

NOTICE

Dear Member,

43rd ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF S.THOMAS' COLLEGE GURUTALAWA- OBA

Notice is hereby given that the 43rd Annual General Meeting of the Association will be held at 9.30 a.m on Sunday 23rd February 2003 at Canon A J Foster Memorial Hall, S.Thomas' College, Gurutalawa.

AGENDA

1. Welcome address by the President
2. Obituaries
3. Letters of Excuse
4. Adoption of the Minutes of the 42nd Annual General Meeting
5. Business arising from the Minutes.
6. Annual Report of the Hony. Secretary
7. Treasurer's Report and tabling of Annual Accounts for the period ending December 31,2002 and adoption thereof.
8. To consider and if thought fit to pass the following resolution to adopt New Rules for the Association.

" It is resolved and hereby approved that the Rules of the S.Thomas' College Gurutalawa Old Boys Association, adopted at a General Meeting of the Association held on 21.02.1959 and subsequently amended in the revised rules set out by the then Secretary on July 16,1990, and also revised thereafter by the Annual General Meeting of the Association, held in February 1993, be rescinded and be supplanted in toto, by a new set of Rules, as hereby formulated in the annexure to the notice of this meeting, held at S.Thomas' College Gurutalawa on the 23rd Day of February 2003.

9. Election of Office Bearers and General Committee
 - Senior Vice President
 - Vice Presidents (3)
 - Hony. Secretary
 - Hony. Asst. Secretary
 - Hony. Treasurer
 - Hony. Asst. Treasurer
 - General Committee Members
10. Election of Auditors
11. Head Master's Report
12. Any other Business
13. Announcements
14. College Song
15. Adjournment

Shervon Fernando
Hony. Secretary
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**S.THOMAS' COLLEGE GURUTALAWA
OLD BOYS ASSOCIATION
43rd AGM AND RE-UNION
FEBRUARY 21ST TO 23RD 2003**

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Friday 21st February 2003

1.00 p.m - Travelling - Old Boys who wish to travel by Air conditioned van/s should inform the undersigned well in advance i.e by Friday February 14,2003 of their intention. The van/s will leave from opposite Edna Building No.116, Bullers Road, Colombo 04 at 1.00 p.m and return after early lunch from Gurutalawa on Sunday 23rd.

- Those arriving early at Gurutalawa will be afforded facilities for swimming.

9.00 p.m - Dinner

Saturday 22nd February 2003

8.00 a.m - Breakfast

9.00 a.m - Cricket Match (25 Overs) (Old Boys Vs Present Boys)

A concerted effort will be made to start the match on time.

1.00 p.m - Swimming (4x25) Medley Relay (Old Boys Vs Present Boys)

1.45 p.m - Lunch

4.00 p.m - Tea

4.30 -5.30p.m - Basketball Match (Old Boys Vs Present Boys)

4.30 p.m - Volleyball Match (Old Boys Vs Minor Staff)

5.30 p.m - Squash - Two Old Boys have agreed to play best of 05 games, the loser to contribute Rs.10,000/- towards Squash at College.

7.00 p.m - Old Boys Get Together / Fellowship The Lawn / Quadrangle in the Junior Dormitory Complex.

9.30 p.m - Re-Union Dinner - (Open to Members of the OBA and Old Boys who have purchased Tickets). - All are requested to be in their best attire (preferably with tie) or National Dress, and to be in their seats before grace.

Grace by the Chaplain before Dinner

After Dinner Speeches: Headmaster, Senior Vice President and any others

- Payment of Gratuity to Minor Staff by Senior Vice President

- College Song

- National Anthem

Sunday 23rd February 2003

8.00 a.m - Holy Communion Service to be held in the Chapel.

9.00 a.m - Breakfast

9.30 a.m - Annual General Meeting (Canon Foster Hall)

11.45 a.m - Traditional Thomian Lunch

Accommodation

Old Boys will be provided meals and accommodation from Friday 21st Dinner through Saturday 22nd upto lunch on Sunday 23rd
All are advised to bring their bed linen (pillows, sheets, blankets etc)

Meals

1. Each participant will be charged a nominal sum of Rs.500/- to defray all costs at Gurutalawa. This will also include an ex gratia payment for the Minor Staff. Tickets will be available with the following from February 05th in Colombo.

Mr. Shervon Fernando, Hony. Secretary, No. 78/2, Kumaragewatte, Pelawatta, Battaramulla.
Phone: 075 553017/0777- 746221

Mr Bandula Wanigasekera, 85/18 Jawatta Gardens, Colombo 05. Phone: 585865, 500424

Please obtain your ticket early to facilitate arrangements with the Headmaster at Gurutalawa.

Travel Arrangements

Those members desirous of transport are kindly requested to contact:-

1. Mr. Shervon Fernando, Hony. Secretary, No. 78/2, Kumaragewatte, Pelawatta, Battaramulla.
Phone: 075 553017/0777- 746221

2. Mr.Mahen Ranasinghe, No.185, Madinnagoda Road, Rajagiriya
Phone 071-228675

3. Mr. Rizvi Jalill, No. 160, Bauddhaloka Mawatha, Colombo 4.
Phone: 502291 - 3/ 0777- 418806

Accommodation in the Air Conditioned Vans will be at Rs.750/- per seat. For any additional information, please contact the under signed.

Sports Activities

Members who intend to participate in sports activities are advised to contact the following:-
Tele No.

Cricket - Mr.Sumedha Perera 071-215762, Mr.Mahen Ranasinghe 071-228675

Basketball - Mr.P J Fernando 074-212387, 071-799222

Volleyball - Mr.Mahen Ranasinghe 071-228675

Swimming - Mr.Shervon Fernando 0777-746221, 075-553017, - Mr.A C Lamahewa 071-733816

Please note that the participants should be appropriately attired.

Please make every effort to be present at the celebrations and restore the Re-Union Celebrations to what they used to be. Many innovative features have been introduced this year whilst not forgetting Tradition.

Please bring your friends who are yet to join the OBA.

Attendance at the AGM however will be strictly for Members of the OBA.

Fellowship and Dinner are restricted to Old Boys and Staff Members of S.Thomas' College, Gurutalawa who have purchased tickets. There will be no sale of liquor by the College during the celebrations. However, aerated water including soda will be sold. Members may bring their own liquor, if they wish to do so. Beer could be purchased at the grounds and at the Fellowship Dinner. Bites will be available complementary at the grounds and during Fellowship.

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