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WACOBU newsletter

Wagga Agricultural College Old Boys Union
September 2003

Reunion Weekend - Saturday 18 October 2003
WACOBU - AGM - 11am in the MTC Meeting Rooms
followed by Ag College Race Day at 12pm



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PRESIDENTS REPORT August 2002

Thanks everyone for your correspondence. About half of all the graduates from 1959 to present have made some form of contact in their life - which only confirms our belief and delight that the WAC aggies are the strongest alumni group.

Thanks to Ron Cullen, who picked up on my error in the last newsletter as to when the first females started. Ron goes on to say "the first females came to campus in 1972, with 6 female first year aggie students and a further (approx) 18 female "chalkie" boarders.

These women were accommodated in the middle block of the three new dormitory blocks built in 1970 and 71 to the south of Eastern Block. To protect their sensitivities (or those of the College Administration) the urinals were boarded up and shower curtains put in. Given everything else these students were subjected to (sometimes with their permission, sometimes without) I suspect urinals and shower curtains were the least of their concerns.

'Sheepo' (Michelle Hird I think) - one of the six - recently came to public attention in the Sydney Morning Herald when her daughter became one of the first females to join St Pauls (?) College at Sydney University. So history repeats itself."

Thanks Ron, administration must not of been that concerned since there were no shower curtains in B Block when I arrived in 1977!

AG RACE DAY 2003

That Time of the year has come around again, the spring race carnival has started, Ag Race Day is on the horizon and plans are underway for another great day.

Last year we smashed the record again with over 900 people enjoying the new facilities in the public and champagne bars and those of you who have been before certainly appreciated the step up in facilities. This allowed us better facilities to keep up the food, beer and wine for the lads and ladies.

This year, being a rugby world cup year and the Race Day falling on Australia V Romania 4pm we will be screening this on numerous TV screens as well as providing all the usual Race Day lunch, drinks, atmosphere and excitement. Everything is in place and all we need is this lovely spring weather to continue and we are in for a great day at the track.

We are pleased to announce we have sourced major sponsorship from The Bridge Tavern to where we will be transporting racegoers after the event. Worn Out West is sponsoring the Fashions on the Field and last years Ag Cup winner "Lets Jive" will be making another appearance.

Sunday will see a recovery BBQ and drinks starting at 11am at the Muddy Duck who is another sponsor this year. The committee has continued with the second tier of tickets for partners who do not wish to have drinks included in their ticket price. These tickets will be exclusively for WACOBU members and family and will allow for entry to the racecourse, lunch and access to the Champagne Bar. The Motts and Grotts have realised that once you leave uni not everyone wants to drink to the point of no return at Race Day.

So round up all those people who you have not seen in years and we hope to see you all at the MTC on Caulfield Cup Day for the 16th running of the Ag Cup 2003.

Prices will be \$40 per ticket (prepaid) and \$50 (at the gate), entry and lunch ticket \$25 and all these can be purchased online at www.rivcoll.com.au or by sending a cheque to Rivcoll Union, PO Box 5313, Wagga Wagga, NSW, 2650. Tickets can also be pre-purchased from the Rivcoll Shop up until Friday 17th October. Bridge Tavern between 10am - 11am 18th October only. Or at the gate from 12pm on Race Day.

Congratulations

Many of you would know Rachel George married to David "Pig" Stephens. Rachel has worked at Rivcoll for many years and is actively involved with the Ag College activities and Pig has played and coached in the Ag Rugby teams. They are now the **very** proud parents of Georgie Patricia who arrived on the 25 August 2003.

AG COLLEGE RUGBY 2003

2003 saw a less than illustrious season for Ag Rugby, with all three grades finishing on the bottom of their respective ladders in the Southern division of the Southern Inland Rugby Union competition. They did fair better in their crossover games against the Northern sides, having good wins against Temora and West Wyalong.

A lack of size (apart from WAC old boy, Daniel "Boof" Charters) saw all three grades playing against bigger forward packs. So, if you know of any big forwards, that would like to go to Ag college in 2004, I am sure next years coaching staff would be more than happy to see them.

