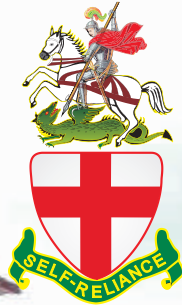


OLD GEORGIAN ASSOCIATION

(Constituents : Past Students of Laidlaw Memorial School, Ketti)
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Reunion 2008 11, 12 & 13 JULY

Dear Georgians,

The 420+ Old Georgians who attended Reunion 2007 last year in the old valley will need no reminding of the excitement and nostalgia they experienced! We must surely have created a world record for the number of Georgian hugs shared as old friends met again, in some cases after 40+ years! It was unforgettable indeed! Well, Reunion 2008 is around the corner and the Old Georgian Association has the honour of inviting you to attend Reunion 2008 while promising you lots of fun, friends, food, fellowship and fotos in Ketti this July. See you there!

It's back to the Valley again !

*We look forward to welcoming you back to
Ketti Valley and back to your roots !*



General Information

Who should attend?

All Old Georgians are invited to attend and are encouraged to bring their immediate family (spouse and children). Children (below 12 years of age) of Georgian's are exempt from paying registration and other charges. Please avoid bringing non-Georgian guests to the reunion. Parents of Present Georgians are invited to attend the OGA Fete on Sunday.

Registration

Georgians planning to attend Reunion 2008 are encouraged to pre-register online at www.oldgeorgians.com (payment to be sent by post) those not inclined to register online may do so by filling out the attached registration form and send in the same with payment to the following address:

Reunion 2008 Secretariat
c/o Alumni Relations Officer
Laidlaw Memorial School and Junior College
Ketti PO, Nilgiris, Tamilnadu, 643215

Please note that those choosing to register at site i.e. in school will be paying a [higher registration fee](#) than those pre-registering and paying, see registration form for details.

ACCOMMODATION:

Georgians requiring accommodation in Ooty/Coonoor or at Camp Tinker will need to indicate their requirement before 10th June 2008 to the President, OGA via email at sailendra.bhaskar@gmail.com or by post at the following address: Sailendra Bhaskar, 15 Sun n Sand, 25 Fourth Seaward Road, Chennai, India 600041. While every attempt will be made to provide accommodation to those who request for the same, please be aware that it may not always be possible to arrange accommodation as requested.

Those Georgians who would like to stay in School can write directly to the Principal, Mr.W.R.Gardner, and subject to availability, will be granted the same. Please do write well in advance.

Attire

Please be attired in semi-formal attire for the Annual General Body meeting. For all other events please feel free to be attired in casuals.

Local Transport

Those requiring local transport to and from the School may please contact Sailendra Bhaskar by phone on +919940340017.

Sports and Games

The OGA encourages all Old Georgians to participate in all the Past vs Present student events scheduled for the Reunion 2008. Please indicate at the time of Registration or collection of name tags, what games/events you would like to participate in.

Video and Photo coverage

The official photographer of the OGA will cover the entire Reunion 2008 proceedings and photos and Video CDs of the events can be obtained from the OGA free of cost if a formal request for photos/Video CDs is made at the Registration desk.

Questions

Contact any of the following office bearers or the School Alumni Relations Officer if you have any questions, concerns or special needs

Sailendra Bhaskar	+9199940340017 - Chennai
Pravin Pujara	+919843072195 - Coimbatore
Paul Chater	+919840430696 - Chennai
Sattar Sair (FETE)	+ 919840187529 - Chennai
Hema Wheatley	+91-423-2517778 - Ketti
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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

The Program Schedule is tentative and is subject to alteration, however, such change will be intimated on the School Notice Board.



Schedule of events

Friday 11th July 2008

0930hrs onwards: Registration and Roll Call by Registration Officers at the Fork road on the school campus. After 1200hrs registration will continue at the School office where Alumni Relations Officer, Mrs Hema Wheatley will be in-charge of registration.

1315hrs: Welcome by Mr WR Gardner at the OGA Stadium.

Invocation by Mr Norman Wood, Chairman of the Board of Management of St. Georges Homes

Inauguration of Reunion 2008 by Mr Peter Sommer, Old Georgian from Berlin, Germany

Singing of the School Hymn to the accompaniment of the School Band, to be followed by inaugural fireworks and release of balloons by Sr. Peggy Ricketts.

