

## The Master's Devon peal weekend

Over the weekend of Friday 19th – Sunday, 21st October members of the Ancient Society of College Youths congregated in Devon to enjoy some of that county's glorious rings of bells and the fellowship of the Devon members. Matthew Hilling had been busy and had secured peal attempts at a number of fine Devon towers, including the magnificent octaves at Broadclyst, Sidbury, Silverton, Tiverton and Uffculme. In all, 12 peals were attempted and all were successfully executed with a total of 38 members taking part. The current Master, David Maynard, had joined the Society during his time as a student at Exeter University and had done most of his early 12 bell ringing with the Exeter Cathedral band, many of whom took part in the weekend. David had also been initiated into the mysteries of handbell ringing during his time in Exeter and was very pleased to ring a handbell peal with some of the Exeter members during the course of the weekend.

### ANCIENT SOCIETY OF COLLEGE YOUTHS

**BROADCLYST**, Devon,  
St John the Baptist  
Fri Oct 19 2012 3h5 (20)  
**5088 Dereham S Major**  
Comp. D F Morrison (No.3064)  
1 Geoffrey C Sparling  
2 Susan D Sparling  
3 Clare J Griffiths  
4 David P Hilling  
5 Matthew J Hilling (C)  
6 Jonathan R Slack  
7 David G Maynard  
8 David Hird

**EXETER**, Devon, St Mark  
Fri Oct 19 2012 2h48 (12)  
**5000 London No.3 S Royal**  
Comp. R W Lee (5000 No.1)  
1 Paul J Pascoe  
2 Lynne P Hughes  
3 James Kirkcaldy  
4 Stephen J F Mitchell  
5 Roger King  
6 Andrew J Palk  
7 Robert W Lee (C)  
8 Katherine L Town  
9 Graham M Bradshaw  
10 Michael E C Mears  
200th peal: 2.  
800th peal: 4.

**SILVERTON**, Devon, St Mary  
Fri Oct 19 2012 2h45 (16)  
**5184 Superlative S Major**  
Comp. D F Morrison (No.1930)  
1 David P Hilling (C)  
2 Katherine L Town  
3 Roger King  
4 Richard Harrison  
5 Charles P Quartley  
6 Graham M Bradshaw  
7 Robert W Lee  
8 Paul J Pascoe

**THORVERTON**, Devon,  
St Thomas of Canterbury  
Fri Oct 19 2012 2h56 (15)  
**5040 Cambridge S Royal**  
Comp. J Clatworthy  
1 Geoffrey C Sparling  
2 Peter Valuks  
3 Clare J Griffiths  
4 Simon A Bond  
5 D Robert Sworder  
6 Jonathan R Slack  
7 Stephen J F Mitchell  
8 A Stephen Taylor  
9 Philip R Goodyer  
10 Michael E C Mears (C)  
On the ASCY Devon peal weekend.

**NEWTON ST CYRES**, Devon,  
SS Cyr & Julitta  
Sat Oct 20 2012 2h50 (13)  
**5088 Lessness S Major**  
Comp. S Jenner  
1 A Stephen Taylor  
2 Andrew P Digby  
3 Clare J Griffiths  
4 Lynne P Hughes  
5 Ian W Avery  
6 James Kirkcaldy  
7 Paul J Pascoe (C)  
8 Reginald T McKenzie  
Rung to welcome Zak Harris,  
born 3rd October - nephew of 2.  
2,100th peal: 7.  
50th peal for the Society: 5.

**SIDBURY**, Devon, St Giles  
Sat Oct 20 2012 2h56 (16)  
**5024 Yorkshire S Major**  
Comp. R W Lee (5024 No.2)  
1 Robert W Lee (C)  
2 Mervyn C Way  
3 D Robert C Sworder  
4 Nigel G Birt  
5 Fergus M S Stracey  
6 Timothy M Payne  
7 Andrew P Digby  
8 David G Maynard

**TIVERTON**, Devon, St Peter  
Sat Oct 20 2012 3h24 (25)  
**5056 Bristol S Major**  
Comp. D F Morrison (No.4775)  
1 Philip R Goodyer  
2 Rachael C Smith  
3 Graham M Bradshaw  
4 Jonathan R Slack  
5 Katherine L Town  
6 Fergus M S Stracey  
7 Timothy M Payne (C)  
8 Peter Valuks

**WITHYCOMBE RALEIGH**,  
Devon, St John the Evangelist  
Sat Oct 20 2012 3h10 (17)  
**5040 Bristol S Maximus**  
Comp. J Clatworthy  
1 David P Hilling (C)  
2 Katherine L Town  
3 Charles W G Herriott  
4 Rachael C Smith  
5 Martin J Cansdale  
6 Simon A Bond  
7 Jonathan R Slack  
8 Graham M Bradshaw  
9 Peter Valuks  
10 Samuel M Austin  
11 Philip R Goodyer  
12 Paul J Pascoe

**UFFCULME**, Devon,  
St Mary the Virgin  
Sat Oct 20 2012 3h15 (22)  
**5184 Ytterbium S Major**  
Comp. A J Cox  
1 David P Hilling  
2 Siân E Austin  
3 Susan D Sparling  
4 Geoffrey C Sparling  
5 David G Maynard  
6 Charles W G Herriott (C)  
7 Samuel M Austin  
8 Robert W Lee

