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## LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD NEWSHEET AND DIARY. OCTOBER 2012

### News from late August and September:

**100 club for September** 1<sup>st</sup> No 56 Sylvia Taylor £10, 2<sup>nd</sup> No110 John Nicholson

**Guild Striking competition** Congratulations to Bourne ringers who won the John Freeman Cup at Butterwick. Messingham were runners up. Well done to the Grimsby ringers who won the Ted Colley Plate at Wrangle (he would have been very proud!) and to Stow who were runners up. Thanks were given to Heather and Phil Grover and to Michael Foulds who judged the competitions. An excellent tea was provided at Butterwick and Alan Payne thanked all the ringers for their attendance.

### News from around the branches

#### Northern

Frank Kennington appeared on BBC1's "The One Show" The BBC picked up on local stories about Frank's long service to Grimsby Minster. He was given the opportunity of ringing on the new Jubilee bells now hanging in their London tower. Well done Frank. Catherine Ward has rung her first peal, this was the treble to a peal of Doubles which was conducted by Pat Donnelly, her first peal as conductor. Robert Petheridge has rung his 1<sup>st</sup> QP on 8 bells. This was also Geoff Bryant's 1000<sup>th</sup> QP and all the band, except for one, had been taught by Geoff.

#### Elloe Deaneries

A QP was rung at Surfleet to celebrate the 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Joy and Ron Noon, who were married at that church.

#### Southern Branch

A peal was rung at Uffington for the Paralympics. The peal of Rutland at Edenham was a 1<sup>st</sup> in method for Alistair Cherry and Barry Jones' 200<sup>th</sup> peal.

#### West Lindsey

The QP of 6 SS Minor was a first of spliced for Philip Scarf. Congrats to him on his place at Hull Uni. It was also a wedding anniversary compliment to his parents, Debbie and Mike.

#### Central Branch

Sadly, Des Underwood, ringer and Churchwarden at Swinderby has died. QPs in his memory were rung at Kirton in Lindsey, Eagle and Swinderby. The peal at the Cathedral marked John Ketteringham's 83<sup>rd</sup> birthday. The QP at Metheringham marked the centenary of the augmentation of the bells and the first peal on them. It was a first of Stedman Triples for Christine Jackson.

#### Eastern Branch

The QP at Alford was rung with best wishes to Emily Waters heading for Sheffield Hallam University and to Dan Meyer going to Nottingham Trent Uni. Good luck to both of them. A QP was rung at Ingoldmells in memory of Neil Armstrong, 1<sup>st</sup> man on the moon. Bells 3 to 7 were cast in 1969 and the 3<sup>rd</sup> bell has the inscription "the bell was cast in the year during which man first set foot upon the surface of the moon."

### Diary for October

October	Branch	Venue		Special method	Time
2	Midweek Ringing	Dunholme	6	Fulbeck Bob Norfolk S	1400 - 1530
6	Eastern	Coach Outing to Cambs.		Contact Simon Pearson	
6	Elloe	Holbeach Lutton Sutton St J Service and tea follows	8 6 6		1330 1500 1630
10	Midweek	Wragby	6	Beginners	1030 - 1200
112	Eastern	Sutterton	8	Surprise Major	1930 - 2100
13	Eastern	QP week starts			
13	Central	Harmston	8	Practice	
16	Midweek	Washingborough	8	Grandsire Trips Pudsey, Superlative	1430 - 1600
17	S Lincs Weds gp	Irnham	6	Northumberland S Double Bob	1430 - 1600
20	Guild	Surfleet		8 bell striking comp	1530 start
20	West Lindsey	Dunholme	6	Practice	1030 - 1200
27	S Major	Washingborough	8	S Major	1030 - 1200
27	Eastern	Alford	6	Guild fundraiser, Race night	1900
27	Southern	Long Benington	6	General	1900 - 2100
30	Midweek	Away Day			TBA

The newsheet compiler, Sue Faull, would be happy to receive feedback and news items from around the Guild.

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