

Michael Rush

Born: 1933

Died: 17th November 2023 at Lymington.

Kings' Civil Engineering: 1951 – 54

On graduating, Mike Rush joined the Royal Air Force (Airfield Construction Branch) to carry out his National Service. He was commissioned as a temporary Pilot Officer (National Service) on 9 December 1954 after a period of Basic Training and promoted to Flying Officer on 9 December 1955. On completion of his National Service, he was transferred to the National Service Reserve of Officers on 26 September 1956.

After National Service, Michael pursued a career in civil engineering contracting, latterly with the W S Try Construction Group.

He was co-author of a paper to the ICE in 1984 titled 'The experiences of a medium sized construction company in the Middle East'.

In addition, from January 2001 - October 2002, he was a Director of the Chiltern Society and from 2001 – 2023, he was President of the Chiltern Society. From April 2008 to 2023 he was a Director of Notherwood Freeholders (Lyndhurst) Limited.

Keith Newton