## The Master’s Field, Balliol College
### Newsletter No. 7 – 21st May – 1st June 2018

**Welcome to our newsletter, which aims to keep you up-to-date with what is happening on our site.**

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<td>BAM are building eight new accommodation blocks at its Jowett Walk site. These will be progressing from now, with a planned completion date for the whole scheme in June 2020. The scheme also includes the construction of a new squash court and energy centre, which will be located within the basement of a new sports pavilion. (This will be constructed at a later date)</td>
<td>Now that the piling contractor is off site, there is only the groundwork contractor working. The last ground floor slab will be completed in the next week to B2. Also the upstands to Block A will have been finished. The next element of works to progress on this block will be waterproofing details in preparation for the fixings for the timber frame to be fitted. The capping beam to the basement will be well progressed, with the first sections being concreted.</td>
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### Recent progress
Since the last newsletter works have continued to Block A, with the completion of the ground floor slab pours, and the good progress made to form concrete upstands to sit the timber frame of the building on.

Reinforcement works have also commenced onto the two smaller B blocks, with the slab for B1 now concreted, and the reinforcement to B2 well underway. Around these blocks the drainage has also been completed to allow the slab works to progress.

The basement area has started to progress further, with the exposing of the tops of the piles wall, and the start of the reinforcement works to form the perimeter capping beam.
The site team:

Project Manager: John Rabey
Site Manager: Graham Philp
Site Manager: Steve Collin
Project Surveyor: David Jo
Project Planner: David Littler
Design Manager: David Richards
M&E Coordinator: BAM Services Engineer

Our partners:
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Client Project Manager: Bidwells
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Quantity Surveyor: Gleeds
Structural Engineer: Smith & Wallwork
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About BAM
BAM Construction is part of BAM Construct UK which is one of the country’s largest construction services organisations with a turnover of more than £900 million. We operate throughout England, Scotland and Wales. Our European parent company is Royal BAM Group which employs over 25,000 people worldwide and has a turnover of €7 billion.

Currently BAM are working throughout the South East of England, but are on site with another project at Acland House for Keeble College. There we are forming a new set of accommodation blocks, as well as a leading research facility within the building’s basement.

Considerate Constructors
All BAM sites register with the Considerate Constructors Scheme. This means we are committed to being a good neighbor and to being clean, respectful, safe, environmentally conscious, responsible and accountable. Our site is independently inspected to make sure we live up to these aims.

We try to work in a way that causes as little inconvenience as possible to our neighbors. We apologize for any unavoidable nuisance that may be caused during the work.

Please help us with safety
Construction sites can be dangerous. At BAM our top priority is the health and safety of everyone who works on our sites, the public and the local community affected by our work. If you need to contact us, please ring us or call the site office but do not enter the site.

Please make any children in your care aware that our building site is not a playground and that they must not enter the site. Thank you for your co-operation.

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