

# **The Suffolk Guild of Ringers**

For the Diocese  
of St Edmundsbury  
and Ipswich



## **Annual Report for 1998**

Includes Record of Peals Rung and List of Members

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# Subscriptions and Fees for 1999

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|                                     |        |                                       |        |
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| <b>Subscriptions:</b>               |        | <b>Donations:</b>                     |        |
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# Current Officers of the Guild

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**President:** The Lord Bishop of St Edmundsbury and Ipswich, The Rt Reverend Richard Lewis

**Patron:** Edmund Vestey Esq

**Vice-Presidents:**

The Bishop of Dunwich (The Rt Rev Tim Stevens), TNJ Bailey, Mrs PM Bailey, RWM Clouston, J Girt, Mrs S Girt, SD Pettman, GW Pipe, R Whiting, Mrs SRE Pipe, Rev LR Pizzey, MJ Rose, AR Smith, Ms AM Richmond

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**Central Council Representatives:**

SD Pettman, Rev LR Pizzey, AR Smith, DG Salter

**Honorary Auditor:** Larking Gowen

# Past and Present Officers of the Guild

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|                         |                       |      |   |      |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|------|---|------|
| <b>Ringling Master:</b> | Charles I Sedgley     | 1923 | - | 1957 |
|                         | Leslie G Brett        | 1957 | - | 1964 |
|                         | George W Pipe         | 1964 | - | 1969 |
|                         | Howard W Egglestone   | 1969 | - | 1974 |
|                         | Rev Lawrence R Pizzev | 1974 | - | 1981 |
|                         | J Martin Thorley      | 1981 | - | 1983 |
|                         | Stephen D Pettman     | 1983 | - | 1990 |
|                         | Amanda M Whiting      | 1990 | - | 1994 |
|                         | David G Salter        | 1994 | - |      |

|                  |                       |      |   |      |
|------------------|-----------------------|------|---|------|
| <b>Chairman:</b> | John W Blythe         | 1964 | - | 1974 |
|                  | George W Pipe         | 1974 | - | 1977 |
|                  | Roland C Whiting      | 1977 | - | 1980 |
|                  | George W Pipe         | 1980 | - | 1982 |
|                  | Rev Lawrence R Pizzev | 1982 | - | 1998 |
|                  | Brian E Whiting       | 1998 | - |      |

|                   |                       |      |   |      |
|-------------------|-----------------------|------|---|------|
| <b>Secretary:</b> | Rev Herbert Drake     | 1923 | - | 1935 |
|                   | Harold G Herbert      | 1935 | - | 1944 |
|                   | Cecil W Pipe          | 1944 | - | 1955 |
|                   | John W Blythe         | 1955 | - | 1964 |
|                   | Andrew T Beckwith     | 1964 | - | 1968 |
|                   | Rev Lawrence R Pizzev | 1969 | - | 1974 |
|                   | John L Girt           | 1974 | - | 1989 |
|                   | Dr Bruce Wakefield    | 1989 | - |      |

|                               |                           |                    |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Honorary Life Members:</b> | Mrs B Hardman             | Elected April 1981 |
|                               | Ranald W M Clouston       | Elected April 1982 |
|                               | Canon G Tarris            | Elected April 1982 |
|                               | Sylvia R E Pipe           | Elected April 1984 |
|                               | Canon John A E Rutherford | Elected April 1985 |
|                               | Winifred Lockwood         | Elected April 1987 |
|                               | John L Girt               | Elected April 1989 |
|                               | Charles R Stannard        | Elected April 1991 |
|                               | Diana Pipe                | Elected April 1997 |
|                               | Muriel Page               | Elected April 1997 |
|                               | J Martin Thorley          | Elected April 1997 |
|                               | Rev Lawrence R Pizzev     | Elected April 1998 |
|                               | George W Pipe             | Elected April 1998 |

# Belfry Advisory Committee

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The following have been appointed as a Belfry Advisory Committee to give advice and assistance on all matters connected with rings of bells. No fees are charged but if expenses are incurred and requested they should be paid by the local Parochial Church Council. The Guild Maintenance Officer will be glad to arrange inspections as required.

## **Committee Chairman and Guild Maintenance Officer:**

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MM Rolph                      Caroline Cottage, Sizewell, Leiston IP16 4TY                      (01728) 832363

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| NF Whittell   | 39 Ann Beamont Way, Hadleigh IP7 6SA              | (01473) 822616 |

## **Ex Officio:**

The Guild Chairman, General Secretary, Ringing Master and Treasurer.

# Other Guild Committees

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## **Management:**

Vice-Presidents, Chairman, Ringing Master, General Secretary, Treasurer, Technical Adviser, Public Relations Officer, Maintenance Officer, two elected representatives from each District and such other other Guild Officers as may from time to time be required or invited to attend.

## **Recruitment & Training:**

Guild Ringing Master and two representatives from each District.

# Parish Affiliation Scheme

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We acknowledge, with gratitude, the support for the work of our Guild, shown by the following parishes who have joined our Affiliation Scheme.

|                               |                            |                                    |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Aldeburgh                     | Higham                     | Stoke Ash                          |
| Bacton                        | Hawkedon                   | Stoke by Nayland                   |
| Badwell Ash                   | Hinderclay                 | Stonham Aspal                      |
| Barking / Darmsden            | Hintlesham with Chattisham | Stowlangtoft                       |
| Beyton / Hessett              | Hopton                     | Stowmarket                         |
| Bury St Edmunds, Cathedral    | Hunston                    | Stowupland                         |
| Buxhall                       | Ingham / Ampton / Gt & Lt  | Stratford St Mary                  |
| Clare                         | Livermere                  | Stutton                            |
| Earl Stonham                  | Ipswich, St Mary le Tower  | Sudbury, All Saints / Ballingdon / |
| Eriswell                      | Mendlesham                 | Brundon                            |
| Exning                        | Metfield                   | Sudbury, St Gregory / St Peter     |
| Flempton                      | Mildenhall                 | Chilton                            |
| Great Ashfield                | Naughton                   | Thornham Magna                     |
| Great Barton                  | Newmarket, St Mary         | Thurston                           |
| Great Glemham                 | Old Newton                 | Tostock                            |
| Grundisburgh / Burgh / Boulge | Otley                      | Ufford                             |
| Hacheston                     | Pakenham                   | Walsham le Willows                 |
| Hadleigh                      | Polstead                   | Wattisfield                        |
| Halesworth                    | Redgrave / Botesdale       | Wenhaston                          |
| Harkstead                     | Rougham                    | West Stow                          |
| Haverhill                     | Saxmundham                 | Wingfield                          |

## Parish Affiliation Scheme Secretary:

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Details of the scheme and advice on whom to contact, through the Guild Maintenance Officer, can be obtained from:

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### Elected during 1998

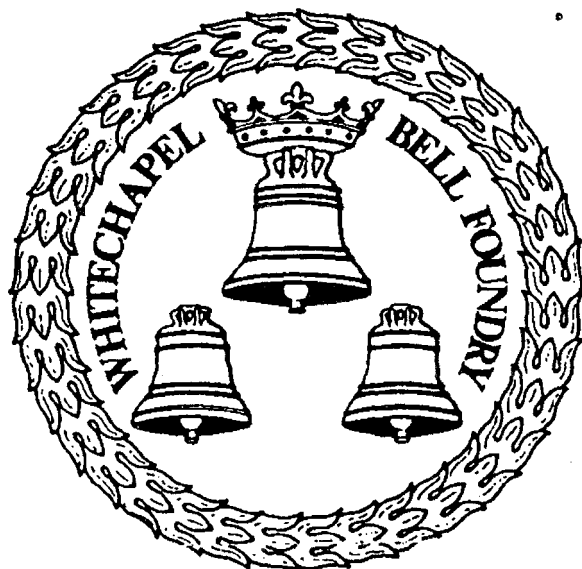
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# Guild Officers' Reports

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## Ringling Master

*David Salter*

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Another very busy year in ringing in Suffolk. Once again there has been a huge amount going on and it is very encouraging to see the emergence of new bands, new ringers and new ideas on how we should be doing things.

The Striking competitions were held this year at Tunstall and Hollesley. Good decisive wins were again notched up in both competitions by the St Mary-le-Tower band. If only all the teams entering worked hard at achieving the very best on the day, the results may, indeed could be different, and the result would be more in the balance. Let us not forget, the winners are there to be beaten, and that is what we should be looking at doing. That way we all should learn and improve. There was no "Call Change Competition" this year due to lack of support in the past but the Recruitment & Training committee are looking at some other form of competition to use the Lester Brett Bell for. What about a Knock Out?

As is widely known, I am not an outing fan, but again I really enjoyed the Guild Outing to North Essex. Saffron Walden, Bocking, Coggeshall and Felstead were amongst the towers visited, with some very good ringing and good company. This year's will be to Kings Lynn, so if you are looking for a good day out book the date.

One event that is always a treat is Veterans' Day. A large collection of ringers old and young gathered at Debenham for a most agreeable afternoon. As usual Muriel and her team put on an excellent do. A village local asked me what was going on. When I explained, he said he could tell they must be veteran ringers as the bells sounded better than usual!

Training Day was again held at Kettleburgh. Again we suffered from a lack of helpers and a change of attitude is needed. After all, we need trained ringers and it is not much to ask, giving up one day to help with their tuition. Those who did attend hopefully learnt a great deal, not least that they were not the only ones in this position. Whilst there are no dedicated District training days the Guild event remains the main focus of training and as such must be supported by those who can.

Disappointingly the Carol Service at Coddernham was poorly attended. Nonetheless, those who did attend enjoyed a simple act of worship and the warm welcome of the Coddernham ringers, tea and goodies.

Of course the Guild 75th Anniversary dinner was one of the best ever. A splendid evening was had by 70 members and friends at the Athenaeum, Bury St Edmunds. The food, hot and plentiful, was supplied by Daisy Catering and the entertainment by Jane Wilkinson, Andrew Wilby and Phil Gay. It was a great honour to have the sitting President of the Central Council attend, and she spoke forcefully of the role we as ringers have to play in the church. Andrew Wilby was, it turned out, much more controversial and his thought provoking comments spilled into the Ringing World, giving us great publicity. Phil Gay spoke fondly of his associations with Suffolk and of the many friends Suffolk Ringers have throughout the country. From the home side, Lawrence Pizzey, Stephen Young and myself responded. Lawrence replied on behalf of the church, Stephen eloquently welcomed the guests and I spoke of the history and achievements of the Guild. All in all a wonderful evening full of occasion.



The following day five past masters and myself assembled at Ashbocking and rang a peal for the 75th anniversary. As with the night before, a true occasion. A peal board marking this historic occasion and paid for by the Masters now hangs in the tower.

In May, I assembled a band for a quarter at the Norman Tower. The band represented the four Districts of the Guild and rang a very good quarter of Yorkshire Surprise Royal, prior to the moving service at which George Pipe was installed as an honorary Canon of the cathedral. I said at the time that we had every reason to be very proud of George and I repeat that here. George was honoured for what he has done for the church and ringing and for what the church believes he still has to offer. His lifelong example and tireless efforts to ensure that ringing is recognised as part of the church and that the church recognises ringers is an example we should all follow. It is not that many years ago that our objects included the promotion of the Christian faith and values and maybe we should reinstate it.

On the Recruitment & Training front, we now have two simulators for Guild members' use. If you get the chance to try one, then jump at it. They are not panaceas but a modern tool to help us all improve. We held seminars on "Teaching Safely" and "Teaching Teachers", but perhaps the best event was the "Handling" evening we had at Halesworth. Within a few minutes the ringing improved, just as a result of a few simple corrections. We also published notes on good striking, handling, progressing and method learning, all of which should be of assistance to all, not just the beginner.

Ringing at Frank Price's continues apace, but now with 10 bells, the two new trebles being added last autumn. If you have not yet rung here then you are missing a treat. I have learnt so much about striking, rhythm and compass since I have been going there which of course carries through to bigger bells and is invaluable education. That coupled with the warmth of the welcome from Frank & Sheila makes ringing at Mindinho a real treat.

On the peal front it has again been a quiet year, but nowhere near as bad as Essex or Norfolk. The total of 98 shows hope, for, after all, peal ringing is the goal for all ringers and is the accepted summit of the art of change ringing. On the down side, there are still the same few conductors and again I would plead with you all to encourage new blood in this most important branch of our art. Special mention of the efforts of George Pipe, for the series of 12-bell peals at St Mary-le-Tower, to have rung the seven "Ipswich" methods in the course of the year is exceptional. Of course we all would have liked to have been included in all of them, but the bands were well spread across the Guild, showing that we do have a depth of 12-bell ringers in the county. Brian Whiting's Little methods attempts have also been very successful, and to my surprise quite enjoyable. It would be a shame if these methods get lost in the depths of the method library, so if you have not rung them, look them up and give them a go.

Needless to say the Aldeburgh band again scored heavily, notching up 10 peals in 8 different Major methods forwardly extending the challengers of methods to be rung.

There were 15 methods new to the Guild, which again shows a good variety of interest.

The following personal milestones were achieved:

First peal:

Amie L Wilkins  
Jonathan J Stevens  
Sharon J Bantoft  
FE Margaret Lambeth

For the Guild:

250th Winston S Girling  
950th David G Salter

Peals:

50th Stephen EG Young  
100th Ann M Webb  
100th David F Webb  
300th Winston S Girling  
300th Mary E Dunbavin  
600th Mary Allum

As conductor:

250th Alan P Mayle  
700th David G Salter

As Conductor for the Guild

200th Alan P Mayle  
600th Stephen D Pettman  
600th David G Salter

So where do we stand now at the end of five years?. Well, I believe that the Guild is in good shape. There are lots of good people doing invaluable work progressing our art and, if we persist, then the art will have a secure future. We must however continue to try to improve standards. What is rung in the county is often far removed from what it should sound and be like. The view that "if at first you do not succeed, redefine success" must be firmly displaced and we must do more to encourage the young, particularly in conducting and composing. We must try to give opportunities to all, not just the select few friends, so as to try to improve the overall scene. As I said at the dinner, we must encourage those who can to impart their knowledge to improvers before those who can not do. That way we will pass on the correct information or ideals.

In the course of five years I have visited many practices within the Guild, and attended 80% of district meetings. The welcomes I have received have been tremendous and I thank everybody for that. I have listened to what the average member has had to say and tried in my own way to action their views. There is a divergence of what the average member believes and what Guild Management thinks. This gap is narrowing and must I believe be eradicated for the good of the Guild. It is wrong to impose the views of the densest ringers on the whole Guild and hopefully more account of the average member will in future be taken.

On the training front we must stop accepting mediocrity and mediocre performance. This may not be popular, but it is better to be unpopular than wrong and I hope that in the past five years I have gone some way towards that ideal.

Personally, I have enjoyed being the ninth Guild Master and only the fourth to have been born and bred in the county. There have been some wonderful times and some not so good ones. I hope I have been of some use to all the members I have come across, I hope that some of my enthusiasm for ringing has rubbed off. I know my life has been enriched by the experience. I accept that some things I have done may not have been popular, but the job has to be done as the holder sees it and until you have experienced it, it is very difficult to understand the day to day problems.

I feel, as Roy Jenkins, that I am going to enjoy being an ex-master, just as much as doing the job.

I cannot conclude without thanks, firstly to all members who over the last few years, have supported the Guild and Guild events. I must thank those few ringers (they know who they are) who at the mention of a training event offer to help. I must thank all Guild Officers and District officials who have helped out in many many ways and I must thank my close ringing friends for support, help and advice, even when not requested. In many ways their support has been crucial.

And finally, I must record my very grateful thanks to Katharine, whose assistance over the last five years, has vastly exceeded what I could reasonably expect from wifely duties and has been invaluable in helping me function as Master.

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Meetings of the Management Committee this year have been dominated with matters concerning the organisation of the Guild and its finances. Besides the normal triannual meetings there have been several more called by the Management Committee and others to discuss the future, brainstorm the way forward, review the options and devise action plans. The first stage of a possible plan was put to the AGM in the form of propositions for some revolutionary changes to the Guild Rules and Constitution. Some were agreed, but others were referred to the Management Committee for further consideration.

The AGM was held this year at Stowmarket as guests of the NW District. The attendance was again disappointing, with only 66 Members attending. Considering the alleged discontent over the state of the Guild one would have thought that Members would have turned out in droves to rectify the situation. Perhaps the rank and file are indeed satisfied with the status quo! Significant motions passed at this AGM included one to require subscription to be paid by 31st March of the year in which they become due and one to permit the Chairman, Master, Secretary and Treasurer to remain in office for a maximum of five years. This latter motion could produce some interesting elections in 1999. However a motion to drastically reduce the size of the Management Committee did not get overwhelming support and was sent back to the Committee for further consideration.

A happy event at the AGM was the presentation of two glass tumblers and a book of "Pub Walks" made to Rev Lawrence Pizzey by the Ringing Master on behalf of the Guild, thanking him for his sixteen years of service as Chairman of the Guild, following on from five years as Secretary and seven years as Ringing Master. Rev Pizzey had earlier announced that, due to an increase in his work for the Church, he would not be seeking re-election as Chairman. His input to the Guild Management Committee will be greatly missed, but fortunately he agreed to continue as one of its representatives on the Central Council. The new Chairman, elected by the AGM, is Mr Brian Whiting.

At the AGM two Members were awarded Honorary Life Membership by the Guild in gratitude of many years of service given by them in promoting the work of the Guild. They were Rev Lawrence Pizzey and Mr George Pipe.

The Guild has continued to support bell restoration projects, with grants being offered to Little Thurlow, Campsea Ashe and Old Newton, and it awaits the completion of the major restoration projects at Orford and Hacheston. Unfortunately it has proved necessary to close down "Friends of Suffolk Bells" (FOSB). During its time FOSB has raised a significant amount of money for bell restoration in Suffolk, but in recent years support for it has dwindled, with few people feeling willing or able to operate the scheme. With the main source of income for the Bell Restoration Fund now being from members' subscriptions it is all the more important that membership be maintained, or better still increased, if the Guild is to remain able to support restoration projects in the future.

Now that the Guild has passed its 75th anniversary, the next major event that it can look forward to will be in 2000 when we will be hosting the annual general meeting of the Central Council of Church Bellringers. Already a small, dedicated group of our members have got together to plan for the event, which will take place over the weekend of the Spring Bank Holiday in that year. Please give them your support so that we in Suffolk can give our ringing colleagues from the rest of the world a really warm welcome.

This will be my last report as secretary as, under the new Rules, because I have now served in this office

for ten years, I have passed my sell-by date twice over. It has been an interesting ten years and I am pleased to have had the opportunity to serve the Guild in this way. I have witnessed quite a few changes, and I am sure there are more to come. I hope my successor, whoever he or she may be, will have an equally enjoyable term of office.

## **Guild Librarian**

*Gillian Wakefield*

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1998 has seen another increase in the use of the library and borrowers have included those wanting to update their peal records by perusing past copies of *The Ringing World* (the library has copies going back to 1952), people who want 'a good read' and those keen to improve their ringing or conducting skills. The videos of ringing in Northern Italy have also been very popular, and two students of the Italian language have found the booklets on Italian bells and bellringing in the library of use in their studies. In addition to borrowers, the library has also been used as a source of information and enquiries have included those from ringers researching the history of ringing in their towers.

It is good, therefore, that the library continues to grow due to the generosity of ringers in donating items of interest. In addition to a growing collection of videos and audio-tapes, the library now has its first CD, 'Campane a testa', which is a recording of ringing in the Province of Bologna and Modena in Italy.

Each year I like to recommend a book newly acquired by the library, and this year it is 'Suffolk's Churches Great and Small'. While not strictly a ringing book, it is a most attractive publication with beautiful photographs by Richard Tilbrook and excellent descriptions of the churches, by Roy Tricker and George Pipe. George has also included some information about towers and bells. This is a book to browse through, to admire the architecture, exquisite woodwork, and fascinating historical detail of our most lovely Suffolk Churches.

So please do use the library, whether for information for a project for school or university, or for a tape to listen to in the car as you drive to work, or to borrow Dove to find information on practice nights when planning your next holiday. The library is here and you are welcome to use it.

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The new Belfry Advisory Committee, which replaced the former Restoration and Maintenance Committee, first met during January 1998 and the increased membership has already proved to be of great benefit and is providing a wider range of abilities, contacts and experience. The approach of the year 2000 has produced an upsurge of restoration and maintenance and it is stretching our resources to the limit. I am grateful for the support and interest shown, not only by the Committee but by many other ringers (and non-ringers as well) to keep our bells in order and to work towards the glorious prospect of bells again sounding from previously silent towers.

It is vitally important, however, that a close eye is kept on the various working parts of all installations, particularly now that those peals of bells which have been silent for some time or are only used infrequently may well be suddenly pressed into action. It concerns me also that peals may be attempted on such bells. Some of our time-expired installations must not under any circumstances be rung full circle and even chiming may be too risky, but there are others which can be rung and perhaps even pealed if they are carefully checked and any problems resolved. However, the organiser of such ringing must be responsible enough to ensure that sufficient work is carried out on the bells beforehand to ensure that they will stand up to the ringing. All that has to be done is to ask if you are not sure. Even with bells which are rung regularly it is quite common to visit a tower where the bells are on plain bearings, only to find that those bearings are bone dry, and the 'go' of the bells is suffering as a result. Often the bells do not 'feel' right and are patently loose, frequently on the headstock or else the single bolted and hooped gudgeons have developed some movement. We are told that they do 'lump a bit' or one or more are difficult to ring!

Even new installations (contrary to what I have sometimes heard) are not 'maintenance free' but require regular checking and attention and it is always best to appoint one of the ringers to be a steeple keeper, with the responsibility of making regular visits to the bell chamber to locate and identify potential problems. Often it happens that knowledge of bells and their gear is limited at a particular tower. If so, then members of the Committee will be more than pleased to come along and advise, and it is surprising how soon the mechanics become second knowledge and, believe me, when something untoward is identified, it is very satisfying to know that it has been sorted out and that the bells are safe and working properly. If there is enough interest I will be more than pleased to arrange workshops and seminars for people to learn about routine bell maintenance.

The above is designed to serve as a warning, and is not in any way directed at the towers where a great deal of care is taken and it is such a pleasure to be allowed to ring on bells which are well looked after and lovingly cared for. Unfortunately, this is often the exception.

It is a great pleasure to report that the number of Affiliation Scheme member Churches continues to grow steadily all the time, standing at around 60 at the moment. The Guild is extremely grateful for their collective support for the Restoration Fund and it would be great if we could reach the milestone of 100 members before too much longer. Perhaps the 100<sup>th</sup> member could be given free membership for the first year. If your Church/tower does not belong, please do consider joining this worthwhile scheme (there are some notable towers in Suffolk who still do not appear in the list!)

## ***Maintenance Report***

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### ***North-East District***

At **MENDHAM** (6, 12 cwt) it was reported that things are generally in poor order. Work on the tower and frame at **STRADBROKE** (10, 20cwt) is now complete and the bells have been pealed. The frame at **WILBY** (8, 15cwt) has been painted and everything looks really clean. The tenor at **BRUNDISH** is cracked and needs to be removed and welded. A peal was rung at **THORNHAM MAGNA** (6, 9 cwt) to mark the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the first peal for the Suffolk Guild which took place at this tower and was only possible following much work on the bells by the Guild maintenance team. **BEDFIELD** (6, 9cwt) have received attention including tightening and general overhaul.

### ***North-West District***

Interest has been shown at **MARKET WESTON** (5, 16cwt) in repairing the wooden frame which has rotted badly in one corner due to water entering the tower via a faulty drainage system. The bells are not safe to ring whilst the frame remains in this condition. Work at **HOPTON-BY-THETFORD** (6, 10cwt) to re-hang the two trebles in a new steel frame was finished in late 1998. A possibility of ringing the bells at **HEPWORTH** (5, 7cwt) depends on the integrity of the tower which has to be determined first. At **GREAT ASHFIELD** (5, 7cwt), following the installation of a new ringing gallery, new guides and pulleys were fitted by the maintenance team. Following earlier drilling of the tenor crown and adding new metalwork to support a cracked canon the bells have been pealed and are now easy to ring. The two trebles at **ERISWELL** (5, 3cwt) which were loose on their respective headstocks have been re-packed and tightened and new terylene top ends spliced on to all five ropes. A new bearing has been fitted to the north side of the treble at **STOWMARKET** (8, 20cwt) and sound flaps installed on the south and east louvres to allow the bells to be heard more clearly when needed.

Work has been carried out on the bells at **BARDWELL** (6, 11cwt) where the bells can be rung for short periods of time on special occasions only. The tower and turret have been repaired but the way that the bells are hung, their condition and their sheer height in the tower unfortunately means that ringing must be restricted. At the request of the Parish **GREAT LIVERMERE** (5, 5cwt) has been visited to look at the possibility of ringing from the ground floor. It has been suggested that a ringing gallery would be a possible way forward. At **FINNINGHAM** (3, 7cwt) new stays have been fitted, replacement ropes and new rope bosses installed and following tightening and overhauling the bells have been rung full circle. **HESSETT** (5, 14cwt) were tightened and checked and at **COTTON** (8, 10cwt) the two-tier metal rope guide assemblies were de-rusted and painted with Hammerite. Various oak bosses were also replaced at the same time. Work has commenced by the maintenance team at **OLD NEWTON** (8cwt 5) where the cracked treble has now been welded and drilled for a new independent clapper. This bell, a Derby, has proved to be of really good tone and work on the other 4 bells will start during 1999 to improve the peal so that they can be rung full circle after nearly a century of chiming.

**THURSTON** (5, 11cwt) have shown an interest in restoring the ring (advanced soundbow wear and many other problems exist) and it has been agreed to carry out the necessary work on the single 2 cwt 'Oliver' bell hung for chiming at **STOWUPLAND** where a new headstock, clapper, bearings and associated items will have to fitted once the crown staple has been drilled out. Bells by this founder are extremely rare and this is the only example in Suffolk. A request has been made for **WETHERINGSETT** (5, 16cwt) to be checked and tightened.



## **South-East District**

At **EASTON** (6, 12cwt) it was decided to go ahead with re-furbishing the support beams and headstocks and other work but the hoped-for Millenium grant has failed. The bells have all been lifted and the bearings cleaned at **STUTTON** (6, 11cwt) and at **ST CLEMENT'S, IPSWICH** (6, 15cwt) there has been liaison to try and prevent future problems over the proximity of some 90 flats which have been built near the Church. Advice has been given at **HARKSTEAD** (6, 9cwt) and at **RUSHMERE ST ANDREW** (6, 8cwt), following a complaint, advice was sought on sound proofing and plans were drawn up by the maintenance team, but this is not going ahead. It has been reported that there are tower problems at **WICKHAM MARKET** (6, 12cwt) and a request to chime the bells at **ST MARY AT ELMS, IPSWICH** (5, 9cwt) has met with the response that these bells are in poor order and this might not be wise. Terylene top ends have been fitted at **TUNSTALL** (6, 7cwt) but the guides are grooved and need attention. A request for advice at **BADINGHAM** (5, 8cwt) has been received, and **MARTLESHAM** (1631 Miles Graye 3 - swing chimed) has been visited.

## **South-West District**

At **BILDESTON** (6, 16cwt) the incomplete roof resulted in water ingress. The 4<sup>th</sup> tended to slip wheel as a result. A loose collar on the independent staple on the 5<sup>th</sup> has been cured and negotiations are taking place to provide a permanent ladder to gain access to the bells. The ringers at **MONKS ELEIGH** (6, 16cwt) are concerned about the central void in the ringing chamber and a floor has now been installed under the bells. Badly worn ground pullies and a problem with the tenor clapper have been resolved at **POLSTEAD** (6, 9cwt) and an approach has been made to the PCC at **WOOLPIT** (6, 8cwt) to agree to soundproofing the louvres. At **DRINKSTONE** (6, 10cwt) the bells are reported as not in good order and bearings are believed loose on two of the bells.

## **Guild Technical Adviser**

*Michael Rolph*

1998 has been a fairly quiet year on my part, with only the augmentation of Metfield's recently restored ring of four to six requiring David's and my attention for grant approval.

However there are several projects which are due for completion in 1999, namely Campsea Ashe, Hacheston, Iken and Orford.

**Campsea Ashe:** The cracked 2nd has been welded and the frame strengthened. Work should be complete early in the new year.

**Hacheston:** Work is to start early in the new year with the removal of the bells to Soundweld, etc. Completion is set for later in the year. I understand that Hayward Mills & Associates are to do the work.

**Iken:** The bells are to be augmented from four to five.

**Orford:** A light ring of eight is being installed in the existing clock chamber using the front four of the existing five plus four new bells from Eijsbouts in Holland. The existing tenor is to be hung for chiming. Work here is also due to be completed this coming year.

Other work carried out during the year in which I was personally involved includes:

**Bardwell:** Here a test ring was carried out after some work had recently been done. Although the bells were reasonably easy to ring, it was felt that the state of the tower was not good enough to allow ringing

on a regular basis. However, with the guidance of the church architect and Diocesan Bell Adviser it was agreed to allow limited ringing for special occasions only.

**Finningham:** A new floor has been installed under the bellframe, together with new louvres in the tower. New rope bosses, new stays and secondhand ropes have been fitted. The three bells are now in ringable order and go quite well.

**Blythburgh:** The tenor clapper was replaced after its crownstaple nuts came adrift. All the other clappers were checked and tightened. The bells remain in excellent order.

This is probably my last year as your Technical Adviser, due to family and other commitments I am finding it increasingly difficult to devote as much time as I would like. I have enjoyed serving the Guild in this post for the past seven years and subject to the membership's approval I would like to hand over the reins to Alan Moulton. Alan lives in Woolpit and prior to moving to Suffolk he used to work for Eayre and Smith. He has considerable knowledge of bells and fittings etc. and I am sure he will be a worthy successor. I shall continue my post as North East District Maintenance Officer and continue to serve on the Belfry Advisory Committee.

## Peal Secretary

*Alan Mayle*

The number of peals rung by the Guild was 98, the second year in succession that we have just failed to reach the 100 mark. However it is encouraging to see the extent of new methods rung for the Guild and the count of peals of Surprise on all numbers. It is good to see the new efforts being made in the Little Surprise Major field and in the peals of Maximus at Ipswich. Let's hope the enthusiasm of certain individuals will continue as this is essential to the furtherance of our art.

Peals were rung in 50 Suffolk towers (and 4 towers outside the county, although not all by substantially Suffolk bands). The first peal on the bells was rung at Falkenham, and the centenary of the first peals were commemorated at Hawkedon and Stradishall by repeating the peals rung in 1898. Rare visitors to the peal columns include Eye, Thurston and Stradishall, the latter having last been pealed 23 years ago.

