

# THE OLD ALTRINCHAMIAN

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## **EDITORIAL**

The outcome of national and local elections in April and May, respectively, has served to confirm the continuance of separate Boys' and Girls' Grammar Schools in Altrincham. Association members will be reassured to know that, in earnest of that policy, the Borough of Trafford Education Committee has approved capital expenditure on various building repairs and laboratory improvements deemed a priority at the school. In addition, a Development Plan is well advanced to provide the school with new buildings, plant and enhanced facilities on a phased basis over the next few years. With numbers of pupils enrolling on the increase (and the probability of a 6-form intake in 1992), the school is enjoying a gratifying vote of confidence in its standing as an educational institution. More on the school's achievements may be found in the Headmaster's report for 1991/92, elsewhere in the magazine.

Alongside the developments at school, the Old Boys' Association continues to flourish, with its main activities reported in the following pages. New school leavers are warmly invited to join the Association; the person to contact is Ernest Nisbet, listed above as Membership Secretary. Members — young and old — should note the date of the 1993 Annual Reunion Dinner (Friday 26th February) and aim to attend, to meet one's contemporaries and old friends, and to make new friends. A wonderful spirit of camaraderie prevails on these occasions, and the more people we can attract, the wider the contacts that are possible. Let us match the School with a growth in the Association's numbers!

Ken Lea

