



THE OLD RUSSELLIANS NEWSLETTER

SUMMER 2012

Please see below all the forthcoming O.R. events to which you will be invited by email. Please note that most of these are now free of charge!

Friday 22 June from 19:00: O.R. Drinks at The Anchor pub on Bankside with special invitation to all ex-MUNers!

Saturday 30 June: Royal Russell School Exhibition - please see below for full details

Sunday 4 November from 17:30: Annual Fireworks Spectacular and Fun Fair - ALL profit goes to local charities

Sunday 11 November at 10:00: Remembrance Service in Chapel followed by laying of wreaths in the O.R. Memorial Garden

Sunday 9 December at 18:30: RRS Carol Service in Great Hall - all O.R.s welcome to attend

Saturday 23 March 2013 from 13:30: O.R. Footie Tournament

MUSIC AT ROYAL RUSSELL: Many music events held at the school are open to visitors. More details can be found on the music website at: www.royalrussell.co.uk/snr_music_main

Please click on relevant links to obtain additional information on all articles

www.royalrussell.co.uk/Events

RIVERSIDE REUNION - 22 JUNE 2012



This year this event will be held on **Friday 22 June** and will take place at **The Anchor on Bankside**. We will be especially celebrating Mr John Piggin's 30 year association with MUN and it would be wonderful if ex MUNers were able to join us as well as all Old Russellians. A private area in the upstairs bar has been reserved from 19:00 to 21:00 for a presentation to Mr Piggin.

R.R. SUMMER EXHIBITION - 30 JUNE 2012

The Headmaster and Parents' Association look forward to welcoming you at the Royal Russell Summer Exhibition on 30 June, in support of the Fashion & Textile Children's Trust. Please see the website for full details of how you and your family can participate in this celebration of art within the Royal Russell Community:

<http://www.royalrussell.co.uk/Events/index.php>
Or email Nigel Haigh at nigel@haigh.info

O.R. FOOTIE - Steve Greaves



Global warming came to West Pitch for the 10th O.R. football tournament. Players drained in the heat frantically seeking water, spectators lounging on the bank soaking up the rays and dipping into their cool bags A well worked training ground move – a Phouli (2003-2008) corner met with a towering header by Greaves – put the result beyond doubt. So, well done to the Record Breakers and their fourth successive victory. Thanks to all those who played, watched or helped. Hope to see everyone down by the river on 22 June!

(Full Report on website)

O.R. CROSS COUNTRY



A new idea this year came from Tieri Tizard-Varco (at school 1991-1998) who wanted to offer the opportunity to Old Russellians to run or walk the cross country again – either competitively or just for fun! The website report was kindly provided by Charlotte Bean (at school 1996-2009), pictured (right) running with Micaela Grove (at school 2002-2009).

RYAN WALTERS (at school 2001-2008)



Ryan (now graduated from Loughborough is looking to get into Sports Journalism. He has started a blog (www.southstandupper.blogspot.com) to help him on his way - starting with an article on my Tiger's hero (& his depression) Dean Windass (See greatest moment www.youtube.com/watch?v=A667RIDOy2g. Ryan is pictured here collecting the cup from Headmaster, Chris Hutchinson, on behalf of his team at the recent O.R. footie tournament.

Footie and Cross Country Reports and all the photos can be found through the following link: <http://www.royalrussell.co.uk/Events/index.php> ... then click on Events 2012



JUAN ZELADA (at school 1992-1996)



Congratulations to Juan Zelada on his recent UK tour. Many O.R.s and staff were spotted at Bush Hall in March at Juan's fabulous concert. His album, 'High Ceilings & Collarbones' features his single, 'What Do I Know'. Juan's songs are often played on BBC Radio 2 and he was recently interviewed on BBC Breakfast.

Join the mailing list and get your free MP3 of "Breakfast in Spitalfields" (acoustic version)

TWITTER & FACEBOOK ACCOUNTS

The Old Russellians now have a Twitter account as well as Facebook. Please follow us on these networking sites in order to get up to date information regarding events. Our Twitter account is (@OldRussellians) Thanks to Jane Bruce for all her hard work getting this up and running.

