

# OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION

## ANNUAL REPORT 1985/86

Your Management Committee, in accordance with Article 22 of the Rules of the Association, have pleasure in presenting herewith the Annual Report and the audited Statement of Accounts for the year under review.

### 1. Management Committee

At the last Annual General Meeting held on Friday 8 March 1985 at the ACSS Music Room, Barker Road, the following were elected to office:

<i>President</i>	: Dr Wong Nang Eong
<i>Vice-President</i>	: Mr Robert K. K. Iau, PPA Mr Lee Liat Cheng
<i>Hon Secretary</i>	: Mr Fong Seng Narp (re-elected)
<i>Asst Hon Secretary</i>	: Mr Ong Ai Teik
<i>Hon Treasurer</i>	: Mr Quek Khye Kee (re-elected)
<i>Asst Hon Treasurer</i>	: Mr Tan Poh Soon (re-elected)
<i>Committee Members</i>	: Mr Tan Boon Chiang, BBM, PPA (re-elected) Mrs Jopie Ong Dr Albert Wee Mr Tan Gee Paw, PPA Dr Giam Choo Keong, PPA
<i>Hon Auditor</i>	: Mr A. H. Jinnah (re-elected)

### 2. Committee Meetings

During the year 2 meetings were held.

The following served on these sub-committees:

- Re-union Dinner: Mr Quek Khye Kee, Mrs Jopie Ong and Mr Johnny Chin.
- Scholarships/Awards: Dr Wong Nang Eong, Mr Robert Iau and Mr Tan Boon Chiang.
- Games Convenor: Mr Ong Ai Teik.

### 3. ACS Board of Governors

Dr Wong Nang Eong, Mr Robert Iau, Mr Tan Boon Chiang, Mr Quek Khye Kee and Mr Lee Liat Cheng represented the OBA on the Board.

### 4. Founder's Day Re-union Dinner '85

About 700 diners were present at the ACJC auditorium on 1 March to celebrate the 99th anniversary of the school. Bishop Ho Chee Sin was the guest-of-honour.

The presentation of Certificates of Appreciation to the School Staff and the OBA medals to the students was also made at the dinner.

### 5. In appreciation

For the 8th year, Certificates were presented to the School Staff. Five certificates (Gold) for 30 years' service, one certificate (silver) for 20 years' service and eleven certificates (bronze) for 10 years' service were presented. Gold and Silver medallions were also presented to the staff with 30 and 20 years' service.

### 6. Past vs Present Games

These games were played on the afternoon of Sunday 3 March at the ACJC. 11 games were played. The Old Boys won in Badminton, Squash, Basketball, Table Tennis, Hockey, Tennis, Chess, Rugby, Netball and Volleyball. The teams drew in Soccer.

The Old Boys also participated in special events at the Annual Sports and Swimming Meets of the Secondary School and the Junior College. The past vs present Water-polo match was also played at the end of the ACSS Swimming Meet.

### 7. Awards

Congratulations to the recipients of these awards:

#### a. National Day Awards

The Order of Temasek (First Class) to  
Dr Goh Keng Swee,

Public Service Star to  
Mr Tan Hoay Gie  
Public Service Medal to  
Dr Liow Yew Chye  
Public Administration Medal (Silver) to  
Dr Ong Yong Yau  
Long Service Medal to  
Maj-Gen Winston Choo, Col Edward  
Yong, Mr Leong Chun Wei, Mr Koh  
Hock Boon, Mr Joseph Masillamoney  
& Mr Goh Chin Chye.

b. *The OBA Meritorious Medal (1984)*

Gold Medal to  
Miss Lim Li Ann, Mary  
Silver Medal to  
Master Chiam Heng Chin

#### 8. Oldham Hall

The ACS hostel at Barker Road began taking in students from the second half of 1985. A committee headed by Mr Tan Gee Paw manages the hostel. Mr W. Thomas has been appointed Master and Mrs Thomas, Matron, and they are assisted by 3 assistant wardens. A caterer has been appointed. In 1985 there were 15 hostelites; in January 86 there are 29. There is a proposal to take in local students.

#### 9. Teachers' Dedication

A Combined Teachers' Dedication Service was held at the beginning of 1986 for all the ACS & Jr. College staffs. The OBA sponsored the buffet which followed. Members of the Board and OBA were also present.

#### 10. Finance

The financial position is satisfactory as shown in the Statement of Accounts ending 31 December 1985.

#### 11. Membership

During the year 62 new members were accepted into the membership.

#### 12. T. W. Hinch Scholarship

Miss Pauline Tan of ACSS who is doing her B Sc at the University of Oregon, USA, should return this year. A second scholarship was awarded to Mr Amarjit Singh of ACJC to do his MA in Education.

#### 13. Lim Song Scholarship

2 scholarships are held by old boys doing Medicine at the National University of Singapore.

#### 14. Gift

A gift of \$3000 from the Welfare Fund was given to Mr Ang Cheng Kim, Vice-Principal of ACSS, who had an operation. He has now resumed duty.

