first meeting of the WIGS '72 meeting.

Although the Committee have listed about 300 names and addresses of past pupils, they are short of all the names on the old Registers. We ask you, therefore, to attend on the 14th April (8.30p.m. to midnight) with a pound note in one hand and cap in the other! Also please invite all old boys known to you.

Only by use of this form of telegraphy can we hope to expand and consolidate this beginning. Below is a Members Registration Form which we ask you to complete and return to the Secretary - John L. McGuffog, Orchard Cottage, Sweet Water Lane, Shamley Green, Surrey.