

Society of Old Framlinghamians



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Dear OF,

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SOCIETY OF OLD FRAMLINGHAMIANS ANNUAL DINNER – 24 MARCH 2018
ROYAL AIR FORCE CLUB, 128 PICCADILLY, LONDON W1J 7PY

The Society of Old Framlinghamians Annual Dinner will be held on Saturday 24 March 2018 at the Royal Air Force Club, 128 Piccadilly, London W1J 7PY, approximately mid-way between Green Park and Hyde Park Corner Underground Stations. The RAF Club is an attractive venue, with many RAF mementoes on display and, of course, great food and wine.

I am writing to invite members of the Society together with their partners and guests, to apply for places at this prestigious event.

Prior to the dinner, the Society will hold its AGM in the Ballroom (on the first floor) at 6.15pm. While it is being held, partners and guests will be able to relax in the ground floor Churchill Bar which will be open from 6.00pm.

Pre-dinner drinks will be served in the Churchill Bar from 7 o'clock, with dinner being served in the first floor Ballroom at 7.30pm. **Dress is Black Tie or equivalent.** The cost of the dinner is **£60 per head including half a bottle of wine.** We are subsidising younger OFs – the first 20 OFs aged under 30 years on 24 March 2018, to apply and pay for places, will be charged only £30 – this is a remarkable offer! A vegetarian option may be requested at the time of application.

One of the great things about the dinner is that it gives OFs the opportunity to meet up, to renew old friendships and to make new ones. We have arranged a bar extension in the Churchill Bar up to midnight, so there will be plenty of time to do this after the dinner.

An application form is attached. The tables will be arranged to seat 10 so you can reserve a table for your group or apply for individual tickets – just fill in the form as appropriate. **The closure date for applications is noon on Monday 12 March 2018.** However, **cancellation without financial penalty may be made until Sunday 18 March 2018.**

Transport from Framlingham College to the RAF Club and return has been arranged. This is unlikely to stop at any other locations. If you wish to take advantage of this, please contact me by a separate email (annualdinner@oldframlinghamian.com) – with the Subject Line of 'Dinner Transport'.

Do, please, book early to make sure you have a seat! I look forward to seeing you on the night.

Yours faithfully,

Air Vice-Marshal Simon Dougherty