Southern News



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May to June 2014

FORTHCOMING EVENTS for 2014

Saturday 10th May SCACR Annual General Meeting 2014

Open Ringing at the following towers

10 am – 11 am Barcombe

10.30 am – 11.30 am Little Horsted

11 am – 12 noon Maresfield

12.30 pm - 1.30 pm Lunch at The Belmont Centre Uckfield

2 pm - 4 pm Annual General Meeting

4 pm Ringing at Uckfield

5 pm Service at Church of the Holy Cross Uckfield

Buffet lunch must be booked by midnight on Wednesday 7th May at the latest please contact Clare at sec-south@scacr.org or telephone 01273 474114.

The Belmont Centre is next to the church in Uckfield. Car parking is in the Luxford Field car park, access from the High Street via Library Way. Sat Nav TN22 1AR

12th July Striking Event

The striking competition is for individuals to come along and have fun. Teams will be selected randomly out of "The Hat"

All day

Refreshments including

Ploughman's Lunch

Call Change and Change Ringing Competitions Judges, 2 Junior members, 1 French Person and 2 Houses

11 am – 1 pm Open Ringing at Alfriston

1.30 pm Deadline for Striking Competition Entries

2 pm – 5 pm Striking Competition (allocated time slots)

Come along and have a fun day. Further information available from

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Bell Meadow Mini Ring (Weather Permitting)

Handbell Ringing

Ringing Exhibition

National Trust Clergy House open (normal charges apply)

Treasure Hunt running throughout the day

Codgers Programme 2014. Contact Mike Foster on codgers@scacr.org

May 7th Shipley S Mary V (S), **6**, 9-1-4 in A 11.00am - 12.15pm

Horsham S Mary V (T), **10**, 22-2-24 (1154kg) in Eb 2.00pm - 3.30pm

June 4th Outing to East Sussex.

Westham S Mary V, 6, 10-1-10 in G 10.00am – 11.00am (+coffee)

Bexhill S Peter (GF;T), 10, 17-2-15 in E +7# 11.30am – 12.30pm

Lunch (TBC) The Senlac Inn, Battle

 Battle (TBC)
 S Mary, 8, 21-3-8 in Eb
 2.30pm – 3.30pm

 Ashburnham
 S Peter (GF), 6, 9-3-9 in Ab
 4.00pm – 4.45pm

Special Practices

Joint Surprise Major Practices are held each month, and alternate between Southern and Eastern divisions. The next practices are in the south at Ringmer, Thursday 8th May 2014 at 7.30 to 9 pm, and in the east at Christ Church, Eastbourne on Monday 2nd June 2014 at 7.30 to 9 pm

If you hold any regular practices at your tower and would like more support please let us know so that we can advertise it in this newsletter!

Looking ahead, 6th September 2014 Ringing Roadshow at Newbury Racecourse see http://cccbr.org.uk/pr/roadshow/

A Seminar / Discussion Meeting

Friday 20th June 2014 from 7 to 9pm

This meeting is for anyone who has responsibility for, or an interest in, organising ringing. We especially hope that Tower Captains will come along but anyone interested is welcome. This will take place at Hurstpierpoint Village Centre. There will be presentations on the following topics followed by questions and answers:

- Top tips for running a successful ringing practice
- Teaching techniques and resources
- Recruitment and retention of ringers
- Tower maintenance and ensuring a safe environment
- Communicating with your Vicar and PCC.

Please let me know if you would like to attend, or want further information so that enough refreshments can be provided (wine, juice, nibbles)

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The Vision at the SCACR AGM

The Vision Working Party has spent the past year looking at how we can ensure that our Association achieves its aims in the 21st Century. The proposals for change have been discussed at local meetings and by the General Committee and a new set of rules have been developed. These will be presented for consideration by all members at the Association AGM on **Saturday 10**th **May 2014 at Uckfield** (timetable on Page 1).

A full set of the new rules and accompanying notes are available from the website and sent to each tower correspondent by post. If you would like your own copy ahead of the AGM, please contact Marisa.

