

# **THE BRITISH HUNGARIAN SOCIETY**

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Greetings and a very Happy New Year to you all.

I hope you enjoyed the Christmas holidays and for those who have been ill I hope you are now feeling better and making a good recovery.

You will see from the enclosures that our first meeting this year is in The House of Lords.

This will be a very special occasion and I trust you will give support. If you plan to attend please let me know as soon as possible as places are limited.

The meeting will be held in Room 4A with seating for eighty people. You are asked to be in your seats not later than 6.15pm. Please allow plenty of time to go through security.

On receipt of your cheque you will be sent a map showing the entrance also other information with your ticket and your guests tickets.

Please bring them with you for security.

Please note Membership cheque to be made payable to:

**The British Hungarian Society**

Please also note payment for attendance to the meeting at the House of Lords to be made payable to:

**Prosper Mental Health Fund Reg Charity.**

If you are a UK Tax payer please complete the Gift Aid form and return to:

PO Box 130, Henley on Thames, Oxon, RG9 5YU.

Please remember to enclose a stamped address envelope as to where you wish the ticket/s to be sent.

On behalf of our Chairman and Committee

My very best wishes to you all      Ilona Esterhazy

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Is most grateful to **THE LORD LAID OF ARTIGARVAN**

**Professor John Laid Laird CFIPR**

in giving permission for us to hold our next meeting in The House of Lords

**We are most privileged to have as our speakers on this special occasion**

**Countess Ilona Edelsheim-Gyulai and her son Istvan Horthy**

**HOUSE of LORDS Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> January 6.30pm**

The Chairman and Committee have pleasure in inviting you and your friends to attend this meeting. Places will be limited to eighty persons. An early application for tickets is highly recommended.

A donation of ten pounds for Members and twenty pounds for non Members is required for attendance at this meeting.

All donations from this meeting will go direct to PROSPER an International Mental Health Foundation. A Registered Charity.

Any interested non members may apply.

If you wish to attend please complete the tear off slip and return to

The Secretary Countess Ilona Esterhazy

PO Box 130 Henley on Thames Oxon RG9 5YU

On receipt of your cheque tickets and details will be sent to you and your guest.

Please enclose a stamped address envelope when you reply.

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and state Member/non Member**

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**1<sup>st</sup> Guest Name**

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**3<sup>rd</sup> Guest Name**

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Countess Ilona Edelsheim-Gyulai, born in 1918, is the daughter-in-law of Admiral Nicholas Horthy, Hungary's Regent from 1920 till 1944. After her husband, Istvan Horthy, died in a Nazi instigated plane crash on the Russian front, she became the Regent's confidante and this brought her into the centre of events in the last phase of WW2 in Budapest, before the whole family were imprisoned by the Nazis. Her popular autobiography *Honour and Duty* has been published in the UK and Hungary. She will speak about her experiences and answer questions.

Her son Istvan Horthy was born in Budapest in 1941. He studied physics at Oxford and civil engineering at Imperial College, and has worked in the UK, Indonesia and the USA as a civil engineer and business strategy consultant. His present work also draws on his lifelong interest in psychology and spirituality. Since 1995 he has been president of the Guerrand-Hermes Foundation for Peace, which is interested in exploring sustainable scenarios for the human race. He will speak about his life, his current interests, and some thoughts about Hungary in the 21<sup>st</sup> century, followed by questions and answers.

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### Notes

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