

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

2021 was again a disjointed year with ringing not really getting underway until late summer, so our February General Meeting and the Annual Meeting in May were both held via Zoom. All the business was successfully transacted in a suitable and orderly fashion, and both of these Meetings were preceded by a short Service led by Simon's brother - a Vicar in Devon. It was lovely for us to all meet face to face at our September Meeting in the York branch. The Service, Tea and Business Meeting at Strensall went well, and many thanks are due to the York branch committee for arranging a nice variety of towers.

This year we also held a number of 'new' events where the idea was to bring ringers at all stages closer together.

Firstly, we had the 'Hat' striking contest, when teams of ringers ranging from the experienced to those who hadn't rung in a striking competition before, were drawn out of a hat to give teams of roughly equal ability each led by an 'experienced' leader. This made for an exciting contest which was enjoyed by all.

We also held a session for those who weren't used to ringing on twelve bells, on the lovely twelve at Selby Abbey. This attracted about fifty ringers, many of whom had never rung on twelve bells before and they were supported by lots of experienced ringers.

The Quiz night at North Cave was another great success, with six teams competing and a very close finish. Thanks go to Neville, our quizmaster, for putting together some interesting and challenging questions and the local ringers for organising the evening and providing a lovely meal at the interval.

The Snowdon Lunch, in October, was again held in York. The Dean of Ripon, himself a ringer, gave us an entertaining speech and the food was of the usual high standard.

My thanks go to all those who have helped arrange the above events, and particularly to our officers, Simon and David, for keeping the Association running in an orderly and correct fashion.

I finish with my usual plea to tower captains and branch officers to encourage your ringers, especially the less advanced ones, to come along to events like those above where they will be able to meet up with other like-minded ringers and enjoy themselves.

I hope that you and your families are well and will continue to be "safe", and I look forward to seeing you all during the coming year.

C Barrie Dove: President

GENERAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

Little did we realise that when we held our General Meeting in February 2020 at St Marys, Beverley it was going to be the last time that we would be able to meet up until September 2021. However, Zoom came to our rescue, well for the business meetings anyway, as it meant that we could still hold our General Meeting, AGM and General Committee Meeting in 2021 using this platform. So at least the general business side of the Association could carry on as near to normal.

After eighteen months we finally met up face to face when the York Branch hosted our September General Meeting which was held at Strensall following an afternoon of ringing around the York Area. The morning of that meeting we held our first 'hat' Striking Contest at St Lawrence, York, with many new faces and a very enjoyable morning, which was helped by the excellent hospitality provided by the local ringers, thank you.

I would also like to thank all the Branch Secretaries for their work within 2021, not only in forwarding Association information & news but also for engaging with their branch members during our enforced lockdowns.

We have a busy schedule planned for 2022 with a couple of new events, so please make the most of them with our newfound freedom.

Enjoy your ringing and stay safe.

Simon Plows: *General Secretary*

RINGING MASTER'S REPORT

Things are gradually returning to a semblance of normality although the lasting effect of the pandemic is still with us.

Instead of the usual Inter Branch striking competition taking place, a 'hat' contest was substituted. From the assembled ringers at St Lawrence, York, bands were selected based on known ringing ability to 'even things up'. Rounds and call changes were the order of the day with all participants enjoying the event. Several other York area towers were also open including Stockton on the Forest, Strensall for the service and meeting, with Huntington in the evening.

Another first for the Association was a dedicated 12 bell practice ringing only rounds and Plain Hunt Cinques. Selby was the venue with a ringing room filled to the maximum number Covid restrictions could safely allow. It is hoped to hold a similar event in 2022.

Finally, thanks are due from myself to all those who have helped organise ringing at any meeting tower, call touches when asked and to all the membership who have supported Association events and my choices of methods to be rung. Ringing is always full of opportunities to develop one's skill and understanding in the realms of change ringing. The Yorkshire Association has a plethora of talent willing to give help and support ringing activities at all the various levels. Please ask if there is anything you would like to attempt at meetings or at an event that can be arranged to meet a specific need.

Malcolm Turner: *Ringing Master*

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

With another year of covid restrictions I felt it prudent to wait until access on an unrestricted basis was available before reviewing the position of the Library.

As members of the Association will remember the previous Librarian, Dr Elizabeth Foster, had started a full review and stocktake of our holdings and had put together a draft set of papers on acquisition and removal policies.

It is my intention, from Easter this year, to implement Dr Foster's review and report back to the Association in the Autumn of this year.

I am expecting to rationalise the collection and to develop it into a collection of record for those purposes defined in Dr Foster's paper of 2020. This will result in some artefacts being removed from the collection where they fall outside of the core purpose of the Association Library.

It is important that the Library has those records necessary to represent the history as well as the present of our Association and it is my intention to make sure that happens.

At the right time I will organise visit days for anyone interested in viewing the collection and ensure that all members are aware both of the collection itself but, as important, how to access it.

Professor Andrew J Slade: *Association Librarian*

SAFEGUARDING OFFICER'S REPORT

Due to the continuing pandemic during 2021 there has been no opportunity to move forward with proposed Safeguarding Training for Tower Captains and Deputies during the year. But now is the time to look ahead, and plans are being formulated to introduce the appropriate modules in 2022, with Leeds & District, Sheffield & District and Western Branches being in the forefront. Cleveland and North Yorkshire Branch is ahead of the game having already completed the module pre-pandemic.

The Church of England has revised its Training Syllabus during 2021, so please read the Safeguarding Statement elsewhere in this Annual Report for details.

I intend to host a Safeguarding Workshop at the Grand Day Out on 2nd April 2022 in Harrogate. This will most likely focus on compliance with the C of E Safer Recruitment requirements as outlined in the Safeguarding Statement, along with information about the recent Training Revisions.

It has to be reported that during 2021 it has been necessary for one ringer to be suspended from all ringing activities pending the outcome of police investigation into serious allegations. It is not known how long this will take, but it is understood that the allegations are not related to ringing matters.

Robert Appleby: *Safeguarding Officer*

EDUCATION COMMITTEE REPORT

In April 2021 Stuart Raggett retired as Treasurer of the Education Committee due to ill health. He died a few weeks later. Stuart looked after the finances of the Committee for many years and was also the Selby and District Branch representative. In addition, he was one of the moving spirits behind the successful Storthes Hall residential course. He continues to be missed.

Ringing across the county has been returning to something more like normal, with many variations. The Education programme has moved to follow suit.

During 2021 we ran a number of events as well as individual courses, the main ones being the virtual summer school, followed by a related in-person practice and both a virtual and an in-person handbell day at Market Weighton. Both were well attended and enjoyed by those who attended. Thanks go to all those who helped make the days successful.

All Education Events are advertised on Facebook and the website as well as being sent to all Branches for distribution to towers.

Elaine Scott: *Convenor*

Education Committee Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2021

RECEIPTS

B/F Current Account	£1,623.73
B/F Reserve Account	£3,221.77
YACR grant to Current A/C	£500.00
Interest on Reserve Account	£0.34

TOTAL **£5,345.84**

PAYMENTS

Grant - Skipton Handbell refurbishment	£75.00
Grant - Simulator - Helmsley	£250.00
Grant - Simulator - Saddleworth	£250.00
C/F Current Account	£1,548.73
C/F Reserve Account	£3,222.11

TOTAL **£5,345.84**

GIFT AID OFFICER'S REPORT

The Gift Aid repayment for 2021 amounted to £229.56 of which total £31.56 related to cash collections at Association meetings and the balance was in respect of members donations using standing orders. The claim was submitted to HMRC on 9 January 2022 and was repaid by them on 20 January 2022.

Donations from the online shopping websites of Easyfundraising and Amazon amounted to £191.71 in 2022, so a very useful contribution to BRF funds.

Finally, I would make my annual request for individuals and bands to consider making donations to the BRF and the appropriate forms can be downloaded from the Association website.

Tony Stamp: *Gift Aid Officer*

YORKSHIRE YOUNG RINGERS (YORKSHIRE TYKES)

I'm pleased to report that 2021 saw things improve greatly for the Tykes in terms of ringing. We started the year meeting on Zoom and using Ringing Room with some success, although we did also experience technical glitches on some occasions.

In May we were able to resume meeting in person following the CCCBR guidance for Young Ringers groups. Our return to ringing was at Kildwick with its ground floor ring and doors wide open for added ventilation. June took us to Northallerton, and in July we travelled to Sprotborough. August saw a good turnout at York, St Wilfrid where we had some good 10 bell ringing. All these towers are home to some of our youngsters and they were all keen to welcome us back following the lay-off.

The RWNKY was delayed until 11th September, 2021 and we quickly sorted out our team and had a final practice session in early September at Bradford Cathedral and Calverley. The contest itself was held in Worcester and eleven young ringers and their parents/supporters enjoyed an excellent weekend based at the Premier Inn in the City Centre. Our team entered the method section ringing Plain Bob Triples. We finished fourth but are really proud of this as we were one of just two teams to ring a method on 8 bells. Due to Covid some of the other teams opted to ring on 6 bells instead.

At RWNKY we said farewell to Rebecca Kirby, who led the team this year, as she departed for Birmingham University. We sent her on her way with a goodie box of all things "Yorkshire".

In October we went to Selby Abbey where a record attendance of 18 young ringers also enjoyed a lovely tea prepared by the local ringers. And in November we went to the new bells at Horbury, a long-awaited visit as this is where we were due to ring when lockdown first started back in 2020.

The final visit of the year to York Minster was cancelled at the last minute due to a rise in Covid cases and the arrival of the Omicron variant. Everyone was bitterly disappointed but hopefully this can be re-arranged early in 2022.

Our October and November meetings welcomed an influx of new young ringers joining us for the first time. This is fantastic and was great to see. I hope they all continue to enjoy our meetings in 2022.

We welcome all young ringers from across Yorkshire to join us. If you have ringers in your towers who haven't tried a Tykes meeting yet, please ask them to get in touch and we will include them on our mailing list. Parents and/or Tower Captains are allowed to attend with them. For more information contact Jane Lynch on j.lynych6@btinternet.com

Jane Lynch: *Convenor*

Account Summary 1st January 2021 to 31st December 2021

Receipts

Opening Balance **£360.75**

Easy Fundraising £20.75

Bank Interest £0.15

YACR Grant 2021 £250.00

Loan (JL) 2021 £65.00

Total Receipts **£335.90**

Payments

Tower Donations £145.00

Polo Shirts (x19) £281.05

RWNYC Entry 2021 £55.00

Repaid Loan (JL) 2020 £65.00

Total Payments **£546.05**

Closing Balance **£150.60**

THE BELL REPAIR FUND 2021

Reg. Charity no. 508480

Custodian Trustees of the Bell Repair Fund

President Treasurer General Secretary Rev Giles Galley Peter C Kirby

The Managing Trustees of the Bell Repair Fund

Simon Burren	Peter W McCoy	Simon Burren
Robert Cater	Cate Ovington	Simon Reading
Emma Coles	Helen Pells	Deborah Thorley

The Trustees are looking for more members to be trustees of the Bell Repair Fund. As well as this, we are also looking for a member of the Association to run the new 100 club. If you can help with either please contact the BRF Secretary. I look forward to hearing from you.

During 2021 one grant was paid following completion of schemes at **Skipton** - £1,000
Some work had been completed at the end of 2021 but due to invoice dates some of it falls into 2022. We have provided bells from the Colin Ashworth bequest for the following towers: **Richmond, Barton, Beverley St Mary and Horbury**
We did not have any new bells cast from this bequest in 2021.