First performances for the Guild during the year were as follows (\* denotes first peal in the method):-

|        |                 |                              |
|--------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| 03 Jan | Framsden        | Uganda S Major               |
| 08 Feb | Aldeburgh       | Ulceby S Major               |
| 21 Mar | Bury St Edmunds | Middlesex S Royal            |
| 10 May | Aldeburgh       | Yass S Major                 |
| 30 May | Ipswich         | Little Glemham L S Major *   |
| 28 Jun | Sudbury         | Little Comard L S Major *    |
| 11 Jul | Aldeburgh       | Wordsworth S Major           |
| 02 Aug | Grundisburgh    | Little Bealings L S Major *  |
| 29 Aug | Eye             | Dane End S Major             |
| 29 Aug | Henley          | Little Blakenham L S Major * |
| 29 Aug | Marsham         | Zwiefalten S Major           |
| 10 Oct | Gt Yarmouth     | Bowyer S Maximus             |
| 11 Oct | Aldeburgh       | Cotswold S Major             |
| 01 Nov | Grundisburgh    | Little Redisham L S Major *  |
| 21 Nov | Southwold       | Southwold S Major *          |
| 13 Dec | Aldeburgh       | Marple S Major               |

## Analysis of 1998 Peals - By Tower

|                   |    |                    |   |                  |   |                |           |
|-------------------|----|--------------------|---|------------------|---|----------------|-----------|
| Aldeburgh         | 10 | Stutton            | 2 | Great Ashfield   | 1 | Redgrave       | 1         |
| Grundisburgh      | 9  | Sudbury St Gregory | 2 | Great Yarmouth   | 1 | Reydon         | 1         |
| Ipswich           |    | Sudbury St Peter   | 2 | Harkstead        | 1 | Southwold      | 1         |
| St Mary le Tower  | 9  | Sweffling          | 2 | Hawkedon         | 1 | Stradbroke     | 1         |
| Newmarket         |    | Bacton             | 1 | Helmingham       | 1 | Stradishall    | 1         |
| Mindinho le Tower | 6  | Beccles            | 1 | Henley           | 1 | Theberton      | 1         |
| Monewden          | 3  | Brandeston         | 1 | Holbrook         | 1 | Thornham Magna | 1         |
| Stowmarket        | 3  | Bures              | 1 | Husborne Crawley | 1 | Thurston       | 1         |
| Ashbocking        | 2  | Bury St Edmunds    | 1 | Lavenham         | 1 | West Stow      | 1         |
| Barrow            | 2  | Buxhall            | 1 | Marlesford       | 1 | Whepstead      | 1         |
| Burgh             | 2  | Cavendish          | 1 | Marsham          | 1 |                |           |
| Gt Barton         | 2  | Eriswell           | 1 | Nayland          | 1 | <b>Total</b>   | <b>98</b> |
| Higham            | 2  | Eye                | 1 | Oxford St Thomas | 1 |                |           |
| Hollesley         | 2  | Falkenham          | 1 | Pakefield        | 1 |                |           |
| Horham            | 2  | Framsden           | 1 | Poslingford      | 1 |                |           |

## Analysis of 1998 Peals - By Method

|                 |   |                      |   |                |           |
|-----------------|---|----------------------|---|----------------|-----------|
| <b>Maximus</b>  |   | Bristol S            | 2 | <b>Minor</b>   |           |
| Bowyer S        | 1 | Cotswold S           | 1 | Plain Bob      | 3         |
| Cambridge S     | 2 | Dane End S           | 1 | 2m - 30m       | 18        |
| New Cambridge S | 1 | Little Bealings L S  | 1 | Cambridge S    | 5         |
| Pudsey S        | 1 | Little Blakenham L S | 1 | London S       | 1         |
| Rochester S     | 1 | Little Cornard L S   | 1 | 7m - 41m S     | 7         |
| Superlative S   | 1 | Little Glemham L S   | 1 |                |           |
| York S          | 1 | Little Redisham L S  | 1 | <b>Doubles</b> |           |
| Yorkshire S     | 1 | London S             | 2 | Grandsire      | 3         |
|                 |   | Marple S             | 1 | Plain Bob      | 1         |
| <b>Royal</b>    |   | Pudsey S             | 1 | 2m - 58m       | 9         |
| Cambridge S     | 1 | Southwold S          | 1 |                |           |
| London No3 S    | 1 | Suffolk S            | 1 | <b>Total</b>   | <b>98</b> |
| Middlesex S     | 1 | Superlative S        | 1 |                |           |
| Oakham S        | 1 | Uganda S             | 1 |                |           |
|                 |   | Ulceby S             | 1 |                |           |
| <b>Caters</b>   |   | Wembley S            | 1 |                |           |
| Grandsire       | 2 | Wordsworth S         | 1 |                |           |
|                 |   | Yass S               | 1 |                |           |
| <b>Major</b>    |   | Yorkshire S          | 2 |                |           |
| Double Norwich  | 2 | Zwiefalten S         | 1 |                |           |
| Little Bob      | 1 |                      |   |                |           |
| Plain Bob       | 6 | <b>Triples</b>       |   |                |           |
| Oxford TB       | 1 | Grandsire            | 2 |                |           |

## Analysis of 1998 Peals - By Conductor

|                   |    |                   |   |                  |           |
|-------------------|----|-------------------|---|------------------|-----------|
| David G Salter    | 31 | John P Loveless   | 2 | Nigel J Newton   | 1         |
| Stephen D Pettman | 23 | Roger Baldwin     | 1 | Mark Regan       | 1         |
| Alan P Mayle      | 9  | Stephen J Bedford | 1 | Ian Roulstone    | 1         |
| Winston S Girling | 5  | Owen P Claxton    | 1 | Simon A Rudd     | 1         |
| Peter G C Ellis   | 3  | Rodney H French   | 1 | Jeremy W Spiller | 1         |
| John R Mayne      | 3  | Simon P Griffiths | 1 | Michael G Whitby | 1         |
| J Barry Pickup    | 3  | Ian M Holland     | 1 |                  |           |
| Maurice J Rose    | 3  | Adrian Knights    | 1 | <b>Total</b>     | <b>98</b> |
| David C Brown     | 2  | David R McLean    | 1 |                  |           |

*The list of peals rung for the Guild in 1998 begins on page 57. A year-by-year analysis of peals rung can be found on page 56.*

## Guild Treasurer

*Paul V Stannard*

### Treasurer's Report and Notes to the Accounts

The figures speak for themselves, in my opinion, but perhaps the following points should be noted.

The Newsletter has been self-financing this year and the General Fund balance is attributable to this and a couple of generous donations. Outstanding peal fees and prepaid subscriptions are reflected in the accounts.

There were fewer requests for grants from the Restoration Fund this year allowing the balance to recover. The sweatshirt purchase price has now been recovered, (Total sales £503, cost £455).

The Jubilee Fund received the surpluses from the Guild Dinner, Rope Sales and a personal donation.

60 members currently covenant their subscription. 48 of whom belong to the SE District. The district secretaries have forms or they can be obtained from me.

*The Guild Accounts begin on page 19.*

# Guild Accounts

## General Fund

|  | <u>1998</u> | <u>1997</u> |
|--|-------------|-------------|
| <b><u>Income</u></b>                         |             |             |
| Subscriptions                                | 5073        | 5177        |
| Peal Fees                                    | 513         | 493         |
| Donations                                    | 816         | 21          |
| Report Adverts                               | 154         | 213         |
| Sundry Sales                                 | 79          | 82          |
| Interest received                            | 60          | 25          |
| Sale of Badges                               | 20          | 64          |
| Tax from Covenants                           | 68          | 150         |
|  | <b>6783</b> | <b>6225</b> |
| <b><u>Expenditure</u></b>                    |             |             |
| Annual report                                | 1066        | 958         |
| Ringling World Adverts                       | 50          | 50          |
| Central Council                              | 40          | 40          |
| Administration                               | 217         | 303         |
| Guild Newsletter                             | -           | 120         |
| General Insurance                            | 234         | 234         |
| Members insurance                            | 457         | 587         |
| Wreaths/Don in Lieu                          | 80          | 20          |
| Donations                                    | 90          | 90          |
| Officers Expenses                            | 131         | 161         |
| Striking Comp                                | -           | -5          |
| Rec & Training                               | 339         | 315         |
| Outing (Net Cost)                            | -           | 10          |
| What's On                                    | 99          | 93          |
| Badges                                       | 150         | 234         |
| Mitson Shield                                | 47          | -           |
|  | <b>3000</b> | <b>3210</b> |
| <b>Balance</b>                               | <b>3783</b> | <b>3015</b> |
| <b><u>Transfers to Reserves</u></b>          |             |             |
| Library Fund                                 | 50          | 50          |
| Restoration Fund                             | 2793        | 2843        |
| Transfer to/from General Fund                | 940         | 130         |
| General Fund as at 1st January 1998          | 30          | -100        |
| <b>General Fund as at 31st December 1998</b> | <b>970</b>  | <b>30</b>   |

## **Restoration Fund**

### **Income**

|                              |             |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| NRLM Fees                    | 28          | 23          |
| Guild Meetings and Events    | 165         | 99          |
| Donations                    | 1093        | 636         |
| Interest Received            | 1587        | 1630        |
| Sweat Shirt Sales            | 253         | -           |
| FOSB                         | 0           | 155         |
| Affiliation Scheme           | 600         | 453         |
| Tax reclaimed from Covenants | 68          | 567         |
|                              | <b>3794</b> | <b>3563</b> |

### **Less: Expenditure**

|                         |            |                |
|-------------------------|------------|----------------|
| Grants approved in Year | 3600       | 14157          |
|                         | <b>194</b> | <b>- 10594</b> |

### **Transfer from Reserves**

|   |      |        |
|---|------|--------|
| From General Fund                       | 2793 | 2835   |
| Transfer to (from) Restoration Fund     | 2987 | - 7759 |
| Restoration Fund as at 1st January 1998 | 5065 | 12824  |

## **Library Fund**

### **Income**

|                            |           |            |
|----------------------------|-----------|------------|
| Sales                      |           | 27         |
| Donations                  |           | 25         |
| Transfer from General Fund | 50        | 50         |
|                            | <b>50</b> | <b>102</b> |

### **Less: Expenditure**

|  |            |            |
|--|------------|------------|
| CC Library Subscription                      | 10         | 5          |
| Purchase of Books                            | 20         | 17         |
| Competition Prize                            | -          | 10         |
| Administration                               | 1          | 1          |
|  | <b>31</b>  | <b>33</b>  |
| Surplus (deficit) on Year                    | <b>19</b>  | <b>69</b>  |
| Library Fund as at 1st January 1998          | 127        | 58         |
| <b>Library Fund as at 31st December 1998</b> | <b>146</b> | <b>127</b> |

## **Handbell Fund**

|   |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|
| Income: Donations Received                    | 20         | 65         |
| Handbell Fund as at 1st January 1998          | 334        | 269        |
| <b>Handbell Fund as at 31st December 1998</b> | <b>354</b> | <b>334</b> |

### ***Jubilee Fund***

|  |            |            |
|--|------------|------------|
| Income: Donations Received                   | 377        | 274        |
| Jubilee Fund as at 1st January 1998          | 490        | 216        |
| <b>Jubilee Fund as at 31st December 1998</b> | <b>867</b> | <b>490</b> |

### ***St Peter's Sudbury Fund***

|   |     |             |    |             |
|---|-----|-------------|----|-------------|
| Income: Donations Received                      | 138 |             | 84 |             |
| Interest  | 84  | 222         | 63 | 147         |
| St Peter's Fund as at 1st January 1998          |     | 1158        |    | 1011        |
| <b>St Peter's Fund as at 31st December 1998</b> |     | <b>1380</b> |    | <b>1158</b> |

### ***Rope Pool***

|   |             |            |
|---|-------------|------------|
| Rope Purchased                            |             | 594        |
| Rope Sold                                 | 260         | 329        |
| <b>Balance</b>                            | <b>-260</b> | <b>265</b> |
| Rope Pool as at 1st January 1998          | 589         | 324        |
| <b>Rope Pool as at 31st December 1998</b> | <b>329</b>  | <b>589</b> |

### ***Suffolk Guild Grants Approved***

|                | Grants Unpaid<br>1.1.98 | Grants Approved<br>During Year | Grants Paid<br>During Year | Grants Unpaid<br>at 31.12.98 |
|----------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Metfield       | 1250                    |                                | 1250                       | 0                            |
| Bildeston      | 250                     |                                | 250                        | 0                            |
| Troston        | 1500                    |                                |                            | 1500                         |
| Pakenham       | 1000                    |                                |                            | 1000                         |
| Hopton         | 150                     |                                |                            | 150                          |
| Tostock        | 3400                    |                                |                            | 3400                         |
| Orford         | 4750                    |                                |                            | 4750                         |
| Hacheston      | 4600                    |                                |                            | 4600                         |
| Little Thurlow |                         | 2500                           |                            | 2500                         |
| Campsea Ashe   |                         | 700                            |                            | 700                          |
| Old Newton     |                         | 400                            |                            | 400                          |
|                | <b>16900</b>            | <b>3600</b>                    | <b>1500</b>                | <b>19000</b>                 |

## ***Balance Sheet as at 31st December 1998***

|   |                    |                    |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|
| Rope Purchased                            |                    | 594                |
| Rope Sold                                 | <b>260</b>         | <b>329</b>         |
| <b>Balance</b>                            | <b>-260</b>        | <b>265</b>         |
| Rope Pool as at 1st January 1998          | 589                | 324                |
| <b>Rope Pool as at 31st December 1998</b> | <b>329</b>         | <b>589</b>         |
|   | <b><u>1998</u></b> | <b><u>1997</u></b> |

### **Current Assets**

|                          |              |              |
|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Badges                   | 450          | 600          |
| Outstanding Peal Fees    | 36           | 108          |
| Rope Pool                | 329          | 589          |
| 1999 Draw Outlay         | 233          |              |
| Cash on Deposit          |              |              |
| Central Board of Finance | 29264        | 21593        |
| Barclays Bank Account    | 592          | 1472         |
|                          | <b>30904</b> | <b>24362</b> |

### **Current Liabilities**

|                              |              |              |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Grants Payable within 1 year | 5300         | 6050         |
| Guild Dinner Prepayments     | -            | 208          |
| Prepaid Subscriptions        | 135          | 50           |
|                              | <b>5435</b>  | <b>6308</b>  |
|                              | <b>25469</b> | <b>18054</b> |

### **Long Term Liabilities**

|                             |              |       |       |             |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-------|-------|-------------|
| Grants Payable after 1 year | 13700        | 13700 | 10850 | 10850       |
|                             | <b>11769</b> |       |       | <b>7204</b> |
| Reserves                    |              |       |       |             |
| General Fund                | 970          |       | 30    |             |
| Restoration Fund            | 8052         |       | 5065  |             |
| Library Fund                | 146          |       | 127   |             |
| Handbell Fund               | 354          |       | 334   |             |
| Jubilee Fund                | 867          |       | 490   |             |
| St Peter's Sudbury Fund     | 1380         |       | 1158  |             |
|                             | <b>11769</b> |       |       | <b>7204</b> |



# The *John Taylor* Heritage . . .

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# Directory of Suffolk Guild Towers

The table on the following pages shows details of every ring of bells in the area covered by the Suffolk Guild of Ringers. The following details are included:

**District (Dist):** NE - North East; NW - North West; SE - South East; SW - South West

**Deanery (Dnry):**

|               |                 |                 |                 |
|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Bc - Beccles  | Hi - Halesworth | Lo - Loes       | St - Stowmarket |
| Bs - Bosmere  | Hr - Hartismere | Lv - Lavenham   | Sx - Saxmundham |
| Cl - Clare    | Hx - Hoxne      | Ml - Mildenhall | Th - Thingoe    |
| Co - Colneys  | Ip - Ipswich    | Sd - Sudbury    | Wd - Woodbridge |
| Hd - Hadleigh | Ix - Ixworth    | Sm - Samford    |                 |

**Condition of the ring (Cond):**

- 10 - Excellent. Ball bearings, modern frame and fittings.
- 9 - Excellent. Plain bearings, modern frame & fittings or ball bearings in old frame.
- 8 - Good going order.
- 7 - Fair going order.
- 6 - Poor going order.
- 5 - Ringable if cleaned up and odd fittings and ropes provided.
- 4 - Ringable with difficulty and a degree of risk after making odd repairs.
- 3 - Unringable mainly because of tower and/or frame arrangement and position.
- 2 - Unringable mainly because of frame and/or fittings.
- 1 - Hung dead.
- 0 - Some bells unhung on the ground.

**Ground floor ring?** GF indicates a ground floor ring.

## Suffolk Guild - Tower Statistics

| Bells<br>Cond | 12       | 10       | 8         | 6          | 5         | 4         | Total      |
|---------------|----------|----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
| 10            | 2        | 3        | 16        | 37         | 2         |           | 60         |
| 9             |          | 1        | 6         | 11         | 2         |           | 20         |
| 8             |          | 1        | 9         | 21         | 5         | 1         | 37         |
| 7             |          | 1        | 6         | 18         | 25        |           | 50         |
| 6             |          |          |           | 7          | 8         | 2         | 17         |
| 5             |          |          | 1         |            |           |           | 1          |
| 4             |          |          |           |            | 1         | 1         | 2          |
| 3             |          |          | 1         | 6          | 3         | 2         | 12         |
| 2             |          |          | 1         | 8          | 26        | 8         | 43         |
| 1             |          |          | 1         | 1          | 9         | 2         | 13         |
| 0             |          |          |           | 3          | 1         | 2         | 6          |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>2</b> | <b>6</b> | <b>41</b> | <b>112</b> | <b>82</b> | <b>18</b> | <b>261</b> |

| Town/Village                                    | Dist/<br>Dnry | OS<br>Map Ref | No of<br>Bells | Tenor<br>Weight | Cond<br>(Key) | GF    |
|---|---------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| <b>Acton</b> (All Saints)                       | SW/Sd         | TL892453      | 5              | 8-1-4           | (G)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Aldeburgh</b> (SS Peter & Paul)              | NE/Sx         | TM463569      | 8              | 11-2-20         | (G#)          | 10    |
| <b>Ampton</b> (St Peter)                        | NW/Th         | TL867712      | 4              | 8-1-0           | (A)           | 4     |
| <b>Ashbocking</b> (All Saints)                  | SE/Wd         | TM169545      | 6              | 10-0-21         | (Ab)          | 9 GF  |
| <b>Assington</b> (St Edmund K & M)              | SW/Sd         | TL936388      | 6              | 10-3-0          | (G#)          | 7     |
| <b>Bacton</b> (St Mary the Virgin)              | NW/St         | TM053672      | 6              | 8-3-12          | (G)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Badingham</b> (St John the Baptist)          | SE/Lo         | TM305683      | 5              | 8-0-0           | (G)           | 9 GF  |
| <b>Badwell Ash</b> (St Mary)                    | NW/lx         | TL989690      | 5              | 13-2-9          | (F#)          | 6 GF  |
| <b>Bardwell</b> (SS Peter & Paul)               | NW/lx         | TL941737      | 6              | 11-0-0          | (G)           | 6     |
| <b>Barham</b> (St Mary)                         | SE/Bs         | TM138509      | 4              | 12-0-0          | (G)           | 2     |
| <b>Barking</b> (St Mary)                        | SE/Bs         | TM076536      | 6              | 11-1-7          | (G)           | 8 GF  |
| <b>Barnardiston</b> (All Saints)                | SW/Bl         | TL712487      | 5              | 8-0-0           | (Ab)          | 2 GF  |
| <b>Barnham</b> (St Gregory)                     | NM/lx         | TL872793      | 4              | 6-2-0           | (A)           | 2     |
| <b>Barrow</b> (All Saints)                      | NW/Th         | TL761647      | 6              | 12-2-0          | (G)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Barsham</b> (Holy Trinity)                   | NE/Bc         | TM397897      | 5              | 6-2-7           | (Bb)          | 3 GF  |
| <b>Baylham</b> (St Peter)                       | SE/Bs         | TM102515      | 6              | 10-0-0          | (G)           | 6 GF  |
| <b>Beccles</b> (St Michael & All Angels)        | NE/Bc         | TM421905      | 10             | 25-1-25         | (Db)          | 9     |
| <b>Bedfield</b> (St Nicholas)                   | NE/Hx         | TM227663      | 6              | 9-1-0           | (G#)          | 3 GF  |
| <b>Benhall</b> (St Mary)                        | NE/Sx         | TM372618      | 6              | 8-1-7           | (Ab)          | 8     |
| <b>Bildeston</b> (St Mary Magdalene)            | SW/Hd         | TL985492      | 6              | 16-0-0          | (E)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Blaxhall</b> (St Peter)                      | NE/Sx         | TM357568      | 6              | 8-0-0           | (A#)          | 3     |
| <b>Blythburgh</b> (Holy Trinity)                | NE/HI         | TM450753      | 6              | 10-1-10         | (G)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Boxford</b> (St Mary the Virgin)             | SW/Sd         | TL962405      | 8              | 21-2-10         | (Eb)          | 10    |
| <b>Bradfield St George</b> (St George)          | SW/Lv         | TL907600      | 5              | 9-2-0           | (G#)          | 2 GF  |
| <b>Bramfield</b> (St Andrew)                    | NE/HI         | TM399737      | 5              | 12-0-0          | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Bramford</b> (St Mary the Virgin)            | SE/Bo         | TM127463      | 6              | 10-3-7          | (G)           | 9     |
| <b>Brampton</b> (St Peter)                      | NE/Bc         | TM435815      | 5              | 7-1-0           | (Bb)          | 4 GF  |
| <b>Brandeston</b> (All Saints)                  | SE/Lo         | TM247603      | 6              | 7-2-25          | (Ab)          | 10    |
| <b>Brandon</b> (St Peter)                       | NW/Mi         | TL777862      | 6              | 7-3-5           | ( )           | 10    |
| <b>Bredfield</b> (St Andrew)                    | SE/Wd         | TM268530      | 6              | 11-2-9          | (G)           | 10    |
| <b>Brome</b> (St Mary)                          | NE/Ht         | TM145765      | 5              | 6-2-0           | (Bb)          | 6     |
| <b>Bungay</b> (St Mary)                         | NE/Bc         | TM338898      | 8              | 15-2-22         | (F)           | 10    |
| <b>Bures</b> (St Mary the Virgin)               | SW/Sd         | TL907340      | 8              | 20-0-0          | (E)           | 9     |
| <b>Burgate</b> (St Mary the Virgin)             | NE/Ht         | TM083756      | 5              | 7-2-0           | (Ab)          | 3     |
| <b>Burgh</b> (St Botolph)                       | SE/Wd         | TM223522      | 6              | 8-0-0           | (A)           | 8 GF  |
| <b>Bury St Edmunds</b>                          |               |               |                |                 |               |       |
| (St James - Norman Tower)                       | NW/Th         | TL857641      | 10             | 27-2-5          | (C#)          | 10    |
| (St Mary)                                       | NW/Th         | TL858639      | 8              | 27-0-0          | (D)           | 1     |
| <b>Buxhall</b> (St Mary)                        | NW/St         | TM003576      | 6              | 15-0-7          | (F#)          | 10    |
| <b>Campsea Ashe</b> (St John the Baptist)       | SE/Lo         | TM329559      | 4              | 8-0-0           | (G#)          | 2     |
| <b>Capel St Mary</b> (St Mary, Virgin & Mother) | SE/Sm         | TM086382      | 5              | 9-3-11          | (G)           | 1     |
| <b>Carlton</b> (St Peter)                       | NE/Sx         | TM382639      | 4              | 6-1-0           | (B)           | 2     |

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|--|---------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| <b>Cavendish</b> (St Mary the Virgin)        | SW/Cl         | TL805465      | 6              | 11-0-21         | (F#)          | 10    |
| <b>Charsfield</b> (St Peter)                 | SE/Lo         | TM254566      | 4              | 9-0-0           | ( )           | 1     |
| <b>Chediston</b> (St Mary)                   | NE/HI         | TM358777      | 6              | 13-0-0          | (F#)          | 2 GF  |
| <b>Chevington</b> (All Saints)               | NW/Th         | TL789601      | 5              | 11-0-0          | (F#)          | 6     |
| <b>Clare</b> (SS Peter & Paul)               | SW/Cl         | TL770454      | 8              | 28-0-0          | (D)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Clopton</b> (St Mary the Virgin)          | SE/Wd         | TM221525      | 6              | 12-0-0          | (G)           | 6     |
| <b>Cockfield</b> (St Peter)                  | SW/Lv         | TL904454      | 6              | 15-0-0          | ( )           | 1     |
| <b>Coddenham</b> (St Mary the Virgin)        | SE/Bs         | TM133542      | 8              | 14-0-12         | (F#)          | 10    |
| <b>Combs</b> (St Mary)                       | NW/St         | TM052569      | 4              | 18-0-0          | (Eb)          | 0     |
| <b>Copdock</b> (St Peter)                    | SE/Sm         | TM120416      | 6              | 9-2-0           | (G#)          | 3 GF  |
| <b>Cotton</b> (St Andrew)                    | NW/St         | TM070669      | 8              | 10-2-0          | (G)           | 8 GF  |
| <b>Covehithe</b> (St Andrew)                 | NE/HI         | TM523818      | 5              | 11-0-0          | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Cowlinge</b> (St Margaret of Antioch)     | SW/Cl         | TL718550      | 5              | 10-0-0          | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Cratfield</b> (St Mary)                   | NE/HI         | TM313747      | 6              | 18-0-0          | (E)           | 3 GF  |
| <b>Cretingham</b> (St Peter)                 | SE/Lo         | TM226606      | 5              | 7-2-23          | (A)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Dalham</b> (St Mary)                      | NW/Mi         | TL725625      | 8              | 14-1-20         | (F)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Darsham</b> (All Saints)                  | NE/Sx         | TM421699      | 4              | 7-2-0           | (A)           | 3     |
| <b>Debenham</b> (St Mary Magdalene)          | SE/Lo         | TM174632      | 8              | 21-1-20         | (Eb)          | 10 GF |
| <b>Dennington</b> (St Mary the Virgin)       | SE/Lo         | TM282669      | 6              | 19-0-0          | (Eb)          | 9 GF  |
| <b>Drinkstone</b> (All Saints)               | SW/Lv         | TL960616      | 6              | 10-0-0          | (Ab)          | 6 GF  |
| <b>Earl Soham</b> (St Mary)                  | SE/Lo         | TM236663      | 6              | 10-1-24         | (F#)          | 8     |
| <b>Earl Stonham</b> (St Mary the Virgin)     | SE/Bs         | TM108588      | 5              | 9-2-18          | (G#)          | 7     |
| <b>East Bergholt</b> (St Mary the Virgin)    | SE/Sm         | TM070344      | 5              | 26-0-8          | (D)           | *8 GF |
| <b>Easton</b> (All Saints)                   | SE/Lo         | TM283587      | 6              | 12-0-0          | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Edwardstone</b> (St Mary the Virgin)      | SW/Sd         | TL940421      | 6              | 9-3-26          | (G)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Elmswell</b> (St John the Divine)         | SW/Sw         | TL882636      | 5              | 12-0-0          | ( )           | 2     |
| <b>Elveden</b> (SS Andrew & Patrick)         | NW/Mi         | TL823799      | 8              | 17-2-20         | (E)           | 9     |
| <b>Eriswell</b> (St Peter)                   | NW/Mi         | TL723780      | 5              | 3-0-16          | (D)           | 10    |
| <b>Euston</b> (St Genevieve)                 | NW/Ix         | TL901785      | 6              | 8-1-20          | (Ab)          | 10    |
| <b>Exning</b> (St Martin of Tours)           | NW/Mi         | TL621655      | 6              | 14-0-5          | (F)           | 10    |
| <b>Eye</b> (SS Peter & Paul)                 | NE/Ht         | TM149738      | 8              | 19-1-9          | (D)           | 8     |
| <b>Falkenham</b> (St Ethelbert King of EA)   | SE/Cn         | TM293390      | 6              | 5-3-15          | (B)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Felsham</b> (St Peter)                    | SW/Lv         | TL947570      | 6              | 15-2-0          | (F)           | 6 GF  |
| <b>Fornham All Saints</b> (All Saints)       | NW/Th         | TL837677      | 5              | 7-0-0           | (Bb)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Fornham St Martin</b> (St Martin)         | NW/Th         | TL852669      | 6              | 6-2-20          | (A)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Framlingham</b> (St Michael & the Angels) | SE/Lo         | TM285635      | 8              | 16-0-14         | (E)           | 9     |
| <b>Framsden</b> (St Mary)                    | SE/Lo         | TM200597      | 8              | 16-2-3          | (F)           | 7     |
| <b>Freckenham</b> (St Andrew)                | NW/Mi         | TL665718      | 5              | 10-2-18         | (G)           | 8 GF  |
| <b>Fressingfield</b> (SS Peter & Paul)       | NE/Hx         | TM261775      | 8              | 17-2-0          | (F)           | 2     |
| <b>Gazeley</b> (All Saints)                  | NW/Mi         | TL719642      | 6              | 10-2-0          | (G)           | 2 GF  |

\*8 East Bergholt - Rung full-circle by hand, not by rope and wheel.