Coaching staff for 2003 included Marty Hogan (1stXV), who some may remember playing for Wagga City a few years back, Mick Friend (2ndXV) also a former Wagga City player and current lecturer at the Uni and Warwick Nightingale (Squid), an old boy, who looked after the Thirsty thirds, with some help from Ross Henley (Rooster).

A number of more recent old boys also played for the club during 2003, including Boof, Schwabs, Stook, Enus, Ofu, Dog Guts and Harry to name a few. Apologies to those I missed.

WAC REUNION 1950-52



1950-52 Reunion

Standing:- (left to right) Lex Woods, Ian Simos, Bill Gunther, Peter Davis, Derek Hill (1953), Rowan Lang, Athol Wild, Gordon Mitchell, Barrie Clarke, Jim Kemp, Tony Stannard.

Front:- Jim Best (1951), Harry Matthews (Dairy Officer), Rodger Watson, Jim Watson, John England.

On the weekend of 14th September 2002, a 50 year reunion was held for those who attended Wagga Agricultural College during the years 1950-1952. Although Wagga was naturally the sentimental choice of locations, Tamworth was chosen as the most suitable central point for all those attending. The reunion was held at one of the function rooms of the Country Comfort Motel on the Saturday evening and all of the following Sunday at the home of Rowan & Jean Lang in Tamworth.

Those in attendance including wives were:-

Jim Best (1951)
Barrie & Di Clarke
Peter & June Davis
John England
Bill Gunther
Derek & Pat Hill (1953)
Jim & Janet Kemp
Rowan & Jean Lang
Harry & June Matthews
Gordon & Janette Mitchell
Ian & Judith Simos
Tony & Meg Stannard
Jim & Sylvia Watson
Rodger & Lois Watson
Athol & Trish Wild
Lex & Alison Woods

Apologies were received from Bob & Helen Gordon, Steve Fenton, John & June Bowen (1951). Kevin Tombin had passed away in 2001.

Thanks to Barrie Clarke for turning the idea of a 50th reunion into reality & to Tony Stannard & Rowan Lang (both of Tamworth) for organising the event. Sincere appreciation to Rowan & Jean Lang who had open house all day on the Sunday & provided everyone with great food & hospitality.

A wonderful time was had by all as everyone gave a short recitation of their life since College days with plenty of yearning & reminiscing. All agreed 50 years had done nothing to dim the great mateship that we all had developed at College in those years, and we all left feeling the reunion had been an absolutely wonderful success.

By Jim Watson.

(Unfortunately Jim Best has passed away since this reunion - please read his obituary on the following page)

OBITUARY

TRIBUTE TO JIM (BLOSSOM) BEST FROM THE 1949 GROUP OF THE WAGGA AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

In February 1949 a group of young men caught the Riverina Express from Sydney Central bound for Wagga Wagga. The group of 32 were to be the first intake for the newly formed Wagga Agricultural College. Amongst the group were 12 ex servicemen from World War II to be retrained under a Government Repatriation Scheme. The balance were a group of enthusiastic students ranging in ages from 16 to 19 years, one of whom was Jim Best.

As this was the first year of W.A.C. conditions were primitive and the old Government experiment farm was unprepared for such a dramatic change. This was still the horse era, the change to tractors having been delayed by the war effort, motor cars were pre war vintage. The College mail was even collected from Bomen railway station in a pony and sulky.

The boys quickly settled into their new environment and adapted to the challenge of developing their agricultural skills. As the college was six miles from the city of Wagga, and the nearest girls, transport was a premium! Most of the students had bicycles but several of the ex servicemen had cars and were relied on heavily for a ride to the local dances as well as into town.

Despite the age variation from 16 of 37 years, the group blended in and bonded very quickly. Little did we realise that this bonding would develop into life long friendships.

Jim (Blossom) brought his nickname with him along with an elbow/shoulder injury that was to restrict his footballing career. He was an outstanding athlete and was involved in every sporting activity that the college undertook which included rugby, cricket, rifle shooting, athletics, etc. When 'Blossom' found he couldn't play rugby due to his injuries he took up refereeing and was very successful regularly handling the matches in the Wagga competition.

