

## ANNUAL REPORT 1992 / 1993

At the 1992 Annual General Meeting the following posts were up for election:

President  
2nd Vice President  
Asst Secretary  
Treasurer  
Committee Members (3 vacancies)

The following were elected:

President : Mr Noris Ong  
2nd Vice President : Mr Victor Chia  
Asst Secretary : Mr Cecil Lim  
Treasurer : Mr Lim Jen Howe  
Committee : Dr Ivor Thevathasan  
Members : Mr John Koh  
                  Mr Chandra Mohan

At subsequent meetings of the Management Committee, Mr Vincent Chen, Mr John Chia and Mr David Wong were co-opted as Committee Members.

The ACSOBA Management Committee for 1992/93 is as follows:

President : Mr Noris Ong  
1st Vice President : Mr David C.H. Wong  
2nd Vice President : Mr Victor Chia  
Secretary : Mr Gerald Loong  
Asst Secretary : Mr Cecil Lim  
Treasurer : Mr Lim Jen Howe  
Asst Treasurer : Mr Alex Chan  
Committee : Dr Ivor Thevathasan  
Members : Mr How Lip Cheng  
                  Mr Timothy Chew  
                  Mr John Koh  
                  Mr Chandra Mohan  
                  Mr Vincent Chen  
                  LTC (Res) David C.F. Wong  
                  Mr John Chia

### Board of Governors and Board of Management

The Management Committee recommended the President, the 2nd Vice President, the Secretary, Treasurer and Asst Secretary for appointment to the Board of Governors. They were duly appointed. The President of the OBA was elected the Vice Chairman of the Board of Governors.

The following OBA were also appointed to the 4 ACS Schools' Boards of Management:

ACJC: Mr Gerald Loong — Vice Chairman  
          Mr Lim Jen Howe  
          Mr Timothy Chew  
          Mr Vincent Chen

ACS : Dr Ivor Thevathasan — Vice Chairman  
          Mr Low Wee Ping  
          Mr Ong Hock Chye  
          Mr John Lee

ACPS: Mr Noris Ong — Chairman  
          Mr Chandra Mohan  
          Ms Eng Hwee Cheng  
          Mr Cecil Lim

ACJS: Mr Victor Chia — Chairman  
          Mr How Lip Cheng  
          Mr John Koh  
          LTC (Res) David C.F. Wong

### Scholarship and Awards

The Chairman of this Sub-Committee is Dr Ivor Thevathasan. This Sub-Committee is responsible for administering the following awards:

T W Hinch Scholarship  
Lim Song Scholarship  
Wong Nang Eong Scholarship  
OBA Meritorious Medal

### **Sports and ECA**

The Chairman of this Sub-Committee is Mr How Lip Cheng. The Past v Present Games this year were held on 15 March. This year the Games were spread out over a few venues and was followed by dinner at ACJC. Mr Noris Ong was the guest-of-honour for the event. Altogether 12 games were played and the Past won 10 of these games, thereby retaining the Glenn Knight Challenge Shield.

The Past v Present Games for 1993 will be held on Sunday, 28 March.

A series of friendly matches with the OBA has been planned for this year which will take place on Sunday, 15 November. It is hoped that this will become an annual event in the OBA calendar.

An inter-year Golf Tournament was organised for the first time this year by the OBA. The competition was held on 29 July at the Singapore Island Country Club. This year's competition was won by the class of 1965.

### **Founder's Day Dinner**

Mr John Chia was the Chairman of the Sub-Committee which organised the 1992 Founder's Day Dinner. The year's dinner was held at the Shangri La Hotel and about 900 Old Boys and friends attended the function. The guest-of-honour for the dinner was Bishop Ho Chee Sin.

### **Membership**

The Chairman of the Membership Sub-Committee is Mr Gerald Loong. This Sub-Committee is responsible for verifying particulars of applicants before they are elected as members of the OBA. Membership of the OBA is steadily increasing as more Old Boys apply for membership.

### **Car Rally**

Another event organised for the first time was a Car Rally cum Treasure Hunt called the ACSIAN GREEN HUNT. This event was held on Sunday, 17 November 1991 and was flagged off at ACJC by Mr Lew Syn Pau. The Chairman of the Sub-Committee which organised the event was Dr Ivor Thevathasan and after the success of last year's event, another rally is being planned this year and

if there is sufficient support, this year's rally may see Old Boys and friends driving up the roads of West Malaysia.

### **Walkathon**

The OBA organised a Walkathon on 1 March. This was a Mass Walk from ACJS to Barker Road and then onto Dover Road. About 5,000 students, teachers, parents and Old Boys participated in this event. Dr Tay Eng Soon flagged off the walkers at both ACJS and Barker Road. Some \$200,000 was raised by the four schools from this event. The Chairman of the Sub-Committee which organised this event was Mr How Lip Cheng.

### **ACSIAN**

Mr Chandra Mohan is the editor of the ACSIAN. The magazine is aimed at informing the Old Boys of the various activities organised for them as well some of the more important happenings within the schools. The present target is to circulate the magazine quarterly and to use it as a means of obtaining feedback from the members.

### **Fund Raising**

Raising funds for the schools remains an important objective of the OBA. Funds are still required for the independent school as well as by ACPS which will be relocating from its present premises at Coleman Street to Barker Road.

### **Future Plans**

There are plans this year to compile a directory of OBA members. It is hoped that this will promote greater interaction amongst the members and encourage more Old Boys to join the OBA. A permanent secretariat is also being planned which will serve as a point of reference for all OBA matters. A series of lunch time talks is being planned later this year. This will provide members with an opportunity to meet on a regular basis. There are also plans to issue an OBA Affinity Card which will double up as a membership as well as a discount card.

**Mr Chandra Mohan**  
Committee Member  
(ACSOBA)

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