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|-----------------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| Gislingham (St Mary the Virgin)   | NE/Ht         | TM077718      | 6              | 18-0-0          | (E)           | 0 GF  |
| Glemsford (St Mary the Virgin)    | SW/Sd         | TL835484      | 6              | 14-0-0          | (F)           | 8     |
| Great Ashfield (All Saints)       | NW/lx         | TM996678      | 5              | 10-0-0          | (G)           | 7     |
| Great Barton (Holy Innocents)     | NW/Th         | TL890660      | 6              | 8-3-3           | (G)           | 10    |
| Great Bealings (St Mary)          | SE/Wd         | TM231480      | 5              | 7-0-0           | (A)           | 1     |
| Great Cornard (St Andrew)         | SW/Sd         | TL883405      | 5              | 9-0-0           | (A)           | 1     |
| Great Finborough (St Andrew)      | NW/St         | TM014580      | 6              | 12-2-12         | (G)           | 8     |
| Great Glemham (All Saints)        | NE/Sx         | TM339616      | 5              | 13-0-0          | ( )           | 6     |
| Great Livermere (St Peter)        | NW/Th         | TL885715      | 5              | 5-2-0           | (Bb)          | 7     |
| Great Thurlow (All Saints)        | SW/Cl         | TL681503      | 6              | 12-0-2          | (F#)          | 10    |
| Great Waldingfield (St Lawrence)  | SW/Sd         | TL912440      | 6              | 13-0-0          | (F#)          | 2     |
| Groton (St Bartholomew)           | SW/Sd         | TL960417      | 5              | 10-3-11         | (G)           | 1     |
| Grundisburgh (St Mary the Virgin) | SE/Wd         | TM223511      | 12             | 8-0-23          | (G)           | 10    |
| Hacheston (All Saints)            | SE/Lo         | TM312585      | 5              | 9-3-0           | (F)           | 2     |
| Hadleigh (Blessed Virgin Mary)    | SW/Hd         | TM025425      | 8              | 22-1-17         | (D)           | 10    |
| Halesworth (St Mary)              | NE/HI         | TM386774      | 8              | 18-0-25         | (Eb)          | 8 GF  |
| Harkstead (St Mary)               | SE/Sm         | TM194353      | 6              | 8-0-6           | (Ab)          | 10 GF |
| Hartest (All Saints)              | SW/Sd         | TL834524      | 6              | 9-3-19          | (G)           | 10    |
| Hasketon (St Andrew)              | SE/Wd         | TM250503      | 6              | 9-3-0           | (Ab)          | 9 GF  |
| Haughley (St Mary the Virgin)     | NW/(St        | TM026624      | 5              | 16-0-0          | (F)           | 8     |
| Haverhill (St Mary the Virgin)    | SW/Cl         | TL672455      | 6              | 12-0-0          | (F#)          | 7     |
| Hawkedon (St Mary)                | SW/Cl         | TL798530      | 5              | 8-1-12          | (Ab)          | 7 GF  |
| Helmingham (St Mary)              | SE/Lo         | TM190576      | 8              | 19-2-14         | (D)           | 7     |
| Henley (St Peter)                 | SE/Bs         | TM159513      | 8              | 8-0-3           | (Ab)          | 10    |
| Hepworth (St Peter)               | NW/lx         | TL987749      | 5              | 7-0-0           | (A)           | 2     |
| Hessett (St Ethelbert King of EA) | SW/Lv         | TL937619      | 5              | 14-2-0          | (F)           | 7 GF  |
| Heveningham (St Margaret)         | NE/HI         | TM333726      | 5              | 10-0-0          | (Ab)          | 7 GF  |
| Higham St Mary (St Mary)          | SW/Hd         | TM036352      | 6              | 9-0-6           | (Ab)          | 9     |
| Hinderclay (St Mary)              | NW/lx         | TM027769      | 6              | 10-1-13         | (G)           | 10 GF |
| Hintlesham (St Nicholas)          | SW/Hd         | TM087435      | 6              | 8-2-0           | (A)           | 7 GF  |
| Hitcham (All Saints)              | SW/Lv         | TL985515      | 6              | 16-2-0          | (F)           | 2     |
| Holbrook (All Saints)             | SE/Sm         | TM170361      | 6              | 8-0-0           | (A)           | 8     |
| Holbrook (Royal Hospital School)  | SE/Sm         | TM165353      | 5              | 21-1-22         | (E)           | 1     |
| Hollesley (All Saints)            | SE/Wd         | TM353443      | 8              | 17-0-11         | (F)           | 10    |
| Hopton (All Saints)               | NW/lx         | TL994790      | 6              | 10-2-0          | (F#)          | 7 GF  |
| Horham (St Mary)                  | NE/Hx         | TM210724      | 8              | 6-0-17          | (B)           | 10    |
| Horringer (St Leonard of Limoges) | NW/Th         | TL826621      | 8              | 9-0-3           | (Ab)          | 8 GF  |
| Hoxne (SS Peter & Paul)           | NE/Hx         | TM181775      | 5              | 13-0-0          | (F#)          | 2     |
| Hunston (St Michael)              | NW/lx         | TL976680      | 5              | 7-0-0           | (A)           | 7 GF  |
| Huntingfield (St Mary)            | NE/HI         | TM336743      | 5              | 8-0-0           | (G#)          | 7 GF  |
| Iken (St Botolph)                 | SE/Wd         | TM413557      | 4              | 9-1-0           | ( )           | 6     |

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|--|---------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|-------|
| <b>Ingham</b> (St Bartholomew)             | NW/Th         | TL855706      | 5              | 12-0-27         | (F#)          | 3     |
| <b>Ipswich</b>                             |               |               |                |                 |               |       |
| (St Clement)                               | SE/lp         | TM168442      | 6              | 15-1-18         | (F#)          | 7     |
| (St Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr)             | SE/lp         | TM164446      | 5              | 12-0-0          | (F#)          | 6     |
| (St Margaret of Scotland)                  | SE/lp         | TM166448      | 8              | 14-2-23         | (F)           | 8     |
| (St Mary at the Elms)                      | SE/lp         | TM160445      | 5              | 9-0-0           | (A)           | 2 GF  |
| (St Mary at the Quay)                      | SE/lp         | TM165441      | 6              | 7-0-0           | (A#)          | 6     |
| (St Mary-le-Tower)                         | SE/lp         | TM164447      | 12             | 34-3-16         | (C#)          | 10    |
| (St Matthew)                               | SE/lp         | TM158447      | 6              | 10-0-10         | (F#)          | 9     |
| (St Nicholas)                              | SE/lp         | TM162443      | 5              | 10-0-0          | (G#)          | 7     |
| (St Peter)                                 | SE/lp         | TM163441      | 5              | 8-0-0           | ( )           | 1     |
| <b>Ixworth</b> (St Mary the Virgin)        | NW/lx         | TL932704      | 6              | 16-0-0          | (F)           | 8     |
| <b>Kedington</b> (SS Peter & Paul)         | SW/Cl         | TL705470      | 6              | 11-2-0          | (G)           | 8     |
| <b>Kelsale</b> (SS Mary & Peter)           | NE/Sx         | TM388652      | 8              | 16-2-0          | (E)           | 8 GF  |
| <b>Kersey</b> (St Mary)                    | SW/Hd         | TM002420      | 8              | 14-2-2          | (F)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Kettleburgh</b> (St Andrew)             | SE/Lo         | TM265606      | 6              | 7-1-11          | (A)           | 10    |
| <b>Lakenheath</b> (St Mary the Virgin)     | NW/Mi         | TL714827      | 6              | 13-3-21         | (F)           | 8 GF  |
| <b>Lavenham</b> (SS Peter & Paul)          | SW/Lv         | TL913490      | 8              | 21-0-7          | (Db)          | 10    |
| <b>Lawshall</b> (All Saints)               | SW/Lv         | TL864542      | 5              | 11-0-0          | (G#)          | 2     |
| <b>Laxfield</b> (All Saints)               | NE/Hx         | TM296724      | 6              | 15-1-9          | (F)           | 7     |
| <b>Leiston</b> (St Margaret)               | NE/Sx         | TM438625      | 8              | 20-2-3          | (E)           | 7     |
| <b>Little Cornard</b> (All Saints)         | SW/Sd         | TL902391      | 5              | 7-3-0           | (A)           | 2 GF  |
| <b>Little Glemham</b> (St Andrew)          | NE/Sx         | TM346586      | 5              | 14-0-0          | (F#)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Little Stonham</b> (St Mary the Virgin) | SE/Bs         | TM112602      | 5              | 10-0-0          | (Ab)          | 2     |
| <b>Little Thurlow</b> (St Peter)           | SW/Cl         | TL679512      | 5              | 12-1-0          | (F#)          | 1     |
| <b>Little Waldingfield</b> (St Lawrence)   | SW/Sd         | TL924451      | 5              | 11-0-0          | (F#)          | 2     |
| <b>Long Melford</b> (Holy Trinity)         | SW/Sd         | TL865468      | 8              | 15-0-8          | (F)           | 8     |
| <b>Market Weston</b> (St Mary)             | NW/lx         | TL990781      | 5              | 16-2-0          | (F)           | 2     |
| <b>Marlesford</b> (St Andrew)              | SE/Lo         | TM323583      | 6              | 9-3-5           | (Ab)          | 10    |
| <b>Mendham</b> (All Saints)                | NE/Hx         | TM269829      | 6              | 12-3-0          | (F#)          | 2     |
| <b>Mendlesham</b> (St Mary the Virgin)     | NW/St         | TM106658      | 6              | 15-2-0          | (E)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Metfield</b> (St John the Baptist)      | NE/Hx         | TM294804      | 6              | 9-2-7           | (F#)          | 10    |
| <b>Mettingham</b> (All Saints)             | NE/Bc         | TM363899      | 4              | 9-0-0           | (G#)          | 2     |
| <b>Middleton</b> (Holy Trinity)            | NE/Sx         | TM430677      | 5              | 9-0-0           | (Ab)          | 2     |
| <b>Mildenhall</b> (Blessed Virgin Mary)    | NW/Mi         | TL711746      | 10             | 16-2-23         | (Eb)          | *10   |
| <b>Monewden</b> (St Mary)                  | SE/Lo         | TM238585      | 6              | 5-3-21          | (C)           | 10    |
| <b>Monk Soham</b> (St Peter)               | NE/Hx         | TM213651      | 5              | 12-0-0          | (G)           | 6 GF  |
| <b>Monks Eleigh</b> (St Peter)             | SW/Lv         | TL966478      | 6              | 16-2-0          | (E)           | 7     |
| <b>Moulton</b> (St Peter)                  | NW/Mi         | TL700641      | 5              | 6-0-0           | (B)           | 2 GF  |
| <b>Nacton</b> (St Martin of Tours)         | SE/Cn         | TM217397      | 5              | 5-0-0           | ( )           | 1     |

\*10 Mildenhall: Front six only ringable. Back four unringable due to tower problems.

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| <b>Nayland</b> (St James)                   | SW/Hd         | TL975342      | 6              | 15-0-20         | (F)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Newmarket</b>                            |               |               |                |                 |               |       |
| (All Saints)                                | NW/Mi         | TL645633      | 8              | 10-0-0          | (G)           | 5     |
| (St Mary)                                   | NW/Mi         | TL641635      | 6              | 21-0-14         | (E)           | 10 GF |
| (Mindinho-le-Tower) †                       | NW/Mi         | TL644645      | 8              | 8lb 14½         | (D#)          | 10 GF |
| <b>Newton Green</b> (All Saints)            | SW/Sd         | TL920388      | 5              | 7-0-0           | (A)           | 1     |
| <b>Nowton</b> (St Peter)                    | NW/Th         | TL863604      | 6              | 7-0-0           | ( )           | 2     |
| <b>Oakley</b> (St Nicholas)                 | NE/Ht         | TM157775      | 6              | 10-3-4          | (G#)          | 10 GF |
| <b>Occold</b> (St Michael)                  | NE/Ht         | TM155708      | 5              | 8-2-0           | (A)           | 2 GF  |
| <b>Offton</b> (St Mary)                     | SE/Bs         | TM066496      | 8              | 8-1-18          | (A)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Old Newton</b> (St Mary)                 | NW/St         | TM059625      | 5              | 8-2-0           | (G#)          | 2     |
| <b>Orford</b> (St Bartholomew)              | SE/Wd         | TM422500      | 5              | 15-0-0          | ( )           | 0     |
| <b>Otley</b> (St Mary)                      | SE/Wd         | TM204549      | 6              | 9-3-18          | (G)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Ousden</b> (St Peter)                    | NW/Mi         | TL736596      | 5              | 14-1-10         | (F#)          | 2 GF  |
| <b>Pakenham</b> (Blessed Virgin Mary)       | NW/lx         | TL930670      | 5              | 12-1-18         | (F)           | 9     |
| <b>Palgrave</b> (St Peter)                  | NE/Ht         | TM116785      | 8              | 7-3-6           | (Ab)          | 9 GF  |
| <b>Peasenhall</b> (St Michael)              | NE/Sx         | TM355692      | 6              | 10-2-10         | (G)           | 6 GF  |
| <b>Pettistree</b> (SS Peter & Paul)         | SE/Lo         | TM298549      | 6              | 7-3-13          | (Ab)          | 10 GF |
| <b>Polstead</b> (St Mary)                   | SW/Hd         | TL989381      | 6              | 9-1-22          | (A)           | 10 GF |
| <b>Poslingford</b> (St Mary the Virgin)     | SW/Cl         | TL770482      | 5              | 10-0-0          | (Ab)          | 8     |
| <b>Preston</b> (St Mary)                    | SW/Lv         | TL946503      | 6              | 12-0-0          | (G)           | 8     |
| <b>Rattlesden</b> (St Nicholas)             | SW/Lv         | TL978590      | 6              | 11-0-0          | A(b)          | 8 GF  |
| <b>Redgrave</b> (St Mary the Virgin)        | NE/Ht         | TM057782      | 6              | 8-3-0           | (A)           | 8     |
| <b>Rendham</b> (St Michael)                 | NE/Sx         | TM350645      | 6              | 11-1-0          | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Reydon</b> (St Margaret)                 | NE/Ht         | TM491782      | 6              | 10-0-20         | (Ab)          | 10 GF |
| <b>Rickinghall Superior</b> (St Mary)       | NE/Ht         | TM041746      | 6              | 10-2-0          | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Ringsfield</b> (All Saints)              | NE/Bc         | TM403884      | 4              | 3-2-0           | (D)           | 8 GF  |
| <b>Rougham</b> (St Mary)                    | NW/Lv         | TL912627      | 6              | 15-2-20         | (F)           | 9     |
| <b>Rumburgh</b> (St Michael & AA & S Felix) | NE/Bc         | TM347819      | 5              | 8-0-0           | (A)           | 6 GF  |
| <b>Rushmere St Andrew</b> (St Andrew)       | SE/lp         | TM196461      | 6              | 8-1-10          | (A)           | 10    |
| <b>Saxmundham</b> (St John the Baptist)     | NE/Sx         | TM388629      | 6              | 8-3-7           | (A)           | 9     |
| <b>Shelley</b> (All Saints)                 | SW/Hd         | TM031385      | 5              | 9-0-0           | (G#)          | 2 GF  |
| <b>Shimpling</b> (St George)                | SW/Sd         | TL860514      | 5              | 8-2-23          | (A)           | 2 GF  |
| <b>Sibton</b> (St Peter)                    | NE/Sx         | TM367695      | 5              | 11-0-23         | (G)           | 2 GF  |
| <b>Somerton</b> (All Saints)                | SW/Sd         | TL811530      | 4              | 8-0-0           | (G#)          | 2     |
| <b>South Elmham</b>                         |               |               |                |                 |               |       |
| <b>St Cross</b> (St George)                 | NE/Bc         | TM299843      | 5              | 8-2-0           | (A)           | 7     |
| <b>St James</b> (St James)                  | NE/Bc         | TM323812      | 4              | 6-0-0           | (C)           | 2     |
| <b>St Margaret</b> (St Margaret)            | NE/Bc         | TM314839      | 5              | 11-0-0          | (G#)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Southwold</b> (St Edmund K & M)          | NE/Ht         | TM507764      | 8              | 10-3-0          | (F)           | 9     |

† Newmarket, Mindinho-le-Tower - Private ring.



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| <b>Sproughton</b> (All Saints)                | SE/Sm         | TM125450      | 6              | 8-2-25          | (Ab)          | 10    |
| <b>Stansfield</b> (All Saints)                | SW/Ci         | TL783525      | 5              | 10-2-21         | (Ab)          | 6 GF  |
| <b>Stanstead</b> (St James)                   | SW/Sd         | TL843493      | 6              | 11-0-0          | (G)           | 0 GF  |
| <b>Stanton</b> (All Saints)                   | NW/lx         | TL965735      | 4              | 10-2-0          | (G)           | 1     |
| <b>Stoke Ash</b> (All Saints)                 | NW/St         | TM115704      | 5              | 6-2-24          | (B)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Stoke by Clare</b> (St John the Baptist)   | SW/Ci         | TL741434      | 6              | 13-0-0          | (F#)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Stoke by Nayland</b> (St Mary the Virgin)  | SW/Hd         | TL986363      | 8              | 22-0-12         | (D)           | 10    |
| <b>Stonham Aspal</b> (St Mary V & S Lambert)  | SE/Bs         | TM133595      | 10             | 23-1-0          | (Eb)          | 7     |
| <b>Stowlangtoft</b> (St George)               | NW/lx         | TL957683      | 4              | 9-1-0           | (G)           | 6     |
| <b>Stowmarket</b> (SS Mary & Peter)           | NW/St         | TM049587      | 8              | 20-0-27         | (D)           | 9     |
| <b>Stradbroke</b> (All Saints)                | NE/Hx         | TM232740      | 10             | 20-1-10         | (Eb)          | 8     |
| <b>Stradishall</b> (St Margaret)              | SW/Ci         | TL748526      | 5              | 10-0-0          | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Stratford St Mary</b> (St Mary)            | SW/Hd         | TM034338      | 6              | 16-0-0          | (F#)          | 9     |
| <b>Stuston</b> (All Saints)                   | NE/Ht         | TM134778      | 4              | 4-3-4           | (D)           | 2     |
| <b>Stutton</b> (St Peter)                     | SE/Sm         | TM161345      | 6              | 11-2-17         | (G)           | 8     |
| <b>Sudbury</b>                                |               |               |                |                 |               |       |
| (All Saints)                                  | SW/Sd         | TL871412      | 8              | 26-3-0          | (D)           | 3     |
| (St Gregory)                                  | SW/Sd         | TL871415      | 8              | 16-0-0          | (E)           | 8     |
| (St Peter)                                    | SW/Sd         | TL874413      | 10             | 20-1-20         | (E)           | 10    |
| <b>Sweffling</b> (St Mary the Virgin)         | NE/Sx         | TM347638      | 6              | 6-1-0           | ( )           | 8     |
| <b>Tannington</b> (St Ethelbert K & M)        | NE/Hx         | TM242674      | 6              | 10-0-4          | (Ab)          | 10 GF |
| <b>Tattingstone</b> (St Mary the Virgin)      | SE/Sm         | TM136371      | 6              | 10-2-0          | (G)           | 7     |
| <b>Theberton</b> (St Peter)                   | NE/Sx         | TM437659      | 6              | 6-2-9           | (Bb)          | 10 GF |
| <b>Thelnetham</b> (St Nicholas)               | NW/lx         | TM018783      | 5              | 8-0-0           | (A)           | 7     |
| <b>Thorndon</b> (All Saints)                  | NE/Ht         | TM142696      | 6              | 13-0-0          | (F#)          | 2     |
| <b>Thornham Magna</b> (St Mary)               | NE/Ht         | TM104714      | 6              | 9-2-0           | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Thrandeston</b> (St Margaret)              | NE/Ht         | TM117765      | 6              | 9-0-0           | (Ab)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Thurston</b> (St Peter)                    | NW/lx         | TL929652      | 5              | 11-0-0          | (G)           | 7     |
| <b>Timworth</b> (St Andrew)                   | NW/Th         | TL862698      | 4              | 13-0-0          | ( )           | 3     |
| <b>Tostock</b> (St Andrew)                    | NW/lx         | TL961637      | 4              | 5-2-0           | (B)           | 0     |
| <b>Troston</b> (St Mary)                      | NW/lx         | TL900723      | 6              | 5-2-13          | (A#)          | 0     |
| <b>Tuddenham St Martin</b> (St Martin)        | SE/Wd         | TM192485      | 6              | 6-3-0           | (Bb)          | 8     |
| <b>Tuddenham St Mary</b> (St Mary the Virgin) | NW/Mi         | TL738714      | 5              | 11-0-0          | (G)           | 2     |
| <b>Tunstall</b> (St Michael)                  | SE/Wd         | TM363552      | 6              | 7-2-22          | (Ab)          | 10    |
| <b>Ufford</b> (Assumption of B.V.M.)          | SE/Wd         | TM298522      | 8              | 13-1-8          | (F#)          | 10    |
| <b>Walsham-le-Willows</b> (St Mary)           | NW/lx         | TM000711      | 6              | 11-2-9          | (F#)          | 9     |
| <b>Wangford</b> (SS Peter & Paul)             | NE/Ht         | TM466792      | 5              | 9-2-0           | (Ab)          | 2     |
| <b>Wattisfield</b> (St Margaret)              | NW/lx         | TM010742      | 5              | 9-0-0           | (Ab)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Wenhaston</b> (St Peter)                   | NE/Ht         | TM425755      | 6              | 12-0-6          | (F#)          | 10 GF |
| <b>West Stow</b> (St Mary)                    | NW/Th         | TL819706      | 6              | 15-0-0          | (F)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Westhall</b> (St Andrew)                   | NE/Bc         | TM423804      | 5              | 10-2-0          | (A#)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Westhorpe</b> (St Margaret)                | NW/St         | TM044692      | 5              | 8-0-0           | (Ab)          | 2     |

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| <b>Wetherden</b> (St Mary the Virgin)    | NW/St         | TM008628      | 6              | 11-2-0          | ( )           | 8     |
| <b>Wetheringsett</b> (All Saints)        | NW/St         | TM127669      | 5              | 16-0-0          | (F#)          | 7     |
| <b>Weybread</b> (St Andrew)              | NE/Hx         | TM241801      | 6              | 9-1-0           | (Ab)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Whepstead</b> (St Petronilla)         | NW/Th         | TL833583      | 5              | 7-0-0           | (B)           | 8     |
| <b>Wickham Market</b> (All Saints)       | SE/Lo         | TM303557      | 6              | 12-3-26         | (F#)          | 10    |
| <b>Wickham Skeith</b> (St Andrew)        | NW/St         | TM099693      | 6              | 10-2-0          | (G)           | 7 GF  |
| <b>Wickhambrook</b> (All Saints)         | SW/Cl         | TL735545      | 5              | 15-0-0          | (F#)          | 2     |
| <b>Wilby</b> (Blessed Virgin Mary)       | NE/Hx         | TM242721      | 8              | 15-0-8          | (F)           | 8     |
| <b>Wingfield</b> (St Andrew)             | NE/Hx         | TM230768      | 6              | 13-0-20         | (F#)          | 8 GF  |
| <b>Winston</b> (St Andrew)               | SE/Lo         | TM180616      | 5              | 7-0-0           | (Bb)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Wissett</b> (St Andrew)               | NE/HI         | TM366793      | 6              | 8-0-0           | (A)           | 3 GF  |
| <b>Withersfield</b> (St Mary the Virgin) | SW/Cl         | TL651478      | 5              | 11-0-0          | (F#)          | 2     |
| <b>Witnesham</b> (St Mary)               | SE/lp         | TM179509      | 6              | 11-0-0          | ( )           | 3 GF  |
| <b>Woodbridge</b> (St Mary the Virgin)   | SE/Wd         | TM271491      | 8              | 25-0-26         | (D)           | 7     |
| <b>Woolpit</b> (Blessed Mary)            | SW/Lv         | TL974625      | 6              | 8-1-4           | (A)           | 9     |
| <b>Worlingham</b> (All Saints)           | NE/Bc         | TM455899      | 6              | 9-0-0           | (G#)          | 10 GF |
| <b>Worlington</b> (All Saints)           | NW/Mi         | TL691739      | 5              | 8-0-0           | (A)           | 2     |
| <b>Worlingworth</b> (St Mary)            | NE/Hx         | TM233686      | 8              | 12-0-9          | (G#)          | 7 GF  |
| <b>Wrentham</b> (St Nicholas)            | NE/HI         | TM489830      | 6              | 10-2-0          | (G#)          | 8 GF  |
| <b>Yaxley</b> (St Mary the Virgin)       | NE/Ht         | TM121739      | 6              | 10-2-0          | (G#)          | 8 GF  |
| <b>Yoxford</b> (St Peter)                | NE/Sx         | TM394689      | 6              | 11-0-0          | (G#)          | 8 GF  |



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# Obituaries (1998)

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## **George P Adams - East Dereham & Harleston**

George was a life member of our Guild and of course a life long member of the Norwich Diocesan Association. What a lovely man he was, gentle in manner, meticulous in his ringing and rightly proud of Dereham bells. Like a true East Anglian he loved his Superlative and Double Norwich. We shall miss him at the Debenham Veterans!

## **Cecil Ainger - Bramfield**

Like many another in the Halesworth area, Cecil was taught by Fred Lambert and never forgot the Recruiting Sergeant. Farming at Spexhall (a "Northern Farmer") he moved south to Bramfield and served that community, strong Christian as he was, for many years. A keen teacher, he spent many an hour explaining the mysteries of Doubles and Minor. The Deanery will miss him especially.

## **Alan R Andrews - Thorrington, Essex**

It would be very easy to overlook the quiet and modest Alan in a crowd, his deafness an awful handicap. But here was an exceptionally gifted ringer, beautiful striker and handler on any number of bells, Doubles to Surprise Maximus. And one of those ringers who could just take up where they left off after any length of time.

Alan served North-East Essex well and loved Suffolk where he was a member too. Fortunately for us he leaves a ringing family and we remember him with enormous affection.

## **Thomas Cornish**

Tom was a call-change ringer at Saxmundham and Kelsale from the 1950's, originally taught by the Leiston men before the war. A bricklayer by trade he also combined his ringing with bowls, perhaps remembering that the great Charles F Bailey was a Suffolk champion.

## **Edwin A Cracknell - Buxhall**

Ted was a well known and greatly respected ringer in our Guild and, especially before the war prior to his illness, a fine heavy bell ringer too, turning in Stonham Aspal and Stowmarket tenors. He was a member of Harry Lister's band, no mean performers, with names like Garnham Blaxcell, Arthur Grimwood and Shelford Sparrow coming to mind.

But Ted's first love was fine striking, whether it was Bob Minor or Treble Ten and everything in between. No matter what the occasion, there would be 110% effort at the end of his rope! He will be greatly missed especially in West Suffolk and it is good that a peal board honours his memory in Stowmarket belfry.

## **Beatrice Eleanor Farrow - Clacton on Sea**

Eleanor Reeve, as we knew her, was a member of that gallant "band of ladies from St. Matthew's" (Ipswich). Coming up from Buckinghamshire in 1930, she, with sister Bertha - we seem to just remember Christian names - Mollie, Sylvia, Mary and others, were a popular group between 1934 and 1939 under the patient tutelage of Fred Bowell, Cecil Aldous and others from the six bell trio of St Clement's, St. Matthew's and Rushmere. They did much to establish, with Daisy Andrews, Hilda Snowdon and Mrs Leslie Wright, ladies' ringing in the Suffolk Guild.

### **Leslie N Melton - Pakenham, Ipswich and London**

If Les had lived in Australia he might have been dubbed The Wild Colonial Boy! This loveable man combined skill and ability in his ringing and conducting with a somewhat enigmatic style and a dash of the outrageous.

He started ringing in the middle fifties and up to 1965 was a prolific peal ringer and conductor, a go-anywhere enthusiast. Things were never dull when Leslie was around. One peal stands out in my mind when he rang Woodbridge tenor immaculately to Double Norwich in 1963, with an untucked rope.

### **Mabel Parker - Stonham Aspal**

Dear Mabel, wife and supporter of Russell her husband, who suffered badly at Japanese hands. In later years she was always cheerfully helping, serving teas at Stonham Aspal, Debenham and elsewhere. We miss her as we do Russell and his brother Herbie.

### **Robert Southgate - Bramford and USA**

One of the success stories of post-war Guild activities was the Bramford band of the sixties and early seventies. A whole ruck (as Bill Kinsey would say) of talented boys and girls of whom Robert was outstanding. They were keen, my word they were. Winners, too, of the striking competition, they combined tower bells with hand bell ringing, outings, events and all with a lot of fun.

We are so sad that Robert was taken from us at 52 but the packed church at his funeral was testimony enough.

### **Norman Summerhayes - Egham, Surrey**

Norman was one of nature's gentlemen, a fine ringer, family man, and Guild officer, staunch Cumberland and many things besides. Perhaps his biggest contribution was his tireless efforts to bring together the London County, the College Youths and the Society of Royal Cumberland Youths.

Norman was a life member and his love of Suffolk went back to the time when he worked down at Dartford with James E Bailey of Leiston. Theirs was a lifetime friendship and he never forgot it. In later years with Joan (née Beresford) his wife, he did much for Surrey ringing. To see Norman on the 9th in a piece of twelve bell ringing one knew the roll-ups would be good.

### **Dinah, Lady Tollemache - Helmingham**

The Dowager Lady always took an interest in bells and loved to hear Helmingham on a Sunday morning or to a peal. Perhaps her late husband had told her that his kinsman had paid for Helmingham's new ring in 1815.

### **Arthur Woods - Bredfield**

There are hundreds of ringers like Arthur up and down the land, loyal, local, willing to give a hand, part of the 'warp and weft' of parish life. Not headline makers but 'there', sounding out God's message Sunday by Sunday. We are thankful for them.

May they Rest in Peace.

George W Pipe

# North East District

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## ***Secretary's Report (1998)***

***Isabel Rivers***

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I've managed to reach the end of my first year as secretary without too many mishaps! I would not have had such an easy and enjoyable year without the help of my fellow officers - thank you!

We welcomed ten new members during the year. Sadly, we lost a much respected member, Cecil Ainger, a ringer for many years. He made an enormous contribution to ringing and, especially, to our district.

The first meeting of 1998, at Yoxford and Peasenhall, was held on St Valentine's Day! The District Striking Competition followed on 9th May at Saxmundham, when six teams competed. The ringing was, on the whole, very good, and the general ringing after the meeting was well supported. We joined forces with the NW District in August for a very enjoyable meeting with ringing at Cotton and Eye. The weather was glorious, enabling us to have tea alfresco!

The 10-bell practices at Beccles have, I feel, been most successful, with progress being steadily achieved throughout the year, culminating in some quite respectable Grandsire Caters. Unfortunately, the 8-bell practices at Halesworth were not, generally, so well attended. We really do need your support for the practice meetings to make them worthwhile. We need both people wanting to practice and, especially, some experienced ringers to make up the bands - so please, whatever level of ringing you are at, come along in 1999.

Thank you all for your support, I hope to improve the service now I know what I'm meant to be doing!

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## ***District Membership (1998)***

### **Aldeburgh** *PN: Mon; Su 1000*

|              |    |     |
|--------------|----|-----|
| Bedford SJ   | 40 | 304 |
| Hughes DT    | -  | 1   |
| Hughes TD    | 2  | 252 |
| Hughes Mrs H | -  | -   |
| Gordon Mrs L | -  | -   |
| Last Mrs R   | -  | 16  |
| Rapier RTL   | 18 | 217 |
| Roberts CW   | -  | -   |
| Whyte Mrs B  | -  | -   |

### **Beccles** *PN: Wed; Su 0945*

|               |   |     |
|---------------|---|-----|
| Bailey Miss J | - | 6   |
| Bailey Mrs PM | - | 755 |
| Bailey TNJ    | 7 | 730 |
| Bennett J     | - | -   |

### **Beccles (contd.)**

|              |    |     |
|--------------|----|-----|
| Brock EA     | -  | -   |
| Darch Mrs F  | -  | -   |
| Eaton Mrs M  | -  | 6   |
| Keable Mrs B | -  | -   |
| Pickup JB    | 10 | 397 |
| Plummer CR   | -  | 8   |
| Webb Mrs A-M | 9  | 90  |
| Webb DF      | 10 | 98  |

### **Benhall**

|               |                      |     |
|---------------|----------------------|-----|
|               | <i>PN: Fri (alt)</i> |     |
| Bantoft Mrs S | 1                    | 1   |
| Peters D      | -                    | -   |
| Peters MJ     | 1                    | 22  |
| Peters RP     | -                    | 260 |

### **Blythburgh**

*PN: Wed  
Su 1030 (2,4)*

|               |   |   |
|---------------|---|---|
| Alderton D    | - | - |
| Dawson S      | - | - |
| Norton Miss C | - | - |
| Roberts H     | - | - |
| Roberts Mrs S | - | - |
| Walter Mrs A  | - | - |

### **Bramfield**

|           |   |   |
|-----------|---|---|
| Hullett C | - | - |
|-----------|---|---|



**Halesworth** PN: Tue (2,4)  
Su 1000

Burdyszek Ms M - -  
Crooks D - -  
Mann B - -  
Wright Mrs R - -

**Horham** PN: Tue (1,4)

Wilkins Miss A 2 2  
Wilkins Mrs A - -  
Wilkins H - -

**Kessingland** PN: Thu  
(Unattached Tower)

Banester B - -  
Parker MJ - 133  
Taylor Mrs N - 1

**Laxfield** PN: Tue (2)

Allum RD 12 461  
Allum Mrs M 13 479

**Leiston** PN: Wed

Fitsell Mrs C - -  
Fitsell Miss E - -  
Fitsell P - -  
Rolph M - 36

**Little Glemham**

Rogers A 5 20

**Metfield** PN: Tue

Howe T - -  
Quornby M - -  
Underwood P - -

**Pakefield** PN: Thu

(Unattached Tower)

Lloyd I - -  
Welton G 1 1

**Peasenhall**

Banthorpe D - -  
Pepper Mrs B - -  
Thickett J - -  
Thickett Mrs M - -  
Thickett M - -  
Ward M - -  
Ward Mrs M - -

**Reydon**

Clarke F - -  
Clement R - -  
Doy Mrs P - -  
Doy P - -  
Greenfield D - -  
Moyse D - -  
Tims G - -

**Rumburgh**

Chapman Mrs F - -  
Harris IR - -  
Harris Mrs PM - -

**Saxmundham**

Archer Mrs B (AM) - -  
French Mrs A (AM) - -  
French R 12 91  
Gibbons J - -

**Southwold**

PN: Fri  
Su 1030; 1800

Assman Mrs K - -  
Cordeaux Mrs S - -  
Glanville R - 2  
Jackson Miss B - -  
Johnson Mrs J - 2  
O'Hara Mrs A - -  
O'Hara P - -  
Noble E - -  
Pope D - -  
Price D 10 95  
Price Mrs H 4 14  
Sage MB - 3  
Uden J - -  
Wilde M - -

**Sweffling**

Church Mrs D - -  
Goodman K - -  
Hobson G - -  
Tesh J - -  
Tesh Mrs S - -

**Theberton**

PN: Thu (last)

Su: 0900 (3,5)  
Glasier Mrs P - 3  
Powell Dr B - -

**Wenhaston**

PN: Fri  
Su 0930 (alt.Su)

Barrett P - -  
Halls G - -  
Hake Mrs S - -  
Jackson Mrs V - -  
Johnceline Mrs J - -  
Read A - -

**Worlingham**

PN: Tue

Hales Miss J - -  
Holmes W - -  
Plummer Mrs S - -  
Sporle Mrs R - -  
Thompson D - -  
Young Mrs S - -

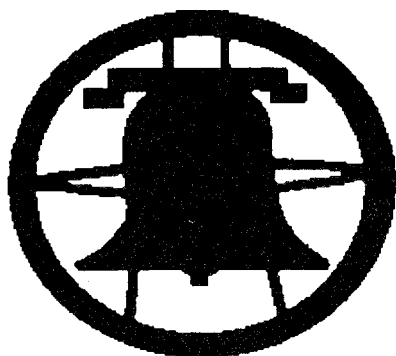
**Yoxford**

Sun 0900

Horner JS - -  
Holmes J - -  
Morphey S - -  
Tallis D - -

**Unattached:**

Bedford VB 2 139  
Rivers Ms I - -  
Rivers R - -  
Sutherland GA - 8  
Sutherland Mrs E - 4  
Sutton F - -  
Sutton Mrs H - -



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## **Secretary's Report (1998)**

**Sue Ashton Jones**

1998 proved to be another excellent year particularly for newcomers. All the beginners practices have been extremely well attended and I think enjoyed.

