

**BALSHAW'S HIGH SCHOOL**

**LEYLAND**



**1782**

**SPEECH DAY**

**AND**

**DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES**

**BY**

**TIMOTHY J. DAVIS ESQ. B.Sc.**

**Head Boy 1976-1977  
The Robens Prize 1977**

**in the School Hall at 7.30pm**

**on**

**MONDAY, 26th NOVEMBER 1984**



## GOVERNORS OF THE SCHOOL

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## STAFF OF SCHOOL

**Headmaster:** P.J. Ingram, B.Sc., Nottingham

**Deputy Headmaster:** G. Gambling, B.Sc., London, Exeter

**Senior Mistress & Deputy Head:** Mrs. M.H. Pickersgill, Diploma of Chelsea College of Physical Education

**Deputy Headmaster:** R.H. Hardwick, B.A., Manchester

### Assistant Masters

K.R. Smith, B.A., Hull	P.A. Banks, B.Sc., Birmingham
K. Klemm, M.A., Edinburgh	W. Kerr, B.Sc., Manchester Polytechnic, Bolton College of Education (Technical)
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B. Sanderson, B.A., Open University, Didsbury College of Education	D. Robertson, B.Sc., Durham, Sheffield
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D.J. Pennington, B.Ed., Liverpool	W.J. Howard, B.Sc., Liverpool
J. Bairstow, B.A., Manchester	Mrs. K. Morley (visiting teacher of instrumental music, Head of Centre)
K. Blackwell, B.A., Open University, A.L.B.C. Avery Hill College of Education	S. Fazaakerley (visiting teacher of instrumental music)
M.A. Barrow, B.Ed., St. Paul's College, Cheltenham	J. Lowe (visiting teacher of instrumental music)
D. Childs, B.A., Newcastle, Sheffield	N. Kirkham (visiting teacher of instrumental music)
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#### Assistant Mistresses

Mrs. R.H. Bass, Didsbury College of Education  
Mrs. G. Smith, Gloucestershire Training College of Domestic Science  
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Mrs. P. Carson, Chorley College of Education  
Mrs. V. Gambling, B.A., University of Wales, Cardiff  
Mrs. M. Lord, Bolton College of Education (Technical)  
Miss E.A. Roberts, B.A., (Open University), City of Cardiff College of Education  
Miss A. Rigby, B.Ed., Lancaster

Mrs. D.E. Wignall, Radbrook College of Domestic Science  
Mrs. M. Jenkins, B.Sc., University of Wales, Swansea  
Mrs. F. Edgerley, B.Ed., Lancaster  
Mrs. J.S. Wilson, B.Ed., University of Wales, Bangor  
Miss S.B. Cuniffe, B.Ed., Christ's College, Liverpool  
Miss J.D. Ross, B.A., Lancaster, Edge Hill College of Higher Education  
Mrs. J.E. Kerr, Edge Hill College of Education  
Mrs. C. Gariff, B.Ed., London  
Mrs. K. Green, B.Sc., Manchester, Padgate College of Education  
Mrs. M. Hardwick, B.A., Durham  
Miss J.A. Perks, Anstey Department of Physical Education, Birmingham Polytechnic

Bursar: Mrs. E. Caunce

Clerical Assistants:  
Mrs. M.J. Grundy  
Mrs. I. Walton  
Mrs. A. Boardman

Caretaker: Mr. A. Ryan

Laboratory Steward: Mrs. A. Bibby

Laboratory Assistants:  
Mrs. M.E. Clayton  
Mrs. B. Woodcock

Resources Assistant: Mrs. M. Braithwaite  
Groundsman: Mr. B. Lane  
Cook Supervisor: Mrs. J. Dixon  
Head Boy: D.E. Robinson  
Head Girl: Lindsay C. Melling

## ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

### Chairman

The Rev. K. BROADHURST  
(Chairman of the Governors of the School)

1. CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS
2. MUSIC
3. ADDRESS BY THE HEADMASTER
4. INTRODUCTION OF TIMOTHY J. DAVIS ESQ.
5. ADDRESS AND DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES BY TIMOTHY J. DAVIS ESQ.
6. VOTE OF THANKS TO TIMOTHY J. DAVIS ESQ.
7. VOTE OF THANKS TO THE CHAIRMAN
8. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

Members of the Audience are asked kindly to remain in their places until the Governors and Staff have left the Hall.



