Website Hints and Tips September 2024

Welcome to the new OKA Website. This document attempts to describe the features of the site and how best to navigate the various selection options you are presented with.

Home Page

This is the page you are directed to when you use

http://www.oldkingstonianshull.org.uk

in your browser. There are many browsers for websites, for example, Internet Explorer, Edge, Firefox, Safari, Chrome and Opera. All these should work well with this website. You can access the site using an Apple/Windows PCs/Laptops, Tablets and Smartphones

The website is navigated using the main menu bar below

A Home Who Are We? News Calendar Notable Alumni Join Us Donate Contact Us Memories Souvenir Shop

The main menu bar selections are, hopefully, self-explanatory so please see what is behind each one. Several have dropdown menus.

There are other links (coloured maroon) in the body of the introductory text and also some hidden links, for example, the logos at the bottom of the page link to other websites, i.e. Jupiter Web Solutions, Sirius Academy and Carnegie Heritage Centre.

Immediately below the introductory text are links to the Photo and Memorabilia galleries as well as further down the page. Below the first gallery, there are 3 panels News, Photo Gallery and Memorabilia and Memory Lane. The panels can be opened by clicking on the headings above the text. However, the Memory Lane panel is password-protected and restricted to Members only. The password you have been previously sent allows access.

On the right-hand side of the page, there are various quick links available.

As a general navigation principle once on the website, if you want to go back a page, either a 'BACK' button is provided or if not, clicking on the left pointing arrow in the top left corner of your browser will achieve the same result.

Finally, it is important to note the Eye symbol in the top right-hand corner of the screen. The dropdown menu allows adjustments to be made to fonts, colours and the underlining/highlighting of links.

The Menu Bar

Who Are We?

You will find a dropdown menu containing 7 items. About Us and People gives you how the OKA is run and by whom. History relates to the schools back to 1895 and is depicted by the Timeline illustration. The final 3 are for additional information.

News

Latest News concerning the New Website and Memorabilia Gallery, Face Tagging and Souvenir Shop with links for more detail.

Calendar

Forthcoming events and meetings.

Notable Alumni

The dropdown menu shows a few Notable Alumni. Select your favourite and read some interesting facts about them.

Join Us, Donate and Contact Us

These are forms for you to use to contact OKA. Hopefully, all the forms are selfexplanatory.

Memories

This tab has the following dropdown menu:-

Photo Gallery – For a description of the gallery and face tagging, go to the Photo Gallery page for the link above the Face Tagging Index and Search bar.

Memorabilia Gallery – For a description of the gallery, go to the Memorabilia Gallery page for the link above Latest Memorabilia Updates and Memorabilia Gallery Feedback bars.

Memory Lane Stories and Share Your Memories – Exclusive for OKA members only. Click to find out more.

OKA Events – This takes you through to a display of past events with links to more detail.

Souvenir Shop

Items for sale are listed including the cost of postage. To order, click 'Add to Cart' on any item required, then click on 'Proceed to Checkout' at the bottom of the page. The Shopping Cart will show the order details. Please note the 'Dustbin' icon that allows you to amend/cancel the order. The Terms & Conditions box will need to be ticked before clicking on the payment method. You also have the option to 'Continue Shopping' if you want to add further items. Please note that there is also the opportunity to donate for the future sustainability of the OKA and said donations would be hugely appreciated.