

Peal Secretary's Report 2010 to 2011

Errata - 2009-2010 report

Unfortunately there were errors in the last 14 rows of Peals Summary spread sheet (p73). The 6 rows from 3 Plain Minor to 14 Surprise Minor should be in the Minor column. The last 8 rows should be in the Major column, and the totals changed appropriately.

General

184 ringers took part in 269 peals; an increase of 84 peals over last year, bringing the total number of peals for the Association to over 10,000. There were 37 conductors. 51 peals were rung outside of the Association territory, including one in Dordrecht, and one in Adelaide, South Australia. 61 peals were rung on secular bells. There were 10 handbell peals. First peals were recorded for augmented 6 at Priddy, the Bakery Wedmore, Brompton Regis and Taunton St Andrew. A clever composition of 60 spliced maximus was rung at Shepton Beauchamp. 8 peals were rung to celebrate the Royal Wedding.

First peal Congratulations

Janet Bond, Jane E Bisgrove, Tobias B Dando, Philip H Kinsman, Matthew Martin, Martin S Pearson, Edward P Reeves, Eloise S J Reeves.

(For the remainder of this report an '*' denotes a non-resident life member)

Leading Peal Ringers

Lesley A Knipe 132, Jeffrey Knipe 131, Barrie Hendry 92, Christopher R Field 78, *Timothy F Collins 76, Raymond Haines 72, *Robert D S Brown 67, *Hilary A Beresford 59, *Donald B Carter 55, Maryl R Chambers, Margaret E L Chapman 50, Sheila C Matthews 45, Anna M P Piechna 44, Susan M Stott 43, *D John Hunt 39, Christine Andrew, *Graham W Elmes, Clifford R Nicholls 37, *Michael Hatchett 36, Richard A M Newman 34, Robert E Beck 32, Adrian P Beck 30.

Leading Conductors

*Timothy F Collins 71, *Donald B Carter 41, Brian V Mountjoy, *Robert D S Brown 19, Anthony J Cox 18, Richard A M Newman 15

Total Peals Rung for the Association

Barrie Hendry 1325, Robert E Beck 1025, Adrian P Beck 975, Margaret E L Chapman 925, Christopher R Field 900, Jenny M A Astridge 850, *Timothy F Collins 675, Brian V Mountjoy 600, Anthony J Cox, Sheila C Matthews 550, *Donald B Carter, Jeffrey Knipe, Richard A M Newman, 500, Lesley A Knipe 475, *D John Hunt 450, Raymond Haines 425, Susan M Stott 400, Anna M P Piechna 375, Joseph St J Beaumont 350, Alex Hunt, Pauline C Champion 325, *Robert D S Brown, Andrea B Beaumont, Rebecca J Cox, *Michael Hatchett 275, *Michael J Hobbs, Clifford R Nicholls, *Mervyn C Way 250, Christine Andrew, *Paul J Pascoe 225, *Michael E C Mears 150, *Hilary A Beresford, *Graham W Elmes, John Harrold 125, Maryl R Chambers, Susan A Haines, David C J Marshall 100, *Teresa J Dunstone, Frederick J Sage, Michael R Spencer 75, Charles H P Pipe-Wolferstan 50, *Fergus M S Stracey, *Richard C Shere, *Alison C Waterson 25.

Total as Conductor for the Association

*Timothy F Collins 600, Anthony J Cox 400, Brian V Mountjoy 300, *Donald B Carter 250, Richard A M Newman 150, *Robert D S Brown 75, Jeffrey Knipe 25.

Personal Milestones

Barrie Hendry 2,250, *D John Hunt 2000, *Donald B Carter 1700, Christopher R Field 1000, Jeffrey Knipe 1000, Sheila C Matthews 950, Christine Andrew 900, Richard A M Newman 750, Michael R Spencer 550, Anna M P Piechna 500, Susan M Stott 450, Alex Hunt 350, Frederick J Sage 300, *Hilary A Beresford 250.

New Methods Rung

Brightstowe Delight Major (9795)	Oldmixon Delight Major (9925)
Buckland Dinham Delight Major (9906)	San Merino Surprise Major (9822)
Caerdydd Surprise Major (9845)	Swine Surprise Major (9832)
Easter Day Delight Royal (9893)	Tobias Surprise Major (9880)
Effin Surprise Major (10036)	Twenty One Delight Major (9941)
Greendown Delight Major (9786)	Twerton on Avon Delight Major (10010)
Kate & William Surprise Major (9897)	Valletta Surprise Major (9945)
Keynsham Delight Major (9962)	Vatican City Delight Major (9909)
Llanthony Abbey Surprise Major (10033)	Winford Delight Major (9799)
Marston Bigot Delight Major (9935)	

The place notation for each of these can be found in the peal footnotes. Numbers in brackets give the Bath and Wells peal reference number.

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