

# The Southwell & Nottingham Diocesan Guild of Church Bell Ringers

## Library

Arrangements for the housing and administration of the Guild's library of books and other ringing-related material.

The contents of Ray Fanthorpe's Reference Library of Bell Ringing books, bell music and other ringing memorabilia was offered to the ownership of the Southwell & Nottingham Diocesan Guild of Church Bell Ringers (S&NDGCBR).

This generous offer was accepted by the Guild Committee on behalf of the Guild.

Ray Fanthorpe's Collection remains at his home, thereby being accessible for his use and checking for updates and adding to this collection. This collection is also available to S&NDGCBR members as a Guild Reference Library **by prior arrangement** with the Guild Librarian.

The S&NDGCBR Library has been relocated and is housed alongside the above mentioned Library collection.

Separate catalogues - Primary and Reference - will be maintained for the two collections which together form the **new S&NDG Library**. These catalogues are updated annually on the Guild website.

The S&NDGCBR Librarian will be given reasonable access to the two-collections and will retain full responsibility for all the items listed in the primary S&NDG Guild Library catalogue, for accepting new items into it, for agreeing any disposals from it and for maintaining a catalogue of the S&NDG Library collection.

Ray Fanthorpe has unlimited access to all the new S&NDGCBR Library material but he will not loan any item to another individual or organisation without reference to the Guild Librarian in the first instance.

January 2017

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## **S&NDGCBR Library Primary catalogue at 31/12/2016**

### **THE GUILD**

Replies to Questionnaire sent out after formal adoption of the Library at AGM on 5 April 1986  
Letters ref. Library's establishment to SEE & RW  
AGM Minutes for 5 April 1986

Guild Reports 1946 - 1963 bound  
Guild Reports 1946 to present unbound

Photographic Record to mark the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of the SDG - 1996  
Photographic Record to mark the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of the SDG - 2006

A Short History (of the Guild) 1946-1995  
Letter from Peter White of Newark dated 30/12/2006 ref. an error on page 19 of this booklet.

Rules of the Southwell Diocesan Guild of Change Ringers  
Rule Book for the Southwell Diocesan Guild of Church Bell Ringers

Folder containing Crawford Cup Rules

Folder containing details for 1967- 69 Annual Report  
Folder containing details for 1970 Annual Report  
Folder containing details for 1971 Annual Report  
Folder containing details for 1972 Annual Report

Correspondence file of Guild Hon Gen Sec for 1970  
Correspondence file of Guild Hon Gen Sec for 1973  
Correspondence file of Guild Hon Gen Sec for 1974  
Correspondence file of Guild Hon Gen Sec for 1976

SDG Minute Book of Guild Committee Meetings & AGM's 1948 – 1963 inc. \* CD2014  
SDG Minute Book of Guild Committee Meetings & AGM's – 1963 – 1975 inc. \*CD 2014

Photographic record to mark the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of the Guild - 1996  
Photographic record to mark the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of the Guild - 2006

Correspondence in 1949 between J W Raithby and Bemrose & Sons Printers Derby  
ref. Certificates for the SDG of Change-Ringers + printers "rough suggestion" of certificate with costings

Correspondence re. St Luke's Shireoaks bells June - Sept. 2000

Correspondence from Mick Exton re Dawson mini ring in the Minster at AGM May 2000

Correspondence between Guild and Bishop George re. Guild website June 2001

Correspondence between Guild Hon Gen Sec and Bishop Paul and his acceptance to be  
President of S&NDGCBR - 3 March 2012

Handwritten notes from Bryn Richards dated 15 May 2004 on the duties of the Guild Vice –  
Chairman

CD of Bell Fund emails up to 23 May 2015 from C. Birkby retiring Bell Fund Secretary  
(access restricted)

Christmas card to Guild Chairman from Bp. Paul Williams expressing the privilege of him  
becoming our Guild President - Dec 2015

## MCA

Minute Book of the Nottingham District of the MCA 1883-1922 - handwritten

Minute Book of the Nottingham District of the MCA 1923 1933 - handwritten \* CD 2013

### MCA Reports

1889	1930
1891	1931
1895	1932
1896	1933
1897	1934
1898	1935
1899	1936
1900	1937
1901	1938
1902	1939
1903	1940
1904	1941-1945 - one report for these years
1905	1944 Easter - list of members
1906	
1909	
1910	
1912	
1915-1919	
1924	
1925	
1926	
1927	
1928	
1929	

### MCA Rules

MCA certificate Samuel Pinder - photocopy

MCA certificate Robert A Ward 28 August 1943- original

Facsimile of MCA peal board at All Saints Loughborough 12 April 1909 – 18,027 Stedman  
Caters in 12 hours 18 minutes

### Guild Events

SDG Second Annual Dinner at Newark 28/1/1950 x2

Third Annual Dinner at Retford 27/1/51

Fourth Annual Dinner at Nottingham 19/1/1952

Twentieth Annual Dinner at Newark 11/6/1966

25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner tickets at Newark 26/6/1971, Menu & Toast list +seating plan

50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner Dance at County Hall 30<sup>th</sup> November 1996

SDG 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner Memorabilia – tickets, Menus, Prize Draw – 14/10/2006

SDG 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner photos of Bishop of Sherwood & 4 founder members

Southwell Diocese Centenary Dinner & Dance 17/3/1984

Oswy Street Cup 8 Oct 2016 at Ordsall- email x 2 + photo

## Peal reports & records

**SDG** record of Peals wef 12/1/1946 (book is labelled Minute Book!) handwritten entries - Peal No 1 to 258

**SDG** Peal Records 1955 – 1962 inc – handwritten, bound volume

**SDG** Peal Records 1946-1990

**SDG** Peal Records to end 1994 - updated & reprinted March 1995 bound volume

**SDG** peal records 1946 –1995 updated & reprinted for the Guild's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary year -bound

**SDG** peal records 1946 – 2005 The first 60 years bound volume

**SDG** Register of Peal Compositions - commenced 1952

Email from Robin Woolley dated 29/06/2003 re. **errors in the peal collection**

North Notts. Change Ringing Asscn. : Peal Book Nov 1887 – Dec 1947 bound photocopy

Peal record card – peal of Minor on 5/2/1913 – tapped by J Segar

Peal records of **Percy Holmes** 1933 – 1948

Peal Ringing record of **Frederick Stanley Price**, Beeston – handwritten original – 104 peals recorded . Mr Price was a MCA member; elected Easter 1897 + photo 18/7/1953

Note book presented to St Peters Bellringers, Nottm by HR Cobbin 1933

3 Peal cards rung for MCA (1912, 1913, 1921) **Frank Johnson**

Photo of Peal record at Norton by Gaulby 28 May 1776 rung by Nottingham ringers

Photo of Peal record on the old peal of 8 bells at St Peter, Nottm. 3 October 1768

North Muskham Peal, Quarter Peal & 720's of special interest Record Book handwritten

North Muskham selection of Peal cards plus handwritten details of others +2 RW's

Extracts of Peal details from the Nottingham Date Book by H Field 1750 – 1879

Peals at Sutton on Trent rung by the **Misses G & K Burchnall** 1925 – 1958 handwritten record

Peal Books (2) of **F W Midwinter** 1946 - 1958 & 1958 - 1988. Both books also contain numerous press cuttings, photos, anecdotes & peal cards relating to the performances scored.

