

Sir Winston S. Churchill

140th Birthday Celebration



Photo by J.E. Purdy Studio, Boston

November 21, 2014

*New England Churchillians and
Union Club of Boston
invite you to to celebrate*

Sir Winston S. Churchill's 140th Birthday

Friday, November 21, 2014

Union Club
8 Park Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Cocktail Reception at 6/Dinner at 7



Annual Birthday Address
by Michael Shelden
*"Winston Churchill,
the Poet Laureate of Leadership"*



*Black Tie and Decorations
(or Black/Navy Business Attire)
\$90 per person, all-inclusive
RSVP by November 18*



Michael Shelden is author of *Young Titan: The Making of Winston Churchill* (New York and London, Simon & Schuster 2013) and of five other biographies, among them the best-selling *Mark Twain: Man In White*, which was chosen as one of the best books of 2010 by the *Library Journal* and the *Christian Science Monitor*; *Orwell: the Authorized Biography*, which was a Pulitzer Prize finalist; and *Graham Greene: The Man Within* (U.S. edition: *Graham Greene: The Enemy Within*). He has authored numerous articles on literary themes and has written book reviews for *London Review of Books*, *New York Times Book Review*, *San Francisco Chronicle*, *Times Literary Supplement* and *Washington Post*. Dr. Shelden is Professor of English at Indiana State University, Terre Haute, Indiana.

The portrait photograph of Winston Churchill was taken in Boston in December 1900. This was shortly after Churchill's 26th birthday during his 1900-01 lecture tour about his adventures during the Boer War. This photograph has been much reproduced in Churchill books and on-line images. J.E. Purdy & Co. photography studio was opened in 1899 by James Edward Purdy and C.H. Howard at 145 Tremont Street. It moved to 160 Tremont Street in 1930. After Purdy's 1933 death his son Stanley ran the studio.

Special dietary requests should be given to Jamie Winter at the Union Club by calling (617) 227-0589

Cellular telephones may not be used in any area of the Union Club where other members or guests may hear or observe the conversation. If you find it necessary to use one, please do so in a phone booth or outside the clubhouse.

***To attend, please fill out and
return by November 18 reply
form on page following.***

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To attend, please return this reply form by November 18

Enclosed is my/our check for \$90.00
per person x _____ persons = \$_____

Optional

Also enclosed is \$21.00 for copy of
Young Titan by Michael Shelden = \$_____

Also enclosed is additional contribution of
\$5.00 ☐ \$10.00 ☐ other \$_____ ☐ = \$_____
to defray event costs

Total enclosed \$_____

Full Name(s) of Attendees:

Address:

Telephone:

(_____) _____
Email:

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