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We invite you and your friends to our

CHRISTMAS RECEPTION

in the Ulster Reform Club

(NOTE Dress-code: men - jacket & tie)

No 4 Royal Avenue Belfast

On Tuesday 11th Dec.2018

AGM 12.00 Christmas Reception 12.45 for 1.00 pm.

Cost £13/E15

Speaker

Christopher Fitz-Simon

"Jam and Art: Tyrone Guthrie, Annaghmakerrig and the island of Ireland"

Christopher Fitz-Simon is a well-known theatre and television director and has lectured widely throughout Europe, the US, Canada, South America and Australia. He was artistic director of the Irish Theatre Company and of the Abbey Theatre. His books include a memoir, *Eleven Houses*, a biography of Micheál MacLiamóir and Hilton Edwards, *The Boys*, and his most recent, published last year, *Rise Above! Letters from Tyrone Guthrie*.

Tyrone Guthrie was widely regarded in Britain and America as the most important theatrical director the mid twentieth century. He lived in Annaghmakerrig Co Monaghan and, in addition to his artistic work, developed a fruit-growing and preserving enterprise to create local employment. He left his house to the Irish State as retreat, a workplace, for writers and artists. It is funded by the two Arts Councils, An Chomhaire Ealaíon and the Arts Council for Northern Ireland.

NOTE FOR YOUR DIARY

Dublin Winter Lunch Sat 26^h Jan 2019

Please return form below to be received by Saturday 9th Dec 2018

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Please find enclosed cheque for £.....or E..... forpeople
for the Christmas Reception to be held in the Ulster Reform Club on Tues 11th Dec 2018

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