



# Class of '61 – Reunion

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The Reunion is over but the memories linger on . . . .

**Errol Sapire** reports on a pleasant interlude he and Tova enjoyed in London recently:

**“Rod and Gill Le Roux, Pete and Kath Rein and Tova and I got together in London on 11 June and we had a very pleasant couple of hours together.**



We met at an arranged place and time at Charing Cross and then found a little Italian restaurant to eat and make merry. The picture shows that Rod, Pete and I were put together by the girls. We spoke of many things, which involved both at Selborne and thereafter. The girls heard a few "new" stories from our past and a good time was had by all.



I always like to note that after school, Rod and I spent a year together at the Air Force Gym, Pretoria. After I returned to E.L. in 1970 to practise Law, I had dealings with Pete's late Dad, Otto, who had been in the same Class of 1928 at Selborne, with my late father, Max Sapire. Our ties run very deep."

As reported in the last Bulletin on 7 March 2012 the Headmasters of the College and Primary School and the Chairman of the Legacy Project met **Trevor Webster** to ask him to write an updated History of the Selborne Schools. I visited Trevor Webster in Hogsback and he gave me a peek at the contents of the new book he is writing on the Selborne Schools. It will have a very different flavour to the first one and he has made considerable progress. In particular he is looking for assistance in terms of getting pictures and details of families who have had generations of members attending Selborne. If you have any information or pictures that you feel might be of interest to Trevor, please make contact with him at [trevann@mweb.co.za](mailto:trevann@mweb.co.za).

The Class of '62 are making good progress in organizing their Reunion and are expecting over 50 attendees. Fortunately they have had half the number of members die compared to us. They have asked me to build their Yearbook for them along the same lines as ours.

It is a cold, windy day here in East London – and I am sure even **Leon Wood** is wearing “Long Shorts”.



No doubt we **did** work together to make it a truly memorable 50th Reunion – after all, it was the only 50th we will ever have! **Only four and a quarter years before the 55<sup>th</sup> Reunion – prepare!!!**

Kind regards

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