Allocations During 2021

We gave grants to the following projects in 2021:

Holme on Spalding Moor Grant £2,500

Scarborough Grant £1,000

Bubwith Grant £4,500

Skipton Grant £1,000

Rotherham Minster Grant £2,000

Kirkby Overblow Grant £600

We have two grants outstanding from before 2021:

Bolsterstone Grant offered £5,800 where they hope their project will be completed in 2022.

Queensbury Grant offered £100. This is for some minor works.

We have had towers where in 2018 we offered a grant but have now lowered the level of grant to "Support". This is where we have said we will support a project but have not given a specific grant figure. One being

Laughton en le Morthern: They are having work done on the tower and will be reapplying for a grant when that work is done. This will be a transferred ring of bells for a new tower in Yorkshire. We hope this is going to be quite soon when they will be in that position.

Even though churches have been shut or not running as they would like in years before Covid, the bell hanging industry has been still active and projects have still been going on. The Trustees have been meeting on zoom and our meetings have been successful. We met face to face for the first time in a while at Whitkirk in October. We rang the bells first. This is a ring of three which were made ringable during 2020. It was nice to meet together, but in a lockdown project tower, showing that life went on. After long periods of bells not being rung, the Central Council guidance is still to check your bells and make sure everything is how it should be in the belfry. It is always worth remembering that ongoing maintenance can help prolong the need for expensive refurbishment work.

We are looking at various ways for finding homes for bells where they are no longer needed in their current churches. This process is not straight forward by any means but we have built up a good relationship with the Keltek trust. Their Secretary Dave Kelly joined us for meetings making the most of holding them on Zoom. His input has been beneficial to us. I ask members to keep me informed if they know of any churches that may be closing and bells that might be becoming available for transfer. Also, if you know of a church where towers could rehouse second-hand bells, please let me know at the earliest opportunity. We now have a list on our website of any Yorkshire bells that are available to be transferred to other towers. We have some towers in the county looking at options for bells from the Keltek Trust.

On the fundraising side of the BRF we are in the planning stages of running a lottery/100 club fundraiser. We are looking at options at how this should be managed and if anyone could help us, we would like to hear from you.

The next two meetings of the Trustees will be held in September 2022 and February 2023 to consider applications for support and grants. The closing dates for applications are 30th June and 31st December 2022 respectively. Applications should be submitted using the YACR BRF form A and sent to the BRF Secretary: Peter McCoy, 32 Clough Grove, Oughtibridge, Sheffield, South Yorkshire S35 0JX. If you are considering a project, please contact me so that I can supply you with the correct form and offer any advice you may require.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who has donated money, time, labour, and effort to the Bell repair fund in 2021.

One piece of sad news in the year was the death of Stuart Raggett. Stuart had been a Trustee and before that a BRF branch representative, for many years. He always had a big input and always made us welcome for our meetings held at his home church of Tadcaster. He will be greatly missed by his fellow trustees.

Trustees are appointed every year by the General Committee. If you would be interested in becoming a Trustee, please contact me or the general secretary. As we fall within the rules set out by the Charities Commission there are certain conditions which apply as to who can become a Trustee.

For further information to allow for a full understanding of the financial affairs of the Bell Repair Fund, the full annual accounts and the Trustees' annual report should be consulted. Copies of these documents are obtainable from the Association Treasurer for a reasonable fee to cover costs or alternately we have the most recent full reports available for download on the YACR website

Peter W McCoy: *BRF Secretary*

GENERAL FUND

Statement of Financial Activities for the Year ended 31 December 2021

	Notes	2021	2020
		£	£
Income and Expenditure			
Incoming Resources			
Subscriptions		14,968.00	16,893.00
Peal Fees		227.50	426.00
Sale of Reports (including advertising)		50.00	
Total incoming resources		<u>15,245.50</u>	<u>17,319.00</u>
Resources Expended			
Administration		679.13	265.10
Printing Annual Report		1,645.00	1,945.00
Insurance Premiums		351.06	351.05
Grants to Branches		1,072.42	1,876.69
Grant to Young Ringers		250.00	250.00
Snowdon Lunch		54.00	
Yorkshire Day banners		757.55	
Central Council: Affiliation Fee and Expenses		200.00	200.00
Friends of CCCBR Library		10.00	10.00
Education		500.00	500.00
YACR Library			4.03
Badges for New Members		21.11	82.70
Transfer proportion of Subscriptions to BRF	1	<u>5,987.20</u>	<u>6,757.20</u>
Total Resources Expended		<u>11,527.47</u>	<u>12,241.77</u>
Net (outgoing)/ Incoming resources for the year		3,718.03	5,077.23
Net movement in funds			
Fund Balance brought forward at 1 January 2021		10,026.46	4,949.23
Net (outgoing)/ Incoming resources for the year		<u>3,718.03</u>	<u>5,077.23</u>
Fund Balance carried forward at 31 December 2021		<u>13,744.49</u>	<u>10,026.46</u>
Balance sheet at 31 December 2021			
		2021	2020
Assets		£	£
Stocks in Hand			
Badges		1,713.65	1,734.76
Sundry Debtors			
Snowdon Books Account		360.21	1,063.37
Bank Balances			
NatWest Bank Current Account		18,174.13	14,809.99
NatWest Bank Clubs & Societies Reserve		63.21	63.19
Cash Balances			
Held by Branches	2	96.00	108.00
Less Liabilities			
Sundry Creditors			
Bell Repair Fund	3	6,211.66	7,332.15
East Riding Branch		<u>451.05</u>	<u>420.70</u>
Net Assets		<u>13,744.49</u>	<u>10,026.46</u>
Represented by:			
General Fund		13,744.49	10,026.46

Notes

1 40% of membership subscriptions received

2 Held by Branches as cash and not yet banked – Central £96

3 Money in General Fund owed to the Bell Repair Fund as follows:-

£12.00 BRF monies banked by Central Branch into current a/c	£0.94 Interest from COIF account
£38.00 BRF monies banked by Western Branch into current a/c	£0.02 Interest from Natwest Club & Societies Reserve a/c
£412.50 BRF monies received paid directly into current a/c	£5,987.20 Proportion of subscription income transferring to BRF
	£53.00 less payment of FBF leaflet
	£186.00 less subscriptions paid into BRF by Leeds Branch

BELL REPAIR FUND

Statement of financial activities for the year ended 31 December 2021

	Notes	2021 £	2020 £
Income and Expenditure			
Incoming Resources			
Donations	6	2,504.47	3,379.68
Donation from Snowdon Book Profits	7	300.00	550.00
Gift Aid- Tax claim repayments	1	229.56	247.71
Transfers from General Fund	2	5,987.20	6,757.20
Bank Interest	3	5.67	51.68
Total Incoming Resources		9,026.90	10,986.27
Resources expended			
Direct charitable expenditure:			
Grants	Skipton	1,000.00	
		1,000.00	3,500.00
Other expenditure:			
Administration		53.00	49.00
Total Resources Expended		1,053.00	3,549.00
Net (Outgoing)/Incoming Resources for the year		7,973.90	7,437.27
Net Movement in Funds			
Fund balance brought forward at 1 January 2021		56,131.53	48,694.26
Net (Outgoing)/Incoming Resources for the year		7,973.90	7,437.27
Fund balance carried forward at 31 December		64,105.43	56,131.53
Balance sheet at 31 December 2021		2021	2020
		£	£
Assets			
Sundry Debtors-			
Tax Reclaim	4	229.56	247.71
YACR General Fund	5	6,211.66	7,332.15
Bank Balances-			
NatWest Bank Current Account		1.00	1.00
NatWest Bank Business Reserve Account		49,636.13	40,523.59
COIF Charities Deposit Fund		8,027.08	8,027.08
Net Assets	8	64,105.43	56,131.53
Represented by:			
Bell Repair Fund		64,105.43	56,131.53

Notes

1 -Gift Aid

Claim for 2020 (closing debtor for Gift Aid on the balance sheet at 31 December 2020 amounting to £247.71) was repaid by the HMRC during 2021. The claim for the whole of 2021 (closing debtor for Gift Aid on the balance sheet at 31 December 2021 amounting to £229.56) is to be submitted to HMRC during January 2022.

2 - Transfers from General Fund

Transfer of 40% of subscription income to BRF.

3 – Bank Interest: All Interest received on deposits of the General Fund of the Association and the Bell Repair Fund is credited to the Bell Repair Fund. Interest received during the year was:-

National Westminster Bank-	Business Reserve a/c	£4.71
	Clubs & Societies Reserve a/c	£0.02
	COIF Charities Deposit Fund	£0.94
	Total	£5.67

4 - Tax Reclaim: This is the tax currently being claimed on Gift Aid donations to the end of December 2021.

5 - YACR General Fund

Some income to the Bell Repair Fund has been paid into bank accounts which although belonging to the Association hold its General Fund monies. This income will be transferred to the Association's bank accounts holding BRF monies at the earliest opportunity.

Included in donations:-

BRF monies received paid directly into current a/c	£412.50	Proportion of subscriptions transferred	£5,987.20
BRF monies banked by Central Branch into current a/c	£12.00	less subscriptions banked by Leeds Branch	£186.00
BRF monies banked by Western Branch into current a/c	£38.00	less payment for FBF leaflet from General Fund	£53.00

Included in interest:-

Interest from COIF a/c	£0.94		
Interest from Natwest Club & Societies Reserve a/c	£0.02		(included in expenditure).

Total £6,211.66

6 – Donations

Banked into Natwest (BRF) account-		Banked into Natwest (General) account-	
Donations - Individuals (including Legacies and Easyfundraising)	£1,135.71	by standing order	£412.50
Collections at meetings	£126.26	by Central Branch	£12.00
Donations - ringing bands	£605.00	by Cleveland & North Yorkshire Branch	£50.00
Donations – PCCs	£125.00	by Western Branch	£38.00

Total £2,504.47

7 - Donation from Snowdon Book profits:- Paid direct into BRF account in 2021 £300.00

8 - Net Assets

Colin Ashworth bequest remaining funds for dedicated bells	£26,258.00
Cash available for payment of grants	£37,847.43
Total	£64,105.43

Snowdon Books Account 2020/2021

	2020/21	2019/20
	£	£
Income and Expenditure		
Incoming Resources		
DIAGRAMS sales	891.00	1,412.00
Other sales	137.50	65.00
Total incoming resources	1,028.50	1,477.00
Resources expended		
Cost of stock for sales	391.89	604.41
Promotion	262.50	207.00
Sales and Distribution	94.85	145.52
Other	0.00	20.05
Total expenditure	749.24	976.98
Trading profit	279.26	500.02
Donation to BRF	300.00	550.00
Profit before tax	-20.74	-49.98
Corporation tax	0.00	0.00
Retained Profit and additional funding	-20.74	-49.98
Snowdon Fund brought forward	1,903.24	1,953.22
Change during the year	-20.74	-49.98
Snowdon Fund carried forward	1,882.50	1,903.24
Balance sheet		
Assets:-		
Stock on hand	2,459.45	2,851.34
Cash at bank	116.27	116.27
Sundry debtors	0.00	0.00
Liabilities:-		
General Fund	693.22	1,064.37
Snowdon Fund	1,882.50	1,903.24

BRANCH FINANCES 2021

	Central	C&NY	E Riding	Leeds	S'boro	Selby	Sheffield	Western	York	Total
2020 Subscriptions	1920.00	3158.00	469.00	2022.00	1062.00	606.00	1830.00	4200.00	1578.00	16,845.00
15% of subscriptions	288.00	473.70	70.35	303.30	159.30	90.90	274.50	630.00	236.70	2,526.75
Adjustment - reduction	183.22	383.02		93.49		23.40	24.50	580.00	166.70	1,454.33
Subtotal	104.78	90.68	70.35	209.81	159.30	67.50	250.00	50.00	70.00	1,072.42
Deduct Ringing World adverts										
GRANT DUE	104.78	90.68	70.35	209.81	159.30	67.50	250.00	50.00	70.00	1,072.42
Other income	5.00			57.50		48.00				110.50
TOTAL INCOME	109.78	90.68	70.35	267.31	159.30	115.50	250.00	50.00	70.00	1,182.92
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	-	-	36.50	372.61	260.38	144.35	141.53	134.11	-	1,089.48
Balance at 31 December 2021	1,056.31	1,502.42	463.81	1,570.37	552.06	246.01	1,189.12	2,217.50	731.99	9,529.59

MEMBERSHIP STATISTICS AT 31 DECEMBER 2021

* already included in Qualified and Associate numbers †figure includes full-time students
 This table excludes deceased members shown elsewhere in this report.

