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President: Mr. H.B. Weatherill (Malvern College)

### Aims of the Association

The PSOBLTA was formed to achieve:

1. The assistance of the development of lawn tennis at Public Schools and other educational establishments.
2. The encouragement of the game amongst old boys by arranging matches, tournaments and other fixtures.

### Membership criteria

The membership of the Association is open to old boys of all schools on the Headmasters' Conference List at the time of application.

### Membership rates

The subscription rates are either:

- a) £60 for life membership
- b) £30 for life membership (for school leavers joining within one year of leaving)
- c) £nil for a five year membership (for school leavers within one year of leaving) with the options of applying for Life or Annual Membership at the end of this period
- d) £10 per annum



### Fixtures

The Association has an extensive fixture list. Matches played by the Association include:

- **Clubs:** All England Lawn Tennis Club, Stoke Park, International Club of GB, Fitzwilliam (Dublin), Edgbaston Priory, Cumberland LTC and St. George's Hill.
- **Universities:** Cambridge, Imperial College and Oxford.
- **Schools:** Bradfield College, Bromsgrove School, Eton College, Felsted School, Harrow, KCS (Wimbledon) and St. George's College.

### D'Abernon Cup

An Old Boys tournament takes place each year in the form of the 'D'Abernon Cup'. This was established in 1929 and is a fiercely contested tournament. After an initial round-robin stage and then a knock-out stage it culminates in the final being played in September at The All England Lawn Tennis Club.

Past winners include: KCS Old Boys, UCS Old Boys, Old Paulines and Old Reptonians.

### Social Events

**Annual Dinner:** held in spring of each year (recent venues include: AELTC and Queens Club) and guest speakers have included: John Inverdale, Will Greenwood, Leon Smith, Matthew Pinsent and Roger Draper.

**New member's welcome events:** annual events to meet fellow new members over a game of tennis and supper.

**Informal drinks:** informal drinks in and around London.

**On-tour fixtures:** current fixtures played in Dublin, Edinburgh and La Manga.

### Merchandise

The following PSOBLTA merchandise is available for Members to purchase:

- PSOBLTA tie
- Nike branded Dri-Fit or cotton tennis shirt

Merchandise can be purchased via this membership form (and via email) and we request that all members buy a PSOBLTA tennis shirt/tie for representative matches.

## Membership form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Home number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_

Introduced by: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to apply for the following membership category (please tick one):

Life/Tie/Tennis shirt	£99 one-off fee	<input type="checkbox"/>
Life	£60 one-off fee	<input type="checkbox"/>
Life*	£30 one-off fee	<input type="checkbox"/>
Initial five year free**	£nil initial fee	<input type="checkbox"/>
Annual	£10 per annum	<input type="checkbox"/>

(\*reduced rate for school leavers joining within one year of leaving)

(\*\* five year free membership for school leavers within one year of leaving)

I wish to purchase the following merchandise (cost includes delivery):

Item	Cost	Size	Tick
Tie	£15.00		<input type="checkbox"/>
Cotton tennis shirt	£28.95	S / M / L / XL	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dri-Fit tennis shirt	£38.95	S / M / L / XL	<input type="checkbox"/>

I enclose a cheque/bank transfer\* payable to "PSOBLTA" for £\_\_\_\_\_

\* Account number: 80730513; Sort-code: 20-96-89

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form to: Jonathan Cooper (Hon. Sec)

Address: Capel, The Windmills, Leatherhead, KT22 8FA

Email: [psoblta@live.co.uk](mailto:psoblta@live.co.uk)

Data protection:

Your personal details will be held securely and will not be shared with other organisations. Your data will only be used for legitimate activities involved in the running of the Association, e.g. Sending membership communication, notices of meetings and functions, compiling players lists and membership booklets. For full details please see our Privacy Policy found at [www.psoblta.co.uk](http://www.psoblta.co.uk)