## PRIZE LIST

### SPECIAL PRIZES

To the Head Boy .....	Darren J. Lamb
To the Head Girl .....	Denise Worsley
<i>Presented by Balshaw's High School Sixth Form</i>	
The Robens Prize for high merit in some worthy achievement .....	Lesley A. Gifford
<i>Presented by the Leyland and Birmingham Rubber Company Ltd.</i>	
The L & B Prize for outstanding academic achievement .....	Graham D. Hancock
<i>Presented by the Leyland and Birmingham Rubber Company Ltd.</i>	
For Loyalty, Service and Example .....	Beverley A. Morris
<i>Presented by the Parents' Association</i>	
For Service to the School .....	Stuart P. Gambling
<i>Presented by the Rotary Club of Leyland</i>	
For Effort and Perseverance .....	Mark C. Mawson
<i>The Gillian Rawcliffe Memorial Prize presented by Mr. and Mrs. C. Rawcliffe</i>	
English Prize .....	Linda K. Quibell
<i>Presented by Mrs. R.B. Kelley J.P.</i>	
Mathematics Prize .....	Graham D. Hancock
<i>Presented by Mrs. J. Marsden</i>	
The F.H. Lawton Special Prize for Biology .....	Kathryn J. Briggs
<i>Presented by Mrs. M. Lawton and family</i>	
The Headmaster's Prize .....	Stephen J. Sale
<i>Awarded this year for Computer Studies</i>	
Chemistry Prize .....	Stuart P. Gambling
<i>Presented by Mr. S.T.D. Kelley</i>	
History Prize .....	Stuart P. Gambling
<i>Presented by Leyland Historical Society</i>	
The Robinson Cup for Achievement in Sport - Boy .....	Christopher Gregson
<i>Presented by Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Robinson</i>	
The Brown Cup for Achievement in Sport - Girl .....	Beverley A. Morris
<i>Presented by Mr. and Mrs. H. Brown</i>	

### DAVIS CUPS:

Head Boy 1984-1985 .....	Derek E. Robinson
Head Girl 1984-1985 .....	Lindsay C. Melling
<i>Presented by Timothy J. Davis, Head Boy 1976-1977</i>	

### SUBJECT PRIZES - FIFTH FORM

English .....	Natalie Hamilton
Mathematics .....	Susan C. McGuire
French .....	
History .....	Kristine L. Quibell
Geography .....	Andrew T. Bickerstaffe
Additional Mathematics	}..... Graham D. Hancock
Physics	
Chemistry	
Geometrical & Engineering Drawing	
German	}..... Lesley A. Gifford
Religious Studies	
Community Studies .....	Nigel Wood
Biology .....	Mark J. Ind
Music .....	Sarah Deady
Art .....	Andrea Winnard
Cookery .....	Louisa D. Farish
Engineering Workshop Theory & Practice .....	Philip J. Douglas
Office Studies .....	Susan Adams
Typing .....	Denise S. Exton
Commerce .....	David J. Heaton
Computer Studies .....	Darren J. Lamb
Woodwork .....	Martin A. Topp
Environmental Science .....	Dean Eccles
Physical Education - Girl .....	Ruth L. Cameron
Boy .....	Mark A. Hilton
Needlework	}..... Jo-anne Grimshaw
All round effort and progress	
All round effort and progress .....	Carla A. Libreri, Jacqueline Styan, Patrick W. Mason



