

BICESTER BRANCH OF OXFORD DIOCESAN GUILD OF CHURCH BELL RINGERS



AGM Saturday 21 February 2015 – Launton

10.30am Ringing

11am Service

11.30 am Meeting – see agenda below

12.30pm Lunch at the Black Bull – all welcome – 52 West End, Launton, Bicester, Oxfordshire OX26 5DG

Agenda for Saturday 21 February 2015 at Launton

Opening Remarks

1. Apologies
2. Matters arising from minutes of 2014 AGM (attached)
3. Correspondence - Ringing for England Campaign - April 23rd 2015
4. Officers' reports - Secretary; Treasurer; Branch Representative; Branch Ringing Master; Website manager
5. Election of new members
6. Election of Officers - President; Vice Presidents; Secretary; Treasurer; Branch Representative; Branch Ringing Master; Deputy Ringing Master; Website manager (website address www.bicesterbranch.org.uk)
7. Guild events

a. Spring General Committee Meeting on Saturday 14 March 2015 (Steeple Aston)

b. Radley course on 11 April 2015 – closing date for applicants 31 Jan.

St George's Day, Thursday 23rd April, suggested ringing at 6pm

c. 300th Anniversary of first recorded peal on Saturday 2 May

d. Annual Ringing Day on 4 May hosted by the Central Bucks Branch

e. Guild AGM on 16 May hosted by the City Branch

f. Great Ringing Day for 800th anniversary of Magna Carta (sealed 15th June 1215) Sunday 14 June 2015

g. 70th Anniversary of VJ Day Saturday 15 August

h. Michaelmas Training Day Saturday 26 September

i. 6 bell striking competition 3 October hosted by South Oxon Branch (final at Chalgrove)

j. Steeple Aston course on 24 October in Steeple Aston

k. Autumn General Committee Meeting (Sonning Deanery Branch) and Guild 10 bell striking competition Saturday 28 November

8. Branch Outing – TBC

9. Ringing up and Down – Saturday 11 July

10. Striking Competition (Saturday 5 September)

11. Donations to Bell Fund and Restoration Fund of ODG

12. Church collection

13. AOB

Date and venue of next meeting - AGM Saturday 20 February 2016

Branch Practices Reminder

Tuesday 3 March Islip

Wednesday 25 March Grandsire Doubles and PB Doubles – Bletchington

Friday 10 April Ambrosden

Wednesday 3 June Middleton Stoney

Tuesday 16 June PB Doubles and Stedman Doubles – Islip
 Friday 3 July – Caversfield
 Saturday 11 July – Ringing Up and Down Course
 Tuesday 21 July Grandsire Doubles and Kent TB Minor – Islip
 Friday 7 August - Ludgershall
 Tuesday 1 September - Launton
 Wednesday 23 September Grandsire Doubles - Bletchingdon
 Monday 3 October - Bicester
 Tuesday 20 October Canterbury Doubles and PB Minor - Islip
 Wednesday 4 November – Bletchingdon
 Monday 16 November – St Simon’s Doubles and PB Triples – Bicester
 Wednesday 2 December – Charlton-on-Otmoor
 Monday 14 December – St Nicholas Doubles and St Clements Minor - Bicester



