

Coming Soon

The History of Alsager School: A Personal Reflection

Nearly fifty years ago, in 1971, a small 11-16 secondary modern school in Alsager, South Cheshire, was transformed into a rapidly expanding 11-18 comprehensive school. For the first time, young people of all abilities, from Alsager and the surrounding villages, were educated in their local town. Success followed quickly and the school went from strength to strength, as its reputation grew. Today, as Alsager School, it has become one of the most popular schools in Cheshire and North Staffordshire. It has recently completed a new building programme to accommodate the ever increasing numbers of students who are attracted by the quality of the education provided by the school.

This book, written by former Deputy Head and current Chair of Governors, Lindsay Purcell, explores the development of the school and celebrates its achievements and those of its amazing young people and staff. It describes the many changes which have occurred within the school, under the three enlightened headteachers with whom Lindsay has worked. It also relates those changes to the educational and political climate within the UK.

Reading these personal reflections of Alsager School are sure to bring back some fond memories of good times, provide an insight into aspects of the school that are unfamiliar to most people and share a few humorous moments when things did not go to plan.

The book will be on sale from November 30th, at Muddy Publishing - <https://www.muddypublishing.com/product/the-history-of-alsager-school/>
price £10. Pre-orders are being taken now for delivery. You can also buy a copy from shops Beading Amazing and Handmade Naturals in the Village, assuming they will re-open on December 2nd.

All profits from the sale will go to the school, for the benefit of its young people. Please support the school in this fund raising effort and at the same time, purchase an interesting memento of your local secondary school and a 'must have' stocking filler for the family at Christmas.

The book will be on sale using Parent Pay only at School and through cash sales only at Beading Amazing, near to the Lakeside Fish Bar in the Village and Handmade Naturals, near to Costa.