Branch	Central	C&NY	E. Riding	Leeds	S'boro	Selby	Sheff'd	Western	York	Total	(2020)
Qualified	132	143	34	116	63	43	110	236	103	980	1036
Associate	31	88	0	63	15	12	46	76	15	346	414
Life	20	33	5	32	6	8	13	25	7	149	153
18 and under†	10†	22†	2†	23†	1	3†	10	17†	12†	100†	129†
Total	183	264	39	211	84	63	169	337	125	1475	1603

IN MEMORIAM

Glyn Evans - Wortley	Geoff Vardy - Norton (Sheffield)
Marion Holland - late of Handsworth	Keith Evans - South Kirby
Barry Sullivan - Almondbury	Janet Robinson - St Giles, Pontefract
David Wilson - St Marys, Beverley	Eileen Petty - Thornaby
Derrick Bellamy - Kirk Deighton	David Ball - Burneston
Russell Stephenson - Barnby Dun	Philip Livesey - Fewston
Tony Sulman - Tickhill	Antony D Cockshott - Gargrave
Christopher Milestone - St. Chads, Far Headingley	Graham Smith - Sandal
Clive Pearson - Liversedge	Philip Clark - Sherburn in Elmet
Molly Stephens - Kirkbymoorside	Barbara Wadsworth - Beighton
John Fryer - Ecclesfield	Geoff Bryant - sometime of Haley Hill, Halifax
Roy Garner - St. Giles, Pontefract	Stuart Raggett - Tadcaster

BRANCH REPORTS 2021

CENTRAL BRANCH REPORT

I think we can all say after the two years we've had, it has been amazing to finally start ringing again. Not only that but to see friends, to laugh and socialise with one another.

In the Central Branch, we have kept ringing quite local with ringing at Campsall, Cawthorne, Darfield and Emley but hope to ring further afield in the coming months.

Helen Thorley: *Branch Secretary*

CLEVELAND AND NORTH YORKSHIRE BRANCH REPORT

The past year has been yet another where a difficult and persistent disease has made ringing very challenging. Rather than focus on the effect of the pandemic however, I shall report on the few things we did in the C&NY Branch and on the discussions I had last March/April when I delivered the reports for the previous year to the branch contacts.

First a short report on the activities. The AGM was reasonably well attended and following the news of Robert's departure for sunnier climes to the South, I was elected as Branch Chair. The discussions at the AGM focussed around the issues of the time: how can we help to keep ringing going; what help do towers need; how to provide assistance when both those could supply assistance and those receiving it were subject to the same restrictions and dangers when mixing together, which is of course essential in bellringing. This situation is, as we know, exacerbated by the restricted nature of many ringing rooms and the comparative lack of ventilation in many towers.

In both February and March, we held branch meetings on Ringing Room. These were very successful, with around 18 people attending in February and 16 in March.

Once the reports had been delivered to me by Janine and Barrie, I decided that the best way of finding out what was going on across our very large and thinly populated branch was to deliver the reports myself, by hand, to the contacts.

This I did over several days. I split the task into three; one to the coast, one to the southern area of the Moors and one to the West and South covering the Dales and down to Fewston.

In delivering the reports, I had conversations with many ringers and was able to gather some intelligence as to how things were in their area. As you may imagine activity was low in most places. Contacts which flourished pre-pandemic, were greatly affected. Many people referred to their real concerns that ringers who had been attending for several years were now saying that they were unlikely to return after the restrictions were lifted.

It can be seen in many high streets that a lot of older people and many younger ones continue to wear masks and avoid direct interaction with others, this probably stems from a concern over the

still very high rates of infection and the growing reports of the long-lasting nature of the effects of the disease, particularly in the older population, from which we draw many ringers. The overriding impression gained was one of a real hesitancy to come back to ringing from many people.

Towers which had a good core of ringers and who didn't depend on regular contact with other towers for more advanced instruction than they could access from within their own resources, are surviving the best. Unfortunately, that doesn't describe many towers in the C&NY Branch.

On the positive side I am now hearing reports of more activity and we hope to build on this over the coming year.

The branch welcomes the discussion on the relevance of our approach, and we will take an active part in the review around how to keep the Yorkshire Association relevant to branches. This is especially important to branches distributed over a large geographical area with not many towers in close proximity, unlike for example, the Leeds and the Sheffield Branches.

The needs of each branch are very different because of the geography and the population demographics. We must ensure that how we operate as a branch and as an association serves the needs of the diverse branches we have.

I want to thank the Branch Committee for their work over the year and look forward to driving the art and science of bellringing ever onwards and upwards, to the best of our ability.

Andrew J Slade: *Chairman*

EAST RIDING BRANCH REPORT

I am pleased to report that the East Riding Branch has held its first meeting in four decades. On Advent Sunday eighteen ringers met at Kirk Ella for an hour of ringing which included a touch of eight-spliced. Andrew Aspland was elected as chairman of the branch and a full committee will be formed in due course.

The Beverley and District Society is active in the area and so the East Riding Branch will aim to offer additional opportunities for ringers in the area. Membership of the association will allow members access to the BRF and to the education committee's events amongst other benefits afforded by a large territorial association.

It is hoped that at least six meetings will be held in a year, and these will take place on Sunday afternoons to avoid wedding ringing and other events. A selection of methods will give a focus to the ringing and the business element of the meeting will be kept brief!

Finally, I need to record the members' thanks to Elizabeth Johnson for keeping the branch alive for the last 40 years.

Andrew Aspland: *Chairman*

LEEDS AND DISTRICT BRANCH REPORT

Covid restrictions at the beginning of 2021 didn't allow any ringing, and in February we held our AGM by Zoom for the first time, and followed it with our first branch 'Ringing Room' practice. This was enough of a success that the Ringing Room practices continued every month on our usual 2nd Saturday until we could hold branch practices face to face again. The methods we rang weren't as complex as those we would have been ringing if we'd been able to practise on real bells, and probably not as many touches came round, but it was good experience for all of us, and a real leveller of abilities with some experienced ringers struggling just as much, or more than, newer ringers. It was also nice to be able to have a brief chat and see some faces again.

A few towers in the branch rang a limited number of bells on Easter Day although there hadn't been any relaxation of the restrictions allowing us to do so. Many towers tolled a single bell on 10th April to mark the death of the Duke of Edinburgh, and on 17th April, to mark the day of his funeral.

On 17th May restrictions were relaxed allowing six people to meet and ring, wearing masks, 1m apart. This allowed tower practices to start again, though we had to wait until 19th July before it became possible to hold branch meetings.

In August we held our first face to face branch meeting for nearly a year and a half. This was at Birstwith which, being a ground floor ring with doors opening from the ringing chamber on 3 sides was as well ventilated as is possible. We also booked the hall so that we could meet for refreshments before the ringing started with two pairs of eBells connected to computers for people to try out and also a dumbbell to have a go on. It was wonderful to see so many people there and to be able to meet and chat again. We finished up with a pub lunch which was enjoyed by all.

In September we ventured across the 'border' to the Western Branch at Drighlington (another well-ventilated tower), inviting Western Branch members to join us too, again with coffee and biscuits beforehand.

October saw us visit Sherburn in Elmet, again well-ventilated, and in November we went to Birstall, again with coffee and biscuits beforehand.

The December practice was at Leeds Minster, aimed especially at those not used to ringing on twelve bells, and was followed by mulled wine and mince pies ably prepared by ringers and helpers from the Leeds Minster band. This practice was so successful that we plan to repeat it in future years.

The amount of ringing permitted and restrictions have improved steadily as the year has gone on, and despite the ups and downs of the covid infection rates there has been a gradual increase in towers returning to ring with towers not tending to stop once they have started again. There are a couple of towers where ringing hasn't yet restarted, mainly those with poor ventilation and cautious vicars.

During the year the three bells at Kirkby Overblow were augmented to four and new ringers are now being taught there, also at nearby Weeton. Many other towers in the branch are also teaching new ringers; this must surely bode well for the future.

Thank you to everyone who has supported the branch in the last year. The committee wishes to arrange events that you want to attend, so please tell us if you have any ideas that you would like us to try for future meetings.

Janine Jones: *Ex Secretary*

SCARBOROUGH AND DISTRICT BRANCH REPORT

As for most of the year there was little 'in person' ringing, Scarborough Branch took the opportunities afforded to them by holding regular Ringing Room sessions for training, quarter peals and general social ringing. The Stepping Stones programme continued during 2021 online and restarted on 'real' bells once ringing resumed. The branch was able to keep in contact with all their members by means of the monthly newsletter throughout the year with many useful ringing tips being included. A number of towers took part in the Yorkshire Day open tower event resulting in a few new ringers being recruited.

Teresa Jones: *Secretary*

SELBY AND DISTRICT BRANCH REPORT

2021 began as 2020 ended with tight restrictions in place due to the Covid-19 pandemic. As restrictions began to ease a small number of towers rang for Services with their local bands and began to hold practices on a restricted basis.

There was no substantive Branch ringing activity until October when, on a Sunday afternoon we hosted a "Gentle Return to Ringing" at Hemingbrough. Along with ringing this included a treasure hunt inside the church, a "first time challenge" and a bring and share Tea. We were joined by members from other YACR branches as well as non-ringing family and friends. The afternoon was a great success.

In November we repeated a formula that had succeeded immediately before the pandemic struck. That was to host a mini-outing followed by a pub meal. This year ringing was in the afternoon at Campsall where we set the background soundtrack to their Christmas Fair followed by ringing at both Pontefract towers.

We were delighted to return to Tadcaster in December for our Carol Service and Tea. Statistically, it is encouraging to report that YACR members from no fewer than 6 YACR Branches attended our events. All our activities will continue to be open to everybody.

Andrew Twineham: *Secretary*

SHEFFIELD AND DISTRICT BRANCH REPORT

Branch events were limited during the year due to the COVID-19 situation.

Branch tower members have kept in contact during the year by various means, e.g. WhatsApp group, Facebook group, email, video call, and online virtual ringing.

The first branch event of the year was the AGM held on Saturday 6th March 2021 and was our first branch AGM held by video call. Well attended event.

The first branch ringing meeting of the year was at the Sheffield Cathedral on Saturday 7th August 2021. Our previous branch ringing meeting was March 2020.

Our annual October branch outing was to five towers within the Bigby/Walesby area of Lincolnshire with a pub lunch in the middle. The towers were Bigby (6), Grasby (6), Walesby (8), Middle Rasen (6) and Market Rasen (8).

The November branch event combined a training event within the ringing meeting and was held at Thrybergh. Norton hosted the branch December ringing meeting.

Thank you to all for supporting our branch during the year.