Quarter of peal book of **F W Midwinter** December 1947 - November 1988 This book also contains press cuttings, QP cards & other memorabilia relating to the performances scored. This book is called Volume One but the Guild Library does not have any subsequent volumes.

Small notebook -JC Vesey Standard Methods in the art of change ringing - all hand written

Peal Book - hand written - JC Vesey - Oct 1936 - June 1946

## Minute Books etc. - Districts

- Bingham District** District Meeting Attendance Register 1962 - 2000  
50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner & Dance 2012 - Sat 16 June 2012 -  
menu card
- Mansfield District** Annual Meeting Minute Book 24/1/1959 - 24/1/1998 \*CD 2014  
District Meetings Minute Book 26/7/1958 – 17/5/1986  
General Account Note Book 1958 – 1991
- Nottingham District** Minute Book Nov 1955 – Jan 1975 CD 2014
- North Notts. Association** 1887 –1923 - bound photocopy No.2 of 3 copies  
1945 – 1955 - bound photocopy No.2 of 3 copies  
1956 - 1970 - bound photocopy No.2 of 3 copies  
Annual Reports 1887- 1946 - bound volume

**NB** The original NNA Minute Books are in the tower library at East Retford Parish Church

N Notts. Association of Change Ringers List of Officers & Rules & Objects 1<sup>st</sup> Aug 1922  
Printed Card A3 size card notice

**Newark District** Minute Books 1946 - 1958 \* CD 2013  
Jan 1959 – Dec 1968  
Jan 1969 – Nov 1981  
4<sup>th</sup> Gopher Dinner 16/11/1956 at Clinton Arms Hotel, Newark - menu card

**South Notts. District** Minute books 1976 -  
Sept. 1976 - Dec. 1981  
Jan. 1982 – Dec. 1988  
Jan. 1989 - Jan 2004  
Correspondence file

### **Accounts Books**

North Notts Association 1926- 1955 - bound photocopy No.2 of 3 copies  
Beeston Parish Church Accounts - Easter 1904 - pamphlet  
Mansfield District - General Account Note Book 1958 – 1991

### **Note Books**

A selection of peals & touches and other useful information – Clement Glenn via B Buswell  
Note Book on Treble Bob – author (believed to be female) unknown – given to P Nix, Hucknall  
by Harry Cloxton  
Note book of ringing touches – all handwritten- via Reuben Carlisle date & author  
unknown, numbered pages  
Handwritten notes concerning composition, author unknown makes some reference to  
Shipway and Snowdon  
Notebook of methods – handwritten – K Burchnall, Sutton on Trent  
Small brown notebook containing a report of an annual outing to Matlock Bath plus  
compositions ??? from a Mr J A Barratt dec'd 1959 via G Clift then D Stainsby  
Peals at Sutton on Trent rung by the Misses G & K Burchnall 1925 – 1958 handwritten record  
Memorandum Tablet Notebook detailing compositions – undated and author unknown

### **Ringing World**

Bound volumes for:

1911  
1912  
1913  
1914  
1915  
1916  
1917  
1919

The Ringing World Centenary Day Guide - 26 March 2011  
Evensong Service Sheet at Westminster Abbey 26 March 2011 celebrating RW  
Centenary  
R W Centenary Handbell concert at St Margaret's Westminster - 26 March 2011

## The Bell News & Ringer's Record

1910-10-11 – one bound volume

### Books on Bells & Bell Ringing

Bell Ringing	John Camp	1974
The History & Art of Change Ringing	Ernest Morris	1931 Tysoes
Tintinnabula	Ernest Morris	1959
Bells through the Ages	J R Nichols	1928 x2 Tysoes x1
Elements of Campanalogia	William Sottanstantall	1867 Tysoes
Standard Methods in the Art of Change Ringing	Jasper Snowden	1922
Rings of Twelve	W A Thow	
A Book about Bells	Revd. G S Tyack	1898
The Arts of the Church – Church Bells	H B Walters ed. Revd Percy Dearmer	1908
Church Bells of Wiltshire	H B Walters	1969
Change Ringing	Wilfrid G Wilson	1966
Change Ringing on Handbells – CC pamphlet	C W Woolley	1974
Method Structure in Change Ringing	Albert York- Bramble	1965 Tysoes
Bells in England	Tom Ingram	1954
Ting, Tangles, Trebles & Tenors	Glynn Holdgate	1999
A Great Adventure	J S Goldsmith	1935
The Church Bells of Nottinghamshire I	G A Dawson	1994
The Church Bells of Nottinghamshire II	G A Dawson	1995
The Church Bells of Nottinghamshire III	G A Dawson	1995
Curiosities of the Belfry	J P Briscoe	1883

### Dedication Sheets within our Diocese

Arnold 25 October 1970  
Arnold 4/11/1984  
Aspley (6) 1/11/1959  
Aspley (2) 20/10/1968  
Averham (28/6/2014)  
Averham Appeal pamphlet  
*Basford 8 bells 4/6/1921 –original + photocopy*  
Bawtry 13 January 1991  
Beeston 9 August 1998  
Blidworth 10 September 1972  
Bramcote 28 January 2001  
Bulwell 2 November 1990 - 2 versions of dedication sheet - large white & small green  
Calverton 27 January 1998  
Caunton Millennium Bell 23 July 2000  
Caunton 30 November 2003  
Clayworth with Wiseton 28 November 1998  
Clifton SMV 26 April 1992  
Dunham on Trent 17 August 2003

Eakring 14 Feb. 2010  
East Bridgford 8 December 2002  
East Drayton St Peter: Harvest Thanksgiving & Rededication of church bells 4/10/1952  
East Leake 21/12/1975  
East Stoke 26 March 2006  
Edwalton 19 February 1995  
Elston 10 October 2010  
Gedling 2 new trebles 8/12/1973  
Greasley 27 September 1922  
Gringley on the Hill 2 March 2002  
Hickling Dedication of new bell frame & rededication of the bells 8 June 1996  
Hickling 20 February 2000  
Holme Pierrepont 22 November 2009  
Hucknall 5 April 1958  
Keyworth 6 December 1992  
Kirkby in Ashfield 9 Sept. 1973  
Kneeton 25 February 2001  
Lenton 10 June 2001  
Linby 31 May 1998  
Linby 29 November 1998  
Lowdham 9 August 1975  
Maplebeck 11 Feb. 2010  
Mattersey 29 March 1990  
North Muskham 2 December 1935  
Norwell 11 December 1932  
Norwell 8 September 1977 2 new trebles  
Nottingham All Saints 13 June 1999  
Nottingham All Saints 31 October 2004  
Nottingham SMV 2 November 1935  
Nottingham SMV 2 February 1981  
Nottingham St Peter 22 May 1994- sharp 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Nuthall 7/6/1987 + June 1987 parish Magazine for St Patrick's Nuthall  
Ossington 9/6/1979  
Papplewick 11 May 1997  
Plumtree 13 July 1992  
Plumtree 15 February 2010  
Radcliffe on Trent 3 December 1947  
Rempstone 21/12/1975  
Retford St Michael the Archangel Palm Sunday 2005  
Rolleston 9 December 2001  
Ruddington 14/9/1969  
Scarrington 30 June 2002  
Scofton with Osberton 11/6/1972  
Shelford 8 July 1990  
Southwell Minster 9 June 1962  
South Collingham 5 March 1954  
Staunton 1 May 2002  
Strelley 22 March 1992  
Sturton le Steeple 27 October 1991  
Sutton Bonington 27 May 1977  
Sutton cum Lound 24 August 1991