## SUBJECT PRIZES - FOURTH FORM

English	Neil Hargreaves
History	
Mathematics	Deborah Torkington
Geography	Debra Hitchon
French	Cheryl H.J. Bowker
German	
Additional Mathematics	Derek E. Robinson
Community Studies	Joanne L. Woods
Physics	Christopher J. Lancaster
Chemistry	Steven Howard
Biology	Ashley D. Chadwick
Music	Jane Deady
Art	Karen E. Draper, Susan L. Jones
Cookery	Sarah A. Bardsley
Needlework	Lisa Critchlow
Geometrical & Engineering Drawing	Paul Moncrief
Engineering Workshop Theory & Practice	Melvyn J. Gasser
Office Studies	Simon Motley
Typewriting	Collette Hamer
Commerce	Nigel Singleton
Religious Studies	Carole A. Crabtree
Science for Everyday Life	Kane Montgomery
Computer Studies	Janet Greenwood
Physical Education - Girl	Janette E. Lewis
Boy	Antony Duckwork
All round effort and progress	Mark R. Baron

## THIRD YEAR PRIZES

Margaret E. Briggs  
Karen L. Taylor  
Victoria K. Clayton  
Sarah L. Furness  
Carolyn S. Richards

Sarah J. Carroll  
David P. Lane  
Nicola J. Bethell  
Susan L. Carbutt

## SECOND YEAR PRIZES

Caroline R. Higham  
Catherine S. Ind  
David John Procter  
Neil Turner  
Samantha Barclay

Catherine H. Hunter  
Nicola J. Carroll  
Richard P. Wheeler  
Mark C. Wilson  
Jason H.J. Williams  
*Effort:* Amajad Z. Nawaz

## FIRST YEAR PRIZES

Charles W. Rowntree  
Lisa J. Bradshaw  
Alison M. Banks  
Mark W. Joyce  
Alastair D. Hunter

Rachel J. Banks  
Sara F.K. Knowles  
Sally J. Gadsdon  
Kathryn L. Brown  
*Effort:* Derek F. Pitblado



## SUCSESSES AT PUBLIC EXAMINATIONS

The following 146 Fifth Form pupils were awarded the General Certificate of Education at the Ordinary Standard on the results of the examinations conducted by the Joint Metriculation Board in June 1984.

S. Adams, T.P. Allen, J.L. Anderton, A. Ashton, J. Atkins, S.A. Bamber, P.L. Banks, F.J. Barker, N. Barrett, T.D. Barton, J.J. Beal, T.A. Bennett, M.J. Bennison, J. Bland, D.J. Bradbury, C.A. Braithwaite, B.J. Bretherton, K.J. Briggs, L.C. Brown, S.J. Brown, S.J. Burke, R.L. Cameron, K.L. Chisnall, R.A. Cosgrove, D.J. Curren, J.E. Davey, C. Deacon, S. Deady, D.S. Exton, T.A. Fairbrother, L.D. Farish, S.N. Fitzpatrick, T.C. Foran, J.A. Gardner, L.A. Gifford, L.J. Goodwin, B.M. Green, D.M. Green, J. Grimshaw, J.E. Halliwell, N. Hamilton, E.M. Hatton, D.C. Houghton, V.L. Hutchinson, L.J. Jarvis, T.A. Jebb, M.I. Lane, T.L. Lemm, L.A. McCarthy, D.L. McGaw, S.C. McGuire, D.N. McKenna, S.V. McManus, B.A. Morris, V.J. Norris, R.D. Paddock, Alison Parkinson, Ann Parkinson, S.L. Pickup, M. Pointon, Z.E. Porter, L.K. Quibell, D.L. Ralphson, K.M. Rhodes, D. Rooney, J.L. Sansome, P. Seed, E. Simons, D.L. Smith, J.E. Smith, R.M.E. Smith, J. Styan, S.R. Sutton, J.M. Watkinson, A. Wilkie, J.F. Williams, N.J. Williams, S.M. Wilson, A. Winnard, D. Worsley, A.K. Wright, D. Wright.

