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Dear Friends,

GHANA REUNION NEWSLETTER

I am writing to you again partly about the proposed visit to Ghana next year, and partly to let you know that we have been able to arrange another Reunion Lunch along the lines of the successful event held in June last year.

First, details about the lunch: it will take place at *John Adams Hall* (Institute of Education), *Endsleigh Street, WC1* (the same venue as last year) on *Thursday 15 June*. If you would like to attend, please complete the enclosed form and send it to Madge Claxton at the address shown. We hope that many of you will be able to attend. We are in touch with both Frank Ward and Jack Marshall and are hopeful they may be present.

The *visit*: planning is going ahead and the High Commissioner and his officers have been very helpful. Ghana Airways have "indicated" a travel cost of £400 for the return fare; the Trade Commissioner is obtaining information on accommodation and internal travel with costs and we hope to have details soon. We propose a two weeks (approx) visit within the period **18 March - 6 April 1990**; precise dates to be agreed within the next month or so. If you would like to take part in the visit (without making a firm commitment at this stage) would you complete the second form enclosed and send it to Eric Earle at the address shown. Obviously we would not ask for a firm commitment until the overall cost is known; already a number have expressed a strong interest, now we need to know more clearly what the take-up is; and of course the Ghana authorities would like to know the size of the group as soon as possible.

Once we have the information on overall cost, we will write to those who have returned the form and then (around July or August if all is progressing to plan) we should need a firm commitment and probably an initial deposit.

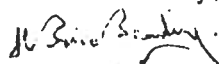
Some of you may have heard of the formation this year of the Anglo-Ghanaian Society. Warren Shaw and Madge Claxton attended an initial Executive Committee meeting of it and we are keeping in touch with it as it takes shape and will let you know of any developments. You may get in touch directly through their temporary address:

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Dalston Lane  
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Finally, many of you may have heard of the recent death of one of Ghana School Aid's Patrons, Professor D M Balme. I have written on behalf of the Trust to Mrs Balme and we shall be represented at the Memorial Service if (as we expect) one is held.

With good wishes from your 'Committee', and I hope to see you all in June.

Yours sincerely,



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