Sutton cum Lound 8 May 1999  
Thrumpton 1 November 1998  
Thurgarton 29 October 2000  
Thurgarton 23 September 1954  
Tuxford 13 November 1954  
Upton 9 April 2006  
Warsop 2 new trebles 31/10/1970  
Wellow 15 July 2004  
Wellow 15 July 2007  
Whatton 11 November 1966  
Whatton 14/3/1970  
Winthorpe 6 June 2004  
Wollaton 3 October 2010  
Woodborough 7 July 1985 Dedication of new organ  
Woodborough 7 July 2008  
Worksop St Anne: Bellframe & 8 bells 24/10/1981  
Worksop St Anne 1 July 1984 – 2 new trebles

***Dedication Sheets : Not in Diocese:***

Abbots Bromley 9 April 1977  
Belbroughton 17 December 1972  
Bolton 22 December 1974  
Bowdon 12 December 1964  
Bray 22 October 1950  
Bristol City Parish Church 17 May 1971  
Carbis Bay 31 October 1959  
Diss 15 April 1984  
Dudley 22 May 1971  
Dunham Massey 16 November 1974  
East Pennard 15 April 1972  
Elloughton 15 December 1973  
Evercreech 12 March 1949  
Evesham Bell Tower 8 September 1951  
Eye 6 June 1985  
Farnworth & Kearsley 11 September 1954  
Gaulby 2 September 1984  
Handsworth 2 April 1955  
Happisburgh 16 June 1985  
Parish Churches in North Norfolk A4 folded sheet  
Harborne 2 March 1963  
Hawkshead 29 September 1958  
Ipswich St Mary le Tower 12 September 1976  
Kempsford 30 June 1984  
Leicester Cathedral 11 April 1937  
Long Eaton 2 April 1973  
Lydeard St Lawrence 17 March 1983  
Macclesfield Christ Church 15 March 1947  
Macclesfield Parish Church 1 May 1948  
Melton Mowbray 1 December 1945

Mugginton & Kedleston 1 November 1987  
Ockham 8 December 1974  
Pot Shrigley 17 November 1968  
Prestwold 8 October 2006  
Putney 23 April 1972  
Shepshed 3 April 1949  
Shoreditch 19 October 1968  
Stourbridge 19 October 1969  
Stoke Bruerne 28 March 1976  
Stoke on Trent 3 November 1971  
Thurnby 16 June 1952  
Wellington 26 July 1939  
Winchester Cathedral 20 March 1937

### **Other Pamphlets/Guides/Articles/Letters/Misc.**

Glossary of Technical Terms Rev. H Earle Bulwer 1901 – paperback in poor condition  
Letter from Clem Glen to Fred 15/10/1955 ref future peal ringing arrangements  
Correspondence from Newark Dist. towers re Coronation Day ringing (from Bill Midwinter)  
50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Commemoration Service of death of Sir A.P. Heywood 23/4/1966-  
(from Reub Carlisle)  
Appeal for Restoration of St Mary le Bow 1956 quarto size pamphlet plus 2 letters  
Service of Thanksgiving for 900 years recorded history of SMV Nottingham & to  
launch Restoration Appeal – 30/10/1986  
Order of Service for the Enthronement of 7<sup>th</sup> Bishop of Southwell 10 October 1970  
Notes on West Bridgford Bells original + photocopy - Reub Carlisle  
Basford Bystander May 1986 St Leo's bells  
Bell Tales Stan Smith 1994 (Notts. Heritage Series) - donated by author to the Guild Library  
Oxton Bells Ding-a Dong - A Brief History 1986 T Howe  
Bingham District History 1962- 1995 - Elizabeth Harrison - 31/1/1996  
West Bridgford Golden Jubilee Dinner 18 March 2006  
Nuthall St Patrick: The story of an old village church  
Beeston Parish Church - Edited by G D Keeble 1956  
Attenborough church Newsletter Dec/Jan 1993/4 - 2 page article on Attenborough bells  
Holme Pierrepont: The Bells Project 2008/9  
Notts. Guardian on Basford bells 6/6/1921 – photocopy  
Nottingham St Peter 29 Jan 2006 - at this service the church formally thanked David Stainsby  
for his years of service to the church; ringing, PCC, verging & coffee shop.  
Plumtree Order of Service New Year's Day 2000 at 11.30a.m. (filed with Dedication  
sheets)  
Plumtree Parish Magazine – New Year ringing details (filed with Dedication sheets)  
Pageant of Newark July 1936 page 99 + explanatory note in letter from Peter White  
Plumtree additional information sheet by David Marshall February 2010  
Poem about Annesley bells which were destroyed by fire on 17 Jan 1907 printed in  
the Chad June 1987  
The Bells of St Leodegarious a poem referring to the original 3 bells from an anthology  
“From my native Land” published 1911 with additions 1919 x2  
The Pioneer's struggle for the Bells – BASFORD ( War Memorial) by sidesman Samuel  
Padley - article photocopy

Nottingham Stands Together 22 October 2004 + email of thanks from Nottm. City Council for the bell ringing  
 Belfry Maintenance Notes : May 1999, May 2000 & May 2001  
 Handwritten letter dated 15/10/1955 from Clem Glenn to Fred Hooper, Newark Ringer  
 The Bells of St Mary's Radcliffe on Trent 2006  
 Church Drive West Bridgford Magazine March 2006  
 Bellringing in the Diocese of Southwell - early PR leaflet 1999  
 Evensong Order of Service Guild AGM 20 May at Balderton  
 Ruddington Parish Magazine Jan 1988 –articles on bells x 2 pp 9-11  
 Southwell D.Guild Newsletter No. 5 May '82 –'83  
 Once upon a Time in Nottinghamshire by Bill Midwinter published 2006  
 Bell Ringing Scrapbook 1925 – 1990 Marjorie Ward - Daybrook  
 Bell Ringing Scrapbook 1991 – 1995 Marjorie Ward – Daybrook  
 Memoirs of Ernest Preston of Gamston - handwritten  
 A History of the Bells & Chimes - The Blessed Mary the Virgin, Southwell - 1055-1921 by WA James -small pamphlet  
 Letters relating to Newark parish bells - from Fred Milner?? to Bill Midwinter and from JW Raithby to Fred re. peal request on Newark bells PLUS letter from Beryl Reed giving explanation to the 2 letters  
 Geoff Parker's reminiscences on his association with the Southwell Guild in its first fifty years  
 The Society of Royal Cumberland Youths 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner at Nottingham University 9/9/1972  
 Extract from "Sturdy as the Oak" by Gillian Elias ref William H Johnson VC (1890-1945) a Daybrook ringer  
 Letter from Nottm City Council re silencing Little John for 12 Bell National Heats – Feb.1985  
 CCCBR: Starting a New Band – some guidelines - 1997  
 The Brook: St Paul's Daybrook Parish Magazine - **Nov 2012** text & photos of 1<sup>st</sup> phase of rehang

