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## LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD NEWSHEET AND DIARY. JANUARY 2019

### Happy New Year to you all.

#### News from December:

**100 club:** November £10: Roger Lord £5: Brian Smith **December** £10: Dave Burkitt £5: Harold Gibson

**St Andrew's Day.** Quarter peals were rung at Boothby Pagnell, Butterwick, Ewerby, Heckington, Horbling, Irnham, Potterhanworth and Semperingham.

**Christmas ringing:** Ringers were evidently very busy across the Guild with ringing for Xmas tree services, Carol Services, Christingles and Xmas markets. Well done to all who took part.

**Christmas cards and calendars:** Thanks to all who bought and sold these. Information about profits made for the BRF will be available next month. Particular thanks go to Philip Green for one card design and for the printing. If anyone would like to submit a card design for Christmas 2019 or has good pictures of their churches for the next calendar, Sue Faull would be very pleased to receive them.

**RWYNC** This year's competition will take place on Sat July 7<sup>th</sup> in Liverpool. Participants must be under 19 on Aug 31<sup>st</sup> 2019. Please would any young person who is interested in taking part contact Sue Faull or Tony Barker asap. Please would TCs, branch officials etc encourage youngsters to take part and contact Sue or Tony. Ideally, they should be reasonably confident with call changes on 6 bells and happy to ring bells at different churches. Practices will be organised nearer the time.

#### News from around the branches

**Central :** The branch had quite a few first quarter peelers this month – particular congratulations go to the aptly named Bell family – Mandie, Alex and Gail (mum) rang the treble, 3<sup>rd</sup> and Tenor respectively at Wragby to PBD. It must be a relatively (pun intended) rare achievement for 3 members of a family to ring their firsts together. Also many congrats to Bruce Burman who rang his first at Heckington (6/8 to PBD), and to Jo Rimmer who rang the treble to PBD at Thorpe on the Hill. Tierney Rayment rang her first QP inside -PBD at Washingborough. All the band bar one rang a 1<sup>st</sup> of Single Oxford Bob Trips at Sleaford. Alison Everett rang her first of Triples on her return to Lincs for Christmas.

**West Lindsey:** The heavy six at Haxey were put to good use before the branch Carol Service. A number of Ringing Remembers recruits acquitted themselves well on these unusual bells. The fabulous food after the Service could have fed the whole Guild!

**Northern:** Congrats go to Hannah Johnson who rang her first QP – treble to PBD at Market Rasen, it also celebrated her 18<sup>th</sup> birthday. Branch members had their annual trip to ring for the Carols by Candlelight Service at Walesby. The Service is hugely popular among the Rambling community and the bells sound lovely as the congregation clambers up the hill.

**Southern** 4 new Alliance methods were rung and named at Sproxtton this month – Haydon Bridge, Tantobie, Zulu and Christmas Day. No doubt the band in this last peal would have worked up a good appetite for their Christmas Dinner. It meant that Robin Rogers has now rung a peal on every day of the year and it was his 700<sup>th</sup> peal with Mike Maughan.

**Eastern** A peal was rung at Langton by Partney for the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of their restoration and rehang. The Branch had a good meeting at Burgh le Marsh with tea being taken at a local café. 8 new members were elected to the guild from Old Bolinbroke and Ingoldmells.

**Elloe Deaneries:** Well done to Luke Tobin on his 1<sup>st</sup> QP away from Tenor at Gedney Hill – treble to 5 doubles methods.

#### Dates for your diary

Jan	Branch	Venue		Special method	Time
7	Elloe	Moulton	6	Branch practice.All welcome	1930 - 2100
8	Midweek	Thorpe on the Hill	6	Double Court	1030 - 1200
12	Central	Sleaford	8	Ringing Service + Tea AGM	1500 1630 1700
15	Midweek	Washingborough	8	Double Norwich CM	1030 - 1200
16	S. Lincs Weds gp	Ryhall	6	Durham S., Double Oxford	1430 - 1600
19	West Lindsey	Messingham	6	Ringing Service Tea followed by meeting	1500 1615
22	Midweek	Welbourn	8		1030 - 1200
23	Eastern	Burgh le Marsh	8	8 bell method practice	1930 - 2100
26	Southern	Stamford St John's Stamford All Saints	4 8	Ringing Service Tea + AGM + ringing	1545 1630 1700 - 2030
26	Northern	Barton	8	Ringing Service Tea +AGM	1400 - 1545 1600
26	Eastern	Ingoldmells	8	Ringing Service, lunch, meeting, ringing	1100 1200
<b>2 Feb</b>	Elloe Deaneries	Deeping St Nicholas	6	Ringing AGM	1530 1815