Our Newest Old Girl

The Centenary of the Old Girl's Union was a wonderful event which everyone thoroughly enjoyed, the food, the wonderful capabilities in the SCEGGS colours and, of course, the music by our talented musicians. All the guests reminisced with their fellow Old Girls and relished with glasses of champagne and good company the memorable SCEGGS memories.

A highlight of the back of SCEGGS Dinner was the announcement by Mrs. Denis Snowden (KESTELOW, 2004), the outgoing President of the OGU that for our current Head of School Ms. Jenny Allum, was to be made an Honorary Old Girl. To the delight of everyone present, Jenny accepted her Old Girls badge to much applause and cheering. The Old Girl's Union recognises the outstanding work by Ms. Allum and her contribution to SCEGGS over the last 14 years which has been greatly appreciated and valued by every Old Girl. Ms. Allum is a strong and consistent supporter of the Old Girl's Union since she commenced as Head of School and her humour, ideas and voice for SCEGGS has been undeniable. Her role as Patron of the Old Girl's Union Committee is highly regarded and her attendance at the Old Girls' Union functions is much appreciated by all. We welcome Jenny as a member of the SCEGGS Old Girls' Union and look forward to her further participation and contribution in Old Girls' events.

Carolyn Matthews' Prefect, Speech 1950

*We are so proud to have been members of this great school; so proud to have borne its name and worn its uniform. And although to-day is the last for so many of us, we do not feel that our school days are a closed chapter, but rather a steadfast background from which our motto will always stand out - Luxeat Lux Vestra*.
"The staff is most helpful and capable and Miss Spicer has been a tower of strength, as always."

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The importance of Old Girls –

“Old Girls have (therefore) played an important part in helping the School to finance the additions and improvements it inevitably needs from time to time.”

Lux September 1900

“Lost – Several hearts during the visit of the Melanesian boys. Please return before the arrival of the New Guinea boys.”