**The Gedling Magazine** – in each of the magazines listed there is some text (of varying lengths) about bells in the Nottingham or Bingham Deaneries by J & GA Dawson

September **1966**

October

November

December

February **1967**

July

November

January **1968**

February

March

June

December

January **1969**

February

July

August

June **1970**

July

September

October

**March** 1973 – update on the Gedling Bells Fund

Bells in Your Care- Notes for Clergy & Churchwardens - Malcolm Tyler date n/k  
Elston Chapel Bell Note from R Clouston July 1973 & George Dawson May 1974  
Bulwell: Service to commemorate beginning of WW2 and the last occasion on which the tower bells ring before replacement of the bell frame – 3 September 1989  
Enthronement of 10<sup>th</sup> Bishop of Southwell 11 September 1999 Service booklet  
The Tower of St Mary Magdalene, Newark on Trent by Brenda M Pask July 1998  
North Muskham & District Ringing Tour – Sat 14 August 1954 handwritten itinerary  
North Muskham & District Ringing Tour- 1953 - handwritten itinerary  
The Story of Greasley Parish Church - Revd. Arnold Doxley 1949 – illustrated pamphlet  
The Parish of St Helen's, Stapleford - Year Book 1949-50  
A history of the Bells & Chimes of Southwell Minster 1055- 1921 - W A James  
Nottingham & its churches 1449- 1949 - Nevil Truman & JRJ Kerrush – illustrated pamphlet  
Church Bells - HBWalters 1937 SPCK Pages from the Past series - illustrated small booklet  
Steeple, Towers & Spires - Jocelyn Perkins undated SPCK Pages from the Past series-as above  
Discovering Bells & Bellringing - John Camp 1968 - reprint 1971  
The church of St Nicholas, Lockington cum Hemington – A T Hammond 3<sup>rd</sup> Edn. 1971  
illustrated pamphlet  
St Martin's Youths 1755- 1846 - Edgar C Shepherd 1953 – small pamphlet  
Devon Bellringing 1874-1975 - John G M Scott – illustrated pamphlet  
A Directory of Church Bell Ringers 4<sup>th</sup> Edn. 1935/6  
Electric Light for Country Houses- John Henry Knight 1902 illustrated paperback- inside this was a MCA receipt 1082 dated 12 March 1924 for Mr A G Barratt  
The Hickling Diamond Jubilee Bell - A4 size pamphlet in full colour  
South Notts. AGM Jan 2014 - Order of Service sheet  
South Notts. AGM Jan 2015 - Order of Service sheet  
Nottingham District Bell Ringers Service (Jan 2015 AGM) + poem “The Bell Ringer “ by David Whyte  
Basford Bystander April/May 2015 - article on Reuben E Carlisle + 6 March 2015  
St Swithun's church Woodborough: The 2008 Bell Project  
SMV & All Souls Bulwell The Hill Sept 2014 - article on 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of WW1  
Laminate notice of WW1 Commemoration at Bulwell on Mon 4 August 2014 at 12 noon  
St Wilfrid's Kelham Restoration 2015: Appeal leaflet  
South Notts. AGM Jan 2016 - Order of Service sheet  
A service of Celebration for Bryan Birkett's 50 years as tower captain & rededication of the bells @ Sutton cum Lound: 10 July 2016  
The Nottingham High School fallen soldiers - William Walker - tenor bell @ St Leodegarius dedicated to him & his brother - info. sheet

## **Central Council**

Meeting papers (CC Rep. John Segar Retford) from 1953 – 1959 inc  
Survey of state of Sunday Service Ringing 1972 returns & statistics for SDG  
Paperwork relating to the arrangements for the CC meeting in Nottingham in 1967  
Ringing World - 26 May 1967 CC at Nottingham  
Friends of the CC Library Newsletters 18 (1998) to 37 (2016)  
Essay for the Friends No. 4 – 23 (2016)

## Millennium Ringing & Bells

List of towers ringing in the Nottingham District

Year 2000 pull-out Church bells update

Ringing in the Millennium SEE December 1999 front page

Ring-in 2000 in the diocese SEE December 1999 page 14

Caunton bells & the Millennium SEE December 1999 page 12

Caunton: Service of Dedication of the Millennium Bell 23 July 2000

Lenton Millennium project 1/6/1999

Taylor's & the Millennium - hopes for a surge in orders Business Post 23 July 1996

Ring in 2000 - photos of bands who rang at:

Radcliffe on Trent

Holme Pierrepont

Plumtree ringers 1/1/2000 at 12 noon

Thrumpton ringers 1/1/2000 at 12 noon

Gotham Ringers 1/1/2000

Nuthall ringers 1/1/2000 + text – Parish Magazine Feb.2000 page 2

## Photos

Bingham in the Rectory Grounds 1926 via JA Barratt or Alf Barratt

Loughborough Memorial Carillon (postcard) – handwritten on reverse by Ernest Clulow and sent to Alf Barratt of Daybrook

Addlethorpe, Lincs Dedication 27/9/1980 – George Clift & Frank Bradley on the group photo

Newark ringers from P Nix

Sam Pinder, Basford 1946

Basford Band c 1946?? – *later MJS thinks*

Basford Tower Captains 1925- 2002 +

Ralph Carlisle, Basford 1938

St Leodegarius Church Bells 6/6/1921 reproduced from Nottingham Guardian

J Segar junior's handbells hung for tapping

Harold Denman aged 90 - SEE June 1993

Fred Barber Cotgrave bells ringing again 20 December 1996 Nottm Evening Post

Little John bell photo Nottingham Evening Post 14 March 2002

Thrumpton ringers 1/1/2000 at 12 noon

Plumtree ringers 1/1/2000 at 12 noon

Gotham Ringers 1/1/2000

Terry Smith of Caunton

Colin Lee & Andrew Cairns NEP19 September 1998

Colin Lee, Ben Kipling, Angela Cairns (nee Whitehouse) & Andrew Cairns NEP 26 November 1999

60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner 4 (of the then 7 still alive) founder members who attended – Peter Nix, Reuben Carlisle, Mary Beach, Rachel Selby.