Philip Hoole: *Branch Secretary*

WESTERN BRANCH REPORT

A key focus of the work of the committee has been to help towers, bands and individual ringers to return to active ringing following the period of covid-related restrictions. A survey was conducted to gather data on what people would find useful in their return to ringing and onward progress. Thanks to Maurice Calvert, Branch Ringing Master, for conducting the survey and collating the data. The Branch has made a positive start to the recommencement of ringing following the lifting of Covid restrictions.

The branch has offered a number of training courses this year, including 'ringing up and down in peal' and 'conducting club'; thanks to Maurice Calvert for all his efforts in running these courses, and thanks also to the helpers at these events, and for the many miles that some of them travelled!

February was designated as our 'Virtual Quarter Peal Month'. Ringing was done via a virtual ringing platform, with 7 quarter peals and a 240 touch being recorded. Thanks to all those who rang, and special thanks to the organisers and conductors; this series of events really helped to keep everyone in touch with the ringing community.

In July a ringing practice and branch EGM was held at Kildwick; a perfect location for this meeting, with a well-ventilated ringing room, and excellent outdoor space to enjoy between ringing sessions. Officer elections took place at this event, and it is was a pleasure to welcome Maurice Calvert to the role of Ringing Master, and to record huge thanks to Bob Schofield (outgoing Chairman) and Andy Sutherland (outgoing Ringing Master) for all their efforts for the advancement of ringing in our branch.

September saw a joint ringing meeting with the Leeds Branch held at Drighlington. Also in September, a Yorkshire Surprise Major training course was held at Oxenhope. Thanks go to the course organisers and helpers for making this event a great success, and to the 'students' who came along to take part. We look forward to this event leading to successful 'first' quarter peals of Yorkshire for these students in due course.

The October meeting was held at Bradford Cathedral. It gave attendees the opportunity to ring on 12 bells. The two-hour meeting passed by far too quickly, but much ringing was done, including Yorkshire Surprise Major and Rutland Surprise Major.

Our branch Quarter Peal Fortnight was held in November. Two branch-organised days, one in the north and one in the south of the branch, took place (many thanks to Peter Kirby and Maurice Calvert for arranging these events), together with quarter peals organised by individual towers and bands. A total of 16 quarter peals were rung, with methods up to Superlative Surprise Major being rung. The fortnight included a number of 'firsts'; congratulations to those who rang their first quarter peal, or scored other notable achievements.

December saw a branch ringing meeting at Mirfield. This well-attended meeting included touches of Grandsire Caters.

The Western Branch 8/10/12 bell practices recommenced in the summer, and were held on a monthly basis at Halifax Minster. These well-attended meetings continue to be a great opportunity for ringers to extend their ringing repertoire, and to widen their ringing network.

I would like to extend my gratitude for the warm welcome I have received when visiting practice nights around the branch. It has been a privilege to join in, and to see the enthusiasm for ringing within our branch.

My thanks go to fellow committee members for all their hard work this year, with particular thanks to Neal Harris for his efforts as our new Membership Secretary, and to Tony Stamp, our outgoing Membership Secretary, for his efforts over the years.

Edward Mallen, *Branch Chairman*

YORK BRANCH REPORT

The York Branch has had another very quiet year. 2021 started with no ringing due to the ongoing Coronavirus Pandemic and the whole country was still in lockdown.

During this time a few towers in the York Branch kept in touch via Zoom calls, which included quizzes, games and a general chat to help keep everyone together while we couldn't ring.

In May when Coronavirus Restrictions were lifted most Towers in the York Branch were able to start ringing again.

In September the York Branch held the Yorkshire Association September Meeting. This started with a Hat Competition at St Lawrence's where names were pulled out a hat, each team had a team leader and all bands rang Call Changes. The winning team won a trophy each. There was then general ringing at Rufforth, Bishopthorpe, Easingwold, Stockton on the Forest and Strensall in the afternoon. Then the Service, tea and Meeting was at Strensall followed by evening ringing at Huntington. It was a fantastic day, enjoyed by all.

A huge thank you goes out to everyone who helped organise activities while we couldn't ring. Also a huge thank you to everyone who helped plan a fab day in September and thank you to everyone for all your support.

Here is hoping next there be more Branch Events. Onwards and Upwards everyone.

Emma Coles: *Coordinator*

QUARTER PEAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

Criteria used for including quarter peals:-

I have used the same criteria as applied in previous years for collating YACR quarter peals. I have used Duco Software and included all performances submitted as quarter peals to Bellboard, attributed to the Yorkshire Association, between 1st January 2021 and 31st December 2021. The figures listed below for leading ringers and conductors relate only to quarters attributed to the YACR, although several of those YACR members have also conducted or rung more quarters attributed to other societies.

The Statistics:

184 quarter peals were rung in 71 different towers/locations by 310 different ringers and 55 different conductors. 28 of these quarters were on handbells, 1 of which was rung in the Ringing Room. As per quarter peal footnotes, 10 people rang their first quarter peal during

The towers with the most quarter peals rung are:- 2021. There were also several existing ringers and conductors who ventured into the Ringing Room to undertake their first quarter peal on a virtual platform.

Ringing Room *	29	Rotherham, Minster Church of All Saints	5
York, Spurriergate Centre	11	Addingham, St Peter	4
Knarsborough, St John The Baptist	8	Halifax, Minster Church of St John the Baptist	4
Huddersfield, St Peter	7	Leeds, Cathedral Church of St Anne	4
Sheffield, Moorbank Drive	7	Sheffield, Cathedral Church of St Peter & St Paul	4
Leeds, Spen Lane	6	Skipton in Craven, Holy Trinity	4

***The Ringing Room statistics that represent the above 29 quarter peals are as follows:-**

Ringing Room	14
Ringing Room UK	8
Ringing Room (Scarborough Branch)	2
Ringing Room (N. Yorkshire)	2
Ringing Room (Calverley)	1
Ringing Room (Richmond)	1
Ringing Room (North & W. Yorkshire)	1

The ringers with the most quarter peals are:-

Teresa M Jones	29	Alan Trebble	22
Anne Deebank	27	Penny J Thorley	21
John S Leech	25	Martin R Hall	19
Anita C Blundell	24	Elaine M Scott	17
Gerry Bacon	22	Peter J Scott	17

Leading Conductors are:

Peter J Scott	17	Oliver M Austin	8
John S Leech	16	Martin R Hall	8
Andy Sutherland	15	Teresa M Jones	7
Peter Sanderson	13	Alan Trebble	7

Most Popular Methods:

Plain Bob Minor	25	St Clement's College Bob Minor	4
Cambridge Surprise Minor	22	Bourne Surprise Minor	3
Plain Bob Doubles	20	Cambridge Surprise Major	3
Grandsire Doubles	11	Oxford Treble Bob Minor	3
Plain Bob Triples	8	Spliced Surprise Minor	3
Grandsire Triples	5	Minor	3
Doubles	4	Yorkshire Surprise Major	3

Various points of interest:-

As in 2020 the number of monthly quarter peals reflect the changing rules and regulations in the UK in relation to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic and associated variants. In January there were only 4 quarter peals rung whereas in December 31 quarter peals were recorded. November saw a total of 27, July 23 and for the remaining months of the year this varied between 9 and 17 per month. During the second half of the year, more than double the number of quarter peals were rung compared with the first 6 months of 2021. This reflects the ringing guidance which was put in place in July 2021 permitting ringing to return to as near to normal as possible since the start of the pandemic. Throughout the year quarter peals were rung for birthdays, wedding anniversaries and memorial services as well as for Yorkshire Day and Remembrance Day, to highlight the work carried out by keyworkers, frontline and social care workers, to celebrate a relaxation in Covid-19 rules, as a compliment to Pacers and to acknowledge the COP26 United Nations Climate Change Conference held in Glasgow. 3 quarters were rung in memoriam HRH Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh and 1 quarter was rung to celebrate the 95th birthday of HM The Queen. Other quarter peals of interest included the commemoration of the 200th Anniversary of the first peal of Superlative Surprise Major rung at Huddersfield, St Peter, on 5th November 1821 whilst at Rotherham, Minster Church of All Saints, a quarter peal was dedicated to mark the 73rd Anniversary of the founding of the NHS and to celebrate its award of the George Cross by HM The Queen.

Up to 31st December 2021, there had been 148,624 deaths as a result of Coronavirus in the UK. I am sure I speak for us all in saying that 2021 was another difficult year as the pandemic lingered on so may I take this opportunity to wish you all a positive, optimistic, safe and happy new year with hopes anew.

Ruth Smith: *Quarter Peal Secretary*

PEAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

The 2021 peal total of 62 was even lower than 2020, as we went through a whole year of living with a pandemic. There was just one (handbell) peal in the first half of the year, and even once tower bell peals were again possible in July it wasn't until December that a monthly total of 20 was reached, approaching the pre-pandemic norm. It appears that not everyone is returning to peal ringing with the same enthusiasm or momentum they had before March 2020, so I suspect we will not see annual peal totals of over 300 for quite a while yet.

YEAR	TOTAL	TOWER	HAND	FIRST PEALS
2021	62	53	9	1
2020	78	64	14	1
2019	301	266	35	4
2018	334	303	31	6
2017	386	319	67	2
2016	373	326	47	1

There were no local band peals reported in 2021. There were no new tower bell venues in Yorkshire, but there was one new handbell venue: Hobgate, York

Leeds Cathedral (RC)	17	Elloughton	3
Northallerton	6	Sheffield (Cathedral)	3
Dore	6	Strensall	3

No tower milestones were reached during 2021. Methods included 4 rung for the first time and a further 9 new to the Association. The most popular single methods for peals were Yorkshire Surprise Major (4) and Bristol Surprise Major (3). Congratulations go to the 2 members who rang their first peal in 2021: Jack L Endersby & Edward A H Mallen.

Dove, C Barrie	32	Randall, Peter C	9
Brook, Paul	21	Thurman, John M	9
Riley, Roger	21	Donovan, Neil	8
Aspland, Neil R	17	Town, Jennifer A	8
Peachey, Barry F	17	Mottershead, Edmund H	7
Plackett, Simon J	14	Randall, Gail L	7
Riley, Alex S	14	Bostock, Christopher	6
Reading, Simon J	13	Enzor, Christopher H	6
Wild, Philip R	13	Jones, Timothy G M	6
Price, Kevin M	12	Croft, James S	5
Hall, Stephen J	11	Donovan, Dinah M	5
Tysoe, Derek J	11	Ledger, Trevor C	5
Bennett, Christopher M	10	Parke, Nicholas J	5
Futers, Alan G	10	Sanderson, Peter J	5
Moreton, Adrian M	10		

There were 13 different conductors, down from 22 in 2021.

The following members conducted 3 or more peals:

Dove, C, Barrie	26	Knights, Richard F	3
Riley, Alex S	9	Randall, Peter C	3
Hall, Stephen J	4	Reading, Alan G	3
Moreton, Adrian M	4	Sanderson, Peter J	3

The now well-established system of downloading peals from Bellboard worked well again, also helpful if compositions are added to BellBoard. Please ask if you have queries about YACR peals.

