



THE KENT COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF CHANGE RINGERS

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Easter Monday, 5th April 2021 at 11.00am by Zoom

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AGENDA

1.	Welcome by the Chairman	Handbook	
2.	In Memoriam led by the Revd. David Grimwood	Pages 3-9	
3.	Apologies for Absence - Margaret Fitzgerald, Dot Hooker, Jacqui Barlow, Tim, Diana & Sven Wright,		
4.	Agreement to take items of Any Other Business notified in advance		
5.	Minutes of the AGM held online on 11 th July 2020	Pages 16-21	Vote 1
6.	Matters arising from the Minutes*		
7.	General Secretary's Report*	Pages 21-22	
8.	Treasurer's Report*	Pages 11-14	Vote 2
9.	To agree the Practising Member's Subscription 2021 <i>Treasurer's recommendation – No change from £15 per adult</i>		Vote 3
10.	Allocation of Subscription Funds - <i>Treasurer's recommendation:- 50% General Fund, 37.5% Training Fund, 12.5% KYR Fund, 0% BRF.</i>		Vote 4
11.	Election of an Independent Examiner (Rule 6i) – <i>Treasurer proposes Stephen Marsh</i>		Vote 5
12.	Amendment to Rule 9(i) – see details on Page 8		Vote 6
13.	Peal Secretary's Report*	Page 70	
14.	Quarter Peal Secretary's Report*	Page 65	
15.	Officers' Reports*	Pages 22-24	Vote 7
	15.1 Bell Restoration	15.3 Training	
	15.2 Publicity	15.4 Young Ringers	
16.	Election of Officers – List of nominees on page 8		Vote 8
	16.1 Chairman		
	16.2 Hon. General Secretary	16.9 x5 Central Council Reps.	
	16.3 Hon. Treasurer	16.10 Handbook Editor	
	16.4 Bell Restoration	16.11 Health & Safety	
	16.5 Librarian	16.12 Publicity	
	16.6 Peal Secretary	16.13 Quarter Peal Secretary	
	16.7 Training Officer	16.14 Safeguarding	
	16.8 Youth Officer	16.15 Webmaster	
17.	To note Members achieving 50 years' membership		
	Angela Osenton – Unattached Maureen Poole - Hythe Robert Powell-Williams – Dover Anne Rueff- Unattached	Jacqueline Saker – Whitstable Nicholas Wilkins – Chelsfield Angela Wilkins – Chelsfield	
18.	Forthcoming Events		
19.	Any Other Business (as agreed at the beginning of the meeting)		
20.	Vote of Thanks		

Any comments or queries on the officers reports marked thus* should please be sent by email to the General Secretary gensec@kcacr.org.uk to arrive no later than Saturday 3rd April 2021 and they will be addressed during the presentation of the reports.

There will be opportunity for additional comments to be made from the floor on the day.

5. Minutes of the AGM held online on 11th July 2020 (shown in green as follows)



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11th July 2020 at 11.00am by Zoom Webinar

<p>1.</p>	<p>Welcome by the Chairman – Phillip Barnes welcomed a total of 78 attendees online and later explained how this meeting would operate (technically) as we were unable, due to Covid-19, to meet together in person as in previous years. He began by sharing his view that 2020 had been the strangest year of his ringing life, today being the 46th anniversary of his first ringing lesson at Minster in Sheppey. He felt fortunate to have been able during the last year to ring on the new rings in Singapore and Vernet-les-Bains. This contrasted with how we were all now dealing with the horror of Covid-19 and the changes the virus has made to all of our lives. Like many people, the Chairman had lost some very dear ringing friends during lockdown and was very sad at not being able to say goodbye to them properly. However, it felt particularly nice that, even though this meeting was virtual, we were able to meet and share something fairly normal. The Chairman was wearing his Badge of Office, had the gavel at the ready and displayed the Association Shield which was always on the top table at AGMs.</p> <p>The Chairman then explained how this virtual meeting would be run. The officers of the Association were not able to see the video of all members present, but members would be able to ask questions and raise points of order through the typewritten “Q&A” function or “raise hand” button at which point their microphone would be unmuted. The Chairman then explained how the “polling system” would operate and the results would be shared with all.</p> <p>The Chairman went on to explain that (following various comments made on social media) he wished to clarify the status of the AGM. The Association is an unincorporated body and as such is bound by its rules. It is not in itself a charity and it was not bound by Charity Law to hold an AGM. The Bell Restoration Fund (which is a charity) has never held an AGM and its rules do not require it to do so. (The Charity Commission’s rules are quite clear that not all charities need to hold an AGM unless it is specified in the charity’s governing document.) Likewise, the Church Representation Rules do not apply to this Association, those being the rules under which Church of England Representative bodies such as Parochial Church Councils operate. The Association’s rules do not make any specific description about where or how an AGM is held, merely that it should be held between Easter Day and 31st July. KCACR is not the first ringing Association to hold its AGM online by Zoom and it was hoped this would be as efficient and effective as possible.</p>
<p>2.</p>	<p>In Memoriam - The Reverend David Grimwood called to mind friends and fellow members