SPORTSMAN’S DINNER

ORDER OF THE EVENING:

7:00 pm
Doors open for guests to arrive for dinner

7:50 pm
MC announces dinner to be served, Ted Robbins gives a brief introduction and explanation of the evening.

8:00 pm
Guests to be seated ready for dinner to be served. Bar closes- Table service only

9:15 pm
Tables cleared. Ted Robbins introduces himself to guests and announces heads and tails and auction

9:45 pm
Ted Robbins welcomes first guest speaker to the stage, Austin Healey.

10:30 pm
Ted Robbins entertains.

11:15 pm
Ted Robbins introduces comedian to the stage

11:45 pm
Evening events close with last orders announced for the bar.

EVENT CLOSES AT 12.15.

ALL FOOD PREPARED BY PAUL ASKEW.
SPECIAL GUEST MC, TED ROBBINS.
SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER, AUSTIN HEALEY.
SPECIAL CELEBRATY COMEDIAN- TBC.

Tickets £50.00 Tables of 10 or 12
Thursday 1st  Saturday 3rd October 2009.
The main purpose of the events, taking place at Wirral Grammar, is to promote both the school and rugby clubs profiles using a different event on each evening.
Guests can expect the 3 day event to be a high class memorable occasion with top class entertainment and excellent cuisine prepared by Paul Askew, the head chef of the renowned London Carriage Works.

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<td>Black Tie Autumn Ball.</td>
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Austin Sean Healey was born in Wallasy and has made a name for himself as an English rugby union player, who played as a utility back for Leicester Tigers. Further to this he has represented England and the British Lions and now plays for Bishop's Stortford rugby club. He has 51 England caps, 2 Lions caps and has played for England at scrum half, fly-half, fullback and wing demonstrating his versatility as a player.

Healey retired from Leicester Tigers in 2006 beginning a new career as a banker with Credit Suisse whilst still maintaining work as a BBC analyst. Due to injuries Healey no longer plays full-time professional rugby, instead opting to play for Bishop's Stortford Rugby Football Club, division one.

In 2008, he took part in series six of Strictly Come Dancing, which started on the 20th September, making it to the quarter-finals, with dance partner Erin Boag.
Liverpool born Ted Robbins attended Wirral Grammar School for Boys before leaving and beginning his university course of English and Drama in Liverpool University– eventually graduating with a Bachelor of Arts Degree.

After university he began a career in theatre and television and has enjoyed success with landing large roles in sitcoms such as his character Den Perry in Phoenix Nights which saw Robbins co– star with Peter Kay. Subsequently these roles have secured him guest appearances on quiz shows such as ‘Brat Pack’ and ‘Quiz Night’ making him a household name for Saturday night television.

More recently he has focused on more dramatic roles in cult dramas such as Holby City and Mersey Beat. He is celebrated for his stand up shows, which have gained positive reviews and recommendations from critics nationwide.
Paul was born in Sunderland, and moved to Liverpool when his father joined the Blue Star line as a merchant navy sea captain. He lived all over the world, including Dubai and Singapore and is a proud old Wirralian. After a busy childhood moving around with his parents, he returned to catering college in the UK, followed by a spell working in restaurants on the Wirral and in Manchester before leaving to work as a Sous Chef in upstate New York. He came back to England for his first head chef position at Wincham Hall in Cheshire, and then became executive chef at the Philharmonic Hall in Liverpool in 1995. While eyeing up the London Carriage Works building he met the man who had bought it, Dave Brewitt, and joined as Chef Patron and Food and Beverage Director. They opened the restaurant and attached Hope Street Hotel in December 2003.

Today Paul's reputation as one of the countries finest in his field has presented him with career opportunities most can only dream of, such as cooking for the Queen, Condoleeza Rice, the Liverpool football Club and stars such as Ewan McGregor, Quentin Tarrantino, Yoko Ono, Russel Brand, Chelsea Clinton, Pink, Kanye West, Barcelona Football Club... and the list goes on.

He is a member of the Academy of Culinary Art, Food Champion of Merseyside and chairman of Liverpool's Tourism Network for Mersey Partnership.

Apart from all things food and drink, Paul is a fanatical Rugby and Football fan and is assistant coach at WRFC minis under 10's.
Ticket Application  
Sportsman’s Dinner  
Thursday 1st October 2009

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We wish to be seated with

Please return this form with full payment to:  
Hannah Gilbert, The Nursery, Raby Road, Thornton Hough, Wirral, CH63 4JR.

Any queries please contact Hannah Gilbert on T: 0151-353-8057 (Mon- Fri 9-4) or email - info@wirral-events.co.uk

Wirral Rugby Football Club is incorporated under the Industrial & Provident Societies Act 1965.  
Registered Office : The Memorial Ground, Thornton Common Road, Clatterbridge, Wirral, CH63 0LT
Dear All,

SPORTSMAN’S DINNER, THURSDAY 1ST OCTOBER 2009.
&
BLACK TIE BALL, SATURDAY 3RD OCTOBER 2009.

During the first weekend in October we are holding three events at Wirral Grammar School for Boys. The aim of these three events is to raise money for the School and the Rugby Club.

The three days will play host to a different type of event each evening, the Thursday a Sportsman’s dinner, Friday’s showcasing Wirral Grammar School and finally we will conclude with a Black Tie Ball on the Saturday evening. Guests can expect fantastic catering from old boy Paul Askew, now the Chef Patron at the London Carriage Works in Liverpool, who has had the pleasure of cooking for the Queen, Liverpool Football Club, Ewan McGregor... and now you lovely people!

Ted Robbins, also an old boy, will MC the Sportsman’s Dinner with special guest speaker Austin Healey. The events of the Friday evening will be announced through the respective school and club websites. On the Saturday guests can enjoy covers of Etta James, Michel Buble and Frank Sinatra from a band called Quintessential Swing- who have previously entertained a VIP FA cup final after- party. After the band have finished their set, a radio city DJ will see the disco through until 2 am- when we are going to have to ask you all to extract yourselves from the dance floor and make your way out of our fabulous marquee!

Tickets for the Sportsman’s dinner are £50.00, and tickets for the ball are £60.00 with tables seating 10 or 12 on request! There will be a four course meal for both of these evenings and wine is available to order to your table in advance.

Hope to see you all there,

Regards,
Hannah Gilbert, Events Manager.

NAME:
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Can you please book my places for the following events;

SPORTSMANS DINNER: NUMBER OF PLACES: COST PER PERSON: £50.00...
BLACK TIE BALL: NUMBER OF PLACES: COST PER PERSON: £60.00...
TOTAL: