### WEDNESDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019

ANNUAL QUIZ

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The Kia Oval, Kennington, London, SE11 5SS





### WELCOME FROM ALEX WELSH CHIEF EXECUTIVE LONDON PLAYING FIELDS FOUNDATION

# Good evening and welcome to the LPFF Quiz here at one of sport's most iconic arenas, The Kia Oval. Thank you so much for coming and supporting us in our mission to provide a place to play sport forever.

I always feel a tingle of awe and excitement when I come to this wonderful sporting arena with its unrivalled history. It is a stadium of firsts. Home to the first ever FA Cup Final, the first international football match, the first home Test match and the first varsity rugby match. It does not escape my attention either that the key protagonists of The FA and MCC at the time of these inaugural matches were the same visionary Victorians who founded London Playing Fields Foundation in 1890. They recognised that the nation could not produce top international players without a wide participation base at grass roots. So this historic stadium reflects that golden thread that runs from the amateur through to the professional game. At LPFF we believe that playing fields are where sport starts and for the gifted few, they are where careers start. There will be many top sportsmen and women who look back with genuine gratitude and affection to a local field where, during their childhood, they honed their skills and developed their love of sport.

Our founders also knew that sport could transform and improve lives, but only if we had sufficient pitches on which to play it. That is why I am excited by the prospect of being able to convey our key message that playing fields are much more than expanses of open space and are places where lives can be transformed and enriched. At a time when society is increasingly concerned about rising obesity and the raft of preventable illnesses that come with it and the horrific number of young people who are dying every week as a result of knife crime, is it not illogical that we are losing those places where people can be more physically active on a regular basis and where teenagers can join teams rather than gangs?

Even back in the 1890's they knew that the benefits of sport extended well beyond the pitch and could have a lasting impact on health and social issues. Had they had a crystal ball I am sure that they would have been absolutely delighted to witness 129 years later the same charity they had set up staging a fundraising event and celebrating its ground-breaking work at this grand old stadium which had formed the backdrop to the birth of our two national sports.

That London is one of the greenest and most sporting cities in the world is not an accident. It was due to the efforts of people like you who supported London Playing Fields Foundation across the decades in its fight to arrest the often insidious loss of playing fields so that sport could be more accessible to Londoners. Today with the huge demand for more new homes, the pressure on our green spaces has never been greater and if we want future generations to have the



same rich sporting experience as we enjoyed we need to remain ever vigilant because once a playing field is lost, it is lost forever.

Providing playing fields for the community and in particular disadvantaged groups costs money with our hiring income only covering 39% of the running costs; and as we receive no direct funding from central or local government we need your help to ensure that your children and their children's children have somewhere to play and have their lives enriched through sport. So, thanks again for your support, it is greatly appreciated.

I would also like to thank the LPFF Quiz Organising Committee who have worked tirelessly over the past six months to ensure that you enjoy your evening. Judging by previous events, I am sure you will enjoy what will no doubt be a highly competitive and thoroughly entertaining quiz in the company of your friends. And just as importantly, if you are not already a champion for the protection, provision and promotion of playing fields, hopefully by the end of this evening you will be. May the best team win!

#### Alex Welsh

#### **Chief Executive**

London Playing Fields Foundation



#### **STARTER**

Ham hock terrine, burnt leeks and piccalilli

#### MAIN

Chicken Porchetta, herb stuffing, pancetta, charred broccoli, creamed potatoes, red wine jus

#### DESSERT

Chocolate brownie, salted caramel ice cream and toffee popcorn

#### WINE

White:

Maison Saturnin Blanc, IGP Gard, Laudun Chusclan

#### Red:

Carignan Vin de France, La Cadence



Sponsored by The Khayami Foundation

#### PROGRAMME OF EVENING

Master of Ceremonies: Martin Bayfield

6.15pm	Drinks reception on Roof Terrace
7.30pm	Dinner in the Ashes Suite
7.35pm	Welcome from Alex Welsh, LPFF Chief Executive
8.25pm	Quiz
10.00pm	Live Auction
10.30pm	Winning team announced

11.00pm Carriages

### WHAT WE DO

Our vision is to create a happier, healthier, more cohesive London by encouraging more people to play sport and be physically active on affordable and accessible playing fields. We believe that playing fields are more than just expanses of open space, they are places where lives can be improved.

#### **OUR PLAYING FIELDS**

We own and manage seven grounds across five London boroughs which are used by over 200,000 people every year to stay fit and healthy. We offer the best quality playing surfaces for grassroots clubs and work hard to ensure that everyone who wants to play sport on our grounds such as schools, clubs and community groups can do so through affordable hiring costs.

