



Presentation of the Documentary Film

# THE BOYS OF ST. COLUMB'S

and Subsequent Discussion with MAURICE FITZPATRICK (CO-PRODUCER AND WRITER). MODERATION: PROF. DR. JOACHIM SCHWEND

am 13. Juni 2013 um 19 Uhr im Institut für Anglistik  
(GWZ, Beethovenstr. 15, Raum 5.316)

„The Boys of St. Columb's“ is a BBC/RTE documentary that tells the story of the first generation of children to receive free secondary education as a result of the ground-breaking 1947 Education Act in Northern Ireland.

This film shows how the conditions of Northern Irish life altered as a result of the mass education of its population, culminating in the Civil Rights Movement of the late 1960s. The film focuses St. Columb's College in Derry, an excellent example of a school that underwent the shift from the dark post-war years into the more liberal 1960s to illustrate the effects of the 1947 legislation. St. Columb's boasts two Nobel Prize winners - John Hume and Seamus Heaney, both participate in this documentary.

Fitzpatrick also interviewed  
many other writers, musicians and journalists of this generation.

Eine Veranstaltung des Culture Club (Institut für Anglistik) jeweils donnerstags um 19 Uhr im GWZ, Raum 5.316.  
Der Eintritt ist frei, jeder ist willkommen.  
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