



Confraternity of Saint James

Affiliated to the
Soci t  des Amis de Saint Jacques de Compostelle, Paris

PRESIDENT: HIS EXCELLENCY THE SPANISH AMBASSADOR

NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 1988

Please reply to:

The fifth Annual General Meeting of the Confraternity will take place at 2.30 pm on Saturday 23 January 1988, at the John Marshall Hall, Christchurch, Blackfriars Road, London S.E.1. (The nearest tube is Blackfriars; see map overleaf.)

AGENDA

1. Apologies for absence
2. Minutes of the 1987 Annual General Meeting
3. Annual Report for 1987
4. Treasurer's Report and Accounts
5. Subscriptions for 1988
6. Activities in 1988
7. Open Forum: The Future of the Confraternity
8. Election of Committee for 1988
9. Any other business

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3.30pm - Tea or coffee and biscuits

4.00pm - **Music in Honour of Saint James**
by
the Cambridge Taverner Singers
(director: Owen Rees)

5.30pm - Fifth Birthday Party (see overleaf)

7.45pm - Close

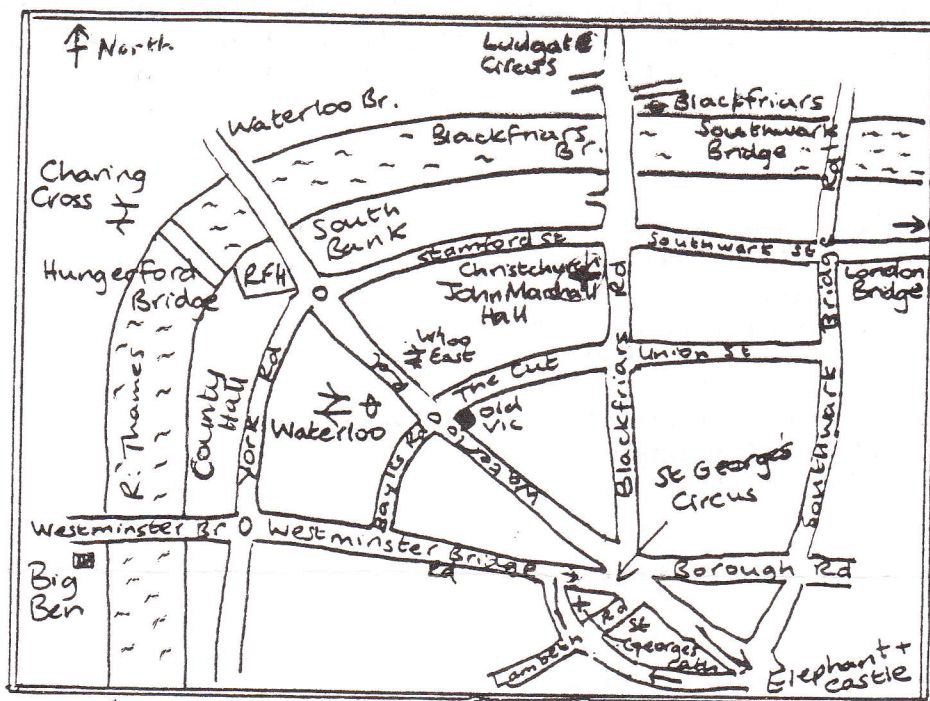
P. Quaife,
Honorary Secretary

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- Notes
- 1) Although the Annual General Meeting is not open to the public, relatives and friends of members are very welcome to attend, especially the concert.
 - 2) Committee Membership 1988. Members of the 1987 Committee stand down automatically. The attached form provides for self-nomination for the election to Committee as well as for nomination in the usual way. There are approximately 10 meetings a year, held in London. Officers for the year are elected at the first committee meeting after the AGM.
 - 3) Hospitality. Overnight hospitality for Saturday 23 January can probably be arranged at London members' homes for those attending from further afield and wanting to take part in the visit to the Age of Chivalry exhibition on the Sunday morning, 24 January. If you could offer hospitality or you would like to stay with a London member, please complete the enclosed slip.

4) Visit to Age of Chivalry Exhibition, Sunday 24 January, 10am at the Royal Academy of Arts, Piccadilly, London W.1. If you would like to come on this non-guided visit (admission: £3), you are asked to fill in the relevant slip.

5) Slips to Complete. Attached is a sheet with slips for committee nominations, hospitality, the Age of Chivalry visit and the Fifth Birthday Party. Even if completing one only of the slips it would be helpful if you could return the whole sheet. Please see the separate information sheet about the possible Reception by H.E. the Spanish Ambassador in March. A questionnaire on the future of the Confraternity is also enclosed. All slips and forms can be sent in one envelope.



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LOCATION OF
JOHN MARSHALL
HALL, CHRISTCHURCH
BLACKFRIARS RD,
LONDON SE1

B.R. { Waterloo
Waterloo East (12 mins)
London Bridge (15 mins)
Charing Cross - bus 1 to Waterloo, 6, 9, 11, 15 to Ludgate Circus
Victoria - bus 507 (Red Arrow, 30p flat fare to Waterloo)
Kings Cross - bus 45, 63 to Blackfriars Rd.
Euston - bus 68, 188 to Waterloo, also 168.

Fifth Birthday Party

On January 13th 1983 the Confraternity of Saint James came into being when seven people, brought together through Mademoiselle Warcollier of the Société des Amis de St. Jacques de Compostelle, decided to try to found a national society devoted to the pilgrimage to Santiago. So now with 280 members in Great Britain, Ireland, and six other countries, we celebrate our fifth birthday with a post-AGM party. Newer members will be particularly welcome. Food and wine, a book stall, raffle and informal reunion of 1987 Santiago visit participants (with photographs) are part of the evening. Copies of Edwin Mullins' book The Pilgrimage to Santiago (£6) and Brian and Marcus Tate's The Pilgrim Route to Santiago (£25) will both be available.

Catering Arrangements - there is a charge of £3 for the party (£1-50 for children aged 8 to 14, under 8s free) which includes fruit juice. Wine will be available separately. Alternatively, to help with catering, members may choose to pay £1-50 and bring food to the value of around £1-50. This is a great help to committee members who have to cater for up to 75 people. Whichever you choose, please complete and return the slip, with your payment, so that we can cater for the right numbers, by 19 January 1988. Cheques should be made out to the Confraternity of St. James. Thank you for your help.