Simon Reading: *Peal Secretary*

NON-RESIDENT PEAL RINGERS 2021

Aked, Colin	1	338	
Aked, Jane A	1	42	
Angrave, Michael	1	3	
Blagden, Deborah L	2	112	6
Cater, Julia	1	41	1
Colborne, Graham J N	2	266	
Constant, Benjamin D	1	23	3
Croft, James S	5	235	
Curtis, Paul F	3	257	21
Curtis, Ruth	3	509	2
Deakin, Patrick W J	1	14	2
Durham, G Jessica	3	189	
Durham, Matthew J L	3	306	113
Enzor, Christopher H	6	174	36
Greenley, Adam S	1	136	3
Hibbert, James E	1	46	1
Jarvis, Daniel R	1	2	
King, Kristopher	1	91	2
Mansfield, Christopher M	1	6	
Mitchell, Lenard J	1	33	
Morgan, J James G	1	1	
Palmer, Tim R	1	126	
Parkes, Nicholas J	5	28	7
Peachey, Barry F	17	411	8
Pearson, Matthew S	1	5	
Randall, Gail L	7	520	
Randall, Peter C	9	678	282
Reading, Alan G	3	666	405
Ross, Margaret H	1	11	3
Smith, Alistair J E	1	17	1
Smith, Simon J T	1	297	9
Stanworth, A John	1	6	
Thomas, Derek J	3	222	
Turner, Christopher P	1	33	2
Tysoe, Derek J	11	477	6
Warboys, Stephanie J	1	44	4
Wells, Rachel C	1	2	
Whiteley, Margaret	1	76	2
Whiteley, Martin J	3	87	7
Wild, Philip R	13	134	
Wood, Robert M	1	306	

2021 ANALYSIS OF PEALS

(*Bold Type = First peal in the method; * = First peal in the method for the Association*)

		2021	2020	2019
TOWER BELLS				
S Maximus	Cambridge	1	4	11
Maximus		-	-	5
Cinques	Stedman	2	-	8
S Royal	Superlative (No2), 4-Spliced	2	10	32
Royal		-	1	6
Caters	Grandsire (2), Stedman (2)	4	3	6
S Major	Bristol (2), Euuralus*, Frithelstock*, Grantsville*, Hawkswick*, Hazlehurst*, Immingham, Jackbury*, Kalium, Lessness, Lewes*, Neptunium, Pitminster*, Superlative, Swan on the Stray , Vulgate*, Xit*, Yorkshire (3), Zif, 7-Spliced, 8-Spliced	24	21	129
Major	Ivy-Leaved Toadflax D, Patrick D , Plain B	3	3	22
Triples	Plain B, Stedman	2	2	2
S Minor	7 methods (9)	9	13	28
T D Minor	7 methods (4),	4	5	-
Minor	5 methods, 7 methods	2	2	5
Doubles		-	-	3
TOWER BELL TOTAL		53	64	266
HANDBELLS				
Maximus		-	-	-
Royal	Cambridge S	1	3	1
Caters		-	-	2
Major	Plain B (2), Bristol S, Superlative S, Yorkshire S, 7-Spliced, 8-Spliced	7	7	30
Triples				
Minor	TD Minor (7 methods)	1	4	1
HANDBELL TOTAL		9	14	35
OVERALL TOTAL FOR 2021		62	78	301

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Note: * - first peal, † - other performance of note (details from Peal Secretary)

21348

YORK, 27 Hobgate.

Monday, 29 Mar 2021, 2h 22m

5024 Plain Bob Major

Composed by: D G Hull

(see New Compositions)

1-2 Andrew I Blacklock

3-4 C Mark G Ockelton

5-6 Ewan G A Hull

7-8 David G Hull (C)

To celebrate the 50th anniversary of

Mark's first peal. First peal on the bells,

and at this address.

21349

LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.

Tuesday, 20 Jul 2021, 2h 49m

5088 Yorkshire Surprise Major

Composed by: G A C John

(Peal No 17385)

1 Kevin M Price

2 Alex S Riley

3 C Barrie Dove (C)

4 Barry F Peachey

5 Simon J Plackett

6 Peter C Kirby

7 Neil R Aspland

8 Roger S Riley

21350

BRANCEPETH, St Brandon.

Durham.

Wednesday, 21 Jul 2021, 2h 59m

5056 Spliced Surprise Major

8 methods: 768 Cornwall; 736 Bristol;

640 Cambridge, Superlative; 608

Cassiobury; 576 Lessness; 544 Glasgow,

London. 124 com, atw.

Composed by: A G Reading

& M B Davies

(see New Compositions)

1 Luke S P Riley

2 Matthew J L Durham

3 Alex S Riley (C)

4 G Jessica Durham

5 James P Town

6 J James G Morgan

7 Christopher M Mansfield

8 Ewan G A Hull

Rung in fond memory of Alan Barber.

21351
LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.
Tuesday, 27 Jul 2021, 2h 43m
5152 Hawick Surprise Major
Composed by: A J Cox
(see New Compositions)
1 Kevin M Price
2 Roger S Riley
3 Barry F Peachey
4 Simon J Plackett
5 Derek J Tysoe
6 C Barrie Dove (C)
7 Neil R Aspland
8 John M Thurman
First peal in the method for the
Association

21352
SHEFFIELD CATHEDRAL
SS Peter & Paul.
Monday, 2 Aug 2021, 3h 08m
**5040 Superlative (No 2) Surprise
Royal**
Composed by: D F Morrison
(see New Compositions)
1 Neil Donovan
2 David A Jackson
3 Dinah M Donovan
4 Helen J Audley
5 Edmund H Mottershead
6 Stephen J Hall (C)
7 James S Croft
8 Ross J Finbow
9 Christopher M Bennett
10 Nicholas J Parkes

21353
LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.
Tuesday, 3 Aug 2021, 2h 48m
5040 Plain Bob Triples
Composed by: R D Bailey
(Peal No 9333)
1 Barry F Peachey
2 C Barrie Dove (C)
3 Roger S Riley
4 Neil R Aspland
5 Timothy G M Jones
6 Kevin M Price
7 Alan G Futers
8 Edward A H Mallen*

21354
KIPPAX, 194 Leeds Road.
Saturday, 7 Aug 2021, 2h 29m
5040 Treble Dodging Minor
7 methods, 1 extent each Annable's
London, Bourne, Netherseale, Norwich
S, Oxford, Kent TB, Cambridge S
1-2 Neil Donovan
3-4 Alex S Riley (C)
5-6 Philip R Brook
Rung to celebrate the wedding, today, of
Andrea Pygott and Alex Wain.

21355
LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.
Tuesday, 10 Aug 2021, 2h 45m
5152 Vulgate Surprise Major
Composed by: S Humphrey
(Peal No 7358)
1 Barry F Peachey
2 Alex S Riley
3 Simon J Plackett
4 C Barrie Dove (C)
5 Peter J Tiley
6 Derek J Tysoe
7 Neil J Murray
8 Paul Brook
Congratulations to Rebecca Kirby on
gaining a place at Birmingham
University. First peal in the method for
the Association

21356
LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.
Tuesday, 17 Aug 2021, 2h 41m
5056 Pitminster Surprise Major
Composed by: A J Pitman
(Peal No 7588)
1 Peter C Kirby
2 Neil R Aspland
3 Barry F Peachey
4 Simon J Plackett
5 Philip R Wild
6 C Barrie Dove (C)
7 Derek J Tysoe
8 Paul Brook
First peal in the method for the
Association

21357
LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.
Tuesday, 24 Aug 2021, 2h 43m
5056 Lewes Surprise Major
Composed by: A S Riley
(see New Compositions)
1 Peter J Tiley
2 Barry F Peachey
3 C Barrie Dove
4 Alex S Riley (C)
5 Simon J Plackett
6 Paul Brook
7 Roger S Riley
8 John M Thurman
First peal in the method for the
Association

21358
HOLME ON SPALDING MOOR
All Saints.
Thursday, 2 Sep 2021, 2h 44m
5040 Treble Dodging Minor
7 methods: Ipswich S, Kent TB,
Beverley S, Oxford TB, Surfleet S,
Norwich S, Cambridge S.
1 Barry F Peachey
2 Simon Plows
3 Philip R Wild
4 C Barrie Dove (C)
5 Timothy G M Jones
6 Derek J Tysoe

21359
LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St
Anne.
A Tuesday, 7 Sep 2021, 2h 36m
5088 Neptunium Surprise Major
Composed by: A G Reading
(Peal No 19226)
1 Alan G Futers
2 Neil R Aspland
3 C Barrie Dove
4 Simon J Plackett
5 Derek J Tysoe
6 Paul Brook
7 Alex S Riley (C)
8 Roger S Riley
In memoriam Joan Riley

21360
SHEFFIELD CATHEDRAL
SS Peter & Paul.
Monday, 13 Sep 2021, 2h 56m
5067 Stedman Caters
Composed by: L J Woodward
(Peal No 20811)
1 Stephen J Hall (C)
2 Ruth Curtis
3 Helen J Audley
4 Simon J Reading
5 Ross J Finbow
6 Edmund H Mottershead †
7 Paul F Curtis
8 Christopher M Bennett
9 Nicholas J Parkes
10 Trevor C Ledger

21361
LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.
Tuesday, 14 Sep 2021, 2h 39m
5088 Euryalus Surprise Major
Composed by: J W Washbrook
(Peal No 4985)
1 Kevin M Price
2 C Barrie Dove (C)
3 Simon J Plackett
4 Philip R Wild
5 Barry F Peachey
6 Paul Brook
7 Neil J Murray
8 John M Thurman
In Memoriam David G Salter of Suffolk
First peal in the method for the
Association

21362
LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.
Tuesday, 21 Sep 2021, 2h 39m
5088 Bristol Surprise Major
Composed by: J W Holdsworth
(Peal No 17931)
1 Kevin M Price
2 Simon J Plackett
3 Cindy Maude
4 Gail L Randall
5 Derek J Tysoe
6 C Barrie Dove (C)
7 Paul Brook
8 John M Thurman

21363

HALIFAX, St John the Baptist.
Saturday, 25 Sep 2021, 3h 33m
5007 Stedman Cinques

Composed by: A M Moreton
(see New Compositions)

- 1 Wendy Bloom
 - 2 Adrian M Moreton (C)
 - 3 Katherine L Town
 - 4 James E Hibbert
 - 5 Peter D Hughes
 - 6 Robert H Childs
 - 7 Edward G L Brightman
 - 8 Stephen J A Ollerton
 - 9 Paul D Bennett
 - 10 Samuel M Austin
 - 11 Simon D Ogier
 - 12 Graham Bloom
- Engagement compliment to Louise
Flower and Tom Mack

21364

DORE, Christ Church.
Wednesday, 29 Sep 2021, 2h 52m

5088 Bristol Surprise Major
Composed by: A G Reading
(Peal No 16575)

- 1 Christopher Bostock
- 2 Simon J reading
- 3 James S Croft
- 4 Edmund H Mottershead
- 5 Richard F Knights (C)
- 6 David A Jackson
- 7 Stephen J Hall
- 8 Christopher M Bennett

21365

ELLOUGHTON, St Mary.

Thursday, 30 Sep 2021, 2h 28m

5040 Treble Dodging Minor

- 7 methods, 1 extent each Ipswich S,
Bourne S, Beverley S, Norwich S,
Surrey S, Oxford TB, Cambridge .
- 1 Derek J Tysoe
 - 2 Neil R Aspland
 - 3 C Barrie Dove (C)
 - 4 Philip R Wild
 - 5 Timothy G M Jones
 - 6 Paul Brook

21366

LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.
Tuesday, 5 Oct 2021, 2h 38m

5088 Frithelstock Surprise Major

Composed by: J W Washbrook (Rotated)

- 1 Kevin M Price
- 2 Roger S Riley
- 3 C Barrie Dove (C)
- 4 Philip R Wild
- 5 Barry F Peachey
- 6 Neil R Aspland
- 7 Graham Bloom
- 8 Paul Brook

First peal in the method for the
Association

21367

NORTHALLERTON

19 The Green, Romanby.

Friday, 8 Oct 2021, 2h 29m

5088 Yorkshire Surprise Major

Composed by: J S Warboys
(Peal No 17123)

- 1-2 Christopher H Enzor
- 3-4 Jennifer A Town
- 5-6 Peter J Sanderson (C)
- 7-8 David A Town

21368

PONTEFRACT, St Giles.

