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You will all be aware of last year's debate concerning the proposal to rename the RGBW Golf Society. With the formation of The Rifles, there was overwhelming support for a name change that better reflected the link with our former Regiments. Although not the name suggested in my original proposal, "*The Farmers Boys (DERR & RGBW) Golf Society*" is a sensible compromise that I am confident will be acceptable to all. Our society is one of the many Clubs that make up the 4th pillar of The Rifles, and so we are an essential element in maintaining the "Golden Thread" of our former Regiments and the link to our counties.

I was struck by the wise words of Roy Evans in the 2007 Slashers Newsletter – "*We have to change with the times, however we can still keep our traditions*". This is precisely what we are doing, and I look forward to seeing you all at this years meeting in June.

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