

## Contact the T.R.C.:

Website: Go to our website at <http://www.troyteringingcentre.org.uk> for details of courses, practices and other events and to get more information about the Centre.

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Join our e-mail list

We can keep you informed of forthcoming training events. Contact Les Boyce to join the Centre's mailing list for e-mail alerts about forthcoming events.

***THE TROYTE RINGING CENTRE CAN HELP YOU!***



## **Programme of Events January to July 2018**

**Extended Practices**

**Quarter Peals**

**Peals**

**Help for towers**

**TROYTE RINGING CENTRE**

**Bampton & Huntsham**

**Devon**

## Help for Towers & Groups

### BESPOKE TRAINING & PRACTICES

Events can be arranged for tower bands or groups of ringers with the same needs, e.g. raising or lowering in peal or starting to plain hunt. These can be arranged to take place either:

- at the T.R.C.. where refreshments and light lunches can be provided. *or*
- in your own tower after consultation with your ringers about what the training is aiming to do and when it can best be done.

A key requirement is that the individual ringers in towers or groups can commit to attending the sessions which are arranged. Help from others can be arranged where a tower is short of experienced ringers. Courses can be run in the daytime or evening, weekdays or weekends, subject to the availability of tutors, the Centre bells and helping ringers. Please contact Les Boyce to discuss your requirements and the arrangements for meeting these.

### Quarter Peals

Quarter Peals are an excellent way of getting extended practice for a particular method or several methods. We can arrange for an experienced band to ring with you to help you achieve your ringing targets. Quarter Peals normally are rung at Huntsham on the first Wednesday evening of each month, but additional quarters can be arranged for other times. If you would like us to organise a quarter peal for you or at a date/time/venue convenient to you, please contact Sheila Scofield.

### Peals

Like quarter peals, a peal attempt is a good way to get practice. The Troyte R. C. organises regular peals and anyone interested in ringing in one should contact Mike Hatchett.

### Extended Practices

The number of students at our Extended Practices is carefully limited to ensure that all learners get a good opportunity for plenty of ringing. Where there is demand we may run extra events, so please get in touch to let us know your needs.

## Extended Practices January-July 2018

### SAT 27th January, 10.00-13.00 Raise & Lower in Peal

If you are able to ring a bell up & down but struggling to do so in peal then this is the course for you. A practical session with tips & understanding how to know if you are too high/low, near or far.

### SAT 17th February, 10.00-13.00 Kaleidoscope

To improve bell control in Call Changes and also for those who want to take first steps into method ringing by learning how to change the position of their bell both at Handstroke & Backstroke. Early development of place making & dodging. £4 — No lunch due to wedding.

### SAT 10th March, 10.00-13.00 Call Change & Listening skills

This event is for ringers who wish to develop skills in the 'Devon Call Change' style. Improve your skills in ringing with rhythm, making 'clean' changes, listening & leading well. Opportunity will also be given in calling changes and having a go at judging striking.

### SAT 28th April, 10.00-13.00 Plain Hunting

Want to make a start with method ringing? If you can ring call changes and know a little of the theory of plain hunt already, then this practice will give you the chance to ring plain hunt on several different bells or to ring the treble to a variety of methods.

### Sat 21st July, 10.00-13.00 Plain Bob Doubles

If you can ring Plain Hunt and wish to make a start on ringing an inside bell to a method, then this is for you. A practical session enabling you to ring Plain Courses and touches with an experienced band. Some theory, tips on how to learn a method & recognising some signposts.

*NB. All the above dates/times are subject to change if there are weddings booked at Huntsham Church after initial advertisement.*

All practices listed above will be held at Huntsham. Fee: £6 inc lunch for each event. unless stated otherwise

If you wish to attend any of these events, please book a place with Les Boyce well in advance.