Jim was extremely popular both with the students and staff. He had a very easy going, happy nature, and enjoyed every day of his college life. Jim passed all his exams and graduated in 1951 with the Wagga Diploma in Agriculture. It was a proud moment for him when in 1952 he returned to the college and was presented with his Diploma by the Minister for Agriculture.

Many of the 1949 year enjoyed the hospitality of the Best family home at Carlton where there was always a bed available when they were passing through Sydney. The other attraction for staying at the Best household was Jim's good looking sisters.

Finally, the three wonderful years at college were over and each of us commenced our journey into the future. Career, family and responsibility quickly became a fact of life. The daily contact with each other was replaced with our youthful enthusiastic approach to the challenges ahead, however our memories and friendships would last a life time.

Jim was extremely popular with the students in the two years following the 49ers. As recent as September last year he attended the 50th reunion of the 1952 group held at Tamworth. He was warmly received and had a wonderful time. As he caught the train to return home there were tears in his eyes; maybe he knew time was running out.

It is ironic that somewhere in the mail is an invitation to Jim to attend the next 49ers reunion to be held at Bowral in September this year.

Of the original 32 students 21 are still with us and are in regular contact. Each of them is aware of Jim's passing and I know each will pause at 12 noon today to say goodbye to our special mate.

God bless you 'Blossom'; may your soul rest in peace. THE W.A.C. 49ers.



WAC REUNION 1971-1973



1971-1973 Reunion

Standing:- (left to right) John McClure, Michael Bateman, John Burbidge, Clive Sefton, Don Burbidge, Phil Hawes, Graeme Worboys, Malcolm (Doc) Ward, John McGrath, Chris McGee

Front:- Allan McGufficke, Phil Stomou, Peter Sutton, Graham Nichol, Geoff Spence, Ivan Denyer, Steve Cressey.

17 ex-students and their partners helped Michael Bateman and Phil Stomou celebrate their 50th's at a very cool Canberra on the long weekend in June 2002.

Thanks to Michael for his organization and to the WAC Old Boys and their spouses for making the effort to attend a great function.

Most people were easily recognised, although 29 years has seen some physical changes in people and one or two had to re-introduce themselves. Once that was out of the way, there was plenty to catch up on over the odd ale or two.

There were farmers and graziers, government field officers, Ag. Chem reps, tree surgeons, timber merchants, ag teachers, college and TAFE lecturers, stipendiary stewards, ex-rural counsellors and wholesale chicken processors and distributors.

There was a photo display which did bring back the memories of our years at WAC. Everyone agreed we

had a great time at the college. There was plenty of discussion on the funny and serious side of college life. From famous football victories to food fights, from mots to the introduction of grots, from raids on the chalkies to pub crawls, from kegs by the river to making potent home brews, from lecturers to field trips and dreaded exams, from past college mates to the current times.

One thing was evident. We were all good mates at college. No-one could remember any real blues between us. Infact quite a few people have stayed in close contact over the years and remain good mates. This friendship that has remained over 30 years is testimony to the value of an education at Wagga Ag. College.

We were all saddened to hear of the passing of Don Joyes-who was a real friend and mentor to all students and pleased to hear Jim Pratley is still on the scene. It's always great to catch up with your mates and this get together was both rewarding and most enjoyable. The Old Boys are already planning another get together in the near future.

NEWS OF OLD BOYS

Maria Cameron

Email:- springhills@merriwa.com

A quick note from Maria Cameron (Wheeler) or "Rake", 1986-88, to let you know I'm not missing in action - just residing well north at "Spring Hills", Merriwa, on top of the Liverpool Range in the Upper Hunter. We do live way up in the hills but I didn't realise I was keeping that low a profile since leaving Wagga. Anyone (?) reading the Land may have noticed I was a journalist there for a few years, before marrying David Cameron, buying this place, and somewhere along the way having three beautiful daughters and a son (9,6,3 AND 2).

Although currently in the midst of drought, we normally run beef cattle, wool cutters and mill timber, in what should be high rainfall range country. Between the farm, pony club, David's campdrafts and polocrosse, kids' social lives, there's not much time for anything else.