Sadly Ted Cracknell from Stowmarket and Buxhall died in March. A Guild member for 64 years he will be greatly missed both as a ringer and a friend.

Well done to Hinderclay for winning the District Striking Competition in April. The joint NW/NE meeting in August at Cotton and Eye was a great success; I hope this tradition can be maintained. A number of our members also enjoyed the walks organised by Don Price, despite the weather!

The ADM at Stowmarket in October commenced with a magnificent three course meal and the following business meeting elected a new Chairman and Secretary. We wish Keith Ashton Jones and Margaret Lambeth good luck in their new posts and thank the outgoing incumbents for their hard work.

December 12th proved to be a busy day. The beginners practice at Pakenham in the morning was supported by some 40 people. When not ringing, a quiz organised by Stephen and Keith (where do they dream up those questions?) taxed everybody, the only sound to be heard was the scratching of pencils and the munching of mince pies. The Christmas Dinner in the evening was held at Haughley where we all ate, laughed and talked too much and had a thoroughly enjoyable time. (The Christmas decorations were magnificent!)

I hope that the enthusiasm and support will be continued in the coming year.

Good Luck and Good Ringing in 1999.

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## ***District Membership (1998)***

| <b>Bacton</b>   | <i>PN: Wed</i> | <b>Badwell Ash</b> |                                     | <b>Brandon</b>         | <i>PN: Wed; Su 1030</i>            |
|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Franks Dr PS    | 1 4            | Ashton-Jones K     | - -                                 | Brimson D              | - -                                |
| Franks Mrs SM   | 1 5            | Ashton-Jones Mrs S | - -                                 | Burrows Mrs D          | - -                                |
| Last B          | - -            |                    |                                     | Curson Mrs SA          | - -                                |
| Last Mrs L      | - -            | <b>Barrow</b>      | <i>Su 1015</i>                      | Ramsbottom J           | - 1                                |
| Last Miss R     | - -            |                    | <i>PN: Thu (alt with Horringer)</i> |                        |                                    |
| Sands D         | - -            | Morley Mrs S       | - -                                 | <b>Bury St Edmunds</b> | <i>PN: Tue</i>                     |
| Smith Mrs C     | - -            | Nunn CR            | 1 107                               |                        | <i>Su 0915 (1,5); 1430 (2,3,4)</i> |
| Southgate Mrs R | - -            | Nunn Mrs KD        | - 7                                 | Atwell Miss E          | - -                                |
|                 |                | Rawlings J         | - -                                 | Atwell Very Revd J     | - -                                |
|                 |                | Wells BR           | 1 4                                 | Atwell L               | -                                  |

**Bury St Edmunds (contd)**

|                |   |     |
|----------------|---|-----|
| Atwell Miss M  | - | -   |
| Bishop EW      | - | 18  |
| Collard Miss K | - | -   |
| Garrett Mrs J  | 1 | 124 |
| Hart T         | 1 | 12  |
| Holland I      | 4 | 27  |
| Lambeth Ms M   | 1 | 1   |
| Moult A        | 1 | 1   |
| Sadler D       | - | -   |
| Stannard CR    | - | 35  |
| Stannard PV    | 5 | 207 |

**Buxhall** PN: Tue (last only)  
Su 0900 (1); 1030 (2)

|              |   |   |
|--------------|---|---|
| Clarke G     | - | - |
| Johnstone DJ | - | - |
| Mitson HA    | - | - |
| Nettleton P  | - | - |
| Steed DJ     | 1 | 3 |

**Dalham** PN: Fri  
Su 1030 (1), 0830 (4)

|                   |   |    |
|-------------------|---|----|
| Blumfield Mrs DAJ | - | 33 |
| Hayes Rev BR      | - | -  |
| Summers P         | - | -  |
| Summers Mrs W     | - | -  |

**Euston**

|               |   |    |
|---------------|---|----|
| Ivings H      | - | 31 |
| Ivings Mrs WM | - | 26 |

**Exning** PN: Wed; Su 1030

|                   |   |    |
|-------------------|---|----|
| Andrews D         | - | -  |
| Catton Canon C    | - | -  |
| Hardy J           | - | 2  |
| Howe Miss J       | - | -  |
| Langham Mrs J     | - | 2  |
| Moore Miss V      | - | 1  |
| Price Mrs S       | - | 1  |
| Thompson Ms C     | 6 | 13 |
| Washbourne Miss A | - | -  |
| Washbourne Miss S | - | -  |
| Wiseman Mrs G     | - | -  |

**Freckenham**

|          |   |   |
|----------|---|---|
| Oakley R | - | - |
|----------|---|---|

**Great Barton** PN: Thu (1,3,5)  
Su 0930 (2,4)

|               |   |    |
|---------------|---|----|
| Colman Mrs CA | 6 | 78 |
| Colman J      | 5 | 89 |
| Smalley R     | - | -  |

**Haughley** PN: Mon

|              |   |   |
|--------------|---|---|
| Allen J      | - | - |
| Coe RE       | - | - |
| Frost D      | - | - |
| Frost Mrs JM | - | - |

**Hinderclay** PN: Mon (1,3)

|                      |   |   |
|----------------------|---|---|
| Moore R              | - | 2 |
| Rutherford Canon JAE | - | - |

**Hopton** PN: Mon (2,4)

|                |   |    |
|----------------|---|----|
| Chart Mrs A    | - | -  |
| Cracknell M    | - | -  |
| Maynard B      | - | -  |
| Maynard Miss C | - | -  |
| Maynard S      | - | 1  |
| Smith Mrs C    | - | -  |
| Spillard J     | - | -  |
| Taylor Miss P  | - | -  |
| Young Mrs RV   | - | 10 |
| Young SEG      | 1 | 28 |

**Horringer**

PN: Thu (alt with Barrow)  
Su 1030 (ex 4); 0930 (4)

|                |   |    |
|----------------|---|----|
| Crouch M       | - | 2  |
| Crouch Mrs SEV | - | 62 |
| Green Mrs J    | - | -  |

**Ixworth** PN: Tue; Su 0900

|                 |   |    |
|-----------------|---|----|
| Brown KG        | - | 76 |
| Harrison Mrs A  | - | -  |
| Harrison M      | - | -  |
| Henderson Mrs A | - | -  |
| Sharp LS        | - | 44 |

**Lakenheath** PN: Mon; Su 1000

|         |   |   |
|---------|---|---|
| Rolph R | - | - |
| Smith W | - | - |

**Mendlesham**

|             |   |    |
|-------------|---|----|
| Lockwood TW | - | 14 |
|-------------|---|----|

**Mildenhall** PN: Tue; Su 1750

|              |   |   |
|--------------|---|---|
| Goodwin P    | - | 6 |
| Hey Mrs T    | - | - |
| Keeper Mrs R | - | - |
| Turner Mrs M | - | - |

**Newmarket** Su 0915; 1800

|                |   |   |
|----------------|---|---|
| Evans REH      | - | - |
| Evans Mrs SFA  | - | - |
| Hitchman Mrs B | - | - |
| Hitchman I     | - | - |
| Smith Canon G  | - | - |

**Pakenham** PN: Fri

|               |   |   |
|---------------|---|---|
| Burrows Mrs S | - | 2 |
| Munford Mrs S | 1 | 3 |
| Munford S     | 1 | 5 |
| Tipple Mrs J  | - | 1 |

**Rougham** PN: Thu; Su 1030

|                 |   |     |
|-----------------|---|-----|
| Antrobus Miss A | - | -   |
| Antrobus M      | - | -   |
| Bell Mrs A      | - | -   |
| Evans B         | - | 2   |
| Rose Mrs A (AM) | - | -   |
| Rose MJ         | 7 | 235 |
| Teverson Mrs E  | 2 | 22  |
| Wright Mrs C    | - | -   |
| Wright L        | - | 11  |

**Stowmarket** PN: Tue  
Su: 1000 (1,4); 0945 (3)

|                |    |     |
|----------------|----|-----|
| Beatty D       | 1  | 3   |
| Beever Miss JM | 3  | 311 |
| Beever Miss SM | -  | -   |
| Girling Mrs CA | 4  | 50  |
| Girling WS     | 15 | 260 |
| Kidger Miss H  | 1  | 15  |
| Redhead Miss E | -  | -   |
| Scarse A       | -  | -   |
| Webb Miss K    | -  | -   |
| Whitton Miss S | -  | -   |

**Stowlangtoft** PN: Wed (5)

|               |   |   |
|---------------|---|---|
| Markham Mrs J | - | - |
| White S       | - | - |

**Walsham-le-Willows***PN: Fri; Su 1030*

Foulger Mrs A - 1  
 Pollard B - 12

**Wattisfield** *PN: Mon (5)*

Armstrong Mrs M - -  
 Armstrong R - -

**West Stow***PN: Tue*

Adams M - -  
 Burrell A - -  
 Dunbavin CJ 4 148  
 Dunbavin Mrs ME 19 188  
 Jeal Mrs C - -  
 Mason Mrs W - -

**Wetherden***PN: Tue*

Emsden G - -  
 Hart BK - 1  
 Hart Miss Z - -  
 Jones PS - -  
 King LJ - 1  
 Mulley KW - 2  
 Sheldrake Mrs JR - 2  
 Slack GE - 16  
 Steele MR - 1  
 Taflinger M - -

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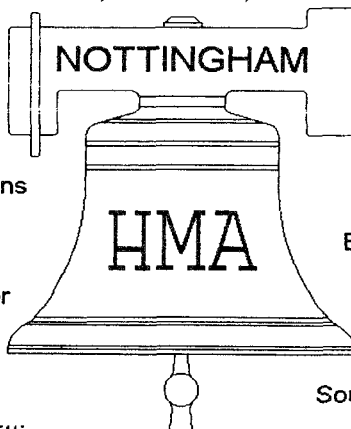
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## Secretary's Report (1998)

**Shirley Girt**

I am pleased to report that the membership numbers for this year are about the same as for last year. We have of course recruited new members but have lost a few too. The major cause for loss is from people moving right out of the area but we have also sadly had to record the death of several members.



Remembrances have been said for Clifford Arbon of Monewden who died in his ninetieth year, for Dennis Knox of Felixstowe who, although not ringing at the time of his death, was a much respected composer of ringing. Arthur Woods of Bredfield and Leslie Melton, a former Suffolk ringer were also remembered.

One member who has left our District is Brian Beecroft. Brian's good reason for moving was that he got married in October. We wish him and Ann all the very best and thank Brian for work he did over a number of years as Bosmere Deanery Representative.

Another couple to marry this year were Alan Braybrooke and Penny Underhill. They were married at Henley in September. Congratulations also go the Salter family and the Williamson family for the addition of a son to each of them.

The Master, Crawford Allen arranged another successful outing for us in April to the Hertfordshire/Cambridgeshire border area.

Meetings and Practices have been spread over a wide area of the District and it is hoped thereby to encourage the new ringers in their goal to ring for the year two thousand. Preparation for this has not only included teaching new ringers but also in the repair, restoration and augmentation work that is being carried out across the region at Hasketon, Hacheston, Iken and Orford to name a few.

In order to advance, all levels of ringing, monthly practices have been held and these have been supplemented by regular Doubles practices on Saturday mornings to assist the beginners to progress.

Like all Districts we are looking for the return of lapsed members. Falkenham have managed to lure back at least two former ringers. We now add Campsea Ashe to our list of towers and are pleased to report that despite tower structural problems, Wickham Market is successfully teaching some Brownies to ring.

A number of towers regularly ring Sunday quarter peals and the District has welcomed visitors and peal bands from near and far during the year.

Three of the four Central Council Representatives come from this District and with the fourth Rep. were all able to attend the Council Meeting in Dublin on our behalf.

Although attendances at meetings are still on the low side we hope that this will be resolved in the future. Our thanks are offered to all those who have served this District and the Suffolk Guild during the past year and to those who ring Sunday by Sunday and on all the other special occasions when bells are wanted to be heard.

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## District Membership (1998)

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|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|--|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Ashbocking</b>                   | <i>Su 0900 (2, 4)</i>   | <b>Bredfield (contd.)</b>              |                         | <b>Falkenham</b>                  | <i>PN: Thu</i>          |
| Beecroft B                          | 1 4                     | PCC (AM)                               | - -                     | <i>Su 0830 (1, 4, 5: Mar-Sep)</i> |                         |
| <b>Badingham</b>                    |                         | Whittingham Miss F                     | - -                     | Beer Mrs L                        | - -                     |
| <i>Su 1030 (1, 3) - check first</i> |                         | <b>Campsea Ashe</b>                    |                         | Harrison Mrs C                    | - -                     |
| Bostock-Smith JM                    | - -                     | Gould B                                | - -                     | Harrison P                        | - -                     |
| Bostock-Smith Mrs R                 | - -                     | <b>Coddenham</b>                       | <i>PN: Mon</i>          | Owen-Smith B                      | - -                     |
| Whiting P                           | - -                     | Smith AR                               | - 8                     | Rose R                            | - -                     |
| <b>Barking</b>                      | <i>PN: Mon</i>          | <b>Copdock</b>                         |                         | Shaw M                            | - -                     |
| <i>Su 1430 (1, 3), 1045 (2, 4)</i>  |                         | Worrall D                              | - -                     | Shaw N                            | - -                     |
| Barnard DR                          | - 16                    | <b>Cretingham</b>                      |                         | <b>Framlingham</b>                | <i>PN Tue</i>           |
| Brasier Ms F                        | - -                     | Brown Mrs CE                           | - -                     | <i>Su 0900</i>                    |                         |
| Day PML                             | - 15                    | Brown EB                               | - -                     | Clifton D                         | - -                     |
| Day Mrs SM                          | - 1                     | Brown RGP                              | - -                     | Morgan A                          | - -                     |
| Edson SD                            | - 12                    | <b>Debenham</b>                        | <i>PN: Tue; Su 0845</i> | Morgan T                          | - -                     |
| Lester Miss AEJ                     | - 95                    | Denton-Cardew T                        | - -                     | Nunn J                            | - -                     |
| Lester Mrs J                        | - 4                     | Mayers C                               | - -                     | Robinson Mrs A                    | - -                     |
| Mayhew Ms VA                        | - 9                     | Perry StJ                              | - -                     | Robinson D                        | - -                     |
| Odum KD                             | - 3                     | Scase Mrs A (AM)                       | - -                     | Robinson H                        | - -                     |
| Odum Mrs MP                         | - 10                    | Scase Mrs JE                           | - 42                    | Stanbrooke Mrs M                  | - -                     |
| Taylor Miss D                       | - -                     | Scase Miss R                           | - -                     | Stoppard J                        | - -                     |
| Thimbleby Mrs C                     | - -                     | Scase RJ                               | - 12                    | <b>Grundisburgh</b>               | <i>PN: Thu</i>          |
| Wright Miss FRLN                    | - 2                     | Scase T                                | - -                     | <i>Su 1000</i>                    |                         |
| <b>Bramford</b>                     | <i>PN: Wed; Su 0900</i> | <b>Dennington</b>                      |                         | Davis Rev N (AM)                  | - -                     |
| Doye J                              | - -                     | <i>Su 1030 (2, 4) - check first</i>    |                         | Goodship Miss M                   | - 1                     |
| Godfrey Mrs R                       | - -                     | Stannard R                             | - -                     | Mitchell I                        | 1 147                   |
| Harris S                            | - 1                     | <b>Earl Stonham</b>                    | <i>PN: Thu (2, 4)</i>   | Mitchell Mrs J                    | - 34                    |
| Lukins Miss CA                      | - 7                     | <i>Su 1030 (1); 1800 (2); 0915 (3)</i> |                         | Pegg Mrs D                        | 2 28                    |
| <b>Brandeston</b>                   |                         | Cherry Mrs M                           | - -                     | Pegg RGR                          | - 1                     |
| Garratt J                           | - -                     | Fowler T                               | - -                     | Pettman SD                        | 27 826                  |
| LeGrove J                           | - -                     | Meara C                                | - -                     | Pipe Mrs SRE                      | - 341                   |
| McArthur A                          | - -                     | Parke T                                | - -                     | Salter DG                         | 50 963                  |
| McArthur CA                         | 1 5                     | Rowell Mrs H                           | - -                     | Salter Mrs K                      | 15 559                  |
| <b>Bredfield</b>                    | <i>PN: Fri</i>          | Wilson Mrs B                           | - -                     | Warren A                          | - 3                     |
| <i>Su 0915 (1, 3); 0845 (2, 4)</i>  |                         | <b>East Bergholt</b>                   | <i>PN: Thu</i>          | Whitby J                          | - 1                     |
| Bradlaugh T                         | - -                     | <i>Su 0930 &amp; 1800 (Summer)</i>     |                         | <b>Harkstead</b>                  | <i>PN: Tue; Su 1030</i> |
| Ginn M                              | - -                     |  |                         | Knights J                         | - -                     |
| Pilgrim Mrs A                       | - 2                     |  |                         | Looser Mrs J                      | - 1                     |
| Pilgrim M                           | - 13                    |  |                         | Malster JF                        | - 4                     |
|                                     |                         |  |                         | Paine R                           | - -                     |

**Harkstead (contd.)**

Powell Mrs O - -  
Walker D - -

**Henley** *PN: Wed*  
*Su 0915 (3); 1800 (4)*

Braybrooke Mrs PC - -  
Burnett Mrs NJ - -  
Christian SJ - 20  
Ellis Mrs P - -

**Holbrook** *PN: Mon*

Ambrose J - -  
Durrant S - -  
Gora G - -  
Leighton Mrs G - -  
Steggles R - -

**Hollesley** *PN: Fri; Su 0915*

Berryman Miss A - -  
Berryman Miss J - -  
Cotterell S - -  
Dewing Mrs P - -  
McBurnie A - 1  
McBurnie Mrs M - 1  
Musgrave M - -  
Shannon S - -  
Stentiford F - -  
Woodrow Mrs A - -  
Woodrow Miss C - -

**Iken**

Coombes A - -  
Coombes Mrs R - -  
Cresswell N - -

**Ipswich (St Margaret)***PN: Thu; Su 0950*

Bonney J - 2  
Cable Mrs A - -  
Cable Miss A - -  
Coley R - 4  
Girt JL 8 361  
Girt Mrs S - '5  
Jones P - 1  
Martin Mrs J - -  
Martin Miss N - -

**Ipswich (St Mary-le-Tower)***PN: Mon; Su 0900*

Arbon SW - 39  
Boggis Miss S - -  
Clarke Mrs A (AM) - -  
Clarke WH (AM) - -  
Clarke K (AM) - -  
Claxton J - -  
Claxton OP 13 174  
Davies CP - 2  
Griffiths S 8 17  
Harmen S - -  
Howse M - -  
Jillings HG - 36  
Knights A 17 599  
Pipe Mrs D 9 191  
Pipe GW 25 759  
Richmond Ms A 5 310  
Rudd SA 6 446  
Townley Rev P (AM) - -  
Whitby MG 4 354  
Whittell R 19 272

**Ipswich (St Matthew)***PN Fri; Su 0920*

Beaumont Mrs J - -  
Best A - -  
Cornish D - 1  
Foreman A - -  
Foreman Mrs A - -  
Hobson R - 1  
St Matthew's PCC - -  
Seymour Mrs W - -  
Smith Mrs F - -  
Williamson J - 5  
Williamson Mrs S - -

**Kettleburgh** *PN: Thu (Mar-Oct)*

Booth Mrs P 1 4  
O'Leary Miss C - -

**Marlesford**

Carter L - -  
Clough D - 1  
Edwards Rev H - -  
Fear Mrs G - 7  
Hollis J - -  
Johnson D - -

**Marlesford (contd.)**

Lucky Miss P - -  
Rogers Mrs K - 3  
Stevens J 6 6

**Monewden***PN: Tue*

Martin B - 3  
Martin D - 3  
Martin K - -  
Winkworth A - -  
Winkworth E - -

**Offton***PN: Tue*

*Su 1030 (2); 1800 (3); 0900 (4)*  
Burtonwood A - -  
Burtonwood Mrs S - -  
Martin Mrs E - 1  
Perry D - -  
Perry Mrs S - -  
Shelmerdine R - -  
Steward Mrs J - 1  
Steward Miss L - 16  
Thorne S - -  
Whiting BE 21 270

**Orford***No ringing yet*

Harrison Mrs S - -  
Harrison S 1 4

**Otley***PN: Wed*

*Su 1030 (1, 2, 3); 1800 (4)*  
Barker Mrs A - 1  
Barker CJ - 3  
Pulford G - -  
Taylor Mrs M - -  
Wightman HJ - 1

**Pettistree***PN: Wed*

*Su 17.55 (1); 0855 (ex 1)*  
Eagle Mrs K 2 20  
Garner Mrs M 1 48  
Gull A - 2  
Moss Mrs P - -  
Schurr Mrs S - -  
Stanford D 7 62  
Stanford Mrs S - 4  
Stanford T - -  
Waterson Mrs G - 5  
Whitaker M - -

**Rushmere St Andrew***PN: Fri; Su 0930*

|                |   |     |
|----------------|---|-----|
| Sharples P     | - | 1   |
| Sharples Mrs S | - | 1   |
| Smith JA       | 2 | 240 |
| Talbot Mrs H   | 1 | 10  |

**Sproughton***PN: Wed**Su 1030*

|                 |   |    |
|-----------------|---|----|
| Allen Mrs AJ    | - | -  |
| Allen JC        | - | 12 |
| Bugg D          | - | 3  |
| Crooks C        | - | -  |
| Curl S          | - | 27 |
| Davison Mrs M   | - | -  |
| Earey R         | 1 | 97 |
| Earey Mrs T     | - | 1  |
| Hollins J       | 1 | 40 |
| Jones Mrs SE    | - | 1  |
| Loveland Mrs D  | - | -  |
| Lugg D          | - | 19 |
| Munnings C      | 7 | 17 |
| Munnings R      | 5 | 49 |
| Sheppard Mrs M  | - | -  |
| Southgate Mrs M | - | -  |
| Sproughton PCC  | - | -  |
| Woolf B         | - | -  |
| Woolf J         | - | 1  |

**Stonham Aspal** *Su 0930 (1)**PN: Thu (1,3,5)*

|                 |   |     |
|-----------------|---|-----|
| Newson Mrs B    | - | -   |
| Newson R        | - | -   |
| Page Mrs M      | 1 | 316 |
| Pipe B          | - | 3   |
| Tydemann Mrs EA | - | 4   |

**Stutton***PN Wed*

|               |   |   |
|---------------|---|---|
| Bull EA       | 1 | 2 |
| Bull Mrs H    | - | - |
| Morday Mrs J  | - | - |
| Pereira J     | 1 | 2 |
| Pereira Mrs S | 1 | 2 |

**Tattingstone**

|           |   |   |
|-----------|---|---|
| Thurlow N | - | - |
|-----------|---|---|

**Tunstall***PN: Wed (2,4,5)**Su 1030 (2), 9.30 (4, alt. with  
Marlesford)*

|          |   |   |
|----------|---|---|
| Wilson R | - | 2 |
|----------|---|---|

**Wickham Market***PN: Mon**Su 1000*

|              |   |    |
|--------------|---|----|
| Baker Mrs A  | - | -  |
| Baker Miss L | - | -  |
| Imrie I      | - | -  |
| Judge Mrs H  | - | -  |
| Lewis R      | - | 19 |
| Steward EAJ  | - | 16 |

**Woodbridge***PN: Tue**Su 0930*

|                 |   |    |
|-----------------|---|----|
| Clarke Mrs M    | - | -  |
| Combs P         | - | -  |
| Gough Mrs S     | - | -  |
| Henney Mrs J    | - | -  |
| Henney P        | - | -  |
| Kemmett Mrs V   | - | -  |
| McCann Miss P   | - | -  |
| McKinnon M      | - | -  |
| Round-Turner C  | - | -  |
| Sleath A        | - | -  |
| Sleath Mrs M    | - | -  |
| Tyler M         | - | -  |
| Wakefield B     | - | 16 |
| Wakefield Mrs G | - | -  |
| Wale T          | - | -  |

**Unattached**

|              |   |     |
|--------------|---|-----|
| Bacon G      | - | 21  |
| Blythe JW    | - | 346 |
| Blythe Mrs M | - | 32  |
| Braybrooke A | - | -   |
| Deasy Ms J   | - | -   |
| Hohl K       | 3 | 46  |
| Hohl Mrs J   | - | 2   |
| Lee Mrs L    | - | -   |
| Lee S        | - | -   |
| Sager J      | - | 2   |
| Sager Mrs L  | - | -   |
| Saker Mrs M  | - | 2   |
| Warren Mrs J | - | 51  |
| Warren M     | - | 4   |

# South West District

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## *District Officers*

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### **Chairman:**

Richard Gates, 2 Brick Kiln Hill, Boxford, Sudbury CO10 5NT (01787) 210432

### **Secretary and Treasurer:**

Rolie Whiting, 10 Harpers Est, Nayland, Colchester CO6 4LB (01206) 262023

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## *Representatives on Guild Committees*

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**Clare:** David Smith, Woolverton, 8 Stour Vale, Wixoe, Stoke by Clare, Sudbury CO10 8UB (01440) 785651

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**Lavenham:** 1999: Vacant

1998: Richard Brewster, 42 Meadow Close, Lavenham CO10 9RU (01787) 247678

**Sudbury:** Tony & Barbara Clayton, Carey, Newton Green, Sudbury CO10 0QU (01787) 374507

## *Secretary's Report (1998)*

*Rolie Whiting*

Although somewhat lacking in excitement when compared with the two preceding years 1998 has nevertheless turned out to a satisfying one in several ways.

All of the organised District Events were well patronised again this year, starting with a good turn-out for our first District Practice which was held in Bildeston Church on February 28th. The afternoon's activities concluded with an informative 'teaching safely' seminar conducted by the Guild Ringing Master.

An 8-bell evening 'tower grab' and pub meal on April 25th organised for us by Ann Jessop, the Boxford Tower Captain, proved to be a popular addition to our regular calendar. The District Striking Competition was held on Nayland Church bells (the best six in Suffolk! - I claim) on June 27th. It was well supported

again despite the weatherman being decidedly uncooperative. The Polstead Band managed to prise the trophy from the clutches of both Lavenham and Rattlesden whose Bands had vied with each other for its possession in recent years.

The customary 5/6-bell evening 'tower grab' at the end of September enabled participants to enjoy the spectacular Stour Valley scenery between Bures and Nayland from the Essex side of the river, the chosen 'rings' being Great and Little Horkesley, and Wormingford. A formidable looking ladder up to Great Horkesley ringing chamber was safely negotiated by all who were brave enough to 'risk their necks'.

Our final purely social Event of 1998 was the District Car Outing on October 24th, organised by Christine and Richard Knight, which took us into Northamptonshire. The daunting prospect of a lengthy drive along the A14 was a bit off-putting to some of us 'older types' and our 'older type' cars but a hired self-drive Minibus saved the day and the churches and attractive villages in that county together with an excellent midday pub lunch all contributed to a very enjoyable day out.

Our ADM at Hadleigh on November 28th followed the usual pattern - not too many 'faithful' in Church for the Service, a few more for the tea and Meeting afterwards. Also, as usual, the assembled company were quite happy for the retiring Officers to do another stint and it is worthy of note that our District Chairman of one year's experience in the hot seat has bravely taken on three additional 'hats'!

At the time of writing this Report no mad rush to learn to ring in time for the Millenium has been experienced in our District but, hopefully, the momentum will increase during 1999 when the magnitude of the task becomes clearer. Whatever finally happens at midday on January 1st 2000 I am sure much ringing will precede it at around midnight as we maintain the age old "ring out the old and ring in the new" tradition in many of our District Towers.