Rachel Selby NEP 9 May 2005

Charles Cross Bingham 30 Dec 2005 NEP Bygones

Reuben Carlisle – aged 90 -article +\_ photo NEP 2 June 2005

Reuben Carlisle 13-11- 1988 by Mellors bell

Reuben Carlisle 24-12-1988 putting up flag on tower

Reuben Carlisle- Pancake tradition at Basford- NP Bygones section 9Feb. 2011- photo+text

Paul Selby (Ruddington) retires from Notts Constabulary 27 Dec. 2003 article + photo

Harry Webb 14/10/2006 East Retford

Ray Fanthorpe 2006 East Retford & Scofton

James Newton tower captain Arnold St Mary NEP 23 June 2007

Reuben Carlisle, Basford & Robert Naylor NEP 15 Dec. 2007  
 The Bells of East Retford Town Hall Clock  
 East Retford Handbells (40)  
 Peal Board 1977 created by Ray Fanthorpe July 1977 RW page 753 refers  
 East Retford peal band 31 December 1900  
 East Retford peal band 2 February 1901  
 East Retford & other local ringers November 1894  
 East Retford peal band Jubilee Day Mon 6 May 1935  
 East Retford church flood lit by gas for VE&VJ celebrations 1945  
 Founder Members of SDG Peter Nix, Mary Beach, Rachel Selby & Reuben Carlisle :  
 NEP 28 November 2006  
 Mary Beach in Greasley tower : NEP 24 November 2006  
 Reuben Carlisle 1 June 2005 aged 90 in Basford church by the Mellors Bell  
 Dawson campanile in Southwell Minster prior to Guild AGM May 2000 – 3 photos  
 with identification of ringers present  
 St Peters Mansfield QP for Queen Mother's Birthday – photo - SEE October 1990  
 Monica Robinson, Lucy Clarke, Florence Adcock, Roger Hardy, Julia Hardy, Max  
 Clarke.  
 Robert Naylor & Valerie Butler on Bulwell Ringers display stand 19/9/2009  
 Nuthall ringers 1/1/2000 photo + text – parish Magazine Feb.2000 page 2  
 Joe Reader-Cropwell Bishop Grantham Journal ( Bingham Edn.) 1/3/1996  
 East Retford Ringers – date unknown  
 Cotgrave ringers in Harare Cathedral - text + photo December 1996  
 Philip Smith & Janet Musson – Southwell Minster Nov. 2000  
 North Muskham Ringing Tour 1952 – taken at Sileby, Leics.  
 Photo of first ringing meeting after WW1 at Clifton, Notts. 26/8/1919 - ringers identified  
 by George Clift who donated photo  
 Radcliffe on Trent ringers' Centenary AGM – photo + text - April 1987  
 Mansfield Woodhouse bells removed photo - April 1988 Fred Pembleton +son  
 Colonel Robert Doe + Bill Midwinter in Newark tower 30 October 1987 Newark Advertiser  
 Plumtree Ringers on 23 April 2012 celebrating St George  
 South Collingham band: 20 April 1950 - all ringers identified  
 South Collingham band: 1951 - all ringers identified  
 Christine Mills-Kennedy in Shelford belfry - NP 17 Feb. 2011- photo + article  
 Don Beach on retiring as Guild Chairman AGM 21.4.1990 + Jo Barker, Arnold ringer  
 Don & Mary Beach at Guild AGM 21 April 1990 - photo  
 Don Beach on his retirement as Guild Chairman at AGM on 21 April 1990 with  
 Beryl Reed - new Guild Chairman at AGM 21 April 1990 - photo  
 Robert Cox, Sandiacre, in 1972 aged 97 - MCA member elected 1907 - news cutting +photo  
 W H Johnson VC - commemorative ceremony @ Redhill Cemetery -Nottm. Post 6 Sept. 2014  
 W H Johnson VC - ceremony @ Redhill Cemetery -Nottm. RW1104 : 24<sup>th</sup> Oct 2014  
 Newark Parish Church Ringers c. late 1940's early 50's x2  
 Nuthall bell ringers + John Hatton 3 decades of service - Feb 2015 - Eastwood Advertiser  
 Thrumpton ringers - Ringing - is it a sport NP 26/02/2016 - article & photo  
 Thoroton ringers celebrating HM QEII 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday - on memory stick  
 Ladies in S&NDGCBR QP band celebrating HM QEII 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday + their 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary on  
 memory stick

## **Press Cuttings**

From **SEE:/C Magazine**

Bulwell: Service to commemorate beginning of WW2 and the last occasion on which the tower bells ring before replacement of the bell frame – 3 September 1989  
Marjorie Ward's 60 years bellringing - article + photo Oct. 1985  
Ralph Carlisle Aug 1986  
Misson Bells Aug 1986  
SDG Library formation June 1986  
Widmerpool Bells Aug 1986  
Oswy Street Cup Nov 1986 text +photo  
Nuthall Nov 1986  
Nuthall Feb 1987  
Nuthall completion Aug 1987  
Nuthall- Dec 1992 - photo of 3 rectors, each of whom were involved in fundraising to achieve the 8  
Austerfield Bells Aug 1987  
Bulwell bells Dec 1987  
Frank Cooke obituary Jan 1988  
Don Tyers, Wilford, retires as tower captain Jan 1990  
Sturton bells- new frame & re-tuning Jan 1990  
Laneham church restoration June 1990  
Bawtry church bell fund boost June 1990  
Attenborough handbell ringers' success at Worksop music Festival July 1990  
SDG BRF donations & loans August 1990  
Beckingham rededication October 1990  
St Peters Mansfield QP for Queen Mother's Birthday – photo - October 1990  
St Saviours Retford 8 tubular bells  
Thoroton's Bell Ball September 1999  
Harold Denman aged 90 - SEE June 1993  
Staunton bells back ringing February 2001  
Rolleston Bells June 2001  
Adcock family from Mansfield St Peter & St Paul October 1995  
Year 2000 pull-out Church bells update  
Ringing in the Millennium December 1999 front page  
Caunton bells & the Millennium December 1999 page 12  
Ring –in 2000 in the diocese December 1999 page 14  
“C” Winter 2005 Attenborough ringers + general article on bellringing page23  
Bells in the Spotlight Linby, Papplewick & Nottm All Saints June 1998  
Handbell ringing Festival at Worksop May 1991  
Worksop hand bell successes June 1991  
Sturton – le – Steeple bells restored December 1991  
Bell Repair Fund in focus April 1991  
Sutton cum Lound order 6<sup>th</sup> bell Feb 1991  
Sutton cum Lound bell cast at L'boro – photo June 1991  
Sutton cum Lound Dedication - photo + text December 1991  
Nuthall 2 new bells November 1991  
Cotgrave ringers in Harare Cathedral - text + photo December 1996  
Tings Tangs Trebles & Tenors – Glyn Holgate EDWNA October 1999  
Stan Smith - author of Bell Tales – June 1995

Vicar drops a Clanger at his induction at St Johns Carrington January 1996  
 Gedling auction for bellframe fund Jan. 1989-  
 Basford choir stalwart retires – Reub. Carlisle - Feb.1989 – also NEP 30/12/88 - photo+text  
 St. Matthias, Sneinton fundraising for their church bell – March 1989  
 Mansfield Woodhouse bells return to tower - May 1989  
 Bulwell new bell frame - October 1989  
 Radcliffe on Trent ringers' Centenary AGM – photo +text - April 1987  
 Mansfield Woodhouse bells removed photo - April 1988 Fred Pembleton +son  
 Nuthall recruiting handbell ringers - May 1988  
 Gedling bell frame fund update – May 1988  
 St Alban's Forest Town bell rings out again - June 1988  
 Bulwell bell frame order is placed – July 1988  
 Bingham sponsored peal on 400<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Spanish Armada - July 1988  
 Willoughby May Day peal sets new county record – August 1988  
 Bingham sponsored peal on 400<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Spanish Armada–update- Nov 1988  
 Blyth bells recording for church bells on Sunday – December 1988  
 Plumtree bell fund update – Dec.1988  
 Plumtree & Clifton bell projects – April 1992  
 Clarbrough's anon. donation to bell augmentation fund – April 1992  
 St Philip Top Valley/Bestwood - single bell and turret added June 1997 photo + text  
**Nifty Notes:** Sept 2016 - Minster Ringers rise to Bell Tower Challenge