I've run into a few old boys who have turned up in the area as company reps and occasionally chat to Wayne Golland (Donkey), Catherine Hamilton ('Gasm) and Donna Parker (Holden). Even saw a mott at our local Anzac day ceremony who happened to be wearing a shirt with "Ego yah" across the back - he had just finished at Wagga and I think was wondering how the hell a 30+year old mother of four recognised the WACers war cry.

Graeme Hockey (1964)

Advises that Richard Gill is on a property "China Walls" at Tooma, NSW, and has had a visit from Neil Warner (1964) from Corlette. Bill Gornall (1964) from Maleny visited a while back while on R & R-lean and mean and about to return to work with the Qld Ambulance Service after a bout with throat cancer.

Graeme is a self funded retiree courtesy of the Commonwealth Super Scheme following retirement from the NT Government's Land, Planning and Environment areas and a stint with the NT Police Juvenile Division in Aboriginal Communities after almost 25 years and reaching 55.

Had a month in retirement before "she who must be obeyed" decided that going fishing and such while "swambo" went off to work daily was not on. Considered commencing with a tour group taking troop carrier loads of female Swedish backpackers camping in Kakadu, but instead, after some intense listening, opted for a new career as a sales consultant (rep actually) for an ag outlet in Darwin and, at present, a 1000km plus radius.

Retired from rugby at the end of last season but still into the Golden oldies side of it with all that goes with regular festivals at home and overseas.

Philip Doyle (1954)

700 Upper Orara Rd, Upper Orara, NSW, 2450.

Living tough life in the Hinterland of Coffs Harbour, still endeared to beef cattle, staying in front by cell grazing and composite cattle breeding. Anyone like a bull? Seeing demise of agriculture generally on the North Coast. Imbalance city/country hard to take. I remember Don Joyes and his help very clearly.

Brian Carter (1958-60)

12 Jasmine Gardens, Jerrabomberra, NSW, 2619.

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It is good to get the newsletter. Thankyou for the account of Don Joyes - Iremember him and his care of us well with gratitude and affection.

I am currently Rural Ministry Consultant with Anglican churches in rural Australia; and sponsored by the Bush Church Aid Society.

Lloyd Dunlop

Email:- Lloyd.Dunlop@dpi.qld.gov.au

Have just clicked over 15 years at Goondiwindi and looking forward to retirement. Am in contact with Frank Hawkes, former WAC Orchard lecturer, and now missionary with APCM Fiji, who is learning Hindi; Peter Hicks '67 Toowoomba who sells Nu Steel Homes, and Paul Gardoll with 'Castor and Assoc', Agronomist.

Robyn O'Leary (1983)

Went to Finlay in 1987, married science teacher Michael in 1990 and now have 2 girls and 2 boys (9, 6 and twin 4 yr old). Currently working 3 days/week teaching Yr 11 Primary Industries, Yr 9 & 10 Ag and Yr 8 Design & Technology. Had good success at Royal Melbourne last year with school steers and hoping to do well this year.

Ron Hardy (1977)

Farming at Sutton and carting livestock in the local area. Married Robyn from Malanda in 1990 and have stepson, Grant. Stayed in RPA 1998 when Robyn had a liver transplant - I was one very worried husband. All fine now, but would urge everyone to sign donor cards. Ran into Col Karlson at LTA NSW conference in Mudgee in Feb this year.

Len Lloyd (1959)

Married Pam with 3 adult children, Gavin, David and Angela. Started on the family farm at Coolamon, before joining the Commonwealth Development Bank in 1967. Spent 5 years in Moree before moving to Sydney. Was the Chief Manager, Property Division of the Advance Bank from 1987 to 1996 when St George took over Advance. From 2000 have been a Property Consultant mainly to Abacus Funds Management on property development projects-all in all an interesting and rewarding career.

NEWS OF OLD BOYS

Stephen Dunn (1968)

Currently in Dili, East Temor working in MAF Livestock Division.

David Austin (1951)

Is still the editor of "Small Farms" magazine and moved from New Berrima to Callala Bay near Nowra in March. Caught up with Bob Liebmann (1951) last year and seeing "The Von" (Peter von Drehnem (1951) this year. David remembers Don Joyes as a great bloke- we were his "laddies".

