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LINCOLN DIOCESAN GUILD NEWSHEET AND DIARY. SEPTEMBER 2014

News from late July and August:

Guild wide: A number of towers had special ringing for the centenary of the outbreak of WW1, including St Mary le Wigford, Coningsby, Tattershall and Willingham.

100 club: 1st No 1 Mary Brown £10.00 2nd No 9 David Justham £5.00

Around the branches:

Central: A QP was rung at Blankney to welcome the only two airworthy Lancaster bombers, flying together.

West Lindsey A mini striking competition was followed by a Treasure Hunt around Willingham, then back to the playing fields for picnic, rounders and wellie wanging. Ian Till was Victor Ludorum, being in the winning striking competition team, treasure hunting team and champion wellie wanger. The youngsters comprehensively beat the not so youngsters at rounders. The branch enjoyed its ringing at the Cathedral and was grateful to members of other branches who supported and enabled them to ring Grandsire Cinques, Little Bob Royal and lots of R and CC.

Northern Branch: Congratulations to Caistor Grammar young ringers: Alex Hibbert, Sam Lomax and Ben Walking on their excellent exam results. 17 branch members rang at the Cathedral for evensong, ringing ranged from R+CC on 12 to Little Bob Royal. Advanced notice is given of ringing at Grimsby Minster, fish and chips and 10 pin bowling on Oct 4th. Names please to branch sec.

Eastern: Branch ringers rallied around to help the Coningsby/Tattershall band to ring for special celebrations at the castle to mark the centenary of its restoration and opening to the public. EB enjoyed their ring at the cathedral joint with Elloe Deaneries, helped by Central and Southern branch members. The view from the balcony afterwards was great, we could see for miles.

Southern: A peal of Wedding Delight was rung at Edenham for Katie Benner's marriage. It was Barry Jones' 300th peal and Robin Rogers' 150th on the bells. New method, Shildon Alliance was rung and named at Long Sutton by Mike Maughan's band.

Elloe Deaneries: Gedney had a tower outing to Newton in the Isle and Tydd St Giles, followed by a sociable evening at the Crown and Mitre in traditional bellringers' style.

Diary

September	Branch	Venue		Special method	Time
2	Midweek	Dunholme	6	St James Youth Exercise bob	1400 - 1530
6	Eastern	Frampton	6	Ringing Meeting + tea	1500 1700
10	Midweek	Wragby	6	Learners	1030 - 1200
12	Eastern	Sutterton	8	Surprise major	1930 - 2100
13	Guild 6 bell Striking comp	Nettleham Dunholme	6 6	Cup Plate	1700 start
16	Midweek	Washingborough	8	Harleston Surprise	1430 - 1600
17	South Lincs Weds group	Colsterworth	6	Ipswich S. London Bob	1430 - 1600
20	West Lindsey	Epworth	8	Joint practice with Doncaster.	1830 - 2100
20	Southern	Boothby Pagnell	5	Ringing Curry and quiz	1645 - 1745 1745 onwards
20	Guild workshop	Wragby	6	Running an interesting practice - workshop Names to S Underwood	1030 - 1530 Bring own picnic
27	Surprise major	Washingborough	8	Surprise Major	1030 - 1200
27	Southern	Stoke Rochford Skillington	5 5	General ringing	1900 - 2000 2000 - 2100
27	Central/Northern	Louth Wragby	8 6	Joint practice	1500 - 1630 1830 - 2000
30	Midweek	Away Day			TBA

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