

WHAT'S ON

May 2024



Saturday 11th

SE District

District Method and Call Change competitions at Clopton(6) – draw at 10.00hrs, Cecil Pipe Memorial Bell Method Competition, David Barnard Memorial Call Change Trophy. For Rules please see website. *Entries to Hal by Wednesday 8th May.* Contact Hal if you would like to take part but cannot find sufficient numbers. Refreshments from 10.15hrs – (bring an empty mug if possible). Picnic in the churchyard. Toilets in church. Car sharing please, as limited parking near Church. Contact: Hal Meakin (semaster@suffolkbells.org.uk)

Guild Ringing Master

Katharine Salter

01473 602407

master@suffolkbells.org.uk

NE Ringing Master

Philip Gorrod

01986 875354

nemaster@suffolkbells.org.uk

Saturday 11th

NW District

District Practice at St Mary, Troston (6) - 10am - 12 noon.

Contact: Josh Watkins, 07502 997110 (nwmaster@suffolkbells.org.uk)

NW Ringing Master

Joshua Watkins

07502 997110

nwmaster@suffolkbells.org.uk

Saturday 11th

NE District

District Striking Competition at Theberton (6) - Towers to agree with Philip in advance what they intend to ring. They may enter more than one team, and ringers can join up to two teams. There will be an official reserve in case any team is one short. Practice on the bells available from 2 pm, draw 3 pm. Bring and Share Tea 5 pm, followed by quarterly meeting, results and trophy presentation. If you can, please bring something homemade, rather than shop bought for tea (take home what's left?). All welcome, even if not ringing. Contact: Philip Gorrod, 01986 875354 (nemaster@suffolkbells.org.uk)

SE Ringing Master

Hal Meakin

semaster@suffolkbells.org.uk

SW Ringing Master

Richard Knight

01787 277704

swmaster@suffolkbells.org.uk

Saturday 18th

Guild 6-bell Striking Competition at Falkenham - 10.15am draw. Refreshments will be available in Kirton & Falkenham Village Hall [IP10 0QW] 18 mins walk from the Church, [parking for 15 cars at the village hall]. Lunch will be available there from 11.30hrs, for those who book. Choice of lunch plate - meat, cheese, vegan - for you to add items from the salad buffet fruit flapjack with ice cream, for dessert. Names, & choice inc. dietary needs to SE(sesecretary@suffolkbells.org.uk) *by the end of Tuesday 14th May.* Cash payment to be made on the day for lunch ordered. Toilet facilities in both the church and the village hall.

Saturday 18th

Guild 8-bell Striking Competition at Felixstowe - 2.15pm draw. Refreshments will be available in the Community Room at St John's Church from 14.00hrs. Entries to Katharine by 17th May.

Contact: Katharine Salter, 07776 148450 (master@suffolkbells.org.uk)

Friday 24th. Wine Tasting. At Drinkstone Village Hall at 7pm. A fun evening (led by Jonathan Williamson from SMLT, Ipswich), raising funds for the Drinkstone Bell Restoration project. For further details see <https://www.drinkstonevillage.co.uk/allsaints/bells-restoration-project/> (On Website). All Welcome

Saturday 25th

SW District

District Practice at Edwardstone (6) - 7pm - 8.30pm. All very welcome

Contact: Christine Knight, 01787 277704 (swsecretary@suffolkbells.org.uk)

Friday 31st Surprise Major Practice at Offton – 19.30 to 21.00

Contact: Hal Meakin (semaster@suffolkbells.org.uk)

All Guild events are advertised on
the
Guild Web Site
<http://www.suffolkbells.org.uk>

What's On events by 10th of month
previous to John Taylor please.
Email: whatson@suffolkbells.org.uk
Tel 01449 766432, Mob 07770 987883