

Old Bridlingtonian Club London Branch Reunion

The 93rd Annual Reunion of the London Branch of the Old Bridlingtonian Club was held on 17th February at the RAF Club, Piccadilly. 46 OBs and their partners attended.

The event was organised by Branch Secretary Paul Gibson, who also acted as Master of Ceremonies.

Following an excellent lunch, retiring Chairman Peter Elliott invested new Chairman Andrew Dismore with the chain of office. Andrew then proposed the toast to the OB Club, which was responded to by Club President Peter Thompson.

In his reply, Peter sang a verse of the school song Now No More, specially composed to record the efforts of a small group of OBs in compiling a list of every former pupil of Bridlington School who has at some time served in the RAF. The list has been produced to commemorate the Centenary of the foundation of the RAF in 1918.

Luke Moreland, Chairman-Elect, then proposed the toast to the School and Staff, to which the Headteacher, Kate Parker-Randall, responded.

After the formal proceedings were concluded, the company adjourned to the Running Horse Bar elsewhere in the Club, where conversation continued until well into the evening.

The next meeting of the Old Bridlingtonian Club will be the Annual Spring Reunion, to be held at Bridlington Rugby Club at 12 noon on 7th April.

Further information on this or any of the Club's events can be found on the Club website at www.oldbridlingtonianclub.org.uk or by contacting the Secretary at secretary@oldbridlingtonianclub.org.uk.

The photograph shows:

Back L to R: Paul Gibson, Peter Thompson, Kate Parker-Randall

Front L to R: Luke Moreland, Andrew Dismore, Peter Elliott.