

Easter Gathering 2025 is a special one for the following Old Scholar year groups who are celebrating milestone anniversaries, plus one that missed out due to Covid and also an egg-stra one for all those who are celebrating their 70th birthdays next year! So please do get in touch if you were at school in any of the following year groups - or if you worked at Ackworth School during those years - and would like to attend one of the reunions:

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5 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 2020 (at school 2015-2022)
10 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 2015 (at school 2010-2017)
15 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 2010 (at school 2005-2012)
20 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 2005 (at school 2000-2007)
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25 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 2000 (at school 1995-2002) organised by Jenny Martin

30 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1995 (at school 1990-1997) 32 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1993 (at school 1988-1995)

32 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1993 (at school 1988-1995) organised by Sal Wright

35 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1990 (at school 1985-1992)

40 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1985 (at school 1980-1987) 45 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1980 (at school 1975-1982) 50 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1975 (at school 1970-1977) organised by Andrew Ford

55 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1970 (at school 1965-1972) 60 Years On - end of 5th Year Summer 1965 (at school 1960-1967) organised by Mary Dower

70th Birthday Reunion - for everyone turning 70 in 2025 organised by Janet Blann

I would also be very grateful to hear from anyone in groups which don't yet have a named organiser - especially if you might be interested in helping to contact your contemporaries.

We look forward to welcoming you all back to school to meet up with friends & reminisce, visit familiar haunts, see what has changed/what is still the same in and around Ackworth, and catch up and celebrate Easter in the beautiful school buildings and grounds in Spring 2025. Hope to see you all there in (at the time of writing) just 189 sleeps! If anyone is interested in giving a talk or running an activity on the 2025 Easter programme, please let me know as soon as possible. The deadline for all bookings is 31.03.25 so please make sure we have received your booking form and payment by then.

Best wishes - Sal (Sal Wright - AOS Easter Secretary 👪)

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CONTACT DETAILS FOR PERSON MAKING THE BOOKING: Please complete all your details; they will be kept confidentially but may be used if we need to contact you prior to the weekend.

FULL NAME:

ADDRESS:

TELEPHONE / MOBILE: EMAIL ADDRESS:

NAME AND CONTACT NUMBER OF SOMEONE WE COULD CONTACT IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY:

<u>FURTHER REQUESTS</u>: Please use this box to detail any special requests regarding your visit, including any allergies, food requirements, and if you would like to share a room with specific people. We will do our best to accommodate your wishes. Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary.

ACKWORTH OLD SCHOLARS' EASTER GATHERING 2025 - PLEASE RETURN YOUR COMPLETED BOOKING FORM & PAYMENT TO:

John Golding, 23 Cricket Lane, Loughborough, Leics. LE11 3PD or email it to: john.golding@outlook.com

- If paying by cheque, please make it payable to ACKWORTH SCHOOL ESTATES LTD and write your name on the back
- If paying online, please use Barclays Bank: Ackworth School Estates Ltd Sort Code 20-90-65 Account No. 70108278 EASTER25 plus your surname as the reference (eg. EASTER25SMITH)
- If paying by credit card, please make sure you have completed and returned the Credit Card Form with your booking
- For all booking enquiries, including special dietary requirements, accommodation queries, or if you have any questions about completing this form or the weekend in general, please contact:

Sal Wright 07825 704074 / aosaeaster@yahoo.co.uk

IMPORTANT NOTES

- Accommodation space in school is limited and whilst every attempt to cater for everyone's wishes will be made, the final accommodation plan will be produced so that the risk of turning people away is minimised. Please understand we are making use of school rooms, that all the accommodation rooms involve at least one flight of stairs and some of it is a fair walk from Centre Library. Booking early is recommended.
- There are a very small number of large rooms available so if you are booking in a group of 4 or more people, please indicate in the "Further Requests" box overleaf those that you wish to be together. If you do not specify separate rooms, it will be assumed that families would prefer to be in one room together where possible. If a quiet area is required, please request in the "Further Requests" box overleaf.
- Please indicate on the form if you require a single room by selecting and paying the Single Room Supplement in addition to your accommodation code. If we have a busy gathering & space is limited, those people who have not paid the Single Room Supplement might find themselves sharing with contemporaries. If you have contemporaries with whom you wish to share a room but are booking separately, please indicate this in the "Further Requests" box overleaf.
- We ask you to support the Easter Weekend and eat meals in school if you intend to be at school during mealtimes. We request that you do not bring picnics or your own meals onto school premises. Note that lunch and dinner are now included in the Inclusive Day Visitor Charge.
- Please note that we are accepting bookings for tents/caravans again this year, but there are no electric hook-ups, no waste facilities or Elsa disposal points, and the showers/washrooms/toilets are a short walk from the camping area.
- If you are planning to come to Easter as a Day Visitor, you now need to book & pay using this form and register with the Easter Team on arrival even if you are not having any meals.

CHECKLIST

- Have you included full names for each person in your booking?
- Have you included the correct code for each person in your booking?
- Have you used the correct booking codes/prices? Please make sure we receive your booking & payment by 31.03.25
- If you are booking in Under 18s have you included ages for each child?
- Have you completed all your contact details including an emergency contact? Remember to include your telephone number and email address in case we need to contact you prior to the weekend.
- Have you enclosed your completed cheque/credit card form/made online payment and informed us how you paid?
- Have you included any additional information or requests in the "Further Requests" box overleaf?

Our aim is to make sure that all our visitors enjoy their weekend but please remember that it is your responsibility to keep yourself, your children, your guests and your property safe at all times; Ackworth School cannot accept such responsibility.

EASTER 2025 CREDIT CARD FORM

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