Paul Cocking (1987)

Managing Director of Riverina Wool Testers Pty with 25 staff and over 3000 clients. The company services wool growers in every state and recently started on farm testing "Dial a Micron". Is a current board member of the Murrumbidgee Turf Club and the Riverina Regional Development Board. Also has a mixed farm at Mangoplah.

Jason McClintock (1995) ("Tick")

Works at AgnVet Services in West Wyalong, and sharefarms with parents on family farm at Tallimba.

Andrew Dowd (1990)

Farming at Gooloogong.

Norman Sewell (1966)

Currently on leave from DLWC and working on the Tasmanian Natural Gas Pipeline project as Senior Environmental Inspector for Duke Energy International. Paul Muddle(1965) – retired on the shores of Lake Macquarie at Dora Creek.

Terry Cracknell (1968)

Resigned from the Commonwealth Bank, now with PIBA in Tamworth as Rural Manager. Martin Keir is in Tamworth, with the Commonwealth.

David Sloane (1960)

Working part time as a 'locum' in Uniting Church parishes in the Riverina and northern Victoria districts which don't have minister. The rest of my time is spent doing landcare care on the family property at Savernake, near Berrigan.

Christopher Leckie (1974-76)

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Living in Newcastle with wife Anne & 2 daughters. Working with Victorian Chemical Company as Sales Executive for NSW & QLD. VCC develop & sell Oleo chemicals into ag & industrial markets - our biochem lecturer "Smoothie" would be pleased to know that after 20 years I am now in a company using some of that organic chemistry that he taught us.

ARE YOU or YOUR FRIENDS MISSING in ACTION ?

Please contact us so we can update our database

Ian	Simos	1952	Timothy	Sneyd	1980	Ronald	Matson	1992
Thomas	Dalton	1954	Trong-Hieu	Nguyen	1980	Toni	Stockhausen	1992
A	Jones	1957	Brian	Welsh	1981	James	Pennington	1993
Phillip	Walden	1959	Hugh	Paton	1981	John	Sullivan	1993
G	Crawford	1961	Francis	Starr	1981	Warwick	Lawrence	1993
John	Stewart	1961	John	Darling	1981	Andrew	McNeill	1994
D	Harber	1962	John	O'Connor	1981	Brent	Bourke	1994
William	Pippen	1963	Stephen	Brill	1981	David	Oakley	1994
John	Wallace	1965	William	Kent	1982	Jane	Caldicott	1994
B	Hungerford	1966	Christopher	Wetherall	1983	Noelene	Johnson	1994
B	Cunnington	1966	Hugh	Mayo	1983	Cameron	Corke	1995
Bruce	Rennard	1966	Kent	Rogers	1983	Christopher	Rogers	1995
Richard	Kobelke	1966	Martin	McGee	1983	Deborah	Irvin	1995
S	Weekes	1966	Graham	Matthews	1984	James	Mortensen	1995
D	Weissel	1968	Matthew	Campbell	1984	John	Pearson	1995
P	McNally	1968	Wayne	Stott	1984	Katrina	Goodman	1995
A	Sargent	1969	Anthony	Snaih	1985	Andrew	Taylor	1996
Alan	Pearce	1969	Gary	O'Neill	1985	Anna	Sharman	1996
Grahame	Salvestrin	1969	Donald	Knight	1986	Catherine	Murphy	1996
Phil	Asimus	1969	Ian	Fisher	1986	Denis	McGee	1996
David	Alexander	1970	Nadene	Brewer	1986	Helen	Smyth	1996
Ian	McMillan	1971	Peter	Lane	1986	Karen	Walker	1996
Warwick	Palframan	1971	Scott	Boothey	1986	Reginald	King	1996
Eric	Miller	1972	Frazier	Slack-Smith	1987	Glenn	Campbell	1998
Christopher	McGee	1974	Julie	Critchley	1987	H	Chicken	
Peter	Raward	1974	Phillip	Sheridan	1987	Ian	Barrell	
Noel	Kesby	1975	David	Ashworth	1988	Justyn	Baker	
Anthony	Keech	1975	Paul	Gardoll	1988	Mark	Hoult	
Belinda	Pellow	1976	Suzanne	Walsh	1988	Peter	Meir	
Colin	Plater	1976	Yin	Lai	1989	Robert	Lamont	
Norman	Clarke	1976	Mark	Clark	1991	Simon	Keall	
Martin	Klein	1977	Garry	Ford	1992	Toni	Graham	
Susan	Brown	1977	Gary	Duke	1992	Brett	Weingarth	
Brendan	Guerin	1978	Richard	Eisenkoeck	1992			
Peter	Scudamore-Smith	1980	Ronald	Angel	1992			