## ***Tower Correspondents***

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## ***District Membership (1998)***

|                  |                               |    |                  |                |     |                    |                          |
|------------------|-------------------------------|----|------------------|----------------|-----|--------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Acton</b>     |                               |    | <b>Bures</b>     |                |     | <b>Edwardstone</b> | <i>Su morning</i>        |
| Muxlow Mrs J.    | -                             | 13 | Mills DL         | 2              | 37  |                    | <i>PN: Wed (Apr-Sep)</i> |
| Perryman Mrs K   | -                             | -  | <b>Cavendish</b> |                |     | Clarke P           | - 1                      |
| Pilsbury SP      | -                             | 1  | Pizzey M         | -              | -   | Mares Mrs M        | - -                      |
| Rutherford D     | -                             | -  |                  |                |     | Mares R            | - -                      |
| <b>Bildeston</b> | <i>PN Tue</i>                 |    | <b>Clare</b>     | <i>Su 1000</i> |     | Morriss Miss V     | - -                      |
|                  | <i>Su morning</i>             |    | Helliwell Mrs J  | -              | -   | Simpson Mrs D      | - -                      |
| Blofield P       | -                             | -  | Mayle AP         | 30             | 562 | Titford Rev R (AM) | - -                      |
|                  |                               |    | Mayle P          | -              | 357 | Titford Mrs S      | - 1                      |
| <b>Boxford</b>   | <i>PN: Wed (Oct-Mar)</i>      |    | <b>Cowlinge</b>  |                |     | Wood Mrs J         | - -                      |
|                  | <i>Su 1000 &amp; 1800 (1)</i> |    | Hyde P           | -              | -   | <b>Glemsford</b>   | <i>PN: Mon</i>           |
| Ansell D         | -                             | -  | Hyde Mrs R       | -              | -   |                    | <i>Su: morning</i>       |
| Brown Miss L     | -                             | -  | Kiddy D          | -              | 2   | Game J             | - -                      |
| Cundy G          | -                             | -  | Ward Mrs M       | -              | 1   |                    |                          |
| Deeks Miss R     | -                             | -  |                  |                |     | <b>Hadleigh</b>    | <i>Su 1000</i>           |
| Gates R          | -                             | -  |                  |                |     | Kaufhold Mrs J     | - -                      |
| Jessop Mrs A     | -                             | -  |                  |                |     | Lockwood EJ        | - 25                     |
| Jessop D         | -                             | -  |                  |                |     | Lockwood Mrs W     | - 47                     |



**Hartest**

Clouston RWM - 7  
White Mrs E - -

**Haverhill***Su am; PN: Thu*

Adams G - 2  
Howlett D - -  
Knight D - -  
Mills B - -  
Wade A - 1

**Higham** *PN Fri (alt Stratford)*

Boothman I - -

**Hintlesham**

Smith J - -

**Kersey***PN: Thu**Su 1030 (1-3)*

Ashton Miss J - -  
Bellman Mrs K - 3  
Crook Mrs B - -  
Howe RC - 10  
Parker Mrs EJ - 5  
Parker RC - 2  
Whittell GR - 3  
Whittell NF 8 213

**Lavenham***Su 0900*

Baker AB - -  
Baker Mrs MS - -  
Booker I - -  
Brewster RT - 1  
Clayton AM - -  
Clayton Mrs B - -  
Crichton Mrs S - -  
Haynes G - -  
Ruffell D - 2  
Weaver M - -

**Long Melford***Su 1000**PN: Fri (1830 - 1930)*

Allen P - -  
Finch A - -  
Hawkins E - -  
Michette R - -  
Stearns R - -

**Long Melford (contd.)**

Wigmore Peter - -  
Wigmore Philip - -  
Woolhough L - -

**Monks Eleigh**

Beckett Miss A - -  
Coll Miss A - -  
Cooper AW - -  
Izatt Mrs P - -

**Nayland***Su 0900 (ex 3) 0930 (3)*

Downing Mrs V - 1  
Hunt C - -  
Oliver HM - 3  
Roberts Miss M - 14  
Royall D - -  
Wade EV - 8  
Whiting Mrs JD - -  
Whiting RC 1 20

**Polstead***PN: Mon**Su 0930(2,4); 1415 (1,3)*

Bendall A - -  
Freeman J - -  
Freeman Mrs S - -  
Groves Mrs J (AM) - -  
Hunter Mrs S (AM) - -  
Hynard EC - 16  
Hynard Mrs M - -  
Lewis Mrs A - -  
Lowe Mrs J (AM) - -  
Lynn Mrs E (AM) - -  
Mills G (AM) - -  
Scanlan B (AM) - -  
Walker R - -  
White Mrs A (AM) - -  
White Miss M - 3  
White R (AM) - -

**Poslingford***Su 0830 (3)*

Knight Mrs C 12 147  
Knight R 10 222

**Preston St Mary***PN Tue*

Chambers R - 13  
Cochrane M - -  
Howe D - 1  
Mares Miss M - -

**Rattlesden***PN: Fri**Su morning*

Barratt P - -  
Ward D - 1  
Ward Mrs P - 1

**Stoke by Clare***Su morning*

Gowan AR - -  
Jay Mrs VJ - -  
Smith DA - -  
Steward C - -

**Stoke by Nayland***PN: Fri (1,3); Su morning*

Bloomfield J - -  
Fovargue I - -  
Gardiner GS - 1  
Langstaff B - -  
Langstaff Mrs D - -  
Mitchell Mrs H - -  
Mitchell Miss P - -

**Stratford St Mary***PN: Fri (alt Higham)**Su morning*

Ablitt CH - 2  
Cavendish-Tribe B - -  
Dersley D - -  
Hobson JS - -  
Such Mrs B - -  
Such B - -  
Umfreville D - -

**Sudbury (St Gregory)***PN: Wed (1,3)*

Perkins S - 1  
Pizzey Mrs A (AM) - -  
Pizzey Rev LR 3 251  
Stone AR 11 45

**Unattached**

Perry WA - 79

## Suffolk Guild Peals - Summary by Years

|                     | 1923-88 | 89   | 90   | 91   | 92   | 33   | 94   | 95   | 96   | 97   | 98   | Total |
|---------------------|---------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| Maximus             | 158     | 4    | 6    | 7    | 6    | 8    | 6    | 6    | 6    | 1    | 9    | 217   |
| Cinques             | 54      | 2    | 3    | 5    | 5    | 2    | 4    | 4    | 2    | 3    |      | 84    |
| Royal               | 323     | 7    | 10   | 3    | 3    | 2    | 5    | 5    | 4    | 5    | 4    | 371   |
| Caters/Royal        |         |      | 1    |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | 1     |
| Caters              | 101     | 2    |      | 2    | 3    | 2    | 2    | 3    | 4    | 3    | 2    | 124   |
| Major               | 2516    | 42   | 37   | 41   | 39   | 36   | 51   | 56   | 47   | 30   | 34   | 2929  |
| Triples/Major       |         |      |      |      |      |      | 1    |      |      |      |      | 1     |
| Triples             | 203     | 7    | 3    | 4    | 1    | 5    | 21   | 5    | 5    | 6    | 2    | 262   |
| Minor               | 2140    | 64   | 64   | 70   | 63   | 63   | 78   | 68   | 50   | 39   | 34   | 2733  |
| Doubles/Minor       | 1       |      |      |      |      | 1    |      |      |      |      |      | 2     |
| Doubles             | 653     | 31   | 29   | 11   | 12   | 18   | 18   | 12   | 17   | 9    | 13   | 823   |
| Minimus/<br>Doubles | 1       |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | 1     |
| Minimus             | 9       |      | 1    |      |      |      | 1    |      | 1    |      |      | 12    |
| Year Total          |         | 159  | 154  | 143  | 132  | 137  | 187  | 159  | 136  | 96   | 98   | 7560  |
| Overall Total       | 6159    | 6318 | 6472 | 6615 | 6747 | 6884 | 7071 | 7230 | 7366 | 7462 | 7560 |       |

## Suffolk Guild Membership Summary

|           | South East | South West | North East | North West | Total 1998 | Total 1997 |
|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Senior    | 28         | 30         | 23         | 25         | 106        | 100        |
| Honorary  | 6          | 3          | 0          | 2          | 11         | 8          |
| Adult     | 179        | 78         | 84         | 94         | 435        | 404        |
| Junior    | 30         | 7          | 5          | 18         | 60         | 67         |
| Associate | 10         | 10         | 2          | 1          | 23         | 26         |
| Total     | 253        | 128        | 114        | 140        | 635        | 605        |

# Suffolk Guild Peals 1998

**7463**

**SUDBURY, Suffolk**

St Gregory

Thu Jan 1 1998 3h3 (16)

**5056 Double Norwich CB**

**Major**

Comp. I Butters

- 1 Richard A Knight
- 2 Christine A Knight
- 3 Rev Lawrence R Pizzey
- 4 Neville F Whittell
- 5 Andrew R Stone
- 6 Winston S Girling
- 7 David G Salter
- 8 Alan P Mayle (C)

Following a Service to mark the 1,200th anniversary of the first mention of Sudbury in the Anglo-Saxon Chronicle, AD 798.

**7464**

**HAWKEDON, Suffolk**

St Mary

Sat Jan 3 1998 2h42 (8)

**5040 Doubles**

(2m: 21 extents each Plain B, Grandsire)

- 1 Richard A Knight
- 2 Christine A Knight
- 3 Winston S Girling
- 4 Maurice J Rose
- 5 Alan P Mayle (C)

To mark the centenary of the first peal on the bells on 8/1/1898, using the same methods.

**7465**

**FRAMSDEN, Suffolk**

St Mary

Sat Jan 3 1998 2h41 (16)

**5056 Uganda S Major**

Comp. MA Coleman

- 1 Nicola J Crichton
- 2 Mary E Dunbavin
- 3 Richard TL Rapor
- 4 Stephen J Bedford
- 5 Colin M Turner
- 6 Clive J Dunbavin
- 7 David G Salter (C)
- 8 Peter GC Ellis

1st in the method by all and for the Guild.

**7466**

**HOLBROOK, Suffolk**

All Saints

Sat Jan 3 1998 2h19 (8)

**5040 Surprise Minor**

(41m: (1-5) Allendale, Alnwick, Bacup, Bamborough, Berwick, Beverley, Bourne, Cambridge, Canterbury, Carlisle, Chester, Coldstream, Cuneastre, Durham, Hexham, Hull, Ipswich, Kelso, Lightfoot, Lincoln, London, Morpeth, Munden, Netherseale, Newcastle, Norfolk, Northumberland, Norwich, Primrose, Rossendale, Sandiacre, Stamford, Surfleet, Wearmouth, Wells, Westminster, Whitley, Wooler, York; (PAB Saddleton) (6) Warkworth; (7) Annable's London)

- 1 Stephen J Bedford
- 2 Katharine J Salter
- 3 David G Salter
- 4 Nicola J Crichton
- 5 Peter GC Ellis (C)
- 6 Colin M Turner

**7467**

**HARKSTEAD, Suffolk**

St Mary

Sun Jan 4 1998 2h36 (8)

**5040 Surprise Minor**

(41m: (1-5) Allendale, Alnwick, Bacup, Bamborough, Berwick, Beverley, Bourne, Cambridge, Canterbury, Carlisle, Chester, Coldstream, Cuneastre, Durham, Hexham, Hull, Ipswich, Kelso, Lightfoot, Lincoln, London, Morpeth, Munden, Netherseale, Newcastle, Norfolk, Northumberland, Norwich, Primrose, Rossendale, Sandiacre, Stamford, Surfleet, Wearmouth, Wells, Westminster, Whitley, Wooler, York (PAB Saddleton); (6) Warkworth; (7) Annable's London)

- 1 Brian E Whiting
- 2 Katharine J Salter
- 3 Nicola J Crichton
- 4 Peter GC Ellis
- 5 David G Salter (C)
- 6 Colin M Turner

**7468**

**STUTTON, Suffolk**

St Peter

Sun Jan 4 1998 2h30 (11)

**5040 Surprise Minor**

(7 ext in 7m: (1) London; (2) Westminster; (3) Ipswich; (4) Norwich; (5) Beverley; (6) Surfleet; (7) Cambridge)

1 Nicola J Crichton

2 Mary Allum

3 Colin M Turner

4 Robin D Allum

5 Peter GC Ellis (C)

6 David G Salter

To mark the new year.

**7469**

**BURGH, Suffolk**

St Botolph

Sat Jan 10 1998 2h33 (8)

**5040 Minor**

(30m: (1) Albion D, Stobs, Tynehead, Cumwhinton, Crakehall, Lambeth, Monewden, Letheringham, Dallinghoo, Hoo B; (2) Oxford TB; (3) Double Oxford, Pinehurst, Thelwall, Edgehill, Kemerton, St Clements College, Buxton, Childwall, Armitage-is-the-Name, Badgworth B; (4) Norwich S; (5) Cambridge, Beverley, Surfleet S; (6) Kent TB; (7) Plain, Canterbury, Double, Abertawe B)

- 1 Daphne E Pegg
- 2 Donald C Price
- 3 Brian E Whiting
- 4 Michael G Whitby
- 5 Stephen J Bedford
- 6 Stephen D Pettman (C)

For the 30th anniversary of the conductor learning to ring in this tower, also his 600th peal as conductor for the Guild.

**7470**

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**

St Mary le Tower

Sat Jan 10 1998

**Yorkshire S Maximus**

Details not available at the time of going to press.

**7471**

**HORHAM, Suffolk**

St Mary

Sat Jan 10 1998 2h36 (6)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

Arr. DG Salter No 7

- 1 Amie L Wilkins
- 2 Katharine J Salter
- 3 Frank CJ Arnold
- 4 Helen Y Price
- 5 Mary E Dunbavin
- 6 David G Salter (C)
- 7 Robin D Allum
- 8 Stephen J Bedford

1st peal, at 1st attempt: 1. 2nd birthday compliment to George Martin Salter of Ipswich.

**7472**

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Paul

Sun Jan 11 1998 2h42 (12)

**5024 Wembley S Major**

Comp. BYROC

- 1 Trevor NJ Bailey
- 2 Roger LK Whittell
- 3 David G Salter
- 4 Katherine J Salter
- 5 Stephen J Bedford
- 6 Richard TL Rapor
- 7 Alan P Mayle
- 8 J Barry Pickup (C)

1st in method for all except 1,2,8. 50th on the bells: 3.

**7473**

**BACTON, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin

Sat Jan 17 1998 2h42 (8)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

(7 different extents)

- 1 Dr Peter S Franks
- 2 Sheila M Franks
- 3 Elizabeth Teverson
- 4 Ann Malena Lea
- 5 David F Webb
- 6 Maurice J Rose (C)

An 80th birthday compliment to Tom Lockwood of Mendlesham.

7474

**NAYLAND, Suffolk**

St James

Sat Jan 17 1998 3h2 (15)

**5040 Cambridge S Minor**

Comp. R Bailey

- 1 Rolie C Whiting
- 2 Christine A Knight
- 3 Neville F Whittell
- 4 Richard A Knight
- 5 Andrew R Stone
- 6 Alan P Mayle (C)

A 70th birthday compliment to Rolie Whiting.

7475

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin

Sun Jan 18 1998 3h24 (8)

**5280 Cambridge S**

**Maximus**

Comp. SD Pettman

- 1 Diana M Pipe
- 2 Stephen D Pettman (C)
- 3 Roger LK Whittell
- 4 Stephen H Stanford
- 5 David I Stanford
- 6 Michael G Whitby
- 7 Donald C Price
- 8 Rodney H French
- 9 John L Girt
- 10 Stephen J Bedford
- 11 Adrian Knights
- 12 George W Pipe

A Diamond Wedding compliment to Wilfred and Barbara (née Pipe)

Lankester, cousins of George and Rod Pipe.

7476

**MONOWDEN, Suffolk**

St Mary

Fri Jan 23 1998 2h34 (6)

**5040 Minor**

(9m: (1) Letheringham, Monowden and Cottages B; (2) Oxford TB; (3) Double Oxford B; (4) Kent TB; (5) St Clement's B; (6) Cambridge S; (7) Plain B)

- 1 Diana M Pipe
- 2 Daphne E Pegg
- 3 Stephen J Bedford
- 4 John L Girt
- 5 George W Pipe
- 6 Stephen D Pettman (C)

Half-muffled immediately after the funeral of Clifford Arbon (1908-98), chorister, ringer and churchwarden of this parish for many years.

7477

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin

Sun Feb 1 1998 2h30 (8)

**5040 Surprise Minor**

(9m: (1) Bestow, Loughborough; (2) Ebor; (3-4) Berwick, Hexham, Primrose; (5) Beverley, Surfleet; (6-7) Cambridge)

- 1 Donald C Price
- 2 Ann-Malena Lea
- 3 James P Hollins
- 4 David F Webb
- 5 Stephen J Bedford
- 6 Stephen D Pettman (C)

For Evensong.

7478

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Paul

Sun Feb 8 1998 2h49 (11)

**5152 Ulceby S Major**

Comp. RE Hardy

- 1 J Barry Pickup
- 2 Katharine J Salter
- 3 Stephen J Bedford
- 4 Trevor NJ Bailey
- 5 Roger LK Whittell
- 6 Alan P Mayle
- 7 Richard TL Rapior
- 8 David G Salter (C)

Completes second Surprise Major alphabet: 2. First in method by all and for the Guild.

7479

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**

St Mary le Tower

**New Cambridge S**

**Maximus**

Sat Feb 14 1998

*Details not available at the time of going to press.*

7480

**BURGH, Suffolk**

St Botolph

Fri Feb 20 1998 2h33 (8)

**5040 Surprise Minor**

(7m: 1 extent each London, York, Ipswich, Beverley, Norwich, Surfleet, Cambridge)

- 1 Ann-Malena Lea
- 2 George W Pipe
- 3 David F Webb
- 4 Stephen J Bedford
- 5 Brian E Whiting
- 6 Stephen D Pettman (C)

Immediately after the funeral of Charles King, former ringer at Monken Hadley.

7481

**CAVENDISH, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin

Sat Feb 28 1998 2h49 (11)

**5040 Cambridge S Minor**

(7 different extents)

- 1 Donald L Mills
- 2 Christine A Knight
- 3 Evelyn RM Reeve
- 4 Richard A Knight
- 5 Linda M Garton
- 6 John P Loveless (C)

To mark the 30th anniversary of the conductor's first peal, rung at this tower on 17/2/68, conducted by Don Mills. Evelyn Reeve also rang in that peal.

7482

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary Virgin

Sun Mar 1 1998 2h53 (8)

**5184 Bristol S Major**

Comp. PJ Flavell

- 1 Ann-Malena Lea
- 2 Christopher A Munnings
- 3 Stephen D Pettman (C)
- 4 David F Webb
- 5 Stephen J Bedford
- 6 Brian E Whiting
- 7 Donald C Price
- 8 Owen P Claxton

1st peal in the method: 2,4; 100th peal: 4. For Evensong.

7483

**BUXHALL, Suffolk**

St Mary

Sat Mar 14 1998 2h55 (16)

**5040 Grandsire Doubles**

(42 extents - 10 callings)

- 1 Roger LK Whittell
- 2 David G Salter
- 3 David J Steed
- 4 Alan P Mayle
- 5 Winston S Girling (C)
- 6 Donald Beatty

First of Grandsire: 3 & 6. Rung half-muffled in memory of Arthur Edwin (Ted) Cracknell.

7484

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**

St Mary le Tower

Sat Mar 14 1998

**Superlative S Maximus**

*Details not available at the time of going to press.*

7485

**BURY ST EDMUNDS, Suffolk**

Cathedral

Sat Mar 21 1998 3h28 (27)

**5120 Middlesex S Royal**

Comp. JM Jelley

- 1 Alan D Flood
- 2 George W Pipe
- 3 Susan A Apter
- 4 David C Brown
- 5 Nigel J Newton
- 6 Ian Roulstone (C)
- 7 David J Dearnley
- 8 Claire F Edwards
- 9 Stephen A Coaker
- 10 Paul N Mounsey

In memory of Norman Summerhayes, a life member of the Guild, and Edwin A Cracknell of Stowmarket & Buxhall.

7486

**GREAT BARTON, Suffolk**

Holy Innocents

Tue Mar 24 1998 2h29 (8)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: 1 extent each Double Bob, Ipswich S, Double Oxford, Norwich S, St Clement's, Cambridge S, Plain B)

- 1 Carol A Girling
- 2 Julian Colman
- 3 Paul V Stannard
- 4 Catherine A Colman
- 5 David G Salter
- 6 Winston S Girling (C)

300th peal, also 250th for The Suffolk Guild: 6. Rung on the 25th anniversary of the dedication of the restored bells in 1973.

7487

**STOWMARKET, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Mary  
Sat Mar 28 1998 3h28 (20)

**5056 Plain Bob Major**

Comp. JR Pritchard  
1 Winston S Girling (C)  
2 Catherine A Colman  
3 Hannah M Kidger  
4 Neville F Whittell  
5 Mary E Dunbavin  
6 David G Salter  
7 Alan P Mayle  
8 Clive J Dunbavin

Rung half-muffled in memory of Arthur Edwin (Ted) Cracknell (1913-1998).

7488

**THORNHAM MAGNA  
Suffolk**

St Mary  
Thu Apr 2 1998 2h27 (9)

**5040 Surprise Minor**

(7m: Carlisle, London, Wells, York, Durham, Bourne, Cambridge)

1 Ann-Malena Lee  
2 Mary Allum  
3 Winston S Girling  
4 David F Webb  
5 David G Salter (C)  
6 Robin D Allum

600th as conductor for the Guild. For the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Suffolk Guild and on the 75th anniversary of the first peal for the Guild, same tower and same methods.

7489

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Paul  
Sun Apr 5 1998 2h35 (11)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: London S, Double Oxford B, Oxford TB, St Clements B, Kent TB, Plain Bob, Cambridge S)

1 Rodney H French  
2 David G Salter (C)  
3 Richard TL Rapior  
4 Roger LK Whittell  
5 Alan P Mayle  
6 Stephen J Bedford

75th together: 2, 3. To mark the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Suffolk Guild of Ringers.

7490

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin  
Sun Apr 5 1998 2h53 (8)

**5075 Plain Bob Major**

Comp. SD Pettman  
1 Jonathan J Stevens  
2 Stephen D Pettman (C)  
3 Alan W Rogers  
4 Ann-Malena Lea  
5 Brian E Whiting  
6 Christopher A Munnings  
7 Donald C Price  
8 David F Webb

1st attempt: 1. 1st on 8 inside: 3. For the 75th anniversary of the Suffolk Guild (Apr 2 1923). Also an 82nd birthday compliment to Sylvia Pipe and a Golden Wedding compliment to Monica and Stan Taylor (Otley). For Evensong.

7491

**POSILINGFORD, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin  
Sun Apr 12 1998 2h45 (10)

**5040 Grandsire Doubles**

1 Richard A Knight  
2 Christine A Knight  
3 Neville F Whittell  
4 Maurice J Rose  
5 Alan P Mayle (C)

To mark the centenary of the first peal of Grandsire rung on these bells, 12 April 1898.

7492

**HUSBORNE CRAWLEY,  
Beds**

St James  
Thu Apr 16 1998 3h18 (19)

**5024 London S Major**

Comp. SJ Ivlin  
1 Dorothea M Robotham  
2 Michael T Sprackling  
3 John M Jelley  
4 Brian E Whiting  
5 Adrian Knights  
6 David G Salter  
7 George W Pipe  
8 John R Mayne (C)

7493

**ASHBOCKING, Suffolk**

All Saints  
Sun Apr 19 1998 2h46 (10)

**5040 Cambridge S Minor**

Comp. R Bailey No.1  
1 J Martin Thorley  
(1981-1983)

2 George W Pipe  
(1964-1969)

3 Howard W Egglestone  
(1969-1974)

4 Rev Lawrence R Pizzezy  
(1974-1981)

5 Stephen D Pettman  
(1983-1990)

6 David G Salter (C)  
(1994- )

Especially arranged to mark the 75th anniversary of the Suffolk Guild. Since 1923 there have been nine Masters, the above six plus Charles J Sedgley (1923-1957), Leslie G Brett (1957-1964) and Amanda M Whiting (1990-1994).

7494

**HIGHAM, Suffolk**

St Mary  
Sat Apr 25 1998 2h32 (9)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: 1 extent each Norwich S, Oxford TB, Double Oxford, Kent TB, St Clements, Cambridge S, Plain B)

1 Christine A Knight  
2 Richard A Knight  
3 Rodney H French  
4 Neville F Whittell  
5 John A Mayle  
6 Alan P Mayle (C)

On the 25th anniversary of the conductor's first peal, rung at this tower 25/4/73. Christine Knight and John Mayle also rang in that peal.

7495

**BECCLES, Suffolk**

St Michael & All Angels  
Sat Apr 25 1998 3h27 (25)

**5111 Grandsire Caters**

Comp. SD Pettman  
1 Stephen D Pettman (C)  
2 Mary E Dunbavin  
3 Ann-Malena Lea  
4 Paul V Stannard  
5 David F Webb

6 Richard TL Rapior  
7 J Barry Pickup  
8 David G Salter  
9 Andrew R Stone  
10 Stephen J Bedford  
100th peal: 3.

7496

**ERISWELL, Suffolk**

St Peter  
Thu Apr 30 1998 2h16 (3)

**5040 Plain Bob Doubles**

(4 callings)  
1 Dr Stuart Harrison  
2 Mary E Dunbavin  
3 Winston S Girling (C)  
4 Carol A Girling  
5 Clive J Dunbavin

To mark the 40th anniversary of the dedication of these bells following restoration and augmentation to five on 17/4/1958.

7497

**STRADBROKE, Suffolk**

All Saints  
Sat May 2 1998 3h4 (20)

**5152 Plain Bob Major**

Arr. DG Salter  
1 Amie L Wilkins  
2 Frank CJ Arnold  
3 Mary Allum  
4 Mary E Dunbavin  
5 Stephen J Bedford  
6 Winston S Girling  
7 Robin D Allum  
8 David G Salter (C)

A wedding day compliment to Joanne G Mills (former Stradbroke tower captain) and Stephen J Cowham, who were married here following the peal.

7498

**SWEFFLING, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin  
Sat May 2 1998 2h42 (6)

**5040 Minor**

(4m: 1 extent each Kent TB, Oxford TB, St Clement's B; 4 extents Plain B)

1 Hilary Talbot  
2 Kate Eagle  
3 John L Girt  
4 Jonathan J Stevens  
5 Richard TL Rapior  
6 Rodney H French (C)  
First peal of Minor inside: 4.

7499

**BARROW, Suffolk**

All Saints

Sun May 3 1998 2h54 (11)

**5040 Doubles**

(4m: 12 exts Grandsire; 10 exts each St Simons, St Martins, Plain B)

- 1 Brian R Wells
- 2 Paul V Stannard
- 3 Christopher R Nunn
- 4 John L Girt
- 5 Maurice J Rose (C)
- 6 Brian Beecroft

A compliment to Revd John Davis on his retirement, and an appreciation of his ministry amongst us during which time this church has received extensive renovations to chancel and nave roofs, the organ, and these bells rehung.

7500

**PAKEFIELD, Suffolk**

All Saints & St Margaret

Sat May 9 1998 2h44 (9)

**5040 Plain Bob Major**

Comp. SD Pettman

- 1 Frank CJ Arnold
- 2 Gavin S Welton
- 3 Ann-Malena Lea
- 4 Mary Allum
- 5 Robin D Allum
- 6 David F Webb
- 7 Richard TL Rapor
- 8 Stephen D Pettman (C)

1st on 8 and on a working bell: 2.

7501

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Paul (11)

Sun May 10 1998 2h41

**5024 Vass S Major**

Comp. AN Tyler

- 1 Donald C Price
- 2 Nicola J Crichton
- 3 Richard TL Rapor
- 4 J Barry Pickup
- 5 Alan P Mayle
- 6 Roger LK Whittell
- 7 David G Salter (C)
- 8 Colin M Turner

First in the method by all except the tenor ringer, and for the Guild. Rung open in thanksgiving for the life of Alan R Andrews of Thorington, Essex, who joined the Guild in 1937.

7502

**MARLESFORD, Suffolk**

St Andrew

Sun May 10 1998 2h37 (9)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: (1) Cambridge S; (2) Double Oxford B; (3) Oxford TB; (4) St Clements CB; (5) Kent TB; (6) Plain, Canterbury B; (7) Plain B)

- 1 Alan W Rogers
- 2 Rodney H French
- 3 Ann-Malena Lea
- 4 Jonathan J Stevens
- 5 Stephen D Pettman (C)
- 6 David F Webb

Most methods: 4. Wedding compliment to Jane Ena Sims (local ringer) and Stefan Atkinson, married here the previous day.

7503

**HELMINGHAM, Suffolk**

St Mary

Fri May 22 1998 3h10 (19)

**5088 London S Major**

Comp. S Ivin

- 1 Alan D Flood
- 2 Paul N Mounsey
- 3 George W Pipe
- 4 Susan L Apter
- 5 David J Dearnley
- 6 David C Brown
- 7 Mark Regan (C)
- 8 J Alan Ainsworth

7504

**STRADISHALL, Suffolk**

St Margaret

Sat May 30 1998 2h53 (10)

**5040 Grandsire Doubles**

- 1 Richard A Knight
- 2 Christine A Knight
- 3 Neville F Whittell
- 4 Maurice J Rose
- 5 Alan P Mayle (C)

To mark the centenary of the first peal on the bells, Grandsire Doubles, 30 May 1898. First peal on the bells for 23 years and since the restoration of the tower and wedding of the treble and 4th bells. 200th peal as conductor for the Guild.

7505

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**

St Mary-le-Tower

Sat May 30 1998 2h59 (11)

**5040 Little Glemham**

**Little S Major**

Comp. Gen by BYROC

- 1 Brian E Whiting
- 2 George W Pipe
- 3 Christopher A Munnings
- 4 James A Smith
- 5 David I Stanford
- 6 Owen P Claxton
- 7 Stephen D Pettman
- 8 Adrian Knights (C)

First peal in the method. A Suffolk Guild 75th anniversary peal.

7506

**OXFORD**

St Thomas the Martyr

Sat Jun 6 1998 2h52 (11)

**5000 London S Royal**

Comp. DC Brown

- 1 Diana M Pipe
- 2 Roger H Abbott
- 3 Ruth Blackwell
- 4 David C Brown (C)
- 5 James R Taylor
- 6 Stephen Ivin
- 7 Roderick W Pipe
- 8 Ralph G Edwards
- 9 Clifford A Barron
- 10 George W Pipe

7507

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Paul

Sun June 7 1998 2h42 (11)

**5104 Double Norwich CB**

**Major**

Comp. I Butters (No.1)

- 1 David G Salter
- 2 Rodney H French
- 3 Trevor N J Bailey
- 4 J Barry Pickup
- 5 Richard TL Rapor
- 6 Roger LK Whittell
- 7 Stephen J Bedford
- 8 Alan P Mayle (C)

To mark the 51st Aldeburgh Festival of Music & the Arts.

7508

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary Virgin

Sun Jun 7 1998 2h45 (8)

**5051 Bristol S Major**

Comp. BE Whiting

- 1 Donald C Price
- 2 Adrian Knights
- 3 Brian E Whiting
- 4 Mary E Dunbavin
- 5 James A Smith
- 6 Clive J Dunbavin
- 7 George E Thoday
- 8 Stephen D Pettman (C)

300th peal: 4. A 51st birthday compliment to Adrian Knights; Also in memoriam Albert Soames whose coach company provided many happy ringers' outings and tours. For Evensong.

7509

**SUDBURY, Suffolk**

St Peter

Sat Jun 13 1998 3h9 (21)

**5040 Oakham S Royal**

Comp. E Francis

- 1 Alan M Barber
- 2 Christine A Knight
- 3 Joan Garrett
- 4 Richard A Knight
- 5 Tim Hurst
- 6 Mary E Dunbavin
- 7 Rodney H French
- 8 David G Salter
- 9 Ian M Holland (C)
- 10 Alan P Mayle

First in the method by all the band except the treble.

7510

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**

St Mary-le-Tower

Sat Jun 13 1998

**Pudsey S Maximus**

Details not available at the time of going to press.

**7511**

**SUDBURY, Suffolk**

St Gregory

Sun Jun 28 1998 3h6 (16)

**5040 Little Cornard Little**

**S Major**

Gen. by BYROC

- 1 Brian E Whiting
- 2 Christine A Knight
- 3 Stephen D Pettman (C)
- 4 Kevin S Hohl
- 5 Alan P Mayle
- 6 Roger LK Whittell
- 7 Andrew R Stone
- 8 Adrian Knights

A Suffolk Guild 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary peal. With best wishes to Mrs B Knight on the occasion of her 79th birthday & to Mr & Mrs DG Salter on the recent birth of their second son, Colin Frank. 1st peal in the method.

**7512**

**THURSTON, Suffolk**

St Peter

Mon Jun 29 1998 2h35 (11)

**5040 Doubles**

(4m: (1,2,15,16,29,30) Grandsire [3 x 240's being Elliot's, Pitman's & Price's]; (3-14) Huntley Place B; (17-28) Winchendon Place B; (31-42) Reverse Canterbury Ploasuro B)

- 1 Cathorino A Colman
- 2 Mary E Dunbavin
- 3 David F Wobb
- 4 Winston S Girling
- 5 David G Salter (C)

700th as conductor. A 2nd birthday compliment to Ami Victoria Judges, to welcome Colin Frank Salter, and for the Patronal Festival.