Marisa Hayes 01273 812790 secretary@scacr.org

Quarter Peal Week at Southover, Lewes

Ringers from Southover (Lewes) rang 8 Quarter Peals for Association Quarter Peal Week in January. These involved 26 different ringers, 24 of whom were members of the tower. There were 8 firsts, and 7 of the ringers were junior members of the band. Thanks go to our tower captain Clare Cullen for organising this. Don't worry we didn't subject our locals to all this ringing as most of them were rung on our simulator. Details below

Sunday, 19th January 2014 1280 Cambridge Major

- 1 J Clare Cullen
- 2* Lynn Middleton
- 3 Tania Osband
- 4 Simon Chant
- 5 Tom Reeves
- 6 Phil Nancarrow
- 7 Richard CG Neal (C)
- 8 Nicholas A Cullen
 - 2* First surprise major

Monday, 20th January 2014 1260 Plain Bob Doubles

- 1 Samuel Lunn
- 2* Bethan Nancarrow (age 13)
- 3 J Clare Cullen
- 4 Phil Nancarrow
- 5 Nicholas A Cullen (C)
- 6 Michael Cotgrove
 - 2* First Quarter inside

Thursday, 23rd January 2014 1260 Plain Bob Triples

- 1 David P Middleton
- 2 J Clare Cullen
- 3* Isaac Reeves (age 16)
- 4 Phil Nancarrow
- 5 Richard CG Neal
- 6 Tom Reeves
- 7 Tom Neal (C)
- 8 David Bagnall (age 16)

3* First Bob Triples

Birthday compliment to David Bagnall

Saturday, 25th January 2014 1260 Plan Bob Triples

- 1 Lynn Middleton
- 2 Penny Neal
- 3 Anne Franklin
- 4* Reuben Chant (age 13)
- 5 Richard CG Neal (C)
- 6 Simon Chant
- 7 Jonathan Franklin
- 8 Carole A Chant
 - 4* First Triples inside

Monday, 20th January 2014 1260 Plain Bob Doubles

- 1 Lynn Middleton
- 2* Lysbeth Middleton (age 11)
- 3 Tom Reeves
- 4 Richard CG Neal
- 5 Tom Neal (C)
- 6 David P Middleton

2* First Quarter inside

Wednesday, 22nd January 2014 1260 Grandsire Doubles

- 1* Herbie Palmer (age 11)
- 2 J Clare Cullen
- 3 Anne Sawver
- 4 Richard CG Neal
- 5 Tom Neal (C)
- 6 Ed Wheeler

1* First on Treble

Friday, 24th January 2014 1260 Stedman Doubles

- 1 Ian W Hodge
- 2 John S Ashcroft
- 3* Samuel Lunn (age 17)
- 4 Tom Reeves
- 5 Richard CG Neal (C)
- 6 Tom Neal

3* First Stedman

Sunday, 26th January 2014 1280 Yorkshire Surprise Royal

- 1 Penny Neal
- 2 Jonathan Franklin (C)
- 3 Carole A Chant
- 4* Tania Osband
- 5 Anne Franklin
- 6 Tom Neal
- 7 Richard CG Neal
- 8 John S Ashcroft
- 9 Nicholas A Cullen
- 10 Tom Reeves

4* First Yorkshire Royal

In Memoriam - Ronnie Hunter of Good Shepherd, Brighton

A quarter peal of Grandsire Triples was rung at the Good Shepherd, Brighton, on Easter Monday in memory of Ronnie Hunter. Ronnie, who passed away on 11 March 2014 aged 92, was the husband of Pat, the Good Shepherd Tower Captain. Although he had never been a bell ringer, he would accompany his wife to many events and was well known in the Southern Division. The band comprised friends drawn from several towers.



(L-R) Alison, John, Marisa, Marion, Pat, Charlotte, Anne, Jonathan

Saturday, 25th January 2014 1260 Plan Bob Triples

1 Alison Mitchell
2 Anne Franklin
3 John Norris
4 Marion Huang
5 Pat Aylward
6 Marisa Hayes
7 Jonathan Franklin (C)
(Good Shepherd)
(Ringmer)
(Hurstpierpoint)
(St Nicholas, Brighton)
(Ringmer)
(Ringmer)
(Ringmer)

8* First quarter on 8 bells

(Good Shepherd)

As ever, all contributions, news and photographs, or events you'd like to be advertised in Southern News are very welcome. Please forward to the Newsletter Ed, or speak to me at one of the events.

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