TREVOR FOSDYKE REVEALED!

Yes, it appears the elusive Trevor Fosdyke has revealed himself.

The origins of an anonymous marriage proposal displayed on the Murrumbidgee River remains shrouded in mystery. A large sign was put on an island in the middle of the Murrumbidgee River near the Gobbabombalin Bridge this week. "I love U Kate. Will you marry me?" the sign said.

After making an appeal on yesterday's front page for information about the identity of the couple involved, The Daily Advertiser received calls from various people claiming to know at least three lucky women named Kate for whom the proposal was intended. However, only one man was committed enough to his young sweetheart to disclose his apparent identity.

After years of innuendo, supposition and more sightings than Elvis, Mr Fosdyke has finally been photographed. While allegedly now aged in his sixties - he has been appearing on Riverina Ag College team sheets for years - Foz looks remarkably young for his years and yesterday stated he was 22.

He claims Kate Berry is the love of his life, but she has not yet accepted the romantic offer. Mr Fosdyke said she had chosen to stay away from the media spotlight.

The hopeful agricultural science student at Charles Sturt University has been waiting eagerly by the telephone in his swish Darlow Street residence - a love nest any young woman would be foolish to reject. Mr Fosdyke said he was not put off by his sweetheart's indecision, claiming her "wait and see" answer was better than a straight "no".

But if she did eventually say "yes", Mr Fosdyke said there would definitely be no marriage until after the football season.



**Trevor waiting
by the phone**

(Story courtesy of The Daily Advertiser)

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11am in the MTC Meeting Rooms followed by:-**

AG RACE DAY 2003

Saturday 18 October 2003

at Murrumbidgee Turf Club, Wagga Wagga

Major sponsor - The Bridge Tavern, Fitzmaurice Street

Tickets

(includes entry to course, beer, wine & lunch)

Pre-paid \$40 at the Rivcoll Shop now - until Friday 17th October or

The Bridge Tavern between 10-11am on the Saturday

or \$50 at the gate from 12pm or

entry & lunch only tickets are \$25

all tickets can be purchased on line at www.rivcoll.com.au

or you can send a cheque to Rivcoll Union, PO Box 5313, Wagga Wagga NSW 2650.

Sunday Recovery

Brunch at The Duck 10-11am

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R Bowen	Lex Govaars
F Butler	John Grellman



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Ross Shepherd	Jason McClintock
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Keith Harris	Simon McFarlane
R Gill	Michael Watt
Alan Anderson	John Walker
Scott Vaessen	Colin Brett
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Ray Cox	Robyn O'Leary
M Eisenhower	John Roberson
R Gault	Lionel Doran
Mike O'Hare	David Sloane
Norm Sewell	Terry Cracknell
Neil Heriot	Andrew Dowd
Andrew Kerry	David Barrow
Ron Umbers	Graeme Parr
Bill Cowell	Alex Calabria
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URGENT PLEASE DONATE

WACOBU Cottage is an accommodation building for agricultural post-graduate students jointly funded by Charles Sturt University - Riverina, and the Wagga Agricultural College Old Boys Union (WACOBU). The WACOBU committee is aiming to sell 1,000 bricks as part of our contribution towards the building.

Follow the WACOBU members listed above, and donate a brick or two for WACOBU Cottage.

ONLY \$25.00 per brick.

We have **1700** members. A "brick" donation will make a significant contribution to the WACOBU Cottage Project.

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Name (IN FULL).....Date of birth.....
 Address.....
Postcode.....
 Years at College (From).....(to).....

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 Address.....
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Personal notes.....

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