

GCI MUSEUM Newsletter



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- **Message From The National President**

My deep appreciation also goes to Branches and Class Sets for payment of annual dues with which we run the affairs of GCIOBA. All of these we have done together in the last six years and it is time to say goodbye. I also want to thank individual Old Boys who have supported me in cash and kind .

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/2018-message-ii-national-president>

1.0 FROM THE ARCHIVES

• Challenges of The Nigerian Healthcare System

(2016 GCIOBA National Reunion Public Lecture Paper, Delivered By Ayodele Arowajolu (Carr, 1966))

The topic of this lecture is very timely because health care delivery in this country is in disarray and has not progressed as one would expect if one had been alive in the 50s and 60s . . . There is no doubt that Nigerian health workers are well trained to perform basic medical care judging by the ease they fit into the health care systems abroad...

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/paper-presentation-challenges-nigerian-health-care-system>



• What It Takes To Be The Young Girl Of An Old Boy

There are some characteristics (in-born or acquired) of the Old Boy that I am married to today.

Some of them I have come to appreciate while the others I have tried to adapt to, live with or live by. I must quickly add that the positive traits far outweigh the negative ones . .

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/what-it-takes-be-young-girl-old-boy>

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/niidi-usu>

• The Wooing Ultimatum

On the D-Day, the Form Five students in my room, called the Form One students — three of us - and issued us an ultimatum to get ourselves girlfriends or face a sanction. I summarise the ultimatum as best as I can as follows: “Any one of you that we do not see with a girl during the drama presentation or who does not have a girlfriend after the show will. . .

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/woeing-ultimatum>

• Rebellion Against Punishment

I did some self-introspection and I wondered that my parents surely could not have deliberately set out to punish me this way. Or could they? Could there have been an infraction on my part which I could no longer recall? Frankly, the answers eluded me. I was overwhelmed. One day, I simply broke down. I could not take it any longer. I walked briskly to the back of the junior toilet in Field House to achieve just one goal — get a release by. . .

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/rebellion-against-punishment>

• GCI Museum Donation Pledge

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<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/pledge>

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2.0 EVENT

- **GCI Wins U15 Inter-School Relay Race Competition**

The Government College Ibadan Relay Race Team, headed by Aremu Faruq of SSS 2A, won the 4 x 100 Relay Race Competition while the Team Captain, Aremu Faruq emerged as the fastest sprinter of the competition . . .

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/gci-wins-u15-inter-school-relay-race-competition>



- **GCIOBA-1986 Set Rewards Non-Teaching Staff**

The time to recognise the people who practically provide the conducive learning environment and serene academic aura at Government College Ibadan cannot be farther from now, as the GCIOBA-1986 Set has identified these unsung heroes as their beneficiaries of their Pet Project III . .

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/gcioba-1986-set-rewards-non-teaching-staff-gci>



- **GCIOBA-Lagos Branch Holds Her 2018 Annual Luncheon, Honours 7 Old Boys & 1972 Set**

It was an afternoon of sheer bliss and overflowing merriment as Old Boys of Government College Ibadan and their Young Girls, friends and families, in and outside Lagos State trooped out en masse to grace the 2018 Annual Luncheon & Merit Award Ceremony of GCIOBA-Lagos Branch. The 2018 additions to the Lagos Branch Roll of Honour are . . .

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/gcioba-lagos-branch-holds-her-2018-annual-luncheon-honours-7-old-boys-1972-set>

- **GCI Wins The JDPC Child's Right Oriented Competition**

Government College Ibadan continued its winning streak as the prestigious school won the Justice, Development and Peace Commission (JDPC) Child's Rights Oriented Oratory Debate Contest organised for Senior Secondary Schools across the Pacesetter State. The event was held at . . .

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/gci-wins-jdpc-childs-right-oriented-competition>

3.0 ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Profile Page Update:**

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<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/profile-update>

Or send your Name, Set, profile picture, short profile/autobiography, House, contact address (*optional*), e-mail and phone number to curator@gcimuseum.org

- **2018 GCIOBA National Reunion & 89th Anniversary**

Date: October 19 – 20, 2018.

Venue: GCI grounds, Apata, Ibadan.

Please contact the National Social Secretary and Planning Committee Chairman, Yinka Adepoju (Grier, 1971) via pojogroup@yahoo.com or call 08033306302 for more information.

- **2018 GCIOBA – North America Branch ENDO**

Date: September 21 – 23, 2018.

Venue: Atlanta Georgia (GA), USA.Anchor

Please visit <http://www.gciendo2018.com>

,or contact Folarin Olubowale (Field, 1972) via folarinolubowalemd@gmail.com for more information

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4.0 MEDIA

- **Legends of GCI: Prof. Oladipo Akinkugbe**

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/legends-gci-prof-oladipo-akinkugbe>

- **Farewell Service For Late Wale Aboderin (Field, 1970)**

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/farewell-service-late-wale-aboderin-field-1970>

- **Obituary Movie of Late Paul Kehinde Joseph (Carr, 1963)**

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/obituary-movie-late-paul-kehinde-joseph-carr-196>

- **Legends of GCI: Dr Omololu Olunloyo**

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/legends-gci-dr-omololu-olunloyo>

GCI Museum Promo Video on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s1HCHODIUB8>

- **A Video Documentary on Government College Ibadan**

The documentary was taken out of the Red Carpet Interview conducted for Adeoye Roluga (1963), Abayomi Jones (1963), Adeola Popoola (1971), Folarin Olubowale (1972), Taiwo Demuren (1973), Cole Adenuga, Olumide Omolemo, and Seye Arowolo (1985) at the 2017 ENDO of GCIOBA - North America Branch in Las Vegas, Nevada, which was held on the 3rd day of September, 2017.

- <http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/video-documentary-government-college-ibadan>

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5.0 PASSAGES

1. **Paul Kehinde Joseph (Carr, 1963). June 4, 1951 - June 3, 2018.**

A private burial, after the Celebration Service, took place on Saturday, 16th June, 2018 at Oakridge Memorial Gardens, Middle Sackville, NS.

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/joseph-kehinde-paul>

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- **GCI Printed Mugs:**

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B.: Printed with GCI museum

C.: Printed with GCI logo only.

<http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/gci-printed-mugs>



o **GCI Sing-song CD Volume 1:**

The CD contains the following songs:

School song

Carr House song

Swanston House song

Powell House song

Field House song

Grier House song

Many other congregational and social anthems.

To purchase digital download of this CD please enquire from

curator@gcimuseum.org <http://www.gcimuseum.org/content/gcioba-sing-song-cd-vol-1>



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