Operating these playing fields is expensive – for every £1 we invest in maintaining them we only recoup 39p in hiring income. We rely on the generosity of our supporters as well as commercial partnerships at our grounds in order to continue subsidising our playing fields to allow everyone to access them.

"@TheLPFF Paul Cox, at Douglas Eyre Sports Centre works tirelessly to keep the grounds in shape for the many teams that use the pitches, always a smile and welcoming greeting, the community all know him well and want to send our thanks. Always has some helpful advice for your garden care."

#### **OUR PROJECTS**

For some people staying fit and healthy is difficult, physically, economically and socially. We are committed to providing sport and physical activity opportunities for disadvantaged groups. Through a mix of innovation and partnership working, we have developed and delivered a number of transformational projects designed to address inequalities. Examples of our life-changing projects include Coping Through Football and Green Hearts.

"The contribution that London Playing Fields Foundation can make to public health and actually people's health is that it gets countless people back on their feet from the despair of mental illness, particularly through Coping Through Football which is a wonderful scheme."

**Professor Yvonne Doyle,** London Director Public Health England

For more information about our work please visit:

#### www.lpff.org.uk

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#### **OUR CONTRIBUTION TO** PROTECTING PLAYING FIELDS

Once a playing field is lost, it is lost forever. We believe in the value of playing fields and are determined to prevent the future loss of sports grounds and green spaces in London. We act as the first port of call for advice on protecting threatened playing fields and administer a Fields at Risk Register which is an early warning system against potential loss from commercial or residential development. We also want to promote greater recognition of the value of recreational green spaces and have produced a Charter for Playing Fields in London, a 12 point call to action for all those Councils and sporting organisations that have responsibility for their provision.

"Thank you @TheLPFF for your support and help saving our pitches for tomorrow and future generations."

Save Oakfield Society



### HOW CAN YOU SUPPORT LPFF?

### **Tonight's Activities**

Take part in this evening's activities for the chance to win an array of excellent prizes and raise vital funds for LPFF!



Proceeds from LPFF's quiz night will go towards helping more people across London benefit from the physical, mental and social advantages of playing sport.

### **Going forwards**

for two at the Courthouse Hotel.

If you have been inspired by the work LPFF undertakes, please do consider supporting us in the future.

- Make a donation towards our playing fields protection or life-changing projects and see first-hand how your support makes a difference (add **Gift Aid** to increase its value by an extra 25%)
- Attend our Gala Dinner at The Savoy on Thursday 14th November 2019
- Get in touch to see if your company can be a corporate partner of LPFF

To find out more contact Adam Crummey on:

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### LIVE AUCTION DETAILS CONDUCTED BY MARTIN BAYFIELD

#### 01/ HARRY KANE SIGNED SHIRT

This is a must have item for any lover of English football who was gripped with excitement last summer. Following his staggering success at the 2018 World Cup where he was the Golden Boot winner, Harry has very generously donated a personally signed England shirt beautifully framed.

Generously donated by Harry Kane



#### 03/

# TWO TICKETS TO MEN'S FINAL AT QUEEN'S

Warm up for Wimbledon with two tickets to the Men's singles final at the Queen's Club on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June. Brunch at a local restaurant is also included.



#### 02/ LUNCH WITH HENRY WINTER

You and two guests will join Henry Winter, Chief Football Writer at the The Times for lunch at Murano, Angela Hartnett's Michelin starred restaurant in Mayfair. A five-time winner of football journalist of the year in England, Henry is a Ballon d'Or judge and in 2018 he covered his eighth World Cup finals.

#### Generously donated by Henry Winter



#### 04/ Star wars at the royal albert hall

Feel the force this September at the Royal Albert Hall, as Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back is presented live in concert for the first time in the UK. Enjoy this spectacular from the comfort of a centrally situated box seating five. This prize also includes a pre-show meal at Pizzicotto, a traditional Italian restaurant on Kensington High Street.

Generously donated by The Ratcliffes and Pizzicotto restaurant



### **TONIGHT'S SILENT AUCTION** PRIZES

The Silent Auction will run throughout the evening and will end at 10.30pm – a clock will countdown on the screens. To make bids please use the tablets on your table. You will need to log in once to create a personal pin number and then you can bid all evening to support the London Playing Fields Foundation. If you require assistance, please contact one of the helpers in the room.

### Please bid generously.

#### 01/ TREAT YOURSELF A PERSONAL TOUR OF NATIONAL GALLERY WITH LUNCH AT THE NATIONAL DINING ROOMS

A personal tour of the National Gallery for two people with one of the world's leading art advisors followed by lunch at the award-winning National Dining Rooms.

Date to be confirmed by mutual agreement.

