

JANUARY

Fri 23 Badgeworth
1930 Doubles Methods
(& drinks afterwards)

FEBRUARY

Sat 28 Colesbourne
1430 Snowdrop Festival
General Ringing

MARCH

Sat 7 Barnwood
1000 Branch Officers

Sat 14 Cirencester
All day Training Day (basic)

Sat 28 Charlton Kings
1030 Surprise Methods

APRIL

Apr 18 Chippenham Branch
All day Croome Trophy
Penn Trophy
Association AGM

Apr 25 Prestbury
1600 Double Norwich (& drinks)

MAY

Sat 2 Tewkesbury Shield
Competition

Sat 16 Childswickham
1600 Basic Doubles (& drinks)

Wed 20 Warden Hill
1900- Practice for Striking
2100 Competition

JUNE

Sat 6 Afternoon Outing (& meal)
(details to follow)

Sat 13 Warden Hill
1630 Branch Striking Competition

JULY

Fri 24 Leckhampton
1930 Stedman Triples & Calling

AUGUST

SEPTEMBER

Sat 19 Afternoon Outing (& meal)
(details to follow)

OCTOBER

Sat 10 Wotton
All day Training Day (advanced)

Sat 17 Woolstone
1030 Surprise Minor

NOVEMBER

Sat 7 St Marks
1030 Surprise Major - Standard 8

Sat 21 Prestbury
1500 Branch AGM

DECEMBER

Branch events are usually aimed either at everyone (e.g. General Ringing and Outings) or at improving specific skills (e.g. Doubles or Surprise Methods, raising/lowering etc).

Once you can ring rounds well in your home tower, you are welcome to visit other towers for regular practices, Sunday ringing, or general branch events.

Please contact one of the Ringing Masters if you would like to ring anything particular at a practice, or if you have a particular training need.

Practices may be affected by last minute changes at the churches – e.g. weddings, funeral and concerts. We try to post the latest information by email and on the branch website.

Additions following the 2015
Consultation are in red.

REGULAR PRACTICES

Mon	1915	St Mark (8)
	1930	Leckhampton (8)
Tue	1930	Charlton Kings (8)
	1930	Elkstone (6)
	1930	Prestbury (8)
Wed	1930	Bishop's Cleeve (8)
	1900	Warden Hill (6)
	1930	Winchcombe (8)
Thur	1930	Cheltenham Minster (12)
	1945	Alderton / Dumbleton (6)
Fri	1945	Badgeworth (6)
Sat	1030	Woolstone (6) (2 nd Sat)

Cheltenham Minster Practice on a 5th Thursday is usually a 12 bell practice. (An email will be sent out to confirm)

Dumbleton & Alderton swap on a local schedule: please phone to confirm.

The committee are always happy to visit, speak or otherwise act for the good of ringing and of ringers; or to assist in discussions with churches PCCs and local communities. If you would like us to support a local event, or if you would like to raise any issue, please get in touch.

SUNDAY RINGING

0910	Leckhampton
0915	Charlton Kings
0925	Elkstone (1 st & 2 nd)
0940	St Mark's (2 nd & 4 th)
0945	Alderton / Dumbleton Winchcombe
1000	Warden Hill
1015	Cheltenham Minster Prestbury
1015	Badgeworth (not always on 5 th)
1030	Bishop's Cleeve
1045	Woolstone (2 nd & 4 th)
1745	Charlton Kings (not 1 st)
1800	Swindon Village

The times given here are fairly dependable but may vary due to special occasions and local circumstances.

Times are for the start of ringing, usually about 30-45 min before service times.

If you wish to receive emails from the Branch and do not already do so, please send an email to secretary@cheltenhambranch.org.uk from the address you would like used.

If your email address has changed or if you think you are not receiving emails properly, please tell the Secretary.

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