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Dear Steve, Shelagh, and Alan,

Many thanks for the Newsletter. It is always a pleasure to have memories of SGS and Oldfield jogged out of the recesses of memory.

Can it be 61 years on! And 18 of them in full retirement here in one of Maine's friendliest communities with lobsters for the catching at the end of the dock.

Early on there were studies in London and practise in Birmingham, Winchester, Kingston (Jamaica) and New York with work in blood and neurological conundrums. Fascinating and fun.

Land capers involved trekking and climbing in Austria, Italy and the borders of France with Spain. At sea sailing gave many wonderful (and some hair raising) times in Europe and North America. A land/sea jaunt in Chile was a

by good fortune Sheelah Stevenson overlooked the worst of my faults and became mother to our daughter Emma 46 years ago. Now there are two grandchildren to keep us on our toes as we look after them several times a week.

We have a pleasant house at water's edge and would be happy to welcome old students of SGS. Please let them know.

N.B.

We will be back in Swanage this Autumn but have some matters to deal with here before then so, sadly, cannot make it to the reunion. We will instead make a donation in SGS Old Students name to a local group who make sure that kids from impoverished families get food at weekends.

Best regards, JOHN (PEARSON)