Generously donated by Beaumont Nathan Art Advisory



#### **03/ TREAT YOURSELF** LUXURY HAND-MADE BOXER SHORTS

Five pairs of luxury handmade boxer shorts from nationally renowned bespoke tailor Mullen & Mullen.

Generously donated by Mullen & Mullen



#### **05/ FOOD AND DRINK** A YEAR'S SUPPLY OF LUSCOMBE DRINKS

A year's supply of the UK's premier organic soft drinks and juices. Perfect for a summer drinks party or simply to have a range of sophisticated soft drinks at your disposal. All cases will be delivered simultaneously.

#### Generously donated by Luscombe Drinks



#### AUCTION CONDITIONS OF SALE

- 1. The highest bidder shall be deemed to have purchased the offered lot when the auction closes.
- 2. Payments must be made in sterling by cash, cheque or credit card.
- 3. In no circumstances will the organisers of the LPFF Annual Quiz or the auctioneer rescind any purchases made or refund the amount paid in respect of any lot.
- 4. Any property may be withdrawn by the organisers of the LPFF Annual Quiz at any time.
- 5. The organisers of the LPFF Annual Quiz reserve the right to reject a bid from any bidder.

- 6. The organisers of the LPFF Annual Quiz cannot assume any risk, liability or responsibility for the authenticity or the authorship of any property identified in the auction.
- 7. Property may be offered subject to reserves.
- 8. The auctioneer will act solely as an auctioneer and is not responsible for the management or organisation of the auction.
- 9. All lots are subject to conditions as shown in the event brochure and dates are by mutual arrangement with the donor.
- 10. All lots must be claimed by 31st December 2019 unless otherwise stated.

#### **02/ TREAT YOURSELF** A LUXURY HAIRCUT AT HOB SALONS

Treat yourself or a loved one to a luxury haircut at HOB salons. The award-winning salon is one of the most celebrated names in hair and beauty.

Generously donated by Hob Salons



#### O4/ TREAT YOURSELF TWO TOP PRICED TICKETS TO SEE MATILDA THE MUSICAL

Head to the West End and enjoy top-priced tickets to see the multiple award-winning Matilda the Musical at The Cambridge Theatre on a date of your choosing.

This prize is valid for one year from date of issue, or until the end of the run, whichever is sooner.

Generously donated by Really Useful Group



#### 06/ FOOD AND DRINK DINNER FOR 4 AT WILD BY TART

Wild by Tart is a concept restaurant that offers a unique dining experience. A light and natural oasis within central London serving delicious, fresh and exciting food to be enjoyed by all, all day long.

Restaurant is due to open Summer 2019 in Victoria. Date by mutual agreement. Voucher value  $\pounds 800.$ 

#### Generously donated by Ben Goldsmith

#### 07/ FOOD AND DRINK TABLE AT LPFF GALA DINNER

Join us at the LPFF glittering Gala Dinner at The Savoy hotel on Thursday 14th November. Table for ten includes a champagne reception and three-course dinner with wine and coffee.



#### 09/ FOOD AND DRINK DINNER OR LUNCH AT TAVERNA TRASTEVERE

Enjoy a meal for two at the newly opened Taverna Trastevere in Clapham Junction: A slice of Rome in London!

Generously donated by Taverna Trastevere



#### 11/ FOR YOUR LOVED ONE HARRY POTTER AND THE PHILOSOPHER'S STONE DELUXE ILLUSTRATED EDITION

Harry Potter fan? Of course, you are. Here's your chance to own a deluxe slipcase collector's edition of the full-colour illustrated Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone – J.K. Rowling's original, unabridged text paired with breath-taking illustrations by Jim Kay, winner of the Kate Greenaway Medal.

*Generously donated by Bloomsbury* 

#### 08/ FOOD AND DRINK SIDE OF SMOKED SALMON

Treat your guests with a whole side of Scotland's finest Peat Smoked Salmon from the Hebridean Smokehouse. In the words of Prue Leith "the best in the world".

#### Generously donated by Hebridean Smokehouse



#### 10/ FOR YOUR LOVED ONE THREE MONTHS OF FREDDIE'S FLOWERS

Treat someone you love with three months of wonderful fresh flowers delivered straight to your home every week with helpful arrangement tips.

Generously donated by Freddie's Flowers



#### 12/ FOR YOUR LOVED ONE GIN TOUR FOR TWO

Gin lover? Discover how Gin is created and produced at one of London's finest Gin Distilleries.

Generously donated by Sipsmith London



#### 13/ FOR YOUR LOVED ONE AFTERNOON TEA FOR TWO

Treat a loved one to afternoon tea at the luxurious 5\* Courthouse Hotel.

Generously donated by Courthouse Hotel



## 15/ FOR YOUR LOVED ONE WILDLIFE WATERCOLOUR

Own a beautiful watercolour and ink wildlife painting by artist Nicola Fitzgerald. (Photo for illustrative purposes only.)