**7513**

**HORHAM, Suffolk**

St Mary

Wed Jul 1 1998 2h34 (6)

**5072 Plain Bob Major**

Arr DG Salter "Colin's Peal"

- 1 Mary E Dunbavin
- 2 Mary Allum
- 3 Josephine M Beever
- 4 Helen Y Price
- 5 David G Salter (C)

6 David R McLean

7 Robin D Allum

8 Stephen J Bedford

To welcome Colin Frank Salter, a second son for Katharine & David, who was born in Ipswich on 21 June 1998.

**7514**

**MONEWDEN, Suffolk**

St Mary

Fri Jul 3 1998 2h22 (6)

**5040 Cambridge S Minor**

Comp. R Bailey (No 2)

- 1 Stephen J Bedford
- 2 Mary Allum
- 3 Frank CJ Arnold
- 4 Richard J Munnings
- 5 Robin D Allum
- 6 David G Salter (C)

To welcome Colin Frank Salter, a 2nd grandson for Jennifer M Warren.

**7515**

**STOWMARKET, Suffolk**

SS Mary & Peter

Sat Jul 4 1998 2h57 (20)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Comp. S Biddleston

- 1 Catherine A Colman
- 2 Neville F Whittell
- 3 Winston S Girling
- 4 Stephen J Bedford
- 5 Julian Colman
- 6 David G Salter (C)
- 7 Alan P Mayle
- 8 Brian E Whiting

Golden Wedding anniversary compliments to George & Sylvia Colman, parents of the 5th ringer. Congratulations to David & Katharine Salter on the birth of Colin Frank, and a wedding anniversary compliment to Carol & Winston Girling.

**7516**

**NEWMARKET, Suffolk**

Mindinho-le-Tower

Sun Jul 5 1998 1h57 (9lbs)

**5040 Minor**

(9m: (1) London S; (2) Cambridge S; (3) Oxford TB; (4) Kent TB; (5) Double B; (6) St Clements B, Childwall B, Buxton B; (7) Plain B)

1 Richard A Knights

2 Cherril C Thompson

3 Phillip J Wilding

4 Jeremy W Spiller (C)

5 Frank C Price

6 Ian M Holland

A compliment to Katharine & David Salter on the recent birth of their son, Colin Frank; Also as a 41st birthday compliment to James Thompson.

**7517**

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Paul

Sun Jul 11 1998 2h46 (12)

**5088 Wordsworth S Major**

Gen by BYROC

- 1 Richard TL Rapior
- 2 David G Salter
- 3 Alan P Mayle
- 4 Mary E Dunbavin
- 5 Roger LK Whittell
- 6 Stephen J Bedford
- 7 Richard J Munnings
- 8 J Barry Pickup (C)

First in the method by all the band. To welcome Colin Frank Salter, son of David & Katharine, both usually members of this peal band.

**7518**

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**

St Mary-le-Tower

Sat Jul 11 1998

**York S Maximus**

Details not available at the time of going to press.

**7519**

**SWEFFLING, Suffolk**

St Mary

Sun Jul 12 1998 2h34 (6)

**5040 Doubles**

(11m: (1,2) St Osmund, St Remigius (3,4) Eynesbury, Huntley Place; (5,6) St Martin's, Winchendon Place; (7,8) St Simon's, St Nicholas; (9,10) Plain, Reverse Canterbury; (11-20) Grandsire; (21) St Osmund, Eynesbury; (22-24) St Martin's; (25-27) St Simon's; (28-30) Plain; (31-42) Grandsire)

- 1 Sharon J Bantoff
- 2 Michael J Peters

3 Jonathan J Stevens

4 Mary S Garner

5 Stephen D Pettman (C)

6 Alan W Rogers

First attempt: 1. In memoriam Richard SD Stevens (25/6/56 - 12/7/88), a former ringer at this tower, on the 10th anniversary of his passing.

**7520**

**MONEWDEN, Suffolk**

St Mary

Mon Jul 20 1998 2h44 (6)

**5040 Minor**

(2m: (1,3,5) St Clement's B; (2,4,6) Plain B; (7) St Clement's B, Plain B)

- 1 David W Rogers
- 2 Alan W Rogers
- 3 Katherine J Eagle
- 4 Brian E Whiting
- 5 Iain W Mitchell
- 6 Stephen D Pettman (C)

First 6-bell peal: 2. Most methods inside: 2. A birthday compliment to David Rogers. Also with the best wishes of the band to Ann-Malena Lea & David Webb, married the previous day.

**7521**

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary Virgin

Sun Aug 2 1998 2h47 (8)

**5040 Little Bealings Little**

**S Major**

Comp. Gen by BYROC

- 1 Brian E Whiting
- 2 George W Pipe
- 3 Christine A Knight
- 4 Adrian Knights
- 5 Alan P Mayle
- 6 David G Salter
- 7 Owen P Claxton
- 8 Stephen D Pettman (C)

A Suffolk Guild 75th anniversary peal. First peal in the method.

7522

**BURES, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin  
Sat Aug 8 1998 3h7 (21)

**5056 Yorkshire S Major**  
Comp. AJ Cox

- 1 Donald L Mills
- 2 Christine A Knight
- 3 Evelyn RM Reeve
- 4 John P Loveless (C)
- 5 Linda M Garton
- 6 Allen W Cansdale
- 7 George W Pipe
- 8 Alan P Mayle

Arranged to mark the 50th anniversary of Don, Evelyn and Allen's first lesson in bellhandling; also to mark the 30th anniversary of the conductor's first peal of Major rung here on 2/8/68, conducted by George Pipe; also a 30th wedding anniversary to Evelyn & David Reeve.

7523

**HOLLESLEY, Suffolk**

All Saints  
Sun Aug 16 1998 2h45 (17)

**5024 Little Bob Major**

Comp. MJ Thurmott

- 1 Mary E Dunbavin
- 2 Helen Y Price
- 3 Mary Allum
- 4 Jonathan J Stevens
- 5 Richard TL Rapior
- 6 Stephen J Bedford
- 7 Robin D Allum
- 8 David G Salter (C)

1st of Major inside: 4. To mark the retirement of the Reverend John M Gates, vicar of Hollesley, 31 years exactly since his induction and on the day of his last service.

7524

**SUDBURY, Suffolk**

St Peter  
Sun Aug 23 1998 3h7 (20)

**5040 Cambridge S Royal**

Comp. J Motts

- 1 Rodney H French
- 2 Alan P Mayle
- 3 Beryl Norris
- 4 David G Salter (C)
- 5 Rev Lawrence R Pizey
- 6 Vernon B Bedford
- 7 W John Couperthwaite

- 8 Martin Turner
- 9 Stephen J Bedford
- 10 George E Thoday

7425

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**

St Mary le Tower  
Wed Aug 26 1998 3h2 (11)

**5088 Pudsey S Major**

Comp. D Knox

- 1 Brian E Whiting
- 2 Diana M Pipe
- 3 Adrian Knights
- 4 Roger LK Whittell
- 5 Jeremy W Spiller
- 6 John L Girt
- 7 George W Pipe
- 8 Stephen D Pettman (C)

In memory of Dennis Knox.

7526

**EYE, Suffolk**

SS Peter and Paul  
Sat Aug 29 1998 2h59 (22)

**5024 Dane End Major**

Comp. AM Barber

- 1 Jeremy W Warren
- 2 Nicola J Crichton
- 3 Mary E Dunbavin
- 4 S Kathleen M Baldwin
- 5 Colin M Turner
- 6 Stephen J Bedford
- 7 Roger Baldwin (C)
- 8 Peter GC Ellis

A 16th birthday compliment to Helen Bedford.

7527

**HENLEY, Suffolk**

St Peter

Sat Aug 29 1998 2h44 (8)

**5040 Little Blakenham**

**Little S Major**

Comp. Gen by BYROC

- 1 Diana M Pipe
- 2 Brian E Whiting
- 3 Stephen D Pettman (C)
- 4 Richard T L Rapior
- 5 Kevin S Hohl
- 6 Owen P Claxton
- 7 Adrian Knights
- 8 George W Pipe

With the band's best wishes to Elizabeth Pettman on her recent 40th birthday. A Suffolk Guild 75th Anniversary peal. First peal in the method.

7528

**MARSHAM, Norfolk**

All Saints

Sat Aug 29 1998 2h22 (8)

**5024 Zwielfalten S Major**

Comp. JS Warboys

- 1 David R McLean
- 2 Nicola J Crichton
- 3 Roger Baldwin
- 4 S Kathleen M Baldwin
- 5 Stephen J Bedford
- 6 David G Salter
- 7 Peter GC Ellis (C)
- 8 Colin M Turner

In memory of Bob Arnold.

7529

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin

**5376 Superlative S Major**

Sun Sep 6 1998 ?h?? (8)

Comp. MJ Platt

- 1 Donald C Price
- 2 Adrian Knights
- 3 Christopher A Munnings
- 4 Stephen J Bedford
- 5 Richard J Munnings
- 6 Brian E Whiting
- 7 Owen P Claxton
- 8 Stephen D Pettman (C)

In memoriam C W Pipe (b. 5/9/1906). For Evensong.

7530

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Paul

Sun Sep 13 1998 2h30 (11)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: 1 extent each London S, Ipswich S, Norwich S, Oxford TB, St Clement's B, Kent TB, Plain B)

- 1 David G Salter (C)
- 2 Alan P Mayle
- 3 J Barry Pickup
- 4 Richard TL Rapior
- 5 Trevor NJ Bailey
- 6 Stephen J Bedford

A 5th wedding anniversary compliment to Katharine & David Salter.

7531

**GREAT ASHFIELD,**

**Suffolk**

All Saints (10)

Mon Sep 14 1998 2h35

**5040 Doubles**

(11m: (1-2) Huntley Place B; (5-8) St Remigius B;

(9-12) Winchendon Place B; (13-16) St Nicholas B; (17-20) Reverse Canterbury Pleasure B; (21-24) Eynesbury B; (25-28) St Osmund B; (29-32) St Martin's B; (33-36) St Simon's B; (37-40) Plain B; (41,42) Grandsire (Price's 240))

- 1 Julian Colman
- 2 Mary Allum
- 3 David G Salter (C)
- 4 Winston S Girling
- 5 Robin D Allum

To mark the installation of a ringing gallery and the completion of major work by the Suffolk Guild maintenance team to the tenor and third, the former of which could not be rung. Also as wedding anniversary compliments (this day) to Keith & Sue Ashton-Jones (35 years) and Don & Lesley Beatty (25 years).

7532

**HOLLESLEY, Suffolk**

All Saints

Sat Sep 26 1998 3h16 (17)

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

Comp. CDP Davies

- 1 Brian E Whiting
- 2 Stephen D Pettman (C)
- 3 Jonathan J Stevens
- 4 Christopher A Munnings
- 5 Kevin S Hohl
- 6 Owen P Claxton
- 7 David I Stanford
- 8 Alan W Rogers

First touch of Grandsire Triples: 3. A birthday compliment to Katrina Rogers, having now completed one year for every week of the year.

7533

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**

St Mary-le-Tower

Sun Sep 27 1998

**Cambridge S Maximus**

Details not available at the time of going to press.



**7434**

**REDGRAVE, Suffolk**

St Mary the Virgin  
Sun Sep 27 1998 2h35 (10)

**5040 Doubles**

(11m: 2 exts Grandsire; 4 exts each Eynesbury B, St Osmund, St Martin's B, St Simon's B, Plain B, Huntley Place, St Remigius, Winchendon Place, St Nicholas B, Reverse Canterbury Pleasure Place)

- 1 Stephen J Bedford
- 2 Mary Allum
- 3 Mary E Dunbavin
- 4 Robin D Allum
- 5 David R McLean (C)
- 6 Albert G Driver

Rung for Harvest Festival to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of the rehanging of the bells. Also a compliment to Albert Driver on his 70th Harvest Festival as a ringer at this church.

**7535**

**FALKENHAM, Suffolk**

St Ethelbert King of East Anglia

Mon Oct 5 1998 2h24 (6)

**5040 Cambridge S Minor**

Comp. R Bailey (no.1)

- 1 Stephen J Bedford
- 2 George W Pipe
- 3 Frank CJ Arnold
- 4 Katharine A Salter
- 5 Alan P Mayle
- 6 David G Salter (C)

First peal on the bells.

Birthday compliment to J Martin Thorley. A Suffolk Guild 75th anniversary peal.

**7536**

**ASHBOCKING, Suffolk**

All Saints

Tue Oct 6 1998 2h30 (10)

**5040 Minor**

(17m: (1) Norwich S; (2) Pinehurst B, Thelwall B, Edge Hill B, Allerton B, Double Oxford B; (3) Oxford TB; (4) Cambridge S, Surfleet S, Beverley S; (5) Buxton B, Childwall B, Armitage-is-the-Name B, Lakesend B, St Clements B; (6) Kent TB; (7) Plain B)

1 Muriel R Page

2 Katharine J Salter

3 Frank CJ Arnold

4 Alan P Mayle

5 Stephen J Bedford

6 David G Salter (C)

A wedding compliment to Brian Beecroft & Ann Faeirs, who are to be married at Palgrave on 10 October.

**7537**

**WHEPSTEAD, Suffolk**

St Petronilla

Wed Oct 7 1998 2h22 (7)

**5040 Doubles**

(6m: (1-7) Grandsire; (8-15) Huntley Place B; (16-21) Rev Canterbury Pleasure B; (22,25,28,31,34,37,40) Winchendon Place B; (23,25,29,32,35,38,41) St Martins B; (24,27,30,33,36,39,42) Plain B)

1 Frank CJ Arnold

2 Katharine J Salter

3 David G Salter (C)

4 Alan P Mayle

5 Stephen J Bedford

**7538**

**NEWMARKET, Suffolk**

Mindinho-le-Tower

Wed Oct 7 1998 1h52 (9lb)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: 1 extent each Single Oxford B, Oxford TB, Double Oxford B, Kent TB, St Clement's B, Cambridge S, Plain B)

1 Cherill C Thompson

2 David G Salter (C)

3 Stephen J Bedford

4 Ian M Holland

5 Alan P Mayle

6 Katharine J Salter

**7539**

**REYDON, Suffolk**

St Margaret

Thu Oct 8 1998 2h35 (10)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: 1 extent each Double Court, Woodbine D, Single Oxford B, Oxford TB, Double B, Cambridge S, Plain B)

1 Brian E Whiting

2 Frank C J Arnold

3 Stephen J Bedford

4 Katherine J Salter

5 David G Salter

6 Alan P Mayle (C)

**7540**

**GREAT YARMOUTH,**

Norfolk

St Nicholas

Sat Oct 10 1998 3h26 (30)

**5088 Bowyer S Maximus**

Comp. DC Brown

1 Stephen A Coaker

2 George W Pipe

3 Ian Roulstone

4 David C Brown (C)

5 Claire F Edwards

6 Michael J Trimm

7 Simon P Griffiths

8 Nigel J Newton

9 Brian G Meads

10 Richard H Burton

11 Jeremy W Spiller

12 J Alan Ainsworth

**7541**

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**

SS Peter & Paul

Sun Oct 11 1998 2h35 (11)

**5088 Cotswold S Major**

Gen. by BYROC

1 Katherine J Salter

2 Trevor NJ Bailey

3 J Barry Pickup

4 Roger LK Whittell

5 David G Salter

6 Stephen J Bedford

7 Richard TL Rapor

8 Alan P Mayle (C)

250th peal as conductor.

First peal in the method by all and for the Guild. To celebrate Aldeburgh winning the annual Anglia in Bloom competition.

**7542**

**BARROW, Suffolk**

All Saints

Sat Oct 17 1998 2h42 (11)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: 1 extent each Double Court, Cambridge S, St Clement's B, Kent TB, Oxford TB, Single Oxford B, Plain B)

1 Elizabeth A Teverson

2 Josephine M Beever

3 Marie Carson

4 John L Girt

5 Paul V Stannard

6 Maurice J Rose (C)

As birthday compliments to the ringers of 1,3,5,6.

**7543**

**NEWMARKET, Suffolk**

Mindinho-le-Tower

Sun Oct 25 1998 1h53 (8lb)

**5040 Minor**

(6m: (1) Plain B; (2) Oxford TB; (3) St Clement's B; (4) Cambridge S; (5) Double Oxford B; (6) Kent TB; (7) Plain B)

1 Frank C Price

2 Mary E Dunbavin

3 David G Salter (C)

4 Philip J Wilding

5 Cherill C Thompson

6 Roger J Paimer

**7544**

**HIGHAM, Suffolk**

St Mary

Wed Oct 28 1998 2h42 (9)

**5040 London S Minor**

(7 extents; no 65s at backstroke)

1 Dorothea M Robotham

2 Richard J Tibbetts

3 Adrian Knights

4 Brian E Whiting

5 John R Mayne (C)

6 George W Pipe

First peal of London Surprise Minor: 2, 6.

**7545**

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary

Sun Nov 1 1998 2h38 (8)

**5040 Little Redisham**

Little S Major

Comp. Gen by BYROC

1 Donald C Price

2 Owen P Claxton

3 Christopher J Munnings

4 Roger LK Whittell

5 Alan P Mayle

6 Richard TL Rapor

7 Brian E Whiting

8 David G Salter (C)

A Suffolk Guild 75th anniversary peal. First peal in the method.

7546

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**  
SS Peter & Paul  
Sun Nov 8 1998 2h46 (12)

**5152 Yorkshire S Major**  
Comp. CP Starbuck

- 1 David G Salter
- 2 Rodney H French
- 3 Katharine J Salter
- 4 Roger LK Whittell
- 5 Trevor NJ Bailey
- 6 Stephen J Bedford
- 7 Richard TL Rapior
- 8 J Barry Pickup (C)

With the bells muffled at handstroke in memory of the Fallen.

7547

**NEWMARKET, Suffolk**  
Mindinho-le-Tower (9lb)  
Thu Nov 12 1998 1h54

**5040 Minor**

(4m: (1,3,5,7) Plain B; (2) Kent TB; (4) Cambridge S; (6) St Clement's B)

- 1 Cherril C Thompson
- 2 Mary E Dunbavin
- 3 Catherine A Colman
- 4 David G Salter (C)
- 5 Katharine J Salter
- 6 Frank C Price

A belated get-well compliment to George W Pipe of Ipswich.

7548

**THEBERTON, Suffolk**  
St Peter

Fri Nov 20 1998 2h35 (7)

**5040 Surprise Minor**

(7m: 1 ext each London, Wells, Durham, York, Ipswich, Cambridge, Norwich)

- 1 Dorothea M Robotham
- 2 Brian E Whiting
- 3 Adrian Knights
- 4 Stephen J Bedford
- 5 Richard J Tibbetts
- 6 John R Mayne (C)

7549

**SOUTHWOLD, Suffolk**  
St Edmund King & Martyr  
Sat Nov 21 1998 2h47 (11)

**5056 Southwold S Major**  
Comp. C Middleton

- 1 Helen Y Price
- 2 Dorothea M Robotham
- 3 John R Mayne
- 4 Rodney H French

- 5 Vernon B Bedford
- 6 Richard TL Rapior
- 7 Stephen EG Young
- 8 Stephen J Bedford (C)

50th peal: 7. 1st peal in the method.

7550

**LAVENHAM, Suffolk**  
SS Peter & Paul  
Sat Dec 5 1998 3h24 (21)

**5075 Suffolk S Major**

Comp. BE Whiting

- 1 Brian E Whiting
- 2 George W Pipe
- 3 Christine A Knight
- 4 Richard A Knight
- 5 Andrew R Stone
- 6 Adrian Knights
- 7 Stephen D Pettman (C)
- 8 Alan P Mayle

A Guild 75th anniversary peal.

7551

**NEWMARKET, Suffolk**  
Mindinho-le-Tower  
Sun Dec 6 1998 2h4 (9lb)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**  
(7 different extents)

- 1 Carol A Girling
- 2 David G Salter (C)
- 3 Mary E Dunbavin
- 4 Cherril C Thompson
- 5 Frank C Price
- 6 Winston S Girling

In memoriam Leslie N Melton. Also for the christening of Alexander Edward Blumfield.

7552

**WEST STOW, Suffolk**  
St Mary

Fri Dec 11 1998 2h40 (15)

**5040 Minor**

(5m: (1) Single Oxford B; (2) Cambridge S; (3,5,7) Plain B; (4) Oxford TB; (6) Kent TB)

- 1 Mary Allum
- 2 Paul V Stannard
- 3 Mary E Dunbavin
- 4 Stephen J Bedford
- 5 Robin D Allum
- 6 David G Salter (C)

950th for the Guild: 6. A Suffolk Guild 75th anniversary peal, rung on the 75th anniversary of the first peal on the bells for the Guild.

7553

**IPSWICH, Suffolk**  
St Mary-le-Tower  
Sat Dec 12 1998

**Rochester S Maximus**

*Details not available at the time of going to press.*

7554

**ALDEBURGH, Suffolk**  
SS Peter & Paul  
Sun Dec 13 1998 2h41 (11)

**5152 Marple S Major**

Comp. AJ Cox

- 1 J Barry Pickup
- 2 Trevor NJ Bailey
- 3 Stephen J Bedford
- 4 Katharine J Salter
- 5 Roger LK Whittell
- 6 David G Salter (C)
- 7 Richard TL Rapior
- 8 Alan P Mayle

First in the method by all & for the Guild. Rung open in thanksgiving for the life of Leslie N Melton, who joined the Guild in 1955. R.I.P.

7555

**STOWMARKET, Suffolk**  
SS Mary & Peter

Sat Dec 19 1998 3h12 (20)

**5088 Oxford TB Major**

Comp. HW Haley

- 1 Mary E Dunbavin
- 2 Julian Colman
- 3 Neville F Whittell
- 4 Josephine M Beever
- 5 Winston S Girling
- 6 Roger LK Whittell
- 7 Maurice J Rose
- 8 David G Salter (C)

For Christmas.

7556

**NEWMARKET, Suffolk**  
Mindinho-le-Tower  
Fri Dec 25 1998 1h55 (9lb)

**5040 Minor**

(7m: 1 ext each London S, Wells S, Cambridge S, Kent TB, Oxford TB, St Clement's B, Plain B)

- 1 Phillip J Wilding
- 2 Cherril C Thompson
- 3 Ian M Holland
- 4 Frank C Price
- 5 David G Salter
- 6 Katharine J Salter (C)

For Christmastide.

7557

**BRANDESTON, Suffolk**  
All Saints  
Sun Dec 27 1998 2h31 (7)

**5040 Doubles**

(58m: (1) Montgomeryshire Pl; (2) Callender B; (3) Chevasse Pl; (4) Maltby B; (5) Montgomeryshire Pl;

Radnorshire Pl; (6) Callender B, Cardiganshire SC, Merionethshire B; (7) Chevasse Pl, Denbighshire SC, Flintshire Pl; (8) Maltby B,

Cardiganshire SC, Caernarvonshire SC; (9) Callender B, Glamorgan SC, Merionethshire B; (10) Blaisdon B, Screveton B; (11) St Vedast B, Chipstead SC, Bed-

ingham B; (12) Huntspill B, Oakley SC, Ellingham B; (13) New B, Itchingfield SC, Forncett B; (14) Dragon Pl, Strelley Pl; (15) St Hilary B, Ockham SC, Intwood B;

(16) Lyng Pl, Broughton SC, Blackburn B; (17) Chessham SC, Westminster B, Knaptown B; (18) Huntley Pl; Ossington Pl; (19) St Remigius B, Harpley B, Hasc-

ombe SC; (20) Winchendon Pl, Thornborough SC, Hadiscoe Pl; (21) Longford SC, St Nicholas B, Funder-

hall B; (22) Sutton-upon-Trent B, Eynesbury B; (23) St Osmund B, Merton SC, Longworth B; (24) St Mar-

tin's B, Slapton SC, Welford B; (25) St Simon's B, Bray-

wood B, Rugby SC; (26-28) Rev Canterbury Pleasure B; (29-34,36-38,40,41) Grand-

sire - 6x120s, 2x240s being Elliot's & Atkins'; (35,37,39,42) Plain B)

- 1 Christopher I McArthur
- 2 Stephen J Bedford
- 3 Mary Allum
- 4 Robin D Allum
- 5 David G Salter (C)
- 6 Persephone C Booth

Prior to the last Service taken by Revd Roger Dixon, priest in charge of Brandeston and vicar of Kettleburgh for the last 16 years.

7558

**GREAT BARTON, Suffolk**

Holy Innocents

Mon Dec 28 1998 2h41 (8)

**5040 Plain Bob Minor**

(7 different extents)

1 Carol A Girling

2 Julian Colman

3 Susan J Munford

4 Stephen F Munford

5 Catherine A Colman

6 Winston S Girling (C)

By a Great Barton Sunday

Service band for Holy  
Innocents' Day.

7559

**STUTTON, Suffolk**

St Peter

(11)

Wed Dec 30 1998 2h28

**5040 Doubles**

(2m/8v: (1-5,15-19, 29-33)

Plain B; (6,20,37) April Day;

(7,21,35) May Day; (8,22,

36) Seighford; (9, 23,37)

Litchurch; (10,24,38) Hudi-

bras; (12,25,39) Rev Cant-

erbury Pleasure B, Plain B;

(12,26,40) Jacksdale; (13,

27,41) Great Barton; (14,

28,42) Kennington)

1 John K Pereira

2 Mary Allum

3 Sandra Pereira

4 David G Salter (C)

5 Robin D Allum

6 Eric A Bull

First peal on a working bell:

1, 3. 600th peal: 2. First

peal on the bells to include

three members of the

Stutton band. For Christ-

mas and the New Year.

7560

**GRUNDISBURGH, Suffolk**

St Mary Virgin

Thu Dec 31 1998 3h10 (8)

**5130 Grandsire Caters**

Comp. SD Pettman

1 Alan C Mould

2 Rodney H French

3 Richard J Munnings

4 Donald C Price

5 Stephen D Pettman (C)

6 FE Margaret Lambeth

7 David I Stanford

8 Stephen H Stanford

9 George W Pipe

10 Stephen J Bedford

First peal: 6. Half-muffled  
for the passing of the old  
year.

Details of seven peals rung at St Mary-le-Tower, Ipswich but published too late for inclusion in this section,  
can be found on page 83.

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# Peal Compositions

## 5152 Ulceby Surprise Major

By RE Hardy

| B | M         | W | H | 23456     |
|---|-----------|---|---|-----------|
|   | -         |   |   | 52436     |
| X | -         |   |   | 52364     |
| 2 | -         |   |   | 26435     |
| 2 | -         |   |   | 63542     |
| 2 | -         |   |   | 42356     |
|   | -         |   |   | 54326     |
| X |           |   |   | 42563 (A) |
|   | -         | 2 |   | 23564     |
|   | -         |   |   | 62534     |
|   | 5ths/4ths |   |   | 45362     |
|   | 5ths/4ths |   |   | 23645     |
|   | -         | 2 |   | 35642     |
|   | 2(A)      |   |   | 64235     |
|   | -         |   |   | 36245     |
| X |           |   |   | 64352     |
|   | -         | - |   | 23456     |

8/2/1998, Aldeburgh, DG Salter

## 5056 Uganda S Major

By MA Coleman

| B | I | M | W | 4 | H | 23456  |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|--------|
|   | - |   |   |   |   | 64352  |
|   | - | X |   |   |   | 237546 |
| X |   |   | 3 |   |   | 35264  |
| X |   |   | 3 |   |   | 56342  |
|   | 2 | 2 | 3 |   |   | 64523  |
|   | - |   |   |   |   | 35426  |
|   | - | X |   |   |   | 647253 |
| X | - |   |   |   |   | 62534  |
| X |   |   |   |   |   | 23645  |
|   | - |   | 3 |   |   | 42635  |
| X |   |   | 3 |   |   | 23456  |

3/1/1998, Framsdon, DG Salter

## 5280 Cambridge Surprise Maximus

By SD Pettman

| M | W | H  | 23456 |
|---|---|----|-------|
|   | - |    | 42356 |
| S | S |    | 52364 |
| - |   | 3  | 32465 |
| - | - |    | 64523 |
| - | - | SS | 25346 |
| - | - | 2  | 23456 |

18/1/98, Grundisburgh, SD Pettman

## 5152 Plain Bob Major

Arranged: DG Salter, No4

| W | V  | M   | H | 23456   |
|---|----|-----|---|---------|
|   | -  |     |   | 42356   |
| S | S  |     |   | 62345   |
| S |    | -   |   | 34265   |
|   | SB | (3) |   | 3427568 |
|   | SB | 2   |   | 42365   |
| S | S  | 2   |   | 23546   |

4 part S ½ and end. Omit 1 ( )

2/5/1998, Stradbroke, DG Salter

## 5072 Plain Bob Major

Arr: DG Salter, No 5 "Colin's Peal"

| W    | V | I | M  | H | 23456  |
|------|---|---|----|---|--------|
| (SS) |   |   |    |   | 42356  |
| S    |   | S | 3  |   | 62345  |
| S    |   | S | 3  |   | 52364  |
| S    |   |   | -  |   | 36254  |
|      | S | 3 |    |   | 372546 |
|      | S |   | 2  |   | 62354  |
| S    | - |   | -  |   | 357246 |
|      |   | x | S  | 3 | 42365  |
| S    |   | S | 3  |   | 52346  |
| S    |   |   | BS |   | 32456  |

Repeat omitting ( )

1/7/1998, Horham, DG Salter

## 5056 Plain Bob Major

Arranged: DG Salter, No7

| W | V | B | I   | M | H | 23456   |
|---|---|---|-----|---|---|---------|
|   | - |   |     |   |   | 42356   |
|   | - |   |     |   |   | 32654   |
|   |   | X | (3) |   |   | 2537468 |
|   |   | X | -   |   |   | 2734568 |
|   | 2 |   | 3   |   |   | 24365   |
| - |   | S | 2   |   |   | 23546   |

4 part: S ½ way and end

Call ( ) in parts 2 & 4 only

10/1/1998, Horham, DG Salter

## 5024 Yass Surprise Major

By AN Tyler

| B      | W    | H | 23456     |
|--------|------|---|-----------|
|        | -    |   | 42356     |
|        | -    |   | 54326 (A) |
| 2      | -    |   | 42635     |
| * (A+) |      |   | 45623     |
| 2      | -    |   | 52364 (B) |
|        | 3(B) |   | 34256     |
| 2      |      |   | 56423     |
|        | -    |   | 25463     |
| 2      | -    |   | 56342     |
|        | 2(A) |   | 23456     |

Add In Out 4ths at \*

A+ = A less last Home.

