THE ALICE OTTLEIANS AND OLD ELIZABETHANS' ASSOCIATION

29th April, 2020

Dear Reader,

Ordinarily at this time, we would be mailing you this edition of The Hole in the Wall together with notice of the forthcoming Annual General Meeting of the Association. Given the extraordinary current situation, we have – in line with Government restrictions and along with similar groups and associations country-wide – postponed the AGM for the foreseeable future. Similarly, you will see within the magazine that we have also not set a date for the Annual Dinner. As soon as we are able to schedule both events, we will be in touch with you all to let you know. In the meantime, I will continue in the post of President, working closely alongside President-Elect, Shelley Eyers, until such time as we can formally reassign roles at the AGM.

Could I take this opportunity to draw your attention to the notice on page 8 of the magazine regarding future editions of 'The Hole in the Wall'? The AOOE Committee is always looking for ways to minimise our impact on the environment by reducing resource use. This, alongside rising printing and postage costs incurred in the production and distribution of the magazine, has led us to decide that this will be the last printed edition to be sent to all members by post.

The magazine is available to everyone on the AOOE website (www.aooe.org.uk) as a PDF and from next year, this will be where you will find each new edition.

Should you wish to continue receiving a paper copy of the 'Hole in the Wall' please cut off and return the slip below to Membership Secretary, Jacky Hollis, or send an email to membership@aooe.org.uk.

We hope that this initiative will significantly reduce our costs and environmental impact, whilst still keeping all members informed and in touch with the association.

Thank you for your support,

Barrie.

Please cut off and return to: Jacky Hollis, Flat 30 Brookside Terrace, 32 The Lane, Barbourne, Worcester, WR1 1AF

Yes, please send me paper copies of the 'Hole in the Wall' until further notice

Signed (please sign and print your name)

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If you have an email address and you would like updates on future events from the AOOEs sent to you in this way, please include your email address below:

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