

Memories of The Lanfranc Boys – By Sue Gaunson (nee Susan Pitts)

I was at Thornton Heath Primary School with 2 of the boys, Lawrence Sims and John Adams. I remember once having a long chat with Lawrence in the class room and at the end of that day he ran up to me and gave me a kiss on the cheek and then ran away!! I was very impressed by that little kiss, and have never forgotten it. John Adams had lovely brown eyes and curly hair, both of them were on our school trip to Interlaken in Switzerland and I enclose a photo of us all taken at the station just before we left. I think that Lawrence is 4th from the right in the second row and John is 6th from right, also in the second row. Christine Warner is looking over his shoulder, I am next and I think Rita Brooks is on my right. Sometime after the accident I met John's mother at a bus stop and she talked to me about John and how she missed him. I hope I have identified both boys correctly in the photo.