Sunday, 10 Oct 2021, 3h 01m

5039 Grandsire Caters

Composed by: A M Moreton
(Peal No 15021)

- 1 Sally A Brown
 - 2 Ruth Curtis
 - 3 Adrian M Moreton (C)
 - 4 Michael Angrave
 - 5 Paul Brook
 - 6 Andrew R Aspland
 - 7 C Barrie Dove
 - 8 Stephen J Hall
 - 9 Paul F Curtis
 - 10 Neil R Aspland
- For the Centenary of the first peal on
these 10 bells, Grandsire Caters, April
25th 1921

21369

DORE, Christ Church.

Tuesday, 12 Oct 2021, 2h 28m

5024 Yorkshire Surprise Major

Composed by: A G Reading
(Peal No 20796)

- 1 Christopher M Bennett
- 2 Christopher Bostock
- 3 Dinah M Donovan
- 4 Ross J Finbow
- 5 Edmund H Mottershead
- 6 Simon J Reading
- 7 Neil Donovan (C)
- 8 Stephen J Hall

21370

STRENSALL, St Mary the Virgin.

Thursday, 14 Oct 2021, 2h 17m

5040 Surprise Minor

7 methods, 1 extent each Ipswich,
Durham, Norwich, Beverley, Wells,
Bourne, Cambridge.

- 1 Sally A Brown
- 2 Roger S Riley
- 3 C Barrie Dove (C)
- 4 Neil R Aspland
- 5 Philip R Wild
- 6 Paul Brook

21371

NORTHALLERTON

19 The Green, Romanby.

Friday, 15 Oct 2021, 2h 38m

5120 Bristol Surprise Major

Composed by: D F Morrison
(see New Compositions)

- 1-2 Jennifer A Town
- 3-4 Peter C Randall
- 5-6 Alex S Riley (C)
- 7-8 Christopher H Enzor

21372

LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.

Tuesday, 19 Oct 2021, 2h 37m

5184 Zif Surprise Major

Composed by: R D S Brown
(see New Compositions)

- 1 Kevin M Price
- 2 Roger S Riley
- 3 Derek J Thomas
- 4 Simon J Plackett
- 5 C Barrie Dove (C)
- 6 Neil R Aspland
- 7 John M Thurman
- 8 Paul Brook

21373

ELLOUGHTON, St Mary.

Thursday, 21 Oct 2021, 2h 30m

5040 Surprise Minor

7 methods: Ipswich, Norwich, Beverley,
Westminster, Surfleet, Bourne,
Cambridge.

- 1 C Barrie Dove (C)
- 2 Derek J Tysoe
- 3 Philip R Wild
- 4 Roger S Riley
- 5 Timothy G M Jones
- 6 R Andrew Sutherland

21374

NORTHALLERTON, All Saints.

Saturday, 23 Oct 2021, 3h 14m

5039 Spiced Surprise Royal

4 methods: 1399 Bristol; 1240 Clyde,
London No.3; 1160 Lockington. 78 com
atw

Composed by: A S Riley
(see New Compositions)

- 1 Matthew S Pearson
- 2 Alex S Riley (C)
- 3 Julia R Cater
- 4 Jennifer A Town
- 5 G Jessica Durham
- 6 Katherine L Town
- 7 Patrick W J Deakin
- 8 Kristopher King
- 9 James P Town
- 10 Matthew J L Durham

21375

LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.

Tuesday, 26 Oct 2021, 2h 37m

5152 Xit Surprise Major

Composed by: S Humphrey
(Peal No 7358)

- 1 Barry F Peachey
- 2 Graham J N Colborne
- 3 Derek J Tysoe
- 4 Simon J Plackett
- 5 Peter J Tiley
- 6 Alan G Futers
- 7 Peter C Kirby
- 8 C Barrie Dove (C)

First peal in the method for the
Association

21376

DORE, Christ Church.

Wednesday, 27 Oct 2021, 2h 46m

5056 Ivy-Leaved Toadflax Delight

Major

Composed by: R F Knights

(see New Compositions)

- 1 Simon J Reading
- 2 David A Jackson
- 3 Gail L Randall
- 4 Peter C Randall
- 5 Edmund H Mottershead
- 6 Christopher M Bennett
- 7 Richard F Knights (C)
- 8 Martin J Whiteley

First peal in the method.

21377

NORTHALLERTON

19 The Green, Romanby.

Friday, 29 Oct 2021, 2h 31m

5120 Spliced Surprise Major

8 methods: 896 Rutland; 704 each

Lincolnshire, Yorkshire; 640 Cambridge;

576 each London, Pudsey, Superlative;

448 Bristol; 87 com; atw

Composed by: P G K Davies

(Peal No 8847)

- 1-2 Jennifer A Town
- 3-4 Peter C Randall (C)
- 5-6 Alex S Riley
- 7-8 Christopher H Enzor

21378

SILKSTONE, All Saints.

Saturday, 30 Oct 2021, 2h 58m

5040 Treble Dodging Minor

7 methods, 1 extent each Capel TB.

Kingston TB, London Scholars Pleasure

TB, Sandal TB, Oxford TB, Kent TB,

Woodbine D.

- 1 Trevor C Ledger
- 2 Michael Sheeran
- 3 Adrian M Moreton
- 4 Alan M Shelbourn
- 5 Malcolm S Turner
- 6 Brian A Sanders (C)

Retirement compliment to Revd Maureen Browell, also a compliment to Philip Charlesworth for over 40 years as Tower Captain at this church.

21379

STRENSALL, St Mary the Virgin.

Thursday, 11 Nov 2021, 2h 12m

5040 Surprise Minor

7 methods, 1 extent each Ipswich,

Durham, Beverley, Norwich, Surfleet,

Bourne, Cambridge.

- 1 Neil R Aspland
- 2 Barry F Peachey
- 3 Derek J Tysoe
- 4 C Barrie Dove (C)
- 5 Timothy G M Jones
- 6 Roger S Riley

21380

NORTHALLERTON

19 The Green, Romanby.

Friday, 12 Nov 2021, 2h 34m

5056 Superlative Surprise Major

Composed by: BYROC

(see New Compositions)

- 1-2 Christopher H Enzor
- 3-4 Jennifer A Town
- 5-6 Peter C Randall
- 7-8 Peter J Sanderson (C)

21381

SEACROFT, St James.

Saturday, 13 Nov 2021, 2h 07m

5040 Surprise Minor

7 methods: Norwich, Carlisle, Durham,

Westminster, Wells, Bourne, Cambridge.

- 1 Alan G Futers
 - 2 C Barrie Dove (C)
 - 3 Neil R Aspland
 - 4 Paul Brook
 - 5 John M Thurman
 - 6 James W Holdsworth
- Half muffled for Remembrance Day and to mark the centenary of the British Legion.

The first peal of Minor on the bells.

21382

HARROGATE, St Peter.

Sunday, 14 Nov 2021, 2h 53m

5152 Swan on The Stray Surprise

Major

Composed by: J W Holdsworth

(see New Compositions)

- 1 Christopher Bostock
- 2 Adrian M Moreton
- 3 Roger S Riley
- 4 C Barrie Dove
- 5 James W Holdsworth (C)
- 6 Paul Brook
- 7 Simon D Ogier
- 8 John M Thurman

Half muffled on Remembrance Sunday.

First peal in the method.

21383

LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.

Tuesday, 16 Nov 2021, 2h 40m

5088 Grantsville Surprise Major

Composed by: BYROC

(see New Compositions)

- 1 Kevin M Price
- 2 Roger S Riley
- 3 Derek J Thomas
- 4 Derek J Tysoe
- 5 Barry F Peachey
- 6 C Barrie Dove (C)
- 7 Alan G Futers
- 8 Paul Brook

First peal in the method for the Association

21384

WRAGBY, St Michael & Our Lady.

Thursday, 18 Nov 2021, 2h 42m

5040 Minor

7 methods, 1 extent each Ipswich S, Kent

TB, St. Clements, Norwich S, Oxford

TB, Plain Bob, Cambridge S

- 1 Barry F Peachey
- 2 Roger S Riley
- 3 C Barrie Dove (C)
- 4 Philip R Wild
- 5 Simon Plows
- 6 Neil R Aspland

21385

LIVERPOOL, St Nicholas,

Pier Head, Merseyside

Saturday, 20 Nov 2021, 3h 46m

5007 Stedman Cinques

Composed by: A M Moreton

(Peal No 21363)

- 1 Adrian M Moreton (C)
- 2 Wendy Bloom
- 3 Daniel R Jarvis
- 4 Neil Donovan
- 5 Christopher P Turner
- 6 Robert M Wood
- 7 Graham J N Colborne
- 8 Martin S Davies
- 9 Nicholas J Parkes
- 10 Lenard J Mitchell
- 11 A John Stanworth
- 12 Graham Bloom

21386

LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.

Tuesday, 23 Nov 2021, 2h 45m

5088 Yorkshire Surprise Major

Composed by: D F Morrison

(Peal No 16428)

- 1 Alan G Futers
- 2 C Barrie Dove (C)
- 3 D Annabel Preston
- 4 Simon J Plackett
- 5 Timothy G M Jones
- 6 Stuart J Heath
- 7 Kevin M Price
- 8 Paul Brook

21387

DORE, Christ Church.

Wednesday, 24 Nov 2021, 2h 56m

5120 Patrick Delight Major

Composed by: R F Knights

(Peal No 20076)

- 1 Adrian M Moreton
- 2 Richard F Knights (C)
- 3 Gail L Randall
- 4 Roger S Riley
- 5 Simon J Reading
- 6 Peter C Randall
- 7 Martin J Whiteley
- 8 Margaret Whiteley

First peal in the method.

To mark the licensing on 1st November 2021 of Revd Andy Patrick as Oversight Minister and Priest in Charge

21388

HOLME ON SPALDING MOOR

All Saints.

Thursday, 25 Nov 2021, 2h 50m

5040 Minor

5 methods: 1 extent each Ipswich, Cambridge S, Kent TB; 2 extents each St Clements, Plain Bob
1 Philip R Wild
2 C Barrie Dove (C)
3 Barry F Peachey
4 Roger S Riley
5 Paul Brook
6 Simon Plows

21389

NUNBURNHOLME, St James.

Saturday, 27 Nov 2021, 2h 56m

5040 Surprise Minor

7 methods. 1 extent each: Sandiacre, Cuneastre, London, Netherseale, Beverley, Cambridge, Norwich.

1 James E Blackburn
2 Benjamin D Constant
3 Nicholas D Soanes
4 Neil Donovan
5 Samuel M Austin
6 Adam S Greenley (C)

To celebrate the birth of Oliver Sebastian Blackburn on 14th October.

21390

STRENSALL, St Mary the Virgin.

Thursday, 2 Dec 2021, 2h 24m

5040 Surprise Minor

7 methods, 1 extent each Ipswich, Westminster, Durham, Norwich, Beverley, Bourne, Cambridge.

1 Barry F Peachey
2 Philip R Wild
3 Roger S Riley
4 Maurice Calvert
5 R Andrew Sutherland
6 C Barrie Dove (C)

21391

NORTHALLERTON

19 The Green, Romanby.

Friday, 3 Dec 2021, 2h 42m

5184 Spliced Surprise Major

7 methods: 768 Bristol, Cornwall, Lessness, London, Superlative, Yorkshire; 576 Cambridge. 149 com.

Composed by: D F Morrison

(see New Compositions)

1-2 Peter J Sanderson (C)
3-4 Jennifer A Town
5-6 Peter C Randall
7-8 Christopher H Enzor

21392

WORTLEY, St Leonard.