Anderson P., Ascroft J.J., Barnes K.R., Barron M.D., Barton A.J., Bentham D.M., Bibby S.D., Bickerstaffe A.T., Bidwell P.J., Bleasdale M.T., Buckley S.D.P., Butler C.J., Carbutt G.H., Cherry P., Dagers A.J., Dandridge C.W.J., Davies M.L., Douglas P.J., Dunkley C.H., Eccles D., Gambling S.P., Green R.J., Greenhalgh R., Gregson C., Hancock G.D., Hastewell G.T., Heaton D.J., Hilton M.A., Hooley A.J., Ind M.J., Jackson M.J., Johnson D.M., Jones M.A., Lamb D.J., Lane C.G., Lascom A.S., Lowe P.J., Lumsden W.E., Mason P.W., Mawson M.C., Mercer A.J., Moncrief D.T., Naylor G.M., O'Carroll J.D., Parkin D.S., Perry L.K., Pickup M.J., Pilkington D.J., Renfrey S., Ritson P., Sale S.J., Sharland J.M., Simkins K.A., Sumners G.J., Sutcliffe J., Thomas D.J., Tinsley J.S., Topp M.A., Watchorn R.J., Wheeler I.S., Whittaker C.T., Williams A.G.B., Wood N., Wright M.G.

The following 165 Fifth Form pupils were awarded the Certificate of Secondary Education on the results of the examinations conducted by the North West Regional Examinations Board in May 1984.

S. Adams, T.P. Allen, J.L. Anderton, A. Ashton, J. Atkins, S.A. Bamber, P.L. Banks, F.J. Barker, T.D. Barton, N. Barrett, D.M. Baron, J.J. Beal, T.A. Bennett, M.J. Bennison, J. Bland, D.J. Bradbury, C.A. Braithwaite, B.J. Bretherton, K.J. Briggs, L.M. Brindle, L.C. Brown, S.J. Brown, S.J. Burke, R.L. Cameron, K.L. Chisnall, R.A. Cosgrove, D.J. Curren, J.E. Davey, C. Deacon, D.S. Exton, T.A. Fairbrother, L.D. Farish, S.N. Fitzpatrick, T.C. Foran, J.A. Gardner, L.A. Gifford, L.J. Goodwin, B.M. Green, D.M. Green, J. Grimshaw, J.E. Halliwell, N. Hamilton, S. Hamilton, E.M. Hatton, A.L. Hignett, S.J. Hill, D.C. Houghton, V.L. Hutchinson, L.J. Jarvis, T.A. Jebb, A.J. Kirkman, M.I. Lane, T.L. Lemm, C.A. Libreri, L.A. McCarthy, J.A.

McDermott, D.L. McGaw, D.N. McKenna, S.V. McManus, H.G. Metcalf, B.A. Morris, F.S.A. Nawaz, V.J. Norris, R.D. Paddock, Alison Parkinson, Ann Parkinson, S.L. Pickup, W.J. Pierpoint, M. Pointon, Z.E. Porter, D.L. Ralphson, K.M. Rhodes, D. Rooney, J.L. Sansome, P. Seed, E. Simons, D.L. Smith, J.E. Smith, R.M.E. Smith, J. Styan, S.R. Sutton, J.M. Taylor, J.M. Watkinson, T.J. White, A. Wilkie, J.F. Williams, N.J. Williams, S.M. Wilson, A. Winnard, A.K. Wright, D. Wright.

Ambrose S.M., Anderson P., Appleton R.I., Ascroft J.J., Barnes K.R., Barron M.D., Barton A.J., Bentham D.M., Bibby S.D., Bidwell P.J., Bleasdale M.T., Brown P.J., Buckley S.D.P., Butler C.J., Carbutt G.H., Cherry P., Dagers A.J., Dandridge C.W.J., Davies M.L., Douglas P.J., Dunkley C.H., Duxbury I.C., Eccles D., Glancy D.J., Green R.J., Greenhalgh R., Gregson C., Hastewell G.T., Heaton D.J., Henderson M.V., Hilton M.A., Hooley A.J., Hutchinson M.A., Ind M.J., Ince B.J., Jackson M.J., Johnson D.M., Jones M.A., Lamb D.J., Lane C.G., Lascom A.S., Lowe P.J., Lumsden W.E., Mason P.W., Mawson M.C., Mercer A.J., Moncrief D.T., Naylor G.M., O'Carroll J.D., Parkin D.S., Pass T.R., Perry L.K., Pickup M.J., Pilkington D.J., Renfrey S., Ritson P., Sale S.J., Sharland J.M., Simpkins K.A., Sumners G.J., Sutcliffe J., Thomas D.J., Tinsley J.S., Topp M.A., Topping B., Watson P., Watchorn R.J., Wheeler I.S., Whittaker C.T., Whittle S.J.T., Williams A.G.B., Wood N., Wright A.R., Wright M.G.