From **Nottingham Evening Post/Nottingham Post**

Josiah Reader 84th birthday & 70 years of church bell ringing – 20 Oct. 1999 photo + text  
 Basford Bells – date unknown  
 Kirk Hallam Gift of bells by Mr Fred White date unknown  
 Lenton Millennium project 1/6/1999  
 Radcliffe on Trent: Brian Bull, bellringing,, Radcliffe tower appeal & Radcliffe Male Voice Choir  
 13/1/1999  
 Cotgrave bells ringing again 20 December 1996 Fred Barber picture  
 Bill Midwinter article in Bygones section 16 August 1999  
 Nottingham SMV Noisy bells (now sound controlled) 7 November 1997  
 Little John bell photo 14 March 2002  
 Scarrington bells 6 August 2002 –article & photo + Opinion  
 St John's Carlton 3 December 1999  
 Basford Pancake Bell Neighbourhood News 14 March 2000  
 Basford choristers retire- – Reuben Carlisle NEP30/12/1988  
 Oxtou Bellropes sabotaged- Sat 9 Jan.1988 –photo+text  
 Basford Pancake Bell Neighbourhood News 16 February 2002 – text & photo of Reuben Carlisle  
 Reuben Carlisle – aged 90 -article + photo 2 June 2005  
 Nottingham All Saints fundraising 19 September 1998 – article & photo Colin Lee & Andrew Cairns  
 Nottingham All Saints fundraising 26 November 1999 article & photo Colin Lee, Ben Kipling, Angela Whitehouse & Andrew Cairns  
 Nottingham All Saints launch appeal for rehang 19 June 1997  
 Linby bells 7 May 1998 feature and cartoon page 18  
 Bunny church bells ring for 100year old Ida Oliver- date unknown  
 Plumtree church purchases 6 bells from Clifton SMV



Basford St Leo's – WW1 memorial restored – 25 September 2008 – photo+text  
 Rachel Selby 9 May 2005  
 Ringing in New Year at Bingham 30 Dec 2005 – article + photo of Charles Cross  
 Nottingham Mechanics Institute 2 bells 1877 & Townsville Queensland Australia 26  
 Feb 2004  
 Little John silenced for repairs 5 March 2002  
 St Stephens, Sneinton 16 April 2008 article + photos  
 Woodborough augmentation 22 April 2008  
 Canadian relative of 16<sup>th</sup> century bell ringer, William Cox, at Nottm SMV visits tower  
 – photo 6 May 2008  
 VE & VJ day 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary 7 July 2005 bells at Nottm SMV  
 Paul Selby (Ruddington) retires from Notts Constabulary 27 Dec. 2003 article + photo  
 Trowell striking competition vs Randwick Australia 30 December 2003 article +  
 photos  
 Sherwood Youths & 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary of death of Wm. Doubleday Crofts 1  
 December 2009  
 Hillsborough 20 years on 2 April 2009  
 Gedling bells – appreciative letter to NEP 22/2/1991  
 Clifton SMV new bells to ring 24/9/1991  
 The chimes of Castle Boulevard 10 February 2007  
 Weekday Cross bell returns to the Council House photo + text 11 May 2007  
 Arnold St Mary 's new tenor bell 5 June 2007  
 Revd Bernard Baines obituary 5 June 2007  
 Arnold St Mary text & photos including James Newton tower captain 23 June 2007  
 Basford needs recruits -article + photo of Reuben Carlisle & Robert Naylor 15 Dec. 2007  
 East Drayton "Cake Rings" article + photo 11 February 2006  
 Founder Members of SDG photos Peter Nix, Mary Beach, Rachel Selby & Reuben Carlisle  
 28 November 2006  
 Mary Beach in Greasley tower 24 November 2006  
 Bygones of 28 Nov. 1921 – funeral of bellringer from Nottm SMV 28 Nov 2006  
 Letter from Guild PRO after 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary photos in NEP 4 December 2006  
 Bygones feature of Bill Midwinter's book 9 December 2006  
 Reuben Carlisle picture 2006 links to the Scout movement  
 Andrew Hoggard memorial bell at Thurgarton 28 October 2000 plus Opinion  
 PowerGen's name change – bells ring out and receive £500 per tower 10 July 1999  
 Record attempt at Edwalton by Liverpool University alumnni – 5 November 2002  
 Taylors & the Millennium - hopes for a surge in orders Business Post 23 July 1996  
 "Ding Dong" at SMV Nottingham – noise complaints – Text + photo  
 Little John – midnight celebration – NEP December 2000  
 Viyella House chimes restored 7 April 1989  
 National Open Bell Tower week April 1983 at SMV Nott'm - photo+text  
 SMV Nottingham article on bells- photo of Ian Butters tower captain and others 27/1/1992  
 St Peter's bells ring out - Queen's Diamond Jubilee visit to Nott'm - 3/ 6 2012  
 Alex Foster Daybrook ringer on Channel 4's Come Dine With Me Nott'm Post 4 Feb. 2011  
 John Meredith Southwell Minster - Nottingham Evening Post Week end - 2 October 1999  
 Daybrook handbell ringers- Cash for your community campaign bid - NP 6 May 2011 -  
 photo+text  
 Reuben Carlisle- Pancake tradition at Basford- NP Bygones section 9Feb. 2011- photo+text  
 Christine Mills-Kennedy in Shelford belfry - NP 17 Feb. 2011- photo + article  
 Dayncourt Peace Bell - NEP Nov. 1999 - photo + article  
 Birbeck House bells /Townsville Australia sound out in Nottm. once more 13 May 2003 NEP

Birbeck House clock bells' sound transmitted across Nottm. from Queensland NEP 14 May 2003  
 Little John NEP 29 December 2000 - photos + article  
 Calverton bells project - NEP 4 July 1997  
 Ringing for St George 2014 Nottm Post Weds 23 & Thurs 24 April 2014  
 W H Johnson VC - commemorative ceremony @ Redhill Cemetery -Nottm. Post 4 Sept. 2014  
 W H Johnson VC - commemorative ceremony @ Redhill Cemetery -Nottm. Post 6 Sept. 2014  
 St George's day April 2015 NP 24/4/15 - mention of bells & Bramcote tower captain quoted  
 Ringing - is it a sport NP 26/02/2016 - article & photo of Thrumpton ringers  
 Bygones feature on Beeston Red Cross Handbell Ringers incl photo from 1965 Notts Guardian x2  
 Nottm Post 4 Aug 2016 - Southwell Minster's participation in Challenge 500 - Heritage open days

