

PETE KERSH 1967-73

One of the final grammar school entry boys in 1967, I had a wonderful time at KES with great memories and great friends. Enthused in languages from an early age by the likes of George Cocker, Spiv Bramhall, Dave Meredith and Herbert Dobson, I have subsequently built my career in an international environment and travelled widely and lived and worked in Spain and Italy. I now speak 5 languages, use them very frequently in business, and have always supported the school in practical ways as a language college - a tribute to Michael Lewis and Eva Lamb. I have been involved in international business over 30 years with management and sales/marketing experience across a diverse range of companies - from agriculture to engineering, and construction. Currently Managing Director of World Feeds, a fish food business specialising in the aquarium feeds market, and was previously Director of Gripple Ltd, the innovative Sheffield manufacturer.

I have been involved in the OEs for many years, on the sidelines really during John Phillips' presidency, and felt it was now time to take a more active role. Delighted to be involved with John Parr and the rest of the team to take the OEs into a fresh new era, recognising and respecting the past!