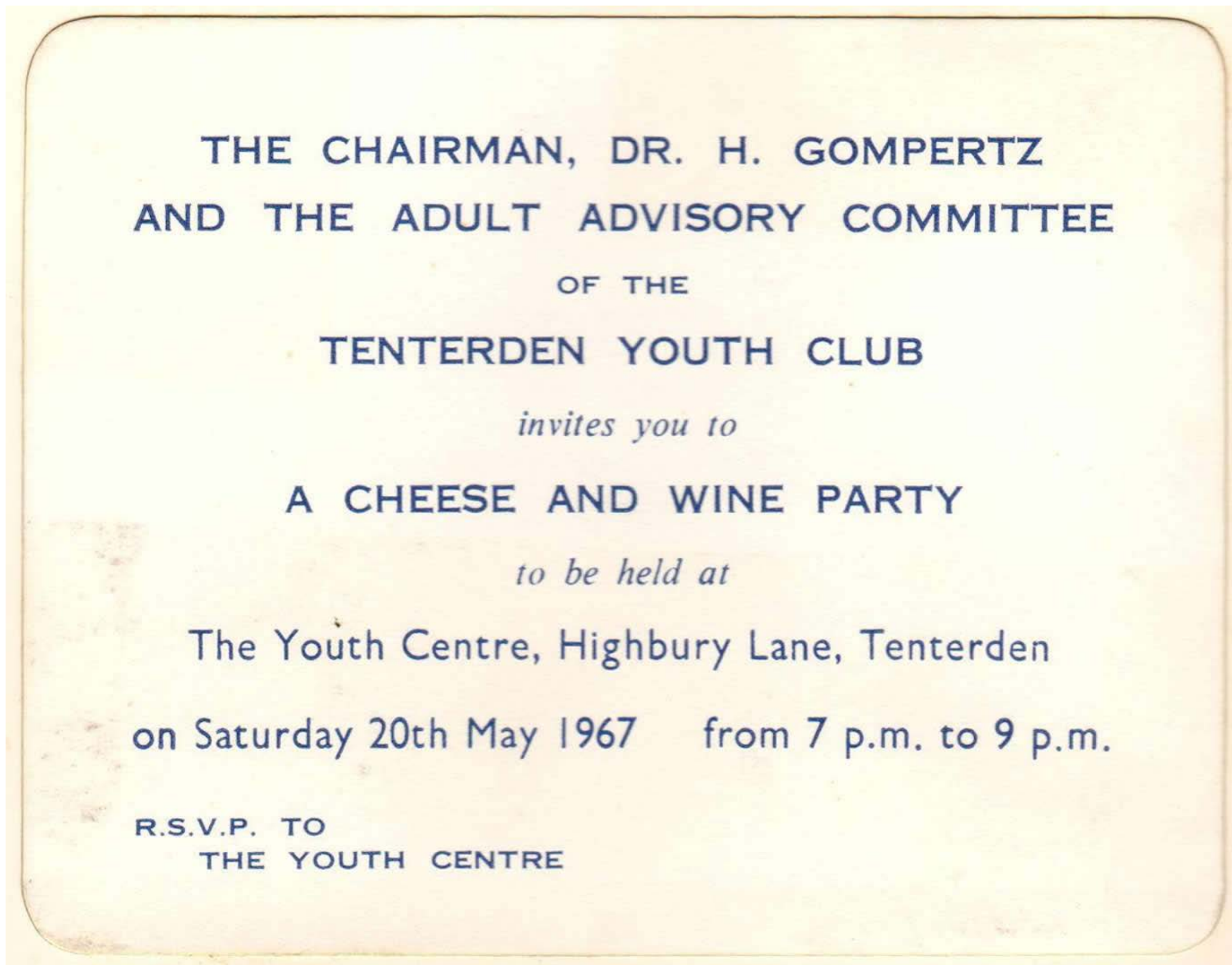


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Youth club still needs £4,000

ABOUT £4,000 is still outstanding on Tenterden Youth Club premises, Doctor Hugh Gompertz told 150 guests at a wine and cheese party in the club on Saturday.

Doctor Gompertz, who is chairman of the adult advisory committee, said the club premises had been built without assistance from outside bodies, and private local goodwill was responsible for helping to pay off the building loan.

Dr. Gompertz pointed out that the building was being used by elderly people on two mornings a week, and by youth club members on more than three evenings a week.

Starting this week, the club will be open to all local youngsters between 16-21 on Sunday evenings for games, refreshments, music and discussions.

The original target of opening the club on seven evenings a week was still in mind.

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So successful was a cheese and wine party at Tenterden Youth Club on Saturday the event may become an annual one. Nearly 150 guests attended and heard Dr. Hugh Gompertz, chairman of the club's adult advisory committee, give a progress report of the club's finances. The club premises at Highbury Lane had been built without assistance from outside bodies. Private local goodwill was still responsible for paying off the building loan. "Substantial progress," he said, "has been made in this direction, but £4,000 is still owed." As to the future of the club itself, Dr. Gompertz reported that the building was being used three nights a week by young people. As from Sunday evening the building would be open to all the youth of Tenterden aged 16 or more. "The eventual target," he said, "is to have the club open seven nights a week."

Tenterden Youth Club