10/5/1998, Aldeburgh, DG Salter

## 5000 London Surprise Royal

By DC Brown

| M | I/5 | W | H | 23456 |
|---|-----|---|---|-------|
| - | -   | - |   | 65432 |
| - | -   |   |   | 34256 |
| - | -   | - |   | 65243 |
| - | -   |   |   | 42356 |
| - | -   |   |   | 53624 |
| - | 2   | - |   | 43265 |
| - | x   | - | 2 | 32465 |
| - | 2   |   |   | 26543 |
| - | -   |   |   | 45362 |
| - | -   |   |   | 63254 |
| - |     |   |   | 23456 |

6/6/1998, Oxford, DC Brown

## 5040 Grandsire Triples

By S Biddlestone

| 1 | 3 | 234567 |
|---|---|--------|
| S | - | 345267 |
| S | - | 452367 |
| - | - | 527463 |
| - | - | 273564 |
| - | - | 734265 |
| - | S | 435762 |
| S | - | 357462 |
| - | - | 572364 |
| - | - | 724563 |
| - | S | 423765 |

12 part, Bob for Single ½ and end

4/7/1998, Stowmarket, DG Salter

**5104 DNCB Major**

By I Butters, No1

|   |       |   |     |    |        |
|---|-------|---|-----|----|--------|
| 1 | 1½/2½ | 3 | 6   | 7  | 23456  |
|   | x     |   | 3   |    | 23645  |
|   | x     |   | (-) |    | 35264  |
| - |       | - | 3   | SS | 532746 |
| - |       | - | 2   |    | 23564  |
|   | x     |   | 2   |    | 42356  |
| S |       |   | -   |    | 23546  |

4 part. Omit SS in one part only  
Single for ( ) parts 2 and 4

7/6/1998, Aldeburgh, AP Mayle

**5040 Oakham Surprise Royal**

By E Francis

|   |   |   |       |
|---|---|---|-------|
| M | W | H | 23456 |
|   |   | 2 | 34256 |
|   | - |   | 53246 |
| - | 2 | 2 | 46325 |
| - | - | - | 32465 |

Repeat

13/6/1998, St Peter's Sudbury, IM  
Holland

**5088 Oxford Treble Bob Major**

By HW Haley

|   |   |   |   |       |
|---|---|---|---|-------|
| M | B | W | H | 23456 |
| 2 | x | - | 2 | 36452 |
|   | x | 2 | 2 | 23564 |
|   | x |   | 2 | 62345 |
| 2 | x |   | 2 | 45236 |
| - | x | 2 |   | 34256 |

3 part

19/12/1998, Stowmarket, DG Salter

**5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal**

By J Motts

|   |   |   |       |
|---|---|---|-------|
| M | W | H | 23456 |
|   |   | 2 | 34256 |
| - |   | - | 62453 |
|   | - |   | 56423 |
| - | - | - | 34625 |
| - | - | 3 | 23645 |
| - | - | - | 56342 |
| - | - | - | 45362 |
| - | - | - | 23564 |
| - | - | - | 62534 |
| - | - | - | 45236 |
| - | - | - | 23456 |

23/8/1998, St Peter's Sudbury, DG  
Salter

**5024 Dane End Surprise Major**

By AM Barber

|      |   |   |    |   |          |
|------|---|---|----|---|----------|
| 3rds | W | M | B  | H | 23456    |
|      |   |   |    | - | 42356    |
|      | 2 |   |    | - | 32546    |
|      | - |   |    | S | 43562    |
|      |   | - | S  |   | 53624    |
|      | S | - | x  |   | (327546) |
|      | S |   |    |   | 32654    |
|      | - |   | S  | 3 | 53264    |
|      |   | - | SS | - | 42365    |
|      |   |   | SS | 2 | 23465    |
|      | - |   | S  |   | 43526    |
|      | 2 |   |    | 2 | 25346    |
| SS   | - |   |    |   | 34256    |
| SS   |   | - |    |   | 23456    |

S = 1256

29/8/1998, Eye, R Baldwin

**5088 Cotswold Surprise Major**

By BYROC

|   |   |   |   |       |
|---|---|---|---|-------|
| B | M | W | H | 23456 |
|   |   |   | 2 | 34256 |
|   | - | S | S | 56423 |
| X |   |   | - | 56234 |
|   | 2 | 2 | - | 56342 |
| - | - | - | - | 23645 |

3 part

11/10/98, Aldeburgh, APMayle

**5040 Plain Bob Major**

By SD Pettman

|   |   |     |   |         |
|---|---|-----|---|---------|
| 3 | 4 | 6   | 7 | 2345678 |
|   |   |     | - | 2345867 |
| S | - | (4) |   | 2347586 |
|   | - | (3) |   | 2347658 |
| - | - |     |   | 2348567 |
| - | - |     |   | 2348756 |
| - | - | 3   |   | 2346578 |
| - | - |     |   | 2346857 |
| S | - |     |   | 2347685 |
| - | - | 3   |   | 2347568 |
| - | - |     |   | 2348657 |
| - | - | 3   |   | 2348765 |
| - | - | 3*  |   | 2435678 |

2 part, calling (4) at 6 and (3) at 7 in  
second part only

4 = S-S-

3\* = -S-

Warning: This composition contains  
487's at backstroke

9/5/98, Pakefield, SD Pettman

**5088 Wordsworth Surprise Major**

By BYROC

|   |   |   |   |       |
|---|---|---|---|-------|
| M | B | W | H | 23456 |
| - | X |   |   | 35426 |
| - | X |   | - | 45236 |
|   |   | - |   | 34256 |
|   | X |   | - | 34562 |
| S |   | S |   | 64523 |
| S |   | S |   | 24536 |
| - |   | - | - | 53246 |
| - |   |   |   | 23645 |

3 part

11/7/1998, Aldeburgh, JB Pickup

**5024 Little Bob Major**

By MJ Thurmott

|     |   |   |   |    |         |
|-----|---|---|---|----|---------|
| I/5 | W | M | B | H  | 23456   |
|     |   |   | - |    | 43652   |
|     | 2 |   |   |    | 64352   |
|     |   | S |   |    | 54362   |
| 2   |   |   |   |    | 35462   |
|     |   | S |   | SS | 65432   |
|     |   | S | x |    | (56324) |
|     | 3 |   |   |    | 56324   |
| 2   |   |   |   |    | 35624   |
|     | 2 |   |   |    | 52634   |
| 2   |   |   |   |    | 65234   |
|     | 2 |   |   |    | 53264   |
| x   |   |   |   |    | 32564   |

6 part: Omit SS twice

16/8/1998, Hollesley, DG Salter

**5088 Pudsey Surprise Major**

By D Knox

|   |   |   |   |        |
|---|---|---|---|--------|
| B | M | W | H | 634251 |
| - |   |   | - | 634512 |
| - |   | - |   | 634125 |
| - | - | - |   | 621543 |
| - |   | - |   | 621435 |
| - |   |   |   | 613254 |
| - |   | - |   | 651234 |
| - | - | - |   | 642135 |
| - |   |   |   | 623451 |
| - |   | - |   | 623514 |
| - |   |   |   | 631245 |
| - |   |   |   | 614352 |

Twice repeated

Start 10 changes before tenor is 4ths  
place bell. Next lead end gives  
first course end. 99 CRU's.

26/8/98, Ipswich (St Mary-le-Tower),  
SD Pettman

**5040 Grandsire Triples**

By CDP Davies

234567

5 532746

1 675432

5 476253

2 534627

5 635742

1 276435

4 762435

1 547362

"A"

4 475362

5 374256

2 563427

4 635427

4S 536427

1 745236

1S 267345

A 245673

A 273456

A 256734

A\* 324567

1S 573624

2 245367

1 732645

5 637524

1 456237

"B"

4 564237

5 265743

1 372465

2 653247

5S 526734

B 723456

B 425673

B 627345

B\* 234567

A\* = A, with Bob replacing last Single

B\* = B, with Bob replacing last Single

26/9/98, Hollesley, SD Pettman

**5040 Little Cornard Little Surprise****Major**

By BYROC

M B W H 23456

- - 35426

- - 52436

- I/V - 32546

2 S3S5 2 - 25346

2 S3S5 43526

S3S5 - - 35264

2 4/I, 4/I 23645

Repeat twice

28/6/98, Sudbury St G, SD Pettman

**5040 Little Redisham Little****Surprise Major**

By BYROC

W M H 23456

- 2 34256

- 2 32546

- - 54326

- - 63425

2 - 43265

2 - 23645

3 part

1/11/1998, Grundisburgh, DG Salter

**5040 Little Blakenham Little****Surprise Major**

By BYROC

M W H 23456

- - 45236

- - 3 32654

- - 53624

- - 42635

- 2 3 23564

Twice repeated

29/8/98, Henley, SD Pettman

**5040 Little Glemham Little Surprise****Major**

Gen by BYROC

M B W H 23456

- 2 - 43526

X 2 2 64235

- X 2 32465

X - 52364

X 2 65243

2 2 56342

2 X - - 23645

3 part

30/5/98, St Mary le Tower, A Knights

**5040 Little Bealings Little Surprise****Major**

By BYROC

M I B V W H 23456

- - - 2 34256

2 - 2 - 65243

2 - 2 54632

2 - - 2 2 32546

- - 2 2 43526

- 2 - 42635

- 2 23645

3 part

2/8/98, Grundisburgh, SD Pettman

**5184 Bristol Surprise Major**

By PJ Flavell

M B 4/I W H 23456

- - 42356

- - 25346

2 - 26543

2 X 2 - 53624

2 - 63254

2 - 23564

3 part

1/3/98, Grundisburgh, SD Pettman

**5152 Marple Surprise Major**

By AJ Cox

B M W I 4 H 23456

- 52436

- 2 3 23645

- x 3 2347568

x 3725468

3 x 42635

- 2 2 35264

3 - 23564

- 62534

- 2 3 23456

13/12/1998, Aldeburgh, DG Salter

**5042 New Cambridge Surprise****Maximus**

By J Worth

W H 23456

- 42356

3 - 34256

2 - 24536

3 - 52436

S (32456)

14/02/98, St Mary le Tower, MG

Whitby

**5042 Yorkshire Surprise Maximus**

By RW Pipe

M W H 23456

- 42356

3 - 34256

- 53246

S S 3 43265

- - 62534

- S (32456)

10/1/98, St Mary le Tower, OP

Claxton

# 5111 Grandsire Caters

By SD Pettman

|   |   |   |   |   |            |
|---|---|---|---|---|------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 23456789   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 42356978   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 342        |
| - | - | - | S | - | 23456879   |
| - | - | S | - | - | 32457968   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 432        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 3524       |
| S | - | S | - | - | 35792468   |
| S | - | S | - | - | 23547968   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 523        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 2435       |
| - | - | S | - | - | 42356879   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 342        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 43256978   |
| - | - | S | - | - | 43652      |
| - | - | S | - | - | 24356      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 324        |
| - | - | - | S | - | 43256879   |
| - | - | S | - | - | 34257968   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 234        |
| S | - | - | - | - | 42397568   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 342        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 234        |
| S | - | - | - | - | 42357968   |
| - | - | S | - | - | 24356879   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 324        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 23456978   |
| - | - | - | S | - | 63452      |
| S | - | - | - | - | 43265978   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 243        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 324        |
| - | - | - | S | - | 43265879   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 243        |
| - | - | S | - | - | 52463      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 452        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 245        |
| - | - | S | - | - | 32465      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 23465978   |
| - | - | S | - | - | 52364      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 352        |
| - | - | - | S | - | 23564879   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 523        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 352        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 53264978   |
| - | - | - | - | - | (34265879) |

"A"

Contains all 56978, 56879, 65978, 65879, 64978, 64879 courses, plus queens, whittingtons and titturns.

25/4/98, Beccles, SD Pettman

# 5130 Grandsire Caters

By SD Pettman

|   |   |   |   |   |            |
|---|---|---|---|---|------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 34265879   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 23465      |
| - | - | S | - | - | 52364      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 35264      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 23564      |
| - | - | S | - | - | 42365      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 24365978   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 43265      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 24365897   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 32465      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 43265      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 24365789   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 32465      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 43265      |
| - | - | - | S | - | 24365987   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 43265      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 24365798   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 43265      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 24365879   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 43265      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 34265978   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 42365      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 34265798   |
| S | - | - | S | - | 23479658   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 423        |
| - | - | - | - | - | 342        |
| - | - | - | S | - | 23475698   |
| S | - | S | - | - | 52364798   |
| - | - | - | - | - | 35264      |
| - | - | - | - | - | 23564      |
| - | - | S | - | - | 42365      |
| - | - | - | - | - | (34265879) |

"A"

"B"

31/12/98, Grundisburgh, SD Pettman

# 5152 Marple S Major

By AJ Cox

|   |   |   |   |   |   |         |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---------|
| B | M | W | I | 4 | H | 23456   |
| - | - | - | - | - | - | 52436   |
| - | - | 2 | - | - | 3 | 23645   |
| - | - | - | X | - | 3 | 2347568 |
| X | - | - | - | - | - | 3725468 |
| 3 | - | - | - | X | - | 42635   |
| - | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | 35264   |
| 3 | - | - | - | - | - | 23564   |
| - | - | - | - | - | - | 62534   |
| - | 2 | - | - | - | 3 | 23456   |

13/12/1998, Aldeburgh, DG Salter

# 5051 Bristol Surprise Major

BE Whiting

| M | I | B | V | W | H | (6123475) |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----------|
|   |   |   |   |   | T | 1632475   |
|   |   | - | - | - |   | 436527    |
| - |   |   |   |   | 2 | 32654     |
|   |   |   |   | 2 | - | 62534     |
|   |   |   |   | 2 | 2 | 35264     |
| - |   |   |   |   | 2 | 54263     |
|   | S |   | S |   |   | 63425     |
| - | - | - |   | 2 | - | 64235     |
|   |   |   |   |   |   | 52436     |
| - |   | - |   | 2 | 2 | 54326     |
|   |   |   |   | 2 |   | 42356     |
|   | S |   | S |   |   | 56234     |
|   | - |   |   |   |   | 63542     |
| - |   | - |   |   |   | 34562     |
|   |   | - |   | - | 2 | 43265     |
| - |   | - |   | - |   | 23645     |
|   | - |   |   | - | 2 | 32546     |
|   |   |   |   | - |   | (43526)   |
|   |   |   |   | T |   | (3215467) |

Start at backstroke at ninth change of course.

T = 34

7/6/1998, Grundisburgh, SD Pettman

# 5376 Superlative Surprise Major

By MJ Platt

| ½ | 1 | 1½ | 2 | 2½  | 3½ | 4 | 5 | (25364) |
|---|---|----|---|-----|----|---|---|---------|
|   | - | -  |   |     |    | S |   | 56342   |
| S | - | -  |   | S   | -  | - |   | 63425   |
|   |   |    |   |     |    | S |   | 36254   |
|   |   |    | - |     |    |   |   | 65342   |
|   | - | -  |   | S   | -  | - |   | 53624   |
|   |   |    |   |     |    | S |   | 35246   |
|   |   |    |   | "A" |    |   |   | 34265   |
|   |   |    | - |     |    |   |   | 46352   |
| S | - | -  |   | S   | -  | - |   | 63524   |
|   | - | -  |   |     | -  | - | S | 36245   |
|   | - | -  |   |     | -  | - |   | 64352   |
|   | - | -  |   | S   | -  | - |   | 43625   |
|   | - | -  |   |     | -  | - | S | 34256   |
|   |   |    |   | "B" |    |   |   | 35264   |

Repeat

Start at backstroke snap.

120 CRU's

6/9/98, Grundisburgh, SD Pettman

# 5075 Suffolk Surprise Major

By BE Whiting

| M | I/V   | * | B | W | H | (82153746) |
|---|-------|---|---|---|---|------------|
|   |       | T | S | - | 2 | 13264578   |
|   |       |   |   | 2 | 2 | 46235      |
|   | X     |   |   | 2 | 2 | 34265      |
| - |       |   |   | - | - | 56243      |
| - |       |   | - | 2 |   | 45263      |
| - | X     |   |   |   | 2 | 32564      |
|   |       |   |   | 2 | - | 52634      |
|   |       |   |   | 2 | 2 | 36254      |
| - | S3/S5 |   |   |   |   | 65234      |
| - | X     |   |   | - | 2 | 52346      |
|   |       |   |   | - | - | 34526      |
|   | S3    |   |   | S |   | 473256     |
|   | S4    |   |   |   |   | 475236     |
|   | S4    |   |   | S |   | 423756     |
|   |       |   | S | 2 |   | 42536      |
|   | X     |   |   | - |   | 32456      |
|   | X     |   |   |   |   | 24356      |

Rounds two changes after course end.

B = 14

S = 1238

T = 38

\* Tone at lead after start.

Start at backstroke:

12345678

13254768

31527486

35124768

53217486

35127846

31528764

13257846

12358764

21385746

12834576

21384567

12834576

18235467

81325476

18234567

81235476

18253746

5/12/98, Lavenham, SD Pettman.



**5075 Plain Bob Major**

By SD Pettman

| W                    | V | 3 | M | H | (31254768) |
|----------------------|---|---|---|---|------------|
|                      |   |   | T |   | 13524768   |
| -                    | S | - | - |   | 6452378    |
|                      |   | - | - |   | 35426      |
| -                    |   | - | - |   | 42356      |
| S                    |   | S | 3 |   | 62345      |
| S                    |   | S | 3 |   | 52364      |
| S                    |   |   | 3 |   | 62354      |
| S                    |   | S | 3 |   | 42365      |
| S                    |   | S | 2 |   | 23546      |
| SS                   |   | - | - |   | 52346      |
| S                    |   | - | - |   | 34256      |
| S                    |   |   | 3 |   | 54236      |
| S                    |   |   | S |   | 32456      |
| S                    |   |   | 3 |   | 52436      |
| S                    |   | - | - |   | 43256      |
| "A".Omitting SS at W |   |   |   |   | 24356      |
|                      |   | S | - |   | 23456      |

NB: SS at W must be omitted in second "A" block, otherwise peal is false.

T = 34

Start at backstroke as follows:

12345678

13254768

31527486

13524768 T

5/4/98, Grundisburgh, SD Pettman

**5042 Pudsey Surprise Maximus**

By P Border

| M | W | H | 23456   |
|---|---|---|---------|
|   | 2 |   | 34256   |
| - | - |   | 52643   |
| - | - |   | 36245   |
| - | 3 |   | 43265   |
| - | - |   | 64235   |
| - | - |   | 32546   |
| S |   |   | (42536) |

13/6/1998, St Mary-le-Tower, SA Rudd

**5088 Rochester Surprise Maximus**

Arranged NJ Newton

| M | W | H | 23456 |
|---|---|---|-------|
| - | - |   | 64325 |
| 2 | - |   | 52643 |
| - | - |   | 36245 |
| - | - |   | 24365 |

Repeat

12/12/98 St Mary le Tower, NJ Newton

**5000 York Surprise Maximus**

By SD Pettman

| W | X | M | H | (243156) |
|---|---|---|---|----------|
|   |   | T | - | 126354   |
| - | - | - | - | 43265    |
| - | - | - | - | 52364    |
| - | - | - | - | 35426    |
| - |   | 2 |   | 34256    |
| - |   | - |   | 25346    |
|   | X |   |   | 43526    |
|   | X |   |   | 32546    |
|   | X |   |   | 45236    |
|   | X |   |   | 53246    |
| T |   |   |   | (341256) |

T = 34

X = 2,3,4,5,6,7,8

Start 4 changes before Middle

Start:

1234567890ET

2143658709TE

124638507T9E

21648305T7E9

126438507T9E T

Finish:

135427698E0T

31547296E8T0 T

3142567890ET

1324658709TE

1234567890ET

11/7/98, Ipswich, SD Pettman

**5024 Wembley Surprise Major**

By BYROC

| M | B | W | H | 23456 |
|---|---|---|---|-------|
|   |   | 2 |   | 34256 |
|   |   | 2 |   | 45236 |
|   | x | - |   | 45362 |
| 2 | x | - |   | 25634 |
|   | - | - |   | 32654 |
|   | 2 | - |   | 25463 |
| - | 2 | - |   | 36524 |
|   | x | 2 |   | 24365 |
| - | - | - |   | 53462 |
|   | x | 2 |   | 56234 |
|   | x | - |   | 56342 |
| - |   | - |   | 23645 |
|   |   | 3 |   | 62345 |
|   | 2 | - |   | 23456 |

11/1/1998, Aldeburgh, JB Pickup

# Quarter Peals in Suffolk Guild Towers

**Part 1:** Quarter peals rung in 1997 but previously omitted, or in the Ringing World after 6/2/98. 1997 tower totals show totals as in the 1997 Annual Report plus those listed below. Totals for towers not listed here are unchanged from the 1997 Report.

|                                  |   |                                   |
|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| <b>Aldeburgh</b> ..... (14)      | <b>Hollesley</b> ..... (2)              | Dec 16 Plain Bob Major            |
| Aug 2 Cambridge S Major          | Aug 2 Superlative S Major               | Dec 23 Cambridge S Minor          |
| Nov 20 Plain Bob Major           | <b>Horham</b> ..... (9)                 | Dec 30 Plain Bob Major            |
| Dec 19 Spl S Major (RNSCYP)      | Dec 15 Bristol S Major                  | <b>Southwold</b> ..... (9)        |
| <b>Barrow</b> ..... (6)          | <b>Ipswich (St Margaret)</b> ..... (11) | Jan 1 Plain Bob Major             |
| Dec 20 Doubles (2m)              | Dec 14 Plain Bob Minor                  | Jul 8 Cambridge S Major           |
| <b>Burgh</b> ..... (1)           | <b>Kersey</b> ..... (10)                | Aug 2 Yorkshire S Major           |
| Dec 31 Cambridge S Minor         | Aug 16 Cambridge S Major                | Sep 16 Grandsire Triples          |
| <b>Bury St Edmunds</b> ..... (4) | <b>Leiston</b> ..... (2)                | Oct 6 Cambridge S Major           |
| Nov 6 London S Royal 3           | Nov 28 Premier S Major                  | Nov 11 Plain Bob Major            |
| <b>Debenham</b> ..... (3)        | <b>Mildenhall</b> ..... (1)             | <b>Stoke by Nayland</b> ..... (5) |
| Aug 2 Spl S Major (CYS)          | Dec 27 Plain Bob Triples                | Dec 19 Plain Bob Triples          |
| <b>Felsham</b> ..... (2)         | <b>Needham Market - West Lodge</b>      | <b>Wickham Market</b> ..... (2)   |
| Dec 23 Doubles (1m/1p)           | (handbells) ..... (1)                   | Dec 14 Plain Bob Minor            |
| <b>Grundisburgh</b> ..... (4)    | Dec 17 Plain Bob Minor                  | <b>Worlingham</b> ..... (2)       |
| Dec 21 Grandsire Caters          | <b>Offton</b> ..... (31)                | Dec 24 Plain Bob Doubles          |
|                                  | Dec 20 Grandsire Triples                |                                   |

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| <b>Aldeburgh</b> ..... (6)   | <b>Barrow</b> ..... (5)     | <b>Brandon</b> ..... (3)          |
| Feb 1 St Clements Minor      | May 7 Plain Bob Minor       | Apr 19 Plain Bob Minor            |
| Feb 28 D N C B Major         | May 31 Plain Bob Minor      | Sep 4 Doubles (2m)                |
| Mar 1 Cambridge S Minor      | Jul 31 Plain Bob Doubles    | Nov 22 Plain Bob Minor            |
| Mar 22 Plain Bob Triples     | Aug 31 Cambridge S Minor    | <b>Bredfield</b> ..... (1)        |
| Aug 4 Lincolnshire S Major   | Oct 8 Plain Bob Doubles     | Jan 1 St Clements Minor           |
| Sep 29 Harleston S Major     | <b>Beccles</b> ..... (1)    | <b>Bury St Edmunds</b> ..... (11) |
| <b>Ashbocking</b> ..... (2)  | Apr 24 Plain Bob Major      | Mar 5 Bristol S Royal             |
| Aug 6 Doubles (28m)          | <b>Benhall</b> ..... (1)    | Apr 2 Bristol S Royal             |
| Oct 7 S Minor (5m)           | Feb 13 Plain Bob Doubles    | Apr 16 Plain Bob Triples          |
| <b>Badingham</b> ..... (1)   | <b>Bildeston</b> ..... (2)  | May 22 Stedman Caters             |
| Aug 16 Doubles (3m)          | Feb 22 Plain Bob Minor      | Jun 28 Plain Bob Caters           |
| <b>Badwell Ash</b> ..... (1) | Sep 12 Cambridge S Minor    | Jul 3 Lincolnshire S Royal        |
| Sep 12 Grandsire Doubles     | <b>Blythburgh</b> ..... (1) | Sep 10 Spliced S Major(4m)        |
| <b>Barking</b> ..... (5)     | Aug 16 London S Minor       | Nov 5 Grandsire Caters            |
| Jan 31 Plain Bob Doubles     | <b>Bramford</b> ..... (1)   | Nov 8 Doubles (2m)                |
| Mar 6 Plain Bob Doubles      | Aug 30 Minor (2m)           | Nov 28 Plain Bob Royal            |
| Mar 28 Plain Bob Major       |                             | Nov 29 Grandsire Triples          |
| Jun 20 York S Minor          |                             |                                   |
| Dec 6 Norwich S Minor        |                             |                                   |

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| <b>Buxhall</b> .....(4)        | <b>Hinderclay</b> .....(4)                    | <b>Kersey</b> .....(contd.)               |
| Feb 12 Grandsire Doubles       | Mar 15 Cambridge S Minor                      | Apr 3 Plain Bob Minor                     |
| Mar 18 Plain Bob Minor         | Apr 1 April Day Doubles                       | Apr 26 Plain Bob Major                    |
| Jun 3 Grandsire Doubles        | Apr 19 Doubles (5m)                           | Jun 21 Plain Bob Triples                  |
| Nov 6 Doubles (2m)             | Sep 19 Cambridge S Minor                      | Jun 28 Plain Bob Minor                    |
| <b>Coddenham</b> .....(3)      | <b>Holbrook</b> .....(4)                      | Jul 19 Plain Bob Doubles                  |
| Apr 13 Grandsire Triples       | Nov 1 All Saints Doubles                      | Jul 26 Grandsire Doubles                  |
| Aug 15 Oxford TB Major         | Nov 9 St Simon's Doubles                      | Aug 17 Superlative S Major                |
| Oct 24 Plain Bob Triples       | Nov 23 Plain Bob Minor                        | Oct 11 Plain Bob Doubles                  |
| <b>Edwardstone</b> .....(1)    | Dec 7 Grandsire Doubles                       | Nov 22 Plain Bob Triples                  |
| Jun 7 Grandsire Doubles        | <b>Horham</b> .....(13)                       | Nov 27 Plain Bob Minor                    |
| <b>Euston</b> .....(2)         | Feb 16 Surprise Minor (2m)                    | <b>Langham (Handbells)</b> .....(1)       |
| May 17 Grandsire Doubles       | Mar 16 Yorkshire S Major                      | Apr 10 Plain Major (8m)                   |
| Sep 5 Plain Bob Minor          | Mar 31 Plain Bob Minor                        | <b>Lavenham</b> .....(2)                  |
| <b>Felsham</b> .....(1)        | May 7 Doubles (3m)                            | Apr 19 Plain Bob Doubles                  |
| May 31 Doubles (3m)            | May 18 Double Oxford Major                    | Aug 15 D N C B Major                      |
| <b>Great Ashfield</b> .....(2) | Jun 15 Middlesex Bob Triples                  | <b>Little Glemham</b> .....(1)            |
| Sep 27 Doubles (7m/v)          | Jul 20 Grandsire Triples                      | Mar 1 Doubles (3m)                        |
| Dec 31 Plain Bob Doubles       | Aug 17 Plain Bob Minor                        | <b>Marlesford</b> .....(2)                |
| <b>Great Barton</b> .....(1)   | Sep 16 Doubles (6m)                           | Sep 23 Plain Bob Doubles                  |
| Jan 15 Grandsire Doubles       | Sep 21 Cambridge S Major                      | Dec 6 Doubles (2m)                        |
| <b>Grundisburgh</b> .....(1)   | Oct 19 Single Oxford Triples                  | <b>Mildenhall</b> .....(1)                |
| Feb 27 D N C B Caters          | Nov 16 Yorkshire S Major                      | Mar 15 Plain Bob Doubles                  |
| <b>Hadleigh</b> .....(1)       | Dec 14 Plain Bob Doubles                      | <b>Monewden</b> .....(2)                  |
| Aug 17 Cambridge S Major       | <b>Hollesley</b> .....(2)                     | Sep 2 Cambridge S Minor                   |
| <b>Halesworth</b> .....(1)     | Jan 18 Doubles (5m)                           | Oct 24 Minimus (3m)                       |
| Aug 16 Halesworth S Major      | Aug 30 Doubles (3m)                           | <b>Nayland</b> .....(1)                   |
| <b>Harkstead</b> .....(4)      | <b>Ipswich (St Margaret)</b> .....(6)         | Jan 27 P B Doubles                        |
| May 24 Grandsire Doubles       | Feb 12 Plain Bob Minor                        | <b>Newmarket (Handbells)</b> .....(1)     |
| Jul 7 Plain Bob Doubles        | Apr 26 Plain Bob Minor                        | Oct 29 Plain Bob Minor                    |
| Nov 8 Plain Bob Minimus        | May 31 Grandsire Doubles                      | <b>Newmarket (M'ho-le-Tower)</b> .....(5) |
| Dec 15 Plain Bob Doubles       | Sep 12 Plain Bob Major                        | Jan 12 Doubles (1p/4m)                    |
| <b>Haughley</b> .....(1)       | Nov 29 Doubles (2m)                           | Apr 15 Plain Bob Major                    |
| Oct 24 Grandsire Doubles       | Dec 6 Doubles (2m)                            | Sep 6 Surprise Minor (2m)                 |
| <b>Helmingham</b> .....(1)     | <b>Ipswich (St Mary le Tower)...</b> .....(1) | Sep 10 Plain Bob Minor                    |
| Apr 13 Cambridge S Major       | Oct 24 Grandsire Caters                       | Nov 6 Doubles (2m)                        |
| <b>Henley</b> .....(3)         | <b>Ixworth</b> .....(2)                       | <b>Offton</b> .....(25)                   |
| Apr 13 Lincolnshire S Major    | Apr 25 Plain Bob Doubles                      | Jan 6 Cambridge S Minor                   |
| Aug 17 St Clements Major       | Jun 7 Plain Bob Doubles                       | Jan 27 Plain Bob Major                    |
| Oct 24 Plain Bob Major         | <b>Kelsale</b> .....(1)                       | Feb 10 Cambridge S Major                  |
| <b>Heveningham</b> .....(1)    | Oct 13 Middlesex Triples                      | Feb 17 Cambridge S Major                  |
| Aug 16 Doubles (4m)            | <b>Kettleburgh</b> .....(1)                   | Mar 10 Cambridge S Minor                  |
| <b>Higham</b> .....(2)         | May 21 Norwich S Minor                        | Mar 14 Plain Bob Triples                  |
| Oct 4 Plain Bob Doubles        | <b>Kersey</b> .....(12)                       | Mar 24 Plain Bob Minor                    |
| Nov 29 Doubles (2m)            | Jan 25 Grandsire Doubles                      | Apr 21 Plain Bob Major                    |
|                                | Feb 9 Plain Bob Minor                         | May 5 Grandsire Triples                   |

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| <b>Offton</b> ..... (contd.) | <b>Rattlesden</b> ..... (2)           | <b>Sweffling</b> ..... (2)             |
| May 17 Plain Bob Minor       | Apr 18 Doubles (1v/2m)                | Mar 27 Kent TB Minor                   |
| Jun 9 Grandsire Triples      | Sep 12 Doubles (2m/1v)                | Nov 29 Plain Bob Doubles               |
| Jun 30 Grandsire Triples     | <b>Reydon</b> ..... (5)               | <b>Theberton</b> ..... (3)             |
| Jul 7 Cambridge S Minor      | Jan 1 P B Doubles                     | Apr 17 Plain Bob Doubles               |
| Jul 14 Cambridge S Major     | Jul 26 Plain Bob Doubles              | Aug 16 St Clements Minor               |
| Jul 21 Grandsire Triples     | Sep 19 Minor (4m)                     | Aug 25 Surprise Minor (2m)             |
| Aug 25 Cambridge S Major     | Oct 24 Plain Bob Doubles              | <b>Ufford</b> ..... (2)                |
| Sep 8 Cambridge S Minor      | Nov 11 Plain Bob Doubles              | Sep 18 Spliced S Major (4m)            |
| Sep 15 Cambridge S Major     | <b>Rougham</b> ..... (8)              | Date ? Spliced S Major (6m)            |
| Sep 20 Plain Bob Triples     | Jan 11 Plain Bob Minor                | <b>Walsham-le-Willows</b> ..... (3)    |
| Sep 22 Plain Bob Major       | Jan 21 Plain Bob Minor                | May 1 Plain Bob Minor                  |
| Sep 29 Cambridge S Minor     | Mar 9 Plain Bob Minor                 | Aug 14 Grandsire Doubles               |
| Oct 20 Plain Bob Triples     | Aug 2 Plain Bob Minor                 | Aug 31 Plain Bob Minor                 |
| Oct 24 Plain Bob Triples     | Aug 15 Plain Bob Minor                | <b>Wetherden</b> ..... (3)             |
| Nov 3 Cambridge S Minor      | Sep 20 Minor (2m)                     | May 31 Plain Bob Doubles               |
| Nov 10 Cambridge S Minor     | Nov 15 Kent TB Minor                  | Jun 30 Plain Bob Minimus               |
| <b>Pakenham</b> ..... (1)    | Nov 29 Plain Bob Minor                | Sep 29 Singles                         |
| Nov 20 Plain Bob Doubles     | <b>Rumburgh</b> ..... (1)             | <b>Wickham Market</b> ..... (1)        |
| <b>Palgrave</b> ..... (4)    | May 4 Plain Bob Doubles               | Dec 28 Plain Bob Doubles               |
| Jan 1 Doubles (2m)           | <b>Rushmere St Andrew</b> ..... (1)   | <b>Witnesham (Handbells)</b> ..... (1) |
| Sep 1 Plain Bob Doubles      | Jun 24 Cambridge S Minor              | Nov 4 Plain Bob Minor                  |
| Oct 24 Cambridge S Major     | <b>Saxmundham</b> ..... (2)           | <b>Woodbridge</b> ..... (1)            |
| Dec 23 Yorkshire S Major     | Feb 9 London S Minor                  | Apr 13 DNCBMajor                       |
| <b>Pettistree</b> ..... (17) | Apr 3 Plain Bob Doubles               | <b>Woolpit</b> ..... (2)               |
| Jan 4 Double Oxford Minor    | <b>Southwold</b> ..... (1)            | Apr 19 Plain Bob Doubles               |
| Feb 1 Plain Bob Minor        | Oct 6 Cambridge S Major               | Sep 19 Plain Bob Doubles               |
| Mar 1 Kent TB Minor          | <b>Sproughton</b> ..... (3)           | <b>Worlingham</b> ..... (1)            |
| Apr 12 Doubles (6m)          | Feb 2 Cambridge S Minor               | Mar 14 Doubles (6m-W,M)                |
| May 3 Plain Bob Minor        | May 10 Plain Bob Doubles              | Jul 4 Plain Bob Minor                  |
| May 31 Doubles (3m)          | Oct 24 Plain Bob Minor                | <b>Yoxford</b> ..... (3)               |
| Jun 7 Doubles (3m)           | <b>Stoke by Nayland</b> ..... (1)     | Apr 17 Plain Bob Minor                 |
| Jul 5 Cambridge S Minor      | May 22 Grandsire Triples              | Aug 16 Cambridge S Minor               |
| Aug 2 Cambridge S Minor      | <b>Stowmarket</b> ..... (2)           | Nov 28 Plain Bob Minor                 |
| Sep 6 Durham S Minor         | Aug 8 Grandsire Triples               |  |
| Date ? Durham S Minor        | Aug 14 Grandsire Triples              |  |
| Oct 24 Norwich S Minor       | <b>Stratford St Mary</b> ..... (1)    |  |
| Oct 4 Plain Bob Doubles      | Feb 1 Doubles (2m)                    |  |
| Nov 1 Norwich S Minor        | <b>Stutton</b> ..... (1)              |  |
| Nov 8 Doubles (2m)           | Apr 13 Grandsire Doubles              |  |
| Nov 14 Grandsire Doubles     | <b>Sudbury (St Gregory)</b> ..... (1) |  |
| Nov 29 Doubles (3m)          | Oct 8 Spl S Major (8m)                |  |
| <b>Polstead</b> ..... (5)    | <b>Sudbury (St Peter)</b> ..... (2)   |  |
| May 31 Plain Bob Minor       | Jan 15 Yorkshire S Royal              |  |
| Jun 28 Plain Bob Doubles     | Dec 3 Superlative S Royal (#2)        |  |
| Aug 30 Plain Bob Doubles     |                                       |  |
| Sep 27 Plain Bob Minor       |                                       |  |
| Dec 27 Plain Bob Doubles     |                                       |  |

# Calendar of Guild Events (1999 - 2000)

All dates are subject to confirmation and change. Refer to the monthly "What's On" for alterations.  
Symbols indicate **M** morning, **A** afternoon and **E** evening events.