The following 29 Fifth Year pupils were awarded the Royal Society of Arts Certificate in Typewriting on the results of the examinations conducted at Easter and Whitsuntide 1984.

### Stage 1 (Elementary)

#### *Passed With Distinction*

A. Ashton, M.J. Bennison, K.L. Chisnall, C. Deacon, D.S. Exton, L.D. Farish, L.A. Gifford, L.J. Jarvis, A. Wilkie.

#### *Passed*

S. Adams, S.A. Bamber, N. Barrett, J.J. Beal, L.C. Brown, J.A. Gardner, B.M. Green, D.C. Houghton, T.A. Jebb, T.L. Lemm, B.A. Morris, Ann Parkinson, K.M. Rhodes, D. Rooney, J.E. Smith, S.R. Sutton, N.J. Williams, S.M. Wilson, Hooley A.J. Pilkington D.J.

The following 25 Fourth Form Pupils were awarded the General Certificate of Education at the Ordinary Standard on the results of the Examinations conducted by the Joint Metriculation Board in June 1984.

C.H.J. Bowker, C.A. Crabtree, K.E. Draper, J. Greenwood, D.E. Holmes, R.E. Procter, J.L. Riding, K.S. Thomas, S. Webster, C. Worsley, R. Worsley, Ashurst P.A., Bellis G.E., Chadwick A.D., Faulkner S.P., Higham M.C., Howard S., Hunt D.H., Lancaster C.J., Nicholson A., Robinson D.E., Smit C.D., Varley J.M., Ward I.D., Wilson R.E.



## HOUSE CHAMPIONSHIPS - 1983-84

### (a) Winners of 'Knock-Out Cups'

Peter Singleton Memorial Trophy (Rugby 7's) .....	Farington
Hockey .....	Clayton
Rounders .....	Worden
Tennis .....	Worden
Athletic Sports .....	Worden

### (b) Winners of the League Championship Shields

Hockey .....	Clayton
Cricket .....	Worden
Junior Rounders .....	1A
Rounders .....	Worden
Tennis .....	Worden

### Winners of the 'Silver Griffin' awarded by the Old Boy's Association for Scholastic Merit.

1983/1984 .....	Worden
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## RECORD OF SCHOOL TEAMS

	P.	W.	D.	L.
Rugby 1st XV	11	7	0	4
Hockey 1st XI	10	6	2	2
Cricket	5	2	-	3
Tennis VI	6	3	-	3

## SCHOOL COLOURS 1983-1984

Hockey	R.L. Cameron, T.D. Barton, S.C. McGuire, Re-awarded L.K. Quibell, B.A. Morris.
Rugby	N. Wood, D.J. Lamb.
Tennis	D. Hitchon, R. Worsley, J.E. Lewis, L. Manchester.
Cricket	A. Duckworth.
Badminton	B.A. Morris, D.M. Johnson.
Swimming	K.A. Simkins.
Cross Country	G.H. Carbutt, J.F. Williams, J. Grimshaw.

## ATHLETICS

South Ribble 1st. Year Athletics Championship	Second Place
South Ribble Cross Country Championship	First Place
South Ribble Under-14 Netball Tournament	Runners Up
South Ribble Under-16 Badminton League	Runners Up
South Ribble Under-14 Badminton League	Winners
South Ribble Under-15 Rounders League	Winners
Tennis Tournament - Overall	Runners Up
Chorley & Leyland Senior Hockey Tournament Balshaw's 'A'	Winners
Chorley & Leyland Senior Hockey Tournament Balshaw's 'B'	Runners Up
Chorley & Leyland Under-13 Netball Tournament	Runners Up
Chorley & Leyland Under-14 Netball League	Winners
Chorley & Leyland Badminton Tournament	Winners