

## **New Book on King Edward VII School and WW2**

### **“Another Generation”**

Following the success of the book about King Edward VII School and the Old Edwardians in World War One, entitled “Hear Their Footsteps”, the author, John Cornwell, has now completed the history of the school and its former pupils in World War Two.

The book, “Another Generation”, chronicles the story of the 110 Old Boys who lost their lives in the 1939-45 War and also discusses the experiences of those who survived and played a significant role in the conflict. Men like Geoffrey Turner, an RNVR Commander who won the George Cross for defusing aerial mines, and Brigadier Bill Williams who was Montgomery’s chief intelligence officer from El Alamein until the end of the war.

Old Edwardians gained over sixty awards for bravery in World War Two and the book has some of their stories, as well as tracing the changes the war brought to organising the daily routines of the school.

The book is a companion book to 2014 book “Hear Their Footsteps”, the story of King Edward’s and the Old Edwardians in the 1914-18 War.

**“Another Generation” will be launched on Thursday, 13<sup>th</sup> October at Upper School at 7pm.**

**All are welcome and entrance is free and books will be available for sale on the night.**

**All proceeds from the sale of the book (£10) will go towards school funds.**