## 1999

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|---------|-------|--|---|
| Apr 10  | Guild | Annual General Meeting                                   | <i>South East District</i>                                  |
| Apr 14  | NE    | Ten-Bell Practice <b>E</b>                               | Beccles   |
| Apr 17  | NW    | Quarterly Meeting <b>A</b> and Striking Contest <b>E</b> | Elveden   |
| Apr 24  | SW    | "Tower Grab" and pub meal <b>E</b>                       | <i>To be announced</i>                                      |
| May 1   | SE    | Striking Contest   | Otley   |
| May 8   | NE    | Striking Contest   | Wenhaston   |
| May 8   | NW    | Beginners' Practice <b>M</b>                             | Elveden   |
| May 15  | Guild | Striking Contest (6-bell) <b>A</b>                       | Bildeston   |
|         | Guild | Striking Contest (8-bell) <b>E</b>                       | Boxford   |
| June 5  | SE    | Quarterly Meeting <b>AE</b>                              | Debenham  |
| June 12 | NW    | Practice <b>E</b>  | Hopton  |
| June 19 | Guild | Management Committee <b>E</b>                            | Buxhall Village Hall  |
| June 26 | SW    | Striking Contest   | Edwardstone   |
| June 29 | NE    | Practice <b>E</b>  | Halesworth  |
| July 3  | SE    | Practice <b>E</b>  | Kettleburgh   |
| July 10 | NW    | Practice <b>E</b>  | Barrow  |
| July 14 | Guild | Veterans' Tea <b>A</b>                                   | <i>To be announced</i>                                      |
| July 14 | NE    | Ten-Bell Practice <b>E</b>                               | Beccles   |
| July 24 | Guild | Ringing Outing   | Kent  |
| Aug 7   | SE    | Ramble, Picnic Tea and Practice <b>E</b>                 | Holbrook  |
| Aug 14  | NE/NW | Joint Practice <b>AE</b>                                 | Stoke Ash / Thornham Magna /<br>Wickham Skeith / Mendlesham |
| Sep 4   | SE    | "Fun" Striking Contest                                   | Ashbocking  |
| Sep 4   | SE    | Quarterly Meeting <b>AE</b>                              | Coddenham   |
| Sep 11  | NW    | Beginners' Practice <b>M</b>                             | West Stow   |
| Sep 14  | NE    | Practice <b>E</b>  | Theberton   |
| Sep 18  | Guild | Training Day <b>MA</b>                                   | Kettleburgh   |
| Sep 25  | SW    | 5/6 Bell "Tower Grab" and Barbecue                       | <i>To be announced</i>                                      |
| Oct 2   | SE    | Practice <b>E</b>  | Cretingham  |
| Oct 9   | NW    | Annual District Meeting <b>AE</b>                        | Bury St Edmunds / Great Barton                              |
| Oct 13  | NE    | Ten-Bell Practice <b>E</b>                               | Beccles   |
| Oct 16  | Guild | Management Committee <b>E</b>                            | Buxhall Village Hall  |
| Oct 16  | Guild | Seminar  | <i>To be announced</i>                                      |
| Oct 23  | SW    | District Car Outing                                      | March / Ely / Chatteris area                                |
| Nov 6   | SE    | Practice <b>E</b>  | Woodbridge  |
| Nov 13  | NE    | Annual District Meeting <b>AE</b>                        | Worlingham / Bungay / Barsham                               |

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| Nov 13 | NW | Beginners' Practice <b>M</b>      | Wetherden                  |
| Nov 27 | SW | Annual District Meeting           | Long Melford               |
| Dec 4  | SE | Annual District Meeting <b>RE</b> | Barking                    |
| Dec 11 | NW | Beginners' Practice <b>M</b>      | Buxhall / Great Finborough |
| Dec 14 | NE | Practice <b>E</b>                 | Metfield                   |

## 2000

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| Jan 8  | NW    | Quarterly Meeting (Millennium Bells) | Tostock and/or Old Newton  |
| Feb 5  | SE    | Practice <b>E</b>                    | Ipswich, St Mary-le-Tower  |
| Feb 12 | NW    | Beginners' Practice <b>M</b>         | Horringer                  |
| Feb 19 | Guild | Management Committee                 | Buxhall Village Hall       |
| Mar 4  | SE    | Quarterly Meeting                    | Orford                     |
| Mar 11 | NW    | Beginners' Practice <b>M</b>         | Walsham le Willows         |
| Apr 20 | Guild | Annual General Meeting               | <i>South West District</i> |

# The Suffolk Guild of Ringers

## Objects, Constitution and Rules

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### Objects

The Guild shall be established for the promotion of ringing for Divine Service and in furtherance of this object:

- 1 To promote and encourage the practice of bellringing.
- 2 To recruit, train and encourage bellringers in the practice of their art.
- 3 To cultivate the art of scientific ringing.
- 4 To promote a proper appreciation of the ringing chamber as part of God's house; to encourage the bestowal of care and attention on the cleanliness and proper equipment thereof, as well as the preservation of the bells in an efficient condition; to advocate needful repairs and renovations and to supply, when required, reliable information and advice of a practical character concerning the condition of the bells and their fittings.

### Constitution

#### A Name

- 1 The Guild shall be known as the Suffolk Guild of Ringers for the Diocese of St Edmundsbury and Ipswich.
  - a It shall be affiliated to the Central Council of Church Bell Ringers and registered as a Charity at Law. (Ref.266869)
  - b The President shall be the Lord Bishop of the Diocese and there shall be Patrons. Vice-Presidents shall be elected at the AGM of the Guild.

#### B Membership

- 2 Membership shall consist of the following categories:

- a Ringing Member: A person who can ring rounds efficiently on a tower bell.
  - b Associate Member: A person who wishes to support the Guild.
  - c Life Honorary Member: A Ringing or Associate Member who has given outstanding service to the Guild.
  - d Non-Resident Life Member: A person who is qualified to be a Ringing Member or Associate Member, but who resides outside the territory of the Guild and who is not a member under either 2a, 2b or 2c.
- 3 Ringing and Life Honorary Members only shall have voting rights and be permitted to hold office in the Guild.
- 4 Churches within the Diocese may be affiliated to the Guild on payment of an annual donation.

### **C Districts**

- 5 There shall be four Districts:
- 1 North East District consisting of the deaneries of Beccles and South Elmham, Halesworth, Hartismere, Hoxne and Saxmundham.
  - 2 North West District consisting of the deaneries of Ixworth, Mildenhall, Stowmarket and Thingoe.
  - 3 South East District consisting of the deaneries of Bosmere, Colneys, Ipswich, Loes, Samford and Woodbridge.
  - 4 South West District consisting of the deaneries of Clare, Hadleigh, Lavenham and Sudbury.

### **D. Government**

- 6 The Annual General Meeting of the Guild shall be held on the Saturday following Easter or as shall be decided by the Guild Management Committee and shall be the ultimate decision-making body of the Guild. It shall elect Guild Officers and set subscriptions and fees for the following year.
- 7 Members shall be elected to fill the following Offices: Chairman, Ringing Master, Secretary, Treasurer, Maintenance Officer, Report Editor, Newsletter Editor, Central Council Representatives, Technical Adviser, Librarian, Handbell Trustees, Peal Secretary and any other such Officers as the Guild Management Committee shall see fit to approve.
- 8 In order that the Guild be run efficiently and its objects implemented there shall be three Committees established with the following responsibilities:
- a The Guild Management Committee which shall co-ordinate all Guild activities; publish a printed Annual Report and audited Accounts and convene Sub-Committees as may from time to time be required, and shall recommend the levels of subscriptions and peal fees and other methods of raising money and shall organise general meetings, ringing and social activities.
  - b Recruitment and Training Committee which shall prepare training programmes for use in the Districts, provide courses for the training of teachers of ringing and assist Districts in the recruitment of Ringers.
  - c Belfry Advisory Committee which shall maintain an up-to-date directory of towers, listing the condition of all Church bells in the Diocese, which shall make recommendations concerning the preservation and use of bells from redundant churches, which shall advise incumbents and arrange such local restoration and maintenance work as may be necessary.

### **E. Finance**

- 9a All money in any of the Guild's funds not required for normal working purposes shall be invested or deposited by the Treasurer as may be directed by the Guild Management Committee.
- 9b All cheques shall bear the signature of the Chairman, the Secretary or the Treasurer and any cheque greater than the value of the limit set by the Guild Management Committee shall bear the signatures of two of the three signatories.

- 10a The expenses listed in Rule D14 shall be paid out of the General Fund together with other payments in furtherance of the Guild's objectives as shall be specifically authorised by the Guild Management Committee.
- 10b The interest received on the Jubilee Fund shall be applied to the work of the Guild in the restoration and maintenance of bells, etc and the capital element of the fund shall be retained intact.
- 10c Grants from the Restoration Fund shall be authorised by the Guild Management Committee but shall only be paid following the approval of the work by the Guild Ringing Master and a technical adviser. *Grants will normally be offered for work to restore bells and their fittings for full circle ringing, but may in addition include other ancillary work associated with any such project.*
- 10d The monies in the St Peter's Sudbury Fund shall be used, as required, for running expenses and minor repairs and refurbishments to the St Peter's bells and fittings as authorised by the Guild Management Committee.
- 10e The monies in the Library Fund shall be used, as required, for the purchase and repair of books and other items for the library.
- 10f The monies in the Handbell Fund shall be used, as required, for the repair, maintenance, renovation or augmentation of the Guild's handbells, as authorised by the Guild Management Committee.
- 10g The Guild Management Committee may, from time to time, establish further funds and shall at that time specify the aims and objectives of the new funds.
- 10h The Guild Management Committee may transfer sums from the General Fund to any specific funds and, if the purposes of the specific funds cease to exist, close these funds and transfer the balance to the General Fund.
- 11 At least half of all peal fees and subscriptions of Ringing and Associate Members, together with all the Non-Resident Life Membership fees, shall be transferred annually to the Restoration Fund from the General Fund.

## ***F Records and Handbells***

- 12 The Report Editor shall record all peals rung for the Guild and Quarter Peals rung in the Diocese and publish them in the Annual Report.
- 13 The Librarian shall maintain an up-to-date inventory of publications owned by the Guild.
- 14 The Handbell Trustees shall maintain the Handbells in good condition and shall make such *recommendations as may be necessary for the repair of the handbells* to the Guild Management Committee.

## ***G General***

- 15 The Guild shall be affiliated to the Central Council of Church Bell Ringers and shall loyally abide by the rules and decisions thereof.
- 16 The Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds majority of the members present at an Annual or Special General Meeting provided that 14 days notice of the proposed amendment has been published in *The Ringing World* or in the Guild Newsletter and provided that nothing herein contained shall authorise any amendment which shall have the effect of the Guild ceasing to be a Charity in Law.
- 17 In the event of dissolution of the Guild any assets remaining after the satisfaction of all its debts and liabilities shall not be paid to or distributed among the members of the Guild but shall be given or transferred to such other charitable institution or institutions having similar Objects to the Guild.



## **Rules**

### **Guild Rules**

#### **A Election of Members and Subscriptions**

- 1 Ringing and Associate Members may be elected at any meeting by a majority of those present when proposed and seconded. Membership shall be exercised through only one District at a time, normally being the District under which the member is shown in the Annual Report. Subscriptions are due on election and thereafter in advance on the first day of January each year. Membership shall cease if they are not paid by 31st March of the year in which they become due.
- 2 The subscription rates for members shall be fixed at the Annual General Meeting and unless a change is agreed the existing rate shall continue. Persons in full time education and members over the age of 65 shall pay a reduced rate of subscription.
- 3 Life Honorary Members shall only be elected at an Annual General Meeting and nominations may only be made by the Guild Management Committee or District. No further subscription is payable after election.
- 4 Persons who have been Ringing Members or Associate Members for at least two years may, upon leaving the Diocese, inform their District Secretary that they wish to become Non-Resident Members. No subscription is payable during the period of non-residence. A person resident outside the Diocese who wishes to be associated with the Guild may be elected a Non-Resident Member as an alternative to Ringing or Associate Membership.
- 5 For the purposes of peal ringing new members may be provisionally elected in the belfry to the appropriate category of membership subject to the confirmation at a business meeting of the appropriate District in the case of a Ringing Member or at a meeting of the Guild Management Committee in the case of a Non-Resident Member. If election is not confirmed the subscription shall be refunded.
- 6 Any member failing to conform to the Objects and Rules of the Guild may be expelled by the Guild Management Committee which shall report the matter to the next Annual General Meeting. Such a member shall forfeit any payment made to the Guild.

#### **B Election of Officers**

- 7 All Officers shall retire at the Guild's Annual General Meeting but shall be eligible for re-election but the Chairman, Ringing Master, General Secretary and Treasurer may not hold a given office for more than five consecutive years. However they will become eligible to hold that office again after one year out of that office.  

Nominations may be made in writing to the Guild Secretary or orally at the Annual General Meeting provided always that they are proposed and seconded. If more than one nomination for any office is received then election shall be by paper ballot, the successful candidate being the one with the highest number of votes. In the event of a tie the Chairman shall have a casting vote. Central Council Representatives shall be elected in accordance with the rules of the Central Council during the second year of the triennium at the AGM of the Guild.
- 8 The Annual General Meeting shall appoint an Auditor who is not a member of the Guild Management Committee and need not be a member of the Guild.

### **C Committee Structure**

- 9 The Guild Management Committee shall consist of: Vice Presidents, Guild Chairman, Ringing Master, Secretary, Treasurer, Technical Adviser, Public Relations Officer, Maintenance Officer, two elected representatives from each district and such Guild Officers as may be from time to time required or invited to attend. Six members shall constitute a quorum. The Committee shall meet at least three times per year. The Chairman shall take the chair at all meetings of the Guild and Guild Management Committee. In his absence the Chair shall be taken by the Ringing Master or in his absence by a person elected by the meeting.
- 10 The Recruitment and Training Committee shall consist of the Guild Ringing Master as Convenor and two Representatives from each District.
- 11 The Belfry Advisory Committee shall consist of the Guild Maintenance Officer as Convenor, Guild Technical Adviser and the members of this committee.
- 12 Each of the above two Committees shall meet at least three times a year.
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  - a The Chairman, Master, Secretary, Treasurer and Maintenance Officer shall form the Guild Executive. In the event of a Guild Office being vacated between AGMs they shall make a temporary appointment until a General Meeting can be convened.
  - b The Guild Management Committee may convene such sub-committees as it deems necessary from time to time and shall determine their terms of reference, powers, duration and composition. All acts and proceedings of any such sub-committee shall be reported back to the Guild Management Committee as soon as possible.

### **D Expenses**

- 14 The following shall be paid by the Treasurer out of Guild funds:
  - a The cost of printing the Annual Report and any other publications authorised by the Guild Management Committee.
  - b The expenses of Guild Meetings.
  - c Stationery, postage, telephone, notices of all meetings and other incidental expenses.
  - d Insurance of Guild property.
  - e Central Council fees and reimbursement of Representatives' expenses attending each Council meeting, not exceeding the second class return rail fare and a subsistence allowance as may be determined by the Guild Management Committee.
  - f Such other expenses as the Guild Management Committee may determine.

### **E Peal Records**

- 15 All peals rung for the Guild must conform with the decisions of the Central Council. All those taking part must be members of the Guild.
- 16 Conductors shall forward the following to the Peal Secretary as soon as possible and not later than 15th January the following year:
  - a The names, addresses and subscriptions of any Non-Resident Members elected in the belfry.
  - b The appropriate peal fees.
  - c Compositions for peals of Triples and above and compositions of such other peals as the Peal Secretary may request. Money received for items 16a and 16b shall be passed to the Guild Treasurer.

### **F Alteration of Rules**

- 17 No alteration or addition shall be made to the Rules of the Guild except as specified in paragraphs 16

and 17 of the Constitution.

**District Rules:**

- 18 Each District shall hold an Annual General Meeting during the last quarter of the year for the purposes of receiving a report from the District Committee for the previous year, election of Officers and arranging activities for the coming year. Members shall be eligible to vote or stand for office only in the District through which they exercise membership in accordance with Guild Rule 1.
- 19 The following Officers shall be elected annually: Chairman; Ringing Master; Secretary/Treasurer; District Belfry Advisor; Newsletter Correspondent. The Chairman, Ringing Master and District Belfry Advisor shall normally represent the District on the Guild Management, Recruitment and Training, and Belfry Advisory Committees respectively but substitutes may be permitted. One other representative to each of the Guild Committees shall be elected. The District Officers and one elected member from each deanery shall form the District Committee. A District may elect additional working Officers at its discretion to assist the running of the District.
- 20 The District Secretary/Treasurer shall collect all subscriptions and other monies due and forward them to the Guild Treasurer. A statement of accounts shall be submitted to the Guild Treasurer by 15th January. A Directory of tower correspondents, lists of members and ringing times shall be submitted to the Secretary by 15th January.
- 21 The District Newsletter Correspondent shall report on District activities for the Guild Newsletter, the 'Ringing World' and local newspapers.
- 22 The District Committee shall be responsible for the efficient management of the District's affairs and shall report to the District Annual Meeting on the year's work.

**Regulations relating to the Pearson's Handbells:**

- 1 The Pearson Handbells are the property of the Suffolk Guild of Ringers, under the care of the Trustees. They are loaned to any member of the Guild whose name appears in the current Annual Report, according to the regulations relating to the handbells.
2. The bells are loaned in the first instance for a maximum period of three months. At the end of this period they are to be returned to the Trustees by the borrower and they may then be loaned for a further three months if they are not required by another member of the Guild. If they are borrowed for this further period, the borrower may be asked to return the bells to the Trustees if they are required by another member of the Guild. A member from another tower has priority over a member from the same tower as the preceeding borrower.
- 3 The bells are the responsibility of the borrower, after he has signed for them, until they are returned to the Trustees by the borrower. The bells are not to be loaned to anyone by the borrower without prior consent of both of the Trustees.
- 4 The bells must be returned to the Trustees upon request. The Trustees should endeavour to give seven days notice if they require the bells and should return them to the borrower as soon as possible.
- 5 If the bells are required for a particular occasion, they can be reserved up to three months in advance.
- 6 The Trustees are responsible to the Committee of the Guild for the administration of the bells and their decisions regarding the bells can be revoked by the committee.
- 7 The Trustees and the Committee of the Guild would be grateful for financial help for the maintenance of the handbells from members who have enjoyed the use of them.

### ***The Mitson Shield and the Rose Trophy Striking Competitions Rules:***

- 1 The competitions shall take place on the third Saturday in May or on any other date decided by the Guild Management Committee.
- 2 All Ringing Members and Life Honorary Members of the Guild may compete providing their subscriptions are paid.
- 3 No Member may ring more than once in the Rose competition, except as specified in Rule 10.
- 4 Representative bands shall consist of:
  - a The Mitson Shield. Six ringers of which at least four are shown in the Annual Report as members of that tower. All six ringers are to be bona fide Ringers at that tower.
  - b The Rose Trophy. Eight members of a district or eight ringers representing a tower, of which at least six are bona fide Sunday Service Ringers.
- 5 Neither the Mitson Shield nor the Rose Trophy can be held by any band not complying with the previous Rule.
- 6 Each band must have a representative present at the relevant draw. The times of the draws to be advertised in the 'Ringing World'.
- 7 A total of two minutes practice ringing and stand will be allowed before each test piece.
- 8 The test piece will be:
  - a The Mitson Shield. 240 true changes of any recognised Doubles or Minor Method(s).
  - b The Rose Trophy. At least 224 true changes of any recognised Triples or Major method(s). In the event of bands ringing Doubles or Triples a cover bell must be used. For the Rose Trophy only the first 224 changes, excluding the opening rounds will be judged.
- 9 The length of either test piece may be shortened at the discretion of the Ringing Master in the event of a large entry.
- 10 A reserve ringer, appointed by the Ringing Master, will be available to bands meeting short, at the discretion of the Ringing Master.
- 11 A minimum of two judges appointed by the Ringing Master will be present. Their decision is final.
- 12 The Mitson Shield and the Rose Trophy are, and shall always remain, the sole property of the Guild, which may at any time give directions for their locations and safe keeping.
- 13 Interpretation of all rules is at the discretion of the Ringing Master.

# Late Peals

7470

IPSWICH, Suffolk  
St Mary-le-Tower  
Sat Jan 10 1998 3h35 (35)  
**5042 Yorkshire S**

## Maximus

Comp. RW Pipe  
1 George W Pipe  
2 Simon A Rudd  
3 Nigel J Newton  
4 Amanda M Richmond  
5 Owen P Claxton (C)  
6 David I Stanford  
7 Roger LK Whittell  
8 Andrew R Stone  
9 John L Girt  
10 Simon P Griffiths  
11 Adrian Knights  
12 John P Loveless

7479

IPSWICH, Suffolk  
St Mary-le-Tower  
Sat Feb 14 1998 3h28 (35)  
**5042 New Cambridge S**

## Maximus

Comp. J Worth  
1 Stephen D Pettman  
2 Adrian Knights  
3 Diana M Pipe  
4 Owen P Claxton  
5 David G Salter  
6 Michael G Whitby (C)  
7 Rodney H French  
8 Simon P Griffiths  
9 John L Girt  
10 Winston S Girling  
11 George W Pipe  
12 Nigel J Newton

7484

IPSWICH, Suffolk  
St Mary-le-Tower  
Sat Mar 14 1998 3h33 (35)  
**5042 Superlative S**

## Maximus

Comp. RW Pipe  
1 Andrew R Stone  
2 Nigel J Newton  
3 Simon A Rudd  
4 Diana M Pipe  
5 Ian G Mills  
6 David I Stanford  
7 Simon P Griffiths (C)  
8 Amanda M Richmond  
9 Owen P Claxton  
10 Michael G Whitby  
11 George W Pipe  
12 John P Loveless  
In memory of Norman  
Summerhayes.

7510

IPSWICH, Suffolk  
St Mary-le-Tower  
Sat Jun 13 1998 3h26 (35)  
**5042 Pudsey S Maximus**

Comp. P Border  
1 Adrian Knights  
2 David G Salter  
3 Diana M Pipe  
4 Simon P Griffiths  
5 George W Pipe  
6 Owen P Claxton  
7 Roger LK Whittell  
8 Amanda M Richmond  
9 Andrew R Stone  
10 Nigel J Newton  
11 Simon A Rudd (C)  
12 John P Loveless

7518

IPSWICH, Suffolk  
St Mary-le-Tower  
Sat Jul 11 1998 3h23 (35)  
**5000 York S Maximus**

Comp. SD Pettman  
1 Stephen D Pettman (C)  
2 George W Pipe  
3 Simon P Griffiths  
4 Christopher Munnings  
5 Richard Munnings  
6 Simon A Rudd  
7 Owen P Claxton  
8 David I Stanford  
9 Andrew R Stone  
10 Nigel J Newton  
11 Adrian Knights  
12 Jeremy W Spiller

7533

IPSWICH, Suffolk  
St Mary-le-Tower  
Sat Sep 27 1998 3h33 (35)  
**5280 Cambridge S**

## Maximus

Comp. J Motts  
1 George W Pipe  
2 Diana M Pipe  
3 Stephen D Pettman (C)  
4 Nigel J Newton  
5 Amanda M Richmond  
6 Roger LK Whittell  
7 Simon P Griffiths  
8 Ralph N Earey  
9 Andrew R Stone  
10 Simon A Rudd  
11 Jeremy W Spiller  
12 Brian G Meads  
To mark the 90th anniversary  
of the first peal of  
Cambridge S Maximus. A  
welcome to Michael Hill,  
first grandchild for Trevor &  
Patricia Bailey.

7553

IPSWICH, Suffolk  
St Mary-le-Tower  
Sat Dec 12 1998 3h24 (35)  
**5088 Rochester S**

## Maximus

Arr. NJ Newton  
1 Andrew R Stone  
2 George W Pipe  
3 Stephen D Pettman  
4 Roger L K Whittell  
5 Owen P Claxton  
6 Nigel J Newton (C)  
7 Amanda M Richmond  
8 Adrian Knights  
9 Stephen J Bedford  
10 Simon P Griffiths  
11 Simon A Rudd  
12 Jeremy W Spiller



# Practice Nights in Suffolk Guild Towers

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You are advised to contact the Tower Correspondent before travelling to any of the practices listed below, particularly those in rural areas.

## Monday

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|            |                  |                    |                 |
|------------|------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Aldeburgh  | Haughley         | Ipswich            | Reydon          |
| Barking    | Hinderclay (1,3) | (St Mary-le-Tower) | Rumburgh        |
| Bungay (2) | Holbrook         | Kedington          | Wattisfield (5) |
| Coddenham  | Hopton (2,4)     | Lakenheath         | Wickham Market  |
| Glemsford  |                  | Polstead           | Woolpit         |

## Tuesday

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|                         |              |                   |            |
|-------------------------|--------------|-------------------|------------|
| Bildeston               | Harkstead    | Monewden          | West Stow  |
| Bury St Edmunds         | Horham (1,4) | Newmarket St Mary | Wetherden  |
| Buxhall ( <i>last</i> ) | Ixworth      | Offton            | Woodbridge |
| Debenham                | Laxfield (2) | Preston St Mary   | Worlingham |
| Framlingham             | Metfield     | Stowmarket        |            |
| Halesworth (2,4)        | Mildenhall   | Stradbroke (3)    |            |

## Wednesday

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|                            |                                |            |                          |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------|--------------------------|
| Bacton                     | Brandon                        | Leiston    | Sudbury St Gregory (1,3) |
| Beccles                    | Edwardstone ( <i>Apr-Oct</i> ) | Otley      | Sudbury St Peter (2,4)   |
| Blythburgh                 | Exning                         | Pettistree | Tunstall (2,4,5)         |
| Boxford ( <i>Nov-Mar</i> ) | Henley                         | Sproughton |                          |
| Bramford                   | Lavenham (5)                   | Stutton    |                          |

## Thursday

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|                                  |                                 |                                  |                           |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Barrow ( <i>alt Horringer</i> )  | Great Barton (1,3,5)            | Ipswich S Margaret               | Stonham Aspal (1,3,5)     |
| Brandeston ( <i>Nov - Feb</i> )  | Great Livermere                 | Kersey                           | Theberton ( <i>last</i> ) |
| East Bergholt ( <i>by arr.</i> ) | Grundisburgh                    | Kessingland                      | Thurston                  |
| Earl Stonham (2,4)               | Haverhill                       | Kettleburgh ( <i>Mar - Oct</i> ) | Ufford                    |
| Falkenham                        | Horringer ( <i>alt Barrow</i> ) | Rougham                          |                           |

## Friday

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|------------------------|---|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Benhall ( <i>alt</i> ) | Higham / Stratford St Mary ( <i>alt</i> ) | Long Melford<br>(6:30 - 7:30 pm) | Southwold                    |
| Bredfield              |   | Pakenham                         | Stoke by Nayland (1,3)       |
| Dalham                 | Hollesley                                 | Rushmere St Andrew               | Sweffling ( <i>by arr.</i> ) |
| Easton                 | Ipswich St Matthew                        | Rattlesden                       | Walsham-le-Willows           |
|                        |   |                                  | Wenhaston                    |

