



THE LONDON FEDERATION OF BOYS' CLUBS

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The
Chelsea Boys' Club
50th Anniversary
Ball

to be held at

The Hurlingham Club
London SW6

on

February 22nd 1986

6.15pm for 7.00pm

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This year the Chelsea Boys' Club celebrates its 50th Birthday and to mark this special occasion a Golden Anniversary Charity Ball will be held at the Hurlingham Club on February 22nd 1986.

The London Federation of Boys' Clubs was also founded about 50 years ago, the number of clubs over the years having grown to its present strength of 177, spread over the Greater London Area. Chelsea is therefore one of the early starters, having at its inception a number of local benefactors who got things started in premises in Lacland Place, London SW10. In 1982, the Club had to leave the basement in the old Police Station in the King's Road and is now operating from converted car parking space under the World's End Estate.

As you will read elsewhere, the activities of the boys are many and varied and all start from the warm and happy Club house which is open five nights a week. All of these activities, and indeed the rent and rates of the Club, cost a great deal of money, and I hope that you will feel able to come along and share our Celebration Dinner and Dance in February, since a proportion of the ticket price has been allocated to the Club Funds.



President

APPLICATION FORM

Please send me () tickets for the Chelsea Boys' Club Golden Anniversary Ball at £25.00 each.

Name

Address to which tickets should be forwarded:

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I am sorry that I am unable to attend but enclose a donation of £

Please make cheques payable to The Chelsea Boys' Club and send the completed application form to Miss Jane Hill, Hon. Treasurer, c/o Chelsea Boys' Club, World's End Estate, Blantyre Street, London, SW10

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Chelsea Boys' Club

The Club is run from converted garages under the World's End Estate and has a Membership of about 200 boys aged between 10 and 18.

Being affiliated to The London Federation of Boys' Clubs a large number of activities are available outside the Borough such as fun, adventure, leadership and sporting week-ends at one or other of two centres situated near Amersham and East Grinstead. The boys are also able to join rock climbing, skiing, sailing and canoeing courses. Within the Club itself we run four football teams, a boxing section, cricket and tennis teams, and, largely due to the present Club Leader's great interest in swimming we have a growing number of enthusiasts for water sports. Our photography section has just re-opened as has the handicraft group, both activities being popular with the boys.

Your support for our cause, and your company on this occasion, will be most welcome and sincerely appreciated.