## Other Publications

Nottingham Journal Sat 10 August 1822 women ringers at Trowell - photocopy  
 Nottingham Journal Sat 9 Nov. 1822 Change Ringing :peal of Cambridge Royal at Wakefield - photocopy  
 Nottingham Journal Sat 29 Nov. 1828 Wollaton ringing competition. Prize - 6 pairs of gloves  
 Nottingham Recorder & Weekly Post 1991 Arnold ringers to acquire a computer  
 Grantham Journal ( Bingham Edn) 1/3/1996 Joe Reader-Cropwell Bishop Text + photo  
 Retford & Bawtry Trader News Clarborough Bells Appeal -21 May 1992  
 Retford & Bawtry Trader News Babworth theft of 20 handbells undated  
 Hucknall & Bulwell Despatch 6 November 1998 - Hucknall bells to ring on Armistice Day  
 Hucknall & Bulwell Despatch 8 May 1998 Linby bells - text & photo  
 Newark Advertiser Caunton bell text & photo of Terry Smith  
 Newark Advertiser 29 Dec 2006 New Year ringing in Newark area -article & photo of Sam Martin(14) Sutton on Trent  
 Newark Advertiser 19 Jan 2007 Unringable bells in Newark area  
 Nottinghamshire Guardian 6 June 1921 -How Basford will remember it's heroes  
 The Rudd - 29 December 1995 -Ruddington bells ring in New Year  
 Retford Times 8 Jan 2004 St. Michael's Retford spire repairs  
 Newark Advertiser 17 November 2000 Philip Smith (new tower captain) & Janet Musson - (retiring tower captain) at Southwell Minster -photo & short text  
 Melton Times 23 March 1995 - Long Clawson augmentation - photo + text  
 Retford Times 14 August 2008 St Alban's Retford fire  
 Nottingham Trader 28 Feb 1990 Basford Pancake Bell - photo Reuben Carlisle +text

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 Ollerton - should be 6chimes+ a single ringing bell - not a ring

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 Daily Mail 8 Sept. 2000 Leaning tower of Big Ben is saved from a fall  
 The Brook - Daybrook Parish Magazine Nov. 2012 Article +pics. on bells rehang  
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 The Age 2 March 1988 Time takes it s toll at St Patricks Cathedral, Australia  
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 Leicester Mercury Sat 9 August 1997 - Long Clawson's Millennium bells  
 Retford Times 2003?? Fittingley Primary School bell to ring out again  
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 Yorks Evening News 1947/8 - Austerfield new frame in construction- photo & caption -  
 Retford & Bawtry Trader Sturton- le -Steeple bells restored 24 October 1991

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 Retford, Gainsborough & Worksop Times 30 May 1991 Sutton cum Lound augmentation  
 Retford & North Notts Guardian May 1991 Sutton cum Lound new bell - photo  
 Retford, Gainsborough & Worksop Times 5 Sept. 1991 Sturton- le -Steeple bells restored-  
 photo +caption  
 Retford Times - Sept 1991 new 6<sup>th</sup> bell for Sutton cum Lound - photo +caption  
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 +caption  
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 W H Johnson VC - Daybrook Parish Magazine - The Brook Oct. 2014  
 Retford Times 23 April 2015 - Tuxford bells to ring for St George  
 Nuthall bell ringers + John Hatton 3 decades of service - Feb 2015 - Eastwood Advertiser  
**The Bramley:** June 2016 Southwell Peal Board unveiled by Bishop Paul

## Ringers

**Robert Cox** , Sandiacre, aged 97 - MCA member elected 1907 news cutting +photo 22/12/1972

**Bryn Richards** Letter from Don Beach of proposal for his Life Membership of the Guild – useful precis of Bryn’s ringing life

**Brian Bull**, Radcliffe on Trent, bellringing,, Radcliffe tower appeal & Radcliffe Male Voice Choir 13/1/1999 Nottingham Evening Post Neighbourhood News

**Adcock family** from Mansfield St Peter & St Paul SEE October 1995

**Bill Midwinter** article in Bygones section of Nottingham Evening Post 16 August 1999

**Leslie & Winnie Pritchett** – Beeston ringers Nottingham Evening Post 17 April 2000

**James Pearson** of Farndon: letter from his daughter K. Hordle & newscutting

**Rachel Selby** NEP 9 May 2005

**Reuben Carlisle** – aged 90 - article + photo NEP 2 June 2005

**Paul Selby** (Ruddington) retires from Notts Constabulary 27 Dec. 2003 article + photo

**Patrick Preston** –CC Rep & Daybrook ringer - notes for CCCBR Biographies C’ttee

**Marjorie Ward** 60 years bellringing - article + photo SEE Oct. 1985

**Samuel Pinder** MCA certificate - photocopy

**Ted Lee** - miscellaneous papers relating to his ringing in UK & Vancouver, Canada sent to Bill Midwinter by his son, Art Lee, living in Canada, 18 Feb. 2005

**Misses Grace & Katherine Burchnall** Peal cards, numerous photos of ringing tours, ringing bands throughout their ringing lives, letter to K Burchnall re. towers in Somerset Aug 1954, National Registration Identity Card for Miss K Burchnall

**James Wilfred Raithby** 1915- 2001 text of RW obituary by Bill Midwinter plus an appreciation of Jim’s life by Mick Exton

**Revd Neil Weston** of Radcliffe on Trent - fundraising head shave/bleach – SEE Sept. 1999 text + photo

**Joe Reader**-Cropwell Bishop Text + photo –Grantham Journal ( Bingham Edn) 1/3/1996

**East Retford Ringers** – date unknown - photo

**Harold Denman** aged 90 - SEE June 1993

**Frank Johnson** 3 Peal cards rung for MCA (1912, 1913, 1921)  
**Harry Robert Cobbin** St Peter, Nottm photo of an illuminated appreciation of his 50 year service as a ringer here – 1897- 1947  
**Ernest Preston** of Gamston - Memoirs - handwritten  
**Margaret Chilton** – now **Snyder**. First peal at Elston  
**Don & Mary Beach** at Guild AGM 21 April 1990 - photo  
**Don Beach** on his retirement as Guild Chairman at AGM on 21 April 1990 with  
**Beryl Reed** - new Guild Chairman at AGM 21 April 1990 - photo  
 St Peters Mansfield QP for Queen Mother’s Birthday – photo - SEE October 1990  
**Monica Robinson, Lucy Clarke, Florence Adcock, Roger Hardy, Julia Hardy, Max Clarke.**  
**William H Johnson V.C.** 1890-1945 a Daybrook ringer Extract from “Sturdy as the Oak” by Gillian Elias  
**Basford band** – undated- from Reuben Carlisle  
**Sam Pinder** – Basford- undated -- from Reuben Carlisle  
**Josiah Reader** 84th birthday & 70 years of church bell ringing – 20 Oct. 1999 photo + text  
**Josiah Reader** 84th Birthday RW 29 Oct. 1999  
**South Collingham band:** photo 20 April 1950 - all ringers identified  
**South Collingham band:** photo 1951 - all ringers identified  
**John Meredith Southwell Minster** - Nottingham Evening Post Week end - 2 October 1999  
**Sutton cum Lound augmentation** 30 May 1991 photo of ringers- identified  
**Bryan Birkett** July 1991 - 25 years of tower captaincy Sutton cum Lound  
**Alex Foster** Daybrook ringer on Channel 4’s Come Dine With Me Nottingham Post 4 Feb. 2011  
**David Osborne** Gotham ringer: A poem “The song of Somerset’s Bells” written in June 1973  
 WHJohnson VC - commemorative ceremony at Redhill Cemetery -Nottm. Post 4 & 6 Sept.2014  
**John Hatton** 3 decades of service at Nuthall - Feb 2015 - Eastwood Advertiser  
 A service of Celebration for **Bryan Birkett**’s 50 years as tower captain & rededication of the bells @ Sutton cum Lound: 10 July 2016