Sunday, 5 Dec 2021, 3h 00m

5120 Lessness Surprise Major

Composed by: T J Hinks
(see New Compositions)

1 Christopher Bostock
2 Simon J Reading
3 Christopher M Bennett
4 Dinah M Donovan
5 Adrian M Moreton (C)
6 Nicholas D Soanes
7 Edmund H Mottershead
8 Neil Donovan

Immediately following the christening of Oliver David Beevers, grandson of local ringers Lynne & Andrew Beevers, at this church today.

21393

MONK BRETTON, St Paul.

Thursday, 9 Dec 2021, 2h 47m

5040 Surprise Minor

7 methods, 1 extent each Ipswich, Durham, Surfleet, Norwich, Beverley, Bourne, Cambridge.

1 Roger S Riley
2 C Barrie Dove (C)
3 Barry F Peachey
4 Alan M Shelbourn
5 Philip R Wild
6 Neil R Aspland

21394

HEMSWORTH, St Helen.

Saturday, 11 Dec 2021, 2h 53m

5056 Plain Bob Major

Composed by: J R Pritchard
(Peal No 808)

1 Trevor C Ledger
2 Jane A Aked
3 Adrian M Moreton
4 Michael Sheeran
5 Jack L Endersby
6 Colin Aked
7 Brian A Sanders (C)
8 J Richard Pagdin

First peal - 5

80th birthday compliment to J Rodney

Pagdin

21395

LEEDS CATHEDRAL (RC), St Anne.

Tuesday, 14 Dec 2021, 2h 31m

5024 Kalium Surprise Major

Composed by: A G Reading

(see New Compositions)

1 Kevin M Price
2 John M Thurman
3 Paul Brook
4 Neil R Aspland
5 C Barrie Dove
6 Simon J Plackett
7 Roger S Riley
8 Alex S Riley (C)

Birthday compliment to Luke S P Riley

21396

DORE, Christ Church.

Wednesday, 15 Dec 2021, 2h 49m

5088 Superlative Surprise Major

Composed by: S Jenner
(see New Compositions)

1 Christopher Bostock
2 Gail L Randall
3 Peter C Randall (C)
4 Simon J Reading
5 Martin J Whiteley
6 James S Croft
7 Stephen J Hall
8 Richard F Knights
Birthday compliment to 4.
Also to welcome Bodhi Sage Knights,
grandson of 8, born 02/12/21

21397

ECCLSFIELD, St Mary the Virgin.

Thursday, 16 Dec 2021, 3h 18m

5039 Grandfire Caters

Composed by: A M Tyler
(Peal No 6784)

1 Dinah M Donovan
2 Trevor C Ledger
3 Cindy Maude
4 Roger S Riley
5 Adrian M Moreton
6 Alex S Riley
7 Christopher M Bennett
8 Malcolm S Turner
9 Neil Donovan (C)
10 Simon J Reading

On the 60th anniversary of the conductor's first peal - same method, at Rotherham

21398

NORTHALLERTON

19 The Green, Romanby.

Friday, 17 Dec 2021, 2h 53m

5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal

Composed by: J Clatworthy
(see New Compositions)

1-2 Jennifer A Town
3-4 Alex S Riley
5-6 Peter C Randall (C)
7-8 Peter J Sanderson
9-10 Christopher H Enzor

21399

NORTHALLERTON, All Saints.

Saturday, 18 Dec 2021, 3h 14m

5088 Spiced Surprise Major

7 methods: 800 Lessness; 736 Adelaide, Cornwall, Deva, Malpas; 704 Superlative; 640 Bristol. 133 com, atw.

Composed by: A G Reading & M B

Davies (see New Compositions)

1 David A Town
2 Jennifer A Town
3 Rachel C Wells
4 Alex S Riley (C)
5 G Jessica Durham
6 James P Town
7 Matthew J L Durham
8 Peter J Sanderson

21400
LEEDS, Cathedral Church of St Anne.
Tuesday, 21 Dec 2021, 2h 34m
5088 Immingham Surprise Major
Composed by: R D S Brown
(see New Compositions)
1 Kevin M Price
2 Paul Brook
3 Gail L Randall
4 Simon J Plackett
5 C Barrie Dove (C)
6 Alan G Futers
7 Graham Bloom
8 John M Thurman

21401
SELBY ABBEY
SS Mary & Germanus.
Wednesday, 22 Dec 2021, 3h 20m
5045 Stedman Caters
Composed by: A S Riley
(see New Compositions)
1 Alex S Riley (C)
2 Sally A Brown
3 Ruth Curtis
4 Simon J Plackett
5 C Barrie Dove
6 Alan G Futers †
7 Neil R Aspland
8 Paul F Curtis
9 Roger S Riley
10 Paul Brook
The Robert Kilby Memorial Peal
2021.

21402
ELLOUGHTON, St Mary.
Thursday, 23 Dec 2021, 2h 29m
5040 Surprise Minor
7 methods, 1 extent each York, Beverley,
London, Norwich, Wells, Bourne,
Cambridge.
1 C Barrie Dove (C)
2 Roger S Riley
3 Philip R Wild
4 Nicholas D Soanes
5 Alan G Futers
6 Neil R Aspland

21403
BOLSTERSTONE, St Mary.
Thursday, 23 Dec 2021, 2h 53m
5040 Stedman Triples
Composed by: J W Washbrook
(Peal No 3165)
1 Stephen J Hall (C)
2 Deborah L Blagden
3 Christopher M Bennett
4 Helen J Audley †
5 Gary J Audley
6 Simon J Reading
7 Nicholas J Parkes
8 Edmund H Mottershead

21404
SHEFFIELD
Cathedral Ringing Chamber.
Friday, 24 Dec 2021, 2h 36m
5056 Plain Bob Major
Composed by: D G Walker
(Peal No 21344)
1-2 Judith M Reading
3-4 Stephen J Hall (C)
5-6 James S Croft
7-8 Simon J Reading
To mark 50 years of peal ringing on the
new bells here

21405
SHEFFIELD CATHEDRAL
SS Peter & Paul.
Monday, 27 Dec 2021, 3h 30m
5040 Cambridge Surprise Maximus
Composed by: A G Reading
(see New Compositions)
1 Judith M Reading
2 Stephanie J Warboys
3 Simon J T Smith
4 Deborah L Blagden
5 Alan G Reading (C)
6 Simon J Reading
7 Nicholas J Parkes
8 Margaret H Ross
9 Tim R Palmer
10 Alistair J E Smith
11 Christopher M Bennett
12 Stephen J Hall
To mark the 50th anniversary of the first
peal on these bells, rung on this day in
1971.

21406
LEEDS, Cathedral Church of St Anne.
Tuesday, 28 Dec 2021, 2h 34m
5088 Jackbury Surprise Major
Composed by: R D S Brown
(Peal No 21400)
1 Kevin M Price
2 James W Holdsworth
3 Gail L Randall
4 C Barrie Dove (C)
5 Peter J Tiley
6 Derek J Thomas
7 Alan G Futers
8 Paul Brook
First peal in the method for the
Association

21407
DORE, Christ Church.
Thursday, 30 Dec 2021, 2h 53m
5120 Hazlehurst Surprise Major
Composed by: A G Reading
(see New Compositions)
1 Dinah M Donovan
2 Stephen J Hall
3 Adrian M Moreton
4 Gail L Randall
5 Peter C Randall
6 Simon J Reading
7 Alan G Reading (C)
8 Neil Donovan
In memoriam Geoff Vardy of Norton,
Sheffield who died on 23.12.2021
First peal in the method.

21408
CHAPEL ALLERTON, St Matthew.
Thursday, 30 Dec 2021, 2h 38m
5040 Surprise Minor
7 methods, 1 extent each Ipswich,
London, Surfleet, Norwich, Beverley,
Bourne, Cambridge.
1 Trevor C Ledger
2 C Barrie Dove (C)
3 Barry F Peachey
4 Philip R Wild
5 Nicholas D Soanes
6 Paul Brook

21409
POTT SHRIGLEY, St Christopher.
Cheshire.
Friday, 31 Dec 2021, 2h 54m
5040 Treble Dodging Minor
7 methods, 1 extent each; Taxal D,
Carlisle S, London S, Annable's London
S, Bourne S, Norwich S, Cambridge S.
1 Christopher Bostock
2 Stephen J Hall
3 James S Croft
4 Simon J Reading
5 Christopher M Bennett
6 Alan G Reading (C)

COMPOSITION SECRETARY'S REPORT

There were 26 new compositions rung this year. Also, there were 7 compositions which had been rung again but to different methods. The leading composer of new compositions was Alan Reading (6). All the compositions, including old compositions to new methods, have been computer proved and found to be true.

John M Goldthorpe: *Composition Secretary*

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NEW COMPOSITIONS 2021

Plain Major

21348

5024 Plain Bob Major

David G Hull (*No.2*)

23456	W	B	M	H
43256				-S
25364		-	2	
46352	S-			-S
26453			2	
34562	S-			
34625		-		
23546			-S	
43526	2			S-
24536			SS	
23465	2	-		S-

2 part.

64 cru. *Backgrounds, Tittums.*

Delight Major

21376

5056 Ivy-Leaved Toadflax Delight Major

Richard F Knights

234567	V/6	B	M/4	F/5	I	H
573624	x			I.B.F		
56342			x			
(456723)				B.F.I	x	
725364		I.B				-
735462	2	x		I.B.F		-
574263		-				
64352						
43652		x				
(43652)				B.F.I		
(23456)				x		
23456				B.F.I		3

Bob=14, x=16.

24 5678; 20 8765. 89+140

LB4. Backgrounds.

Surprise Major

21371

5120 Bristol Surprise Major

Donald F Morrison (No.7135)

23456	M	B	W	H
42356				1
32546			2	1
24536			2	
24365		-		1
53462	1			1
43652	1	-		1
54326		-		2
25463		-		2
63254	2		1	
45236	1		1	1
65432		-	1	
53624		-		
32465	2	-		
26354		-		
24653	2			1
56342	2	-	2	
64523		-		
23645		-	2	
23456		-		1

89 cru inc 24 56s, 65s.12 8765.
24 8765 off the front. 52+56 LB4
inc 14+13 LB5. Backgrounds.

21364

5088 Bristol Surprise Major

Alan G Reading

234567	M	B	F	V	W	H
25364		-				-S
26354					S-	
273546				S		
43526			S			
23645	-S				S	
34256		-				

3 part.
73 cru inc 24 56s; 21 65s. 24
8765. 24 5678, 8765 off the
front. Backgrounds, Tittums.

21366

5088 Frithelstock Surprise Major

James W Washbrook (rotated)

23456	M	B	W	H
34256				2
45236			2	
32654	-		-	
53462		3	-	-

3 part.
72 cru inc 18 56s.

21383

5088 Grantsville Surprise Major

BYROC

23456	M	B	3	V	W	H
34256						2
25346					-	-
35426		-				-
64523	-					-
64235	-		S	S		2
23645					-	-

3 part.
96 cru inc 24 56s. Backgrounds,
Tittums.

21351

5152 Hawswick Surprise Major

Anthony J Cox

23456	M	W	H
52436		-	
34256 (I.B.F)		2	2
56342	2	-	
23645	-		-

3 part.
Call I.B.F in part 2 only.
72 cru inc 18 56s. Tittums.