#### 15. Centenary Celebration 1986

A committee of about 30 (including the members of the Management Committee) have had 10 meetings to plan for the centenary. The activities planned include a Fun Fair, a grand dinner on March 1, Project Clean Beach, Old Girls' Get-Together, Quadrangle Games with brother Malaysian Schools and a commemorative centennial book.

#### 16. Acknowledgement

The Committee acknowledge with thanks the kind hospitality of the President, Dr N. E. Wong, at all committee meetings.

Fong Seng Narp  
*Hon Secretary*  
16 January 1986

**SINGAPORE ANGLO-CHINESE SCHOOL  
OLD BOYS' ASSOCIATION  
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 31.12.85**

I have examined the above Balance Sheet and  
Income and Expenditure Account with the  
books and vouchers produced to me and found  
them in accordance therewith.

**ACCUMULATED FUNDS**

<b>General Fund:</b>	<b>S\$</b>	<b>S\$</b>
Balance as at 31.12.84	11707.59	
Add excess of Income over Expenditure	1038.30	\$12745.89

**QUEK KHYE KEE**  
*HON TREASURER*

**A H JINNAH**  
*HON AUDITOR*  
31 January 1986

**Welfare Fund:**

Balance as at 31.12.84	3303.72	
Less Subsidy to ACSS V.P.	3000.00	303.72

**T. W. Hinch Scholarship Fund:**

Balance as at 31.12.84	70411.80	
Add interest from Fixed Deposit	5768.20	
	76180.00	
Less Awards in 1985	4000.00	72180.00
		\$85229.61

**Represented by:**

<b>Cash</b>	<b>At Bank on Fixed Deposit</b>	<b>85000.00</b>	
	<b>At Bank on Current Account</b>	<b>219.03</b>	
	<b>In Hand</b>	<b>10.58</b>	<b>85229.61</b>

**Income and Expenditure Account for the year  
Ending December 31 1985**

**Income**

Members Subscriptions	\$ 3060.00	
Donations	3400.00	
Interest from Fixed Deposit	1196.80	7656.80

**Expenditure**

Postages and Stationeries	1219.30	
Games - Past vs Present	1198.20	
Computer Programme - Membership	250.00	
ACS Dedication Service	3000.00	
General Expenses	741.00	
Newsletter	210.00	6618.50
Excess of Income over Expenditure	\$ 1038.30	

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<i>Vice-President</i>	: Dr Chen Choon Kong Dr Albert Wee (R)
<i>Hon. Secretary</i>	: Mr Ong Ai Teik (R)
<i>Asst. Hon. Secretary</i>	: Mr Toh Shun Pun
<i>Hon. Treasurer</i>	: Dr Tan Thiam Yong
<i>Asst Hon. Treasurer</i>	: Mr Ong Siong Kai
<i>Committee Members:</i>	Mr Michael Hwang Mr Glenn Knight Mrs Jopie Ong (R) Dr Ivor Thevathasan Dr Yap Boh Seng Mr Timothy Chew (Co-opted)

(R) Re-elected

ACS celebrated its 100th year in grand style with its traditional Founder's Day Dinner at The Golden Phoenix at the World Trade Centre. Over 1000 guests gathered at the World Trade Centre for a truly memorable dinner-cum-concert.

Earlier in the day a Combined Founder's Day Parade was held at ACJC. At this parade the Centenary Run torch was lighted by Dr Tay Eng Soon and the honour of carrying the torch on the first leg was given to none other than Dr M. Jegathesan, our most famous Track Star and Olympian of the sixties. The island-wide Run covering our 4 Schools and some selected Methodist Churches raised \$105,998 for the Community Chest.

Other important events organized throughout the year to celebrate the Centenary were:-

Centennial Food and Fun Fair	15 February
Operation Clean Beach	22 February
Past v Present Games	23 February

To etch a permanent and lasting record a Commemorative Book *Hearts, Hopes and Aims* was published and released for sale on 1 March 1986. It is a collectors' item not to be missed by all true blooded ACSians. Copies are available at all leading book stores at \$20/- per copy.

The new OBA management got on to a hectic start with meetings held on a monthly basis.

The committee sub-divided itself into Finance, Secretariate, Sports Complex, Oldham Hall, Teachers-Welfare, Sports and ECA Awards & Scholarship, Strategic Planning, Human Resource Management and Property Development.

The 3 main areas viz Teacher-Welfare, Human Resource and Property Development were given priority attention. The Teachers-Welfare Committee maintained close liason with the staff to see what it could do for the staff. A start was made when the OBA Management Committee and the Board of Governors gave the teachers a Teachers' Day Dinner on Saturday 30 August at 7.30 p.m. at the Golden Phoenix, World Trade Centre. Altogether 600 teachers, Old Boys, parents and guests turned up to honour the teachers.

The new look ACSian is proving to be exciting reading material for Old Boys. The first two quarterly issues were very well received. It is our great ambition to bring Old Boys together in closer fellowship.

The Worship and Fellowship Committee also embarked on putting the Christian C back in ACS and the response has been tremendous as staff, parents and our great Methodist Institution ACS.

The Best is Yet To Be.