## Memorial Service Sheets

Thomas Hunt Francis & Margaret Francis May 1970 St Martin in the Fields - address was by Revd. Canon K. W. H. Felstead  
 Tony Lewis 15 January 1999  
 James William Raithby Newark 20 March 2001  
 Sydney Adams Ruddington 5 April 2001  
 Albert Simpson 20 June 2002  
 Clive Buswell 7 May 2003  
 Robert Brian Mills dec’d. 6 May 2003  
 Dorothy Coates 17 November 2006  
 Bill Midwinter 5 June 2007  
 Brian Freeman 15 July 2007  
 David Stainsby St Peter Nottingham 9 September 2010  
 Harold Cocking – 18 November 2011  
 Alison Nix 19 December 2011  
 Don Fellows - service Feb 2012. + 21/1/2012  
 Sidney Rippon Attenborough 6 September 2012 + 30 August 2012  
 Canon Walter Beasley Guild Hon Vice President + 9 June 2012

Darrell Dennis Hallam Stapleford + 2 March 2013  
 Frederick Flint 31 March 2014 +9 March 2014  
 Thomas Harold Hamer + 26 August 2012 -- ex Bulwell  
 Rachel Emily Selby + 28 Sept. 2014  
 Martin North + 4 February 2015  
 William Alexander Thow + 13 January 2015 - also copy of the Tribute given by Roger Scholes at the funeral service  
 Reuben Edward Carlisle + 6 March 2015  
 Sylvia Patricia Mary Nix + 16 February 2016  
 Margaret Gertrude Smith + 27 June 2016  
 Robert Anthony (Bob) Metcalfe + 27 August 2016  
 William Edward Titmuss + 31 August 2016

### **Technical Drawings of Bell frames etc.**

East Leake	3/2/1975
St Anne Worksop	4/7/1977
Ossington	29/7/1977
Cropwell Bishop	1/2/1980 & 5/1/1981
Sutton Bonington	20/8/1975
Flawborough	18/11/1976
Gonalston St Lawrence	15/5/1991

### **Annual Reports from other Guilds**

Central Northamptonshire Assocn. of Church Bell Ringers – 1901-1902  
 Coventry Diocesan Guild of Church Bellringers – 1974  
 Derbyshire Assocn. of Change Ringers 12<sup>th</sup> Report - 1957  
 The Derby Diocesan Assocn. of Church Bellringers 19<sup>th</sup> Report - 1964  
 The Society of Change Ringers for the Archdeaconry of Stafford 26<sup>th</sup> Report – 1908-1909  
 The Society of Change Ringers for the Archdeaconry of Stafford 27<sup>th</sup> Report – 1909-1910 x2

### **Methods, Compositions, Conducting etc**

#### **Jasper Whitfield Snowdon Series**

Treatise on Treble Bob Part 1 by the late JWSnowdon 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. edited William Snowdon 1902  
 Stedman Revd C D P Davies 1903  
 Grandsire by the late JWSnowdon, Appendix Revd C D P Davies, edited William Snowdon 1905  
 Diagrams: Standard Methods on 6, 7.& 8 by the late JWSnowdon, revised William Snowdon 1922  
 Surprise Methods for 6 & 8 Bells Revd C D P Davies 1927 – 2 copies  
 Standard Methods on 6, 7.& 8 by the late JW Snowdon revised by the late William Snowdon 1928  
 Standard Methods in the Art of Change Ringing - Jasper & William Snowdon 11<sup>th</sup> Ed. 1949

#### **CCCBR publications**

Collection of Peals Section 3 1908  
 Collection of Plain Major & Cater Methods 1926  
 Collection of Doubles & Minor Methods 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. 1931  
 On Conducting Wilfrid G Wilson 2<sup>nd</sup> Ed. 1960  
 A Collection of Compositions of Stedman Caters & Cinques - CCCBR Peals Cttee.1961  
 Change Ringing on Handbells C W Woolley 5<sup>th</sup> Ed. 1974

Mysteries Unveiled : A Treatise on Stedman Triples J W Parker - undated  
A collection of compositions in the popular major methods compiled by CCCBR Peals  
Collection C'ttee 1950

### **Other Publications**

Cambridge Surprise – Minor, Major, Royal, Maximus William A Cave - undated

The Ringers' Handbook E S&M Powell - undated

Method "Splicing" Practical Hints John P Fidler: Introduction to theory & practice of  
"Splicing" Joseph W Parker 1925

Double Norwich Court Bob Caters: The Method and its Proof Edgar C Shepherd 1947 x2

Criblines 2: Regular Surprise major Methods programmed by DJ Marshall & AM Poplewell

## **Recordings**

### **Records**

Bells of Britain vol 1 Saydisc (45) 7"

Grandsire Caters/ Stedman Caters - St. Margaret's Westminster HMV C2098 (78) 12"

Whittingham Chimes - Bow Bells Columbia DB1637 (78) 10"

Bells of Westminster Abbey

York

Coventry Cathedral HMV C9417 (78) 10"

Bath Abbey

Puddletown

The Rythym of the Bells:CCBR 1970 A selection of well struck changes of: Doubles, Minor,  
Triples, Major, Royal - Saydisc SDL211 33½ 12"

Change Ringing on Inverary Bells by the Yorks. Assocn. Fynedisc 33½ (EP) 7"

Microgroove 12" Disc with foolscap typed sheet of Ringing on a Peal Tour organised by Thomas  
Cullingworth in Sussex & Surrey July – August 1957 . Provided by Mrs M.E.Ward **X2**

**All of the above have been kindly put onto 2 CD's by Nick Parkes – 21/05/2000**

The Washington Peal 1964 – Record Books Ltd. London 33½ 12" + CD May 2013 courtesy  
NParkes

### **CDs**

The 8 Bells at Raynham- documentary of a project

720 changes of Norwich Surprise Minor : St peter's East Drayton, Notts.

Southwell Diocesan Guild Register of Peal Compositions 1946 - 1/7/1969

St George's Day 2009 in the S&NDGCBR

Southwell Diocesan Guild: Annual Reports 1996- 2001

X2

Guild Peal Records 1946- 2001

Guild History 1946 - 1995

Photos of North Notts. Churches

Crawford Cup Final at East Drayton - May 2012 - recording of all 7 entries

### **Cassette Tapes**

BBC Radio Nottingham: Bells on Sunday

BBC Radio Nottingham: recorded interview January 1989

### **VCR**

Let the Bells be Rung! - The Parish Church of All Saints, Ashover, Derbys.

**Badge**

Guild of Devonshire Ringers - from the effects of the late George Clift

Southwell Diocesan Guild of Change Ringers - ?template

Southwell Diocesan Guild of Change Ringers - blue with white centre & horseshoe fastening

Embroidered Southwell D Guild logo 1946-1996 - gold on black.

**Selection of Handbell music for 6 bells (on cards)**

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1 January 2017