Generously donated by Nicola Fitzgerald



#### 17/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES GOLF AT ROYAL WORLINGTON AND NEWMARKET GOLF CLUB

Treat yourself and two friends to a relaxing day playing golf at this traditional members club. Your day will also include lunch and drinks in the clubhouse.

Generously donated by Mark Elliot



#### 14/ FOR YOUR LOVED ONE CLASSIC PEARL EARRINGS FROM HENRY HALLPIKE

Treat someone special to a pair of 9mm Akoya cultured pearl studs on yellow gold fittings.

Generously donated by Henry Hallpike



#### 16/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES PERSONAL TRAINING OR YOGA SESSION

Enjoy a personal training or Yoga session at Physique, Notting Hill's newest boutique studio.

www.physique-studio.co.uk

Generously donated by Mercedes Schindler

### PHYSIQUE

#### **18/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES** A BUNGEE JUMP

Call yourself an adrenaline junkie? Then get stuck into this amazing bungee jumping experience for one. Take a deep breath, close your eyes and take the leap of a lifetime as you fall towards the world below.

Generously donated by Buy-a-gift



#### **19/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES** SIGNED CARL FRAMPTON BOXING GLOVE

A boxing fans must have item. This signed Carl Frampton boxing glove will make a great addition to any collection.

#### Generously donated by Ali Stirling



#### 21/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES TWO GUEST BADGES FOR FIRST MONDAY AT QUEEN'S

Experience the atmosphere of the first day of the Fever Tree Championships at the historic Queen's club on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2019.

Generously donated by Alex Scott-Bayfield



#### 23/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES 5 FITNESS CLASSES FOR YOU AND A FRIEND

Challenge yourself and a friend with five fitness classes at Digme Fitness studios. From rooftop workouts to spin classes it's up to you.

Generously donated by Digme Fitness

#### **20/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES** LASER TAG EXPERIENCE FOR 4

A themed decommissioned Cold War Nuclear Bunker located a stone's throw from The O2, North Greenwich, is a brand-new state of the art laser tag facility!

Generously donated by Ultimate creation



#### 22/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES RUGBY LEAGUE CHALLENGE CUP FINAL TICKETS

For all rugby league fans, experience the atmosphere of the Challenge Cup Final at Wembley on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> August 2019.

Prize is for two Club Wembley tickets.

#### Generously donated by The Rugby Football League



#### 24/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES T20 TICKETS

Four T20 tickets to Middlesex vs Essex at Lord's on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July. *Generously donated by Middlesex CCC* 



#### 25/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES SPORTS DAY FOR YOUR COMPANY OR FRIENDS

Let the London Playing Fields Foundation organise a great team building day at one of our grounds. Choose from a rounders, cricket or football tournament or why not combine the three? A BBQ and soft drinks will also be included.



#### 27/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES WASPS RFC

Four tickets for any Wasps RFC game next season. Generously donated by Wasps RFC



#### 29/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES TWO TICKETS TO A T20 MATCH AT THE KIA OVAL

Two T20 tickets to a match at the Kia Oval during the 2019 season.

Generously donated by Kia Oval Events



#### 26/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES CHELSEA FOOTBALL CLUB SOCCER SCHOOLS

Learn from one of the world's top football clubs. Choose your coaching experience from Chelsea FC Foundation in programmes inspired by the Academy curriculum at Chelsea Football Club. Voucher value £110.

#### Generously donated by Chelsea FC Foundation



#### 28/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES WAKEBOARDING EXPERIENCE

WakeUp Docklands is the only place you can go wakeboarding in London's city centre. Located in the Docklands right next to the giant ExCeL arena, WakeUp is a cable park suitable for wakeboarding beginners right up to advanced shredders.

Generously donated by WakeUp Docklands.



#### **30/ SPORTING EXPERIENCES** RYDER CUP GOODIE BAG

For the golf fan in your life, a goodie bag from the 2018 Ryder Cup including:- A Team Europe T-shirt (XL), a Team Europe Polo Shirt (XL) and a Team Europe Golf Towel.

Generously donated by Lucy McCrickard



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### Thank you

We are not a large charity; every single donation makes a difference. Your support tonight means that more people across London will benefit from the physical, mental and social advantages of playing sport. Thank you.

Thank you also to all the people and organisations whose support and generosity have made this evening possible. We would like to offer our particular thanks to the following:

- Martin Bayfield
- The Kia Oval
- James Taverner

We would also like to thank those who generously made donations to the Foundation.

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- Organising Committee
- Prize donors to the Live and Silent auction as shown in the brochure

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