21407

5120 Hazlehurst Surprise Major

Alan G Reading

(234657)	F	I	H	V	B	M	W
24365			S				
537264	-						
42536		-					S
243765		-	S				
(472635)					-	SS	A
(352746)					-	S	
46253				-		S	
327456	-						
(24365)		-					
32465			-				
(32465)				A			
(62435)							S
(43652)					-	S	
(25436)					-		S
43265					-	S	
(43265)				A			
(23465)			S--				

Snap start and finish.
64 cru inc 24 56s, 65s. 24 8765.
24 5678, 8765 off the front.
Backgrounds.

21400

5088 Immingham Surprise Major

Robert D S Brown

23456	M	B	W	H
34526			2	S
25463	S		S	S
23645		3	-	3

3 part.
72 cru inc 18 56s. Tittums.

21395

5024 Kalium Surprise Major

Alan G Reading

234567	V	I	6	O	F	7	8
437265				-S		-	
32456			-				-
24356				-			
473526	S	-			2		
45362		3			-		
56342		-					
54326	-	2					-
427365		S		-S-		-	
35264			-				
472536	S				2		
45263		3			-		
23456	S						-

51 cru inc 24 56s. 24 8765.
24 5678, 8765 off the front.
Backgrounds, Tittums.

21392

5120 Lessness Surprise Major

Thomas J Hinks (No.1)

23456	M	B	I	V	W	H
53246			-	-	-	
32546			-	-		
24365	(3)	-				
24653		-			3	-
34256		-			-	

3 part. Omit 3M in part 3.
88 cru inc 24 56s, 65s.Tittums.

21357

5056 Lewes Surprise Major

Alex S Riley

234567	F	O	6	I	V	7	8
647325					2	-	
35426			-				
64523		-			-		
54326			8.7.6	-			-
24536		-			2		SS
43526				-			SS
43652		-					-
46253		-			2		
36452	SS				-		
64352	SS	-				6.8.7	
23456		-			-		

24 5678; 19 8765. 52+62 LB4. Backgrounds.

21380

5056 Superlative Surprise Major

BYROC, arr Benjamin D Constant

(25364)	B	M	W	H
63524		3	S	S
24536		S	-	
54632		-		
43526	-			
42635		-S	--S	
65234		-		S
35264			S	
62534		3	S	S
42536		S	SS	
43625		-S	--S	
65324		-		S
25364			S	

Snap start and finish.
50 cru inc 24 56s. 24 8765.24
5678, 8765 off the front.40+42
LB4. Backgrounds, Tittums.

21396

5088 Superlative Surprise Major

Stanley Jenner

23456	B	M	W	H
42356				-
36524		-	-	2
23645	-			2
62345			3	-
32546		-	3	
65243		-		-
34256		-	-	-
45362	-			
46352		3	S-	
46253		4*		
65432	-			
23456		-	-	-

4* = --S-
58 cru inc 18 56s. 12 8765.44+47
LB4. Backgrounds, Queens.

21382

5152 Swan on The Stray Surprise Major
James W Holdsworth

234567	W	V	F	3	M	H
34256						2
32546	-					2
472536	3			S	3	
43652		S			2	-
36452			B.F.I			2
65432	2		B.F.I			
46253	-				-	
53246		S	S			-
23456	2					-

53 cru inc 24 56s. 24 8765.18
5678, 8765 off the front.44+55
LB4. Backgrounds.

21372

5184 Zif Surprise Major
Robert D S Brown

23456	W	I	V	M	B	H
23564					-	-
23645					-	-
52643		-	-	S		S
26543		-	-			
26435					-	-
26354					-	-
54263	-			2		-
34256	S			S		SS

3 part.
80 cru inc 24 56s; 21 65s. 18
5678 off the front.

21399

5088 Spliced Surprise Major (7 methods)
Alan G Reading & Mark B Davies

234567	I	F	V	W	M	B	H	Methods
64352					-		-	W/MBBEM/
574263	-					-		EE/MBMBE/SAE
56342		-		-				EASM/EMW/E
(35264)				-	-			SM/AS/
347265		-						SS/A/E
(427365)				2				MA/MDW/
(647253)	-	-						D/W/
(23456)	-			3		-		B/WW/SAS/WEA/WEE/
24536				-			2	SA/SD/B/
32465				-		-		BEDB/A/D/
24365							2	EAEAA/B/
53462					-		-	SSS/MBMM/
(65432)				-				EEMBM/
(756243)			-			-		MMWB/AE/
(463725)		-						MDS/
725364	-	2		-			-	DD/M/AS/DAD/BB/
537264			3	-			-	DW/DADBW/EDSA/W/BB/
43526	-			-				BW/D/AA
65324					-		-	E/ES/
(46253)				-	2			ADBA/DS/B/
25463				-			-	WWDA/M/
42563							-	DWE/
64523				-				SM/MWEEW
35426					-		-	M/SW/
42356				-			-	MWDS/W/
34256							-	ESDA/
23456							-	WDW/

800 Lessness(E); 736 Adelaide, Cornwall(W), Deva, Malpas; 704
Superlative; 640 Bristol. 133 com, all the work. 59 cru inc 23 56s;
22 65s. 19 8765. 77+77 LB4. Backgrounds, Kings, Queens,
Whittingtons.

21391

5184 Spliced Surprise Major (7 methods)

Donald F Morrison (No.8576)

23456	M	B	W	H	Methods
35264		-			SY/WB
64523		2			EWB/BY/BW
64235		-	-		LEW/CS/
36245			-		SL/CYC
54263	-		-	-	L/Y/L/
32465	-			(-)	E/SE(/)

6 part. Omit (-) in parts 2, 4 and 6.

768 Bristol, Cornwall(W), Lessness(E), London, Superlative, Yorkshire; 576 Cambridge. 149 com. 80 cru inc 21 56s, 65s. Backgrounds, Queens.

21350

5056 Spliced Surprise Major (8 methods)

Alan G Reading & Mark B Davies (No.2)

234567	M	V	I	B	F	W	H	Methods
64352	-						-	L/BBO/
45362			-	-	-	2		BL/B/GE/WEW/WEEWL/L
(427365)	-				-	3		W/SS/O/WC/SCGG/
(647253)			-		-			WW/W/
23645			-			2		B/SS/COC/L
(42635)							-	SGOG/
45236				-			-	O/EW/L/
24536							-	LOEE/
32546							-	EOL/E
24365				-			3	OCW/WW/B/B/
53462	-						-	E/LC/
65432							-	GCCO/B
463725		-		-	-			BWEL/G/ELC/C
725364			-		2		-	OG/SSG/BW/O/BB/
745263		-						S/SSG
735462		-						C/W
537264			-				-	BWBE/SGGC/BB/
43526			-				-	BOGC/CS/B
65324	-						-	SSG/OOG/
(26354)							-	LS/
25463	2						-	WB/B/EO/CSLO/
42563							-	LOSO/
64523							-	BLWBL/E
35426	-						-	W/SW/
42356							-	CGGCC/W/
34256							-	WEWBE/
23456							-	CCLQES/

768 Cornwall(W); 736 Bristol; 640 Cambridge, Superlative; 608 Cassiobury(O); 576 Lessness(E); 544 Glasgow, London. 124 com, all the work.

56 cru inc 18 56s; 19 65s. 18 8765. 17 8765 off the front. 45+65 LB4. Backgrounds, Kings, Queens, Whittingtons.

Caters

21401

5045 Stedman Caters

Alex S Riley (No.2)

231456789	6 8 15 16	sixes	
312456978	s1.2.4.s6.s8.10.11.12.s16	16	
1432	- s -		
4213	- s -		
2341	- s -		
234165798	s7.s9.s12.s18		
325164	s4.s11.s13.s16		
234561	s4.s11.s13.16		
654321	s8.s11		
534162	4.6.15.16		
352164	5.6	A	
563124	5.s11.s13.s16		
214653	s4.15.16		
123654	s4.s11.s13.s16		
264315978	s4.6.s12.15		
164325	s11		
341265789	3.6.8.11.13.16.18		
2134	s4.5.s7.10.s12		16
324197568	s2.4.6.s9.11.12		12
3124	1.2.4.5.7.s9.10.s13.14		14
3421	s		
4132	s3.s13.s14.15		
123465789	2.4.5.s11.12.19.20		20
312465879	s5.6.7.s9.13.s15		16
1432	s -		
4213	s - B		
2341	s -		
234165789	s6.12.13		
164325879	A		
431295786	s2.5.8.s12.s16		
4231	-		
2143	s4.8.9.14.15.18.19		20
2314	-		
573614928	s3.4.5		10
892143657	3.5.7.8.9.10.11.12		12
795836142	5.s7.8.10.12		12
519347268	2.3.6.7		8
321465879	1.5.6.8.10.s13.15.17.18		
1342	B		

21360

5067 Stedman Caters

Lucinda J Woodward

231456789	5	8	15	16	
213456978	1.s	3.14			
3124	-		s		
3142		s	-		
4132	-		s		
4123		s	-		
2143	-		s		
213465879	4.s	6.9.11.13.14	(14 sixes)		

315462	-		3		
5143	-		2	A	
412365	-		3		

413265978	4.5.6.9.11.13.14	(14 sixes)			
2143		A			
213456879	4.s	6.9.11.13.14	(14 sixes)		
214365		B			

Surprise Royal

21398

5040 Cambridge Surprise Royal

James Clatworthy

23456	M	W	H
34256			2
64523	-	2	-
34526	S	3	
56423	S		-
23465	S	-	3
45362	S		-
64352		-	
23456	-		-

50 cru inc 21 56s; 18 65s.

21352

5040 Superlative No.2 Surprise Royal

Donald F Morrison (No.6283)

23456	M	W	H
53462	S	S	
63452	SS	S	
42356	S	(SS)	-

3 part. Omit (SS) in one part.
Backgrounds.

21374

5039 Spliced Surprise Royal (4 methods)

Alex S Riley

	M		W	H	
234567890	M				
45236			-	-	LB/L/
34256			-		KCKCKCKK/L
54263	s		s		L.B.C
23465	-		s		L/BBL.
45362	s		-		CC.CKCKKLL/
453627089		B			BBBB/KLLLL
352648790	-	V.sF.B			L/BBBB/LB.L/CKCC
34562	2		-		CK/K/LB/
654329078		B.sV	s	s	CCCL/CC.BBBBB.L.
436527890		F.B	-	-	CKCL/CK/BBBB/L/
082694735		I			KCKC/
643587092	7	(7)			KKCKCKK/
865709324	2.3.5.7	(7)			LL/B/LL/BB/
087932546	3.4.7.9	(9)			KKC/B/KKC/BB/
309254768	2.3.5.11	(11)			KL/B/CL/CCKCKL/
(325476980)	2.3.5	(8)			LL/B/LL/BB(B)

1399 Bristol; 1240 Clyde, London No.3; 1160 Lockington(K). 78 com, all the work.

23 0987. 48+119 LB4 inc 18+40 LB5.

Cinques

21363

5007 Stedman Cinques

Adrian M Moreton (No.2a)

2314567890E	6	19
21435678E90	1.s4.s9.17	
412653	-	-
413256	-	
3124	-	2
2134	-	s A
3142	-	2
4123	-	2
2146538709E	2.6.s13.s15.19	
214356	A	
2143658790E		
s1.5.s8.10.11.s13.s15.16	(20 sixes)	
41256378E90	1.s2.6.s13.s15.19	
412365	A	
2145638709E	2.6.s13.s15.19	
214365	A	

Surprise Maximus

21405

5040 Cambridge Surprise Maximus

Alan G Reading (No.5)

	B	M	W	H
23456				
42356				-
53624		-	-	
46325		-		-
24365			-	
53462		-		-
65432			-	
45236		-		
45362	X			-
64352			-	
23456		-		-

0+106 LB4 inc 0+34 LB5.