

LDGCBR Eastern Branch

Proposed Diary Dates for 2025

OVERVIEW & PURPOSE

A programme of meetings and events for 2025 to provide support, development and encouragement to branch members and new learners as well as an opportunity to socialize and, where appropriate, raise funds.

Events:

March 1st - 17:00 to 20:00 Alford (Please sign up for soup supper. Invitations will be sent out.)

April 5th All the 'H's Harrington, Hemingsby, Horncastle - itinerary to be advised.

April 26th Guild AGM, Lincoln.

May 3rd Bank Holiday Weekend Branch Outing to Hereford. (Provisionally Woolhope **6**, 13¼ cwt, Holmer **6**, 10-1-12 and Burghill **8**, 10-0-20 in morning. Then into the town centre to ring at All Saints **8**, 17-2-19 and St Nicholas **8**, 9-3-26)

June 7th Swineshead Ringing meeting 17:00 to 20:00

June 21st Ridgeman Trophy 10 bell - Boston.

July 5th Eastern Branch Barbecue and Ringing meeting - Old Bolingbroke. Ringing 15:00 to 17:00 BBQ 17:00 approx.

July 20th Joint Northern / Eastern branches ringing meeting at Louth.

August 2nd Ringing Ramble Freiston to Fishtoft and back (could be the other way round!). Ringing meeting at 1st tower 15:00 to 16:00 Walk to 2nd Tower (20 mins), Ringing meeting at 2nd Tower 16:30 to 17:30. Return walk (20 mins) to 1st Tower.

August 3rd Combined Eastern Branch / Southern Branch / Elloes Deanery ringing at Lincoln Cathedral. Times TBA.

September 6th Ringing meeting, Boston Time TBA

September 20th Guild 6 Bell striking competition - West Lindsey

October 4th Eastern Branch ringing outing - Itinerary to be advised (Southern area of LDGCBR)

Fund Raising Race Night, details to follow

October 18th Guild 8 bell striking competition, Grimsby.

November 1st Ringing meeting, Spilsby 14:00 to 17:00

December 6th Ringing meeting. Carol Service, Kirton. Ringing 15:00 to 17:00. Carol Service 17:00 to 17:30. Approx.

February 7th 2026 Eastern Branch AGM, Ingoldmells Time TBA

Eastern Branch are looking to record 125 'Firsts' during the centenary year. (From April 29th 2024 to April 26th 2025.) This can be anything from First unaided ringing in rounds to First Peal of a method., and anything in between. There is a place on Bellboard to record all and any Firsts

- *Note! - All dates, times and venues are subject to confirmation.* 1