Exchange of Flags between Past students and Present Students

1330hrs: Lunch for all Registered Ogs at the Dining Hall

1430hrs: Annual General Body Meeting at the Breeden Hall - Dress Code Formal

1630hrs: Group Photo Breeden Hall lawns followed by Tea at the same venue

1645hrs: Treasure Hunt for Juniors at Cross Roads T Kalayappan and Rajeev. Games and Entertainment for Smith house by Mrs Rajeev and Mrs Kalayappan.

1700 - 1830hrs: Past vs. Present Students Football match at the OGA Pitch

1900hrs: Fireworks at School Flat sponsored by AMSG Ashokan and Bhageerathan

1930hrs onwards: Informal OG meet and greet at Breeden Hall dinner will be served outside Breeden Hall on the lawns from 2030hrs

Saturday 12th July 2008

0830hrs: Breakfast for Registered Ogs at Dining Hall

1000hrs: OGA Quiz - Past vs. Present Students at Breeden Hall - Sailendra Bhaskar will conduct the Quiz

1000 - 1300hrs - Past vs. Present students Cricket match at the Hesketh Pitch

12noon - 1400hrs - Past vs. Present Basketball at the OGA Stadium

1400hrs: Lunch at Dining Hall

1500 - 1600hrs: Tambola for Present Students Sattar Sait will conduct the Tambola

1500 - 1800hrs: DeRozio Award Felicitation Function at the OGA Stadium

2100hrs: OGA Banquet and Ball at Glenview, UPASI, Upper Coonor (see map overleaf). Charge d'affaires Sr. Peggy Ricketts and Mr Christopher Hawkes.

2130hrs: Social with the 'Bandwagon' playing Live Music conducted by Mr WR Gardner.

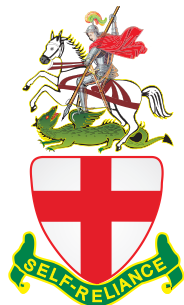
Sunday 13th July 2008

0830hrs: Breakfast for OGs at Dining Hall

0930hrs: Chapel Service for OGs at the School Chapel

1030 -1400hrs: FETE at School Flat - organized and conducted by Sattar Sait and Pravin Pujara

1400hrs: Prize Distribution by Jennifer Grubb at School Flat. Followed by the presentation of the NRK Trophy to winners of the Past vs. Present games by Mr N R Krishnamurthy Raja, Charter President, OGA. Valedictory by Mr. Peter Sommer, Old Georgian from Berlin, Germany



Old Georgian Association REUNION 2008

REGISTRATION FORM

KETTI - 11th, 12th & 13th July 2008

(Please write in block letters)



Name : _____ Nickname/Maiden Name : _____

Date of Birth Present Occupation : _____
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Sex M F Marital Status : Single / Married Anniversary Date
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Permanent Address : _____

City _____ State _____ PIN _____ Country _____

Telephone Office : _____ Home : _____ Mobile : _____
email id : _____

Years of Study : From to Classes studied : From _____ std. to _____ std.

House represented: COCKBURN / HAMILTON / LAIDLAW / PLUMMER / OAKSHOTT / LEWIS / BLACKBURN / PRESTON

Membership : Life Annual

Name of Spouse : _____ Names of Children : 1 _____
2 _____
3 _____

Georgians choosing to Pre-Register will be required to pay a registration charge of only Rs.300 for Georgians (Rs.200 for Life Members, Spouse and Children above 12 yrs). These charges are applicable for all those registering before 10th July 2008 (At-site registration will be Rs.400 per head). No Registration or Banquet charges are leviable for children of Georgians, who are below 12 yrs. (Outstation cheques Rs.50 extra). Drafts / Cheques to be in the name of OLD GEORGIAN ASSOCIATION and posted to The Reunion Secretariat at KETTI. It is recommended that Georgians who have pre-registered carry proof of their payments when they arrive for registration.

Registration (Georgians)	Rs. 300.00	X	_____	=
Registration (LM, Spouse & children)	Rs. 200.00	X	_____	=
Banquet	Rs. 300.00	X	_____	=
Reunion T-Shirt M__+L__+XL__+XXL__	Rs. 250.00	X	_____	=
(Specify size and number in each size)				
TOTAL				= <input type="text"/>

Sorry, I wont be able to attend the Reunion, but I am sending the Form duly filled for updating the alumni records.

Date :

Signature

FOR OFFICE USE

Receipt No & Date.....

Entered in the A/c Book on

Registration Badge & Banquet Card Despatched / Issued on.....