



## Terms and Conditions for Ticket Sales

### 1. Terms and Conditions

- i. This document lays out the terms and conditions for the purchase of tickets to St Catharine's College May Ball 2020 (the "Ball"). The Ball will take place on Thursday 18 June 2020 from 2100 hours to 0600 hours on Friday 19 June 2020.
- ii. This agreement is between the principal ticket applicant (who becomes the "ticket holder" upon the success of his or her application) and the St Catharine's College May Ball 2020 Committee (the "Committee"). The principal applicant submits to this agreement on behalf of their guests.
- iii. Failure to adhere to these terms and conditions can lead to, amongst other things and at the discretion of the Committee, an application being refused, tickets being cancelled, entry to the Ball being refused, or the ticket holder being ejected from the Ball.

### 2. Eligibility for Ticket Purchase and Admission to the Ball

- i. Admission to the Ball is by valid ticket only. Every ticket holder must present a valid ticket and one piece of photographic ID (university card, driving license, or passport) upon arrival to the Ball.
- ii. The principal ticket applicant must be either a current member of the University of Cambridge, an alumnus of St Catharine's College or a guest of the Committee.
- iii. Guests of the principal ticket applicant must be bona fide acquaintances of the principal ticket applicant, but need not be connected to the University.
- iv. All guests must be at least 18 years of age on the day of the Ball.

### 3. Ticket Types

- i. There are three types of ticket available: standard, queue jump, and dining. Other than the differences laid out below all tickets are subject to these terms and conditions.
- ii. Standard tickets cost £145 per person and entitle holders entry to the Ball from 2100 hours.
- iii. Queue jump tickets cost £160 per person and entitle holders to priority entry to the Ball from 2100 hours and admission to a champagne and canapes reception.
- iv. Dining tickets cost £185 per person and entitle holders to enter the Ball from 6.30pm for a champagne reception and four-course meal beginning at 7.00pm.



#### 4. Ticket Application

- i. All ticket applications must be made online.
- ii. An application containing incorrect or misleading details is void. Such an application may be amended at the President's discretion.
- iii. Tickets can first be applied for by any current member of St Catharine's College. Subject to availability, ticket applications will then open to members of Corpus Christi College, Cambridge and Queens' College, Cambridge and subsequently to other current members of the University of Cambridge.
- iv. Tickets will be allocated on a first-come-first-served basis.
- v. All principal ticket applicants can purchase a ticket for themselves and up to three guests. Guests must be bona fide acquaintances of the principal ticket applicant, but need not be connected to the University of Cambridge.
- vi. The applicant is responsible for the guests on their application.
- vii. Tickets are non-transferable and non-refundable. However, a ticket can be transferred to a different name, subject to the transferee fulfilling the above conditions for eligibility. Ticket holders wishing to change the name on their ticket must go to the website ([www.catzmayball.co.uk](http://www.catzmayball.co.uk)) and follow the relevant link for name changes. There will be a £25 charge for each name change.
- viii. Name changes are not permitted after Thursday 11 June 2020 at 0900 hours, except at the President's discretion.
- ix. By submitting an application, the applicant agrees to have their details stored electronically. The details will not be passed onto any third party, saving the St Catharine's College May Ball 2022 Committee, and will remain confidential. All applicant details will be deleted after completion of the St Catharine's College May Ball 2022.

#### 5. Ticket Payment

- i. Confirmation of applications will be generated via email.
- ii. Payments must be made online by debit or credit card payment.
- iii. Principal ticket holders and their guests must pay together.
- iv. Applicants may choose to pay a non-refundable deposit of 50% of the chosen ticket type. At a later date in Lent term, the dates of which will be notified to applicants by email, the remaining balance should be paid. Failure to do so within one week of the notification email will result in the cancellation of the applicant's ticket and loss of the deposit.
- v. Failure to comply with these requirements may lead to applications being cancelled.



## 6. Ticket Distribution

- i. Tickets will be distributed electronically to all successful ticket applicants in early Easter term. These will be scanned upon entry to the Ball and exchanged for wristbands providing access to the College grounds.
- ii. Tickets and their associated wristbands that are not used beyond last entry to the Ball at 2300 hours will cease to be valid.

## 7. Dress Code

- i. The dress code is Black Tie or national dress. Sports blazers are not allowed. The Committee reserve the right to refuse entry to anyone they deem not suitably attired.

## 8. Safety and Security

- i. Last entry to the Ball is at 2300 hours on Thursday 18 June 2020. Upon ticket collection or entry to the Ball, the ticket holder will receive a wristband which must be displayed at all times while on the Ball site.
- ii. Ticket holders will not be permitted to leave and re-enter the Ball, except at the discretion of the Committee.
- iii. Ticket holders are reminded that smoking at the May Ball is only permitted in designated areas.
- iv. The Committee reserves the right to eject any person from the Ball and to take whatever further action they deem appropriate. Grounds for such exclusion include, but are not limited to, violent, loud, indecent, illegal or immoral behaviour, excessive intoxication, possession of illegal drugs, or breach of these terms and conditions.
- v. The Committee accepts no liability for lost or stolen belongings, and will not provide financial compensation to the ticket holder if he or she is removed from the Ball.
- vi. The Committee reserves the right to photograph and record CCTV footage of the Ball site, its immediate surroundings, the grounds of St Catharine's College, and of persons in these areas, in the interests of health and safety and security.
- vii. The Committee reserves the right to order searches of persons or property to verify any belief that these terms and conditions are not being adhered to.

## 9. Other

- i. The Committee reserves the right to alter the programme at any time without notice.
- ii. The Committee reserves the right to cancel the May Ball at its discretion, and is under no obligation to provide monetary compensation to ticket holders.
- iii. All queries relating to the terms and conditions in this contract should be directed to the Ticketing Officer via email ([ticketing@catzmayball.co.uk](mailto:ticketing@catzmayball.co.uk)).