**EXETER**, Devon,  
St Michael & All Angels, Pinhoe  
Sun Oct 21 2012 2h41 (10)  
**5090 Cambridge S Major**  
Comp. B D Price  
1 Paul J Pascoe  
2 Roger King  
3 Andrew P Digby  
4 David G Maynard (C)  
5 Fergus M S Stracey  
6 Robert E Franklin  
7 Michael E C Mears  
8 David Hird

**WOODBURY**, Devon, St Swithun  
Sun Oct 21 2012 3h9 (24)  
**5152 London S Major**  
Comp. S J Ivin  
1 Peter Valuks  
2 David P Hilling  
3 Martin J Cansdale (C)  
4 D Robert C Sworder  
5 Jonathan R Slack  
6 Simon A Bond  
7 Philip R Goodyer  
8 Robert W Lee

**EXETER**, Devon, Rose Duryard  
Fri Oct 19 2012 2h21 (15)  
**5088 Yorkshire S Major**  
Comp. D F Morrison (No.1619)  
1–2 Susan D Sparling  
3–4 David G Maynard  
5–6 Matthew J Hilling (C)  
7–8 David Hird

## First peal in tower at Garlickhythe



The ringers and the Royal Scarlett of the Royal Jubilee Bells (l-r): David Macey, Stephen Penney, David House, Dickon Love, Richard Smith (treble), Jennifer Earis, Philip Earis and Fr David Gibbons

### ANCIENT SOCIETY OF COLLEGE YOUTHS

**CITY OF LONDON**,  
St James Garlickhythe -  
The Royal Jubilee Bells  
Wed Jul 25 2012 2h56 (9)  
**5152 Jubilee S Major**  
Comp. A J Cox

1 Richard A Smith  
2 Jennifer E Earis  
3 Philip J Earis  
4 David A Gibbons  
5 David P Macey  
6 Stephen W Penney  
7 David E House  
8 Dickon R Love (C)  
Rung on the Patronal Festival.  
The first peal in the tower.

### Please don't delay sending peal reports in to the RW office.

If you want special attention paid to any detail (i.e. church dedication, composition, unusually spelt names), please indicate this clearly on your report.

**City of London**. (S James Garlickhythe - The Royal Jubilee Bells) 22 Jul, 1250 Yorkshire S Major: Liam M Sims 1, David P Macey 2, Fr David A Gibbons 3, Henry V Bettinson 4, Andrew V Brown 5, Ian K Bushell 6, Stephen W Penney 7, Dickon R Love (C) 8. Rung for the Patronal Festival service following the prayers of commissioning by the Ven David Meara, Archdeacon of London. The first quarter peal in the tower.

## First peal on the Sunderland Minster ten

### DURHAM & NEWCASTLE DIOCESAN ASSOCIATION

**SUNDERLAND**, Tyne & Wear,  
Minster  
Mon Sep 17 2012 2h57 (12)  
**5040 Plain Bob Royal**  
Comp. D F Morrison (No.2865)  
1 Christine Richardson  
2 Julie Bell  
3 E Alyson Kerr  
4 Karen Dickinson  
5 David B Cox  
6 Peter K D Dawson  
7 Stephen B Bell  
8 Jeremy Housden  
9 Howard E J Smith  
10 Kristopher King (C)

Rung for the licensing of Sheila Bamber as Canon Provost of Sunderland Minster, and for the licensing of Revd Chris Howson as Chaplain of Sunderland University. First peal on the augmented ring. First on ten: 5. The band would like to associate Chris Richardson and Ron Warford with this peal.  
**See front page article.**

## Christ the Saviour, Ealing Jubilee re-hang

### MIDDLESEX C.A. & LONDON D.G.

**EALING**, London,  
Christ the Saviour  
Sat Jul 21 2012 3h7 (13)  
**5040 Grandsire Triples**  
Comp. Bruerton  
1 Alan J Taylor  
2 Stephanie Pattenden  
3 Susan Mills  
4 Jan McHugh  
5 Stephen G Jakeman (C)  
6 Richard Jones  
7 James W Belshaw  
8 John Jones  
Rung in the 160th year of the church to celebrate the Jubilee of Queen Elizabeth and the re-hanging of the bells.



Left to right: Stephen Jakeman, Alan Taylor, Richard Jones, John Jones, Fr Andrew Davis – Vicar, James W Belshaw, Susan Mills, Stephanie Pattenden and Jan McHugh

## General Handbell Peals concluded

**BACTON**, Suffolk,  
2 Pretyma Avenue  
Wed Nov 28 2012 1h43 (11)  
**5040 Surprise Minor**  
(7m: 1 ext each Kelso, Cuneacaste, Coldstream, Wells, Redbourn, London, Lincoln)  
1-2 Cherril C Spiller  
3-4 Jeremy W Spiller  
5-6 Peter J Waterfield (C)

**BACTON**, Suffolk,  
2 Pretyma Avenue  
Wed Nov 28 2012 1h44 (11)  
**5040 Surprise Minor**  
(7m: 1 ext each Wooler, Whitley, Morpeth, Alnwick, Chester, Carlisle, Sandiacre)  
1-2 Cherril C Spiller  
3-4 Jeremy W Spiller (C)  
5-6 Peter J Waterfield