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SCACR Eastern Division Newsletter

September to November 2014

EGM - Saturday 27 September at Scout HQ, Hurstpierpoint - 2pm

Presentation of the revised rules to be presented to the EGM

You are invited to attend an **Extraordinary General Meeting** of the Sussex County Association of Change Ringers on **Saturday 27 September**, commencing at 2pm at the **Scout HQ, Harry Twins Road, Hurstpierpoint**.

The purpose of the meeting will be to vote on the revised set of rules, previously circulated and also attached. Copies of these documents are also in the post to all tower correspondents.

It would be helpful to know if you are able to attend (or if you wish to send your apologies) - email Marisa Hayes at secretary@scacr.org or call 01273 812790

Dates for your Diary:

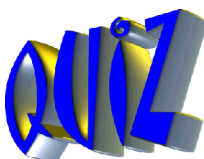
The Annual Ringing Course - 31 October - 1 November details and application forms for all courses are on the [website](#). However the following courses are currently available. It is recommended that you book early to avoid disappointment, as courses fill up quickly. Contact Anne Franklin on 01273 813189

Courses:

- Rounds, Call Changes and Kaleidoscope Ringing - Tutor: Elaine Farrow
- Plain Hunting - Tutor: Graham Hills
- Beginning Plain Bob Doubles - Tutor: Anne Franklin
- Ringing Touches of Plain Bob Doubles - Tutor: David Kirkcaldy
- Ringing Treble Bob Hunting and Methods - Tutor: Jeremy Alford
- Becoming a Conductor - Tutor: Stephen Beckingham

BEXHILL GUILD OF BELLRINGERS

FRIDAY 3rd OCTOBER 6.30 for
ST PETER'S COMMUNITY



7.00PM
CENTRE - TN40 2HE

Please come and support the ringers

who are raising money for a new set of bell ropes.

Each team can consist of up to eight members.

We would like the names of the participating teams.

The number of people in each team and the ticket money before the quiz
as we will be providing a Ploughman's Supper.

Tickets will still be available at the door but supper will not be guaranteed.

For those only able to field a small team,
we will be happy to help you make a team up.

Tickets are £5 per/person with supper - £4 without supper

Please bring your own drinks. For more information please contact

Roy Cox roymcox@live.co.uk 01424 211473

If you pay by cheque please make it payable to 'St Peters Bexhill Bellringers'

Practice Dates

Laughton

Wed 24th Sept Advancing in minor at Laughton 7.30 pm- special methods Single and Double Oxford, plus any requested methods that those attending can ring (Plain Treble Bob or Surprise)
Next practice Thursday 23rd October, also at Laughton 7.30 pm

Thursday 2nd Oct - Surprise major, joint with Southern, Christ Church, Eastbourne 7.30 pm

Westham Church

7-9 November

Bells & Poppies Festival St Mary's Westham 10-4 each day

15 November

Quiz evening Westham Village Hall 7.30 Tickets £6 Tel 01323 761019

13th December

Christmas Ringing - Times to be confirmed so please keep an eye on the website and Facebook.
Ringing 3.30 pm. followed by service at 4.30 pm tea and further ringing.

Ticehurst

25th October

Practice and Business Meeting

2.00 pm Ringing, 3.00 pm meeting, 4.00 service followed by tea and further ringing

Other News

Warnhamtrikes

Congratulations to the Warnhamtrikes who successfully completed the 37 mile Downs Link on Saturday - cycling, running, three legged.

The day started at St Martha's Hill, Surrey with the sun shining, followed by a boozy welcome from supporters at the Bax Castle at lunchtime and finishing at Shoreham, West Sussex, where the Air Show provided a fabulous display for the finale. A staggering total of over £625 has been pledged in recognition of their efforts and the Warnhamtrikes would like to thank everybody, absolutely everybody, who has supported them in one way or another.

Now the hard part, collecting in the sponsorship money. If you're not sure how to pay or would still like to donate, please get in touch with Sandra Alford, Christine Baldock or Marisa Hayes.

Help with the Division / District

As you are all aware there could be some changes ahead of us in the forthcoming months. Whatever happens we will still need people to help organise things both locally area wise and County wise.

We would still like some members to come and join in our small committee with ideas or give us some ideas of what you would like to see on our programme for next year. There will still be the usual Quiz, Outings and Walks but your help is needed.

We would like to also say a thank you to Nicky Twort who has had to stand down as Restoration Fund Rep due to other commitments, if anyone would like to come along and help in this role or help in any other way please contact one of us.

SCACR Social Event

SHUFFLEBOARD EVENING

at Pulborough Village Hall
on Saturday 25th October 2014

There will be open ringing beforehand at
Steyning from 2.15pm to 3.15pm
and

Washington from 3.30pm to 4.30pm
(tea and coffee will be available).

The Shuffleboard and Supper will be held at the

Village Hall, Swan View, Lower Street, Pulborough, RH20 2BF

Cost: £8 per head, which includes a hot supper to be served during a break in the evening

Please bring your own cutlery, glasses, drinks & nibbles

To book your tickets please contact:

Graham Hills tel 01903 266980 or e-mail rm-west@scacr.org

Kipling's Country Ringing Outing

On Saturday 16th August 6 ringers from Eastern Division, and a good number of ringers from Southern Division together with assorted dogs and friends met in the picturesque village Burwash for a most enjoyable day of walking and ringing. The day kicked off a little after 10:45 with a 2 hour circular walk. The anticipation of a picnic or a pub lunch kept the group plodding on through the delightful Sussex countryside. Once sufficient members had arrived, ringing commenced at Burwash church. It was a glorious day that will be long remembered and was much enjoyed by all.

Facebook

Some of you may not be aware that there is an excellent SCACR Group on Facebook. It is frequently updated by members with news of forthcoming events, appeals for ringers etc. There are lots of photographs and videos submitted by members. It is a most excellent way of communicating with your fellow ringers and well worth a look.

To join the SCACR Facebook group, you will need a Facebook account, which is very easy to set up. You can then participate and get involved.

Are you stuck for Christmas gift ideas?

“Ringing Book Titles”

NEW!! Wentworth wooden jigsaw puzzle. A montage of colourful ringing book covers.

Medium



See photo: www.cccbr.org.uk

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Size: c360mm x 250mm (14" x 10") 250 pieces with library-cut shapes called “whimsies”

AN IDEAL GIFT Price £23 (+£3 p+p in UK) Cheques payable to: CCCBR

Proceeds to the CCCBR Bell Restoration Fund [NB Ringers' Arms also available @ £20 + p&p]

From: Stella Bianco, “Oaklands”, West Chiltington Lane, Broadford Bridge, Billingshurst,

West Sussex RH14 9EA Tel: 01403 740010 Email: scb@biancoteam.com

Online payment available - please supply email address, if possible

Doves Database

Those who have smartphones, may like to know that CCCBR have produced an App which makes available the database of all the Towers in the Doves Guide. It uses the GPS on your phone to show towers near you. Useful information such contact details and practice times are listed.

Look To!

We are always glad to receive submissions for publication in Look To! Whether it is to tell us about a forthcoming event for your Tower or to write about an earlier event that you would like to share.

We hope to have another edition ready before Christmas, so let's have those articles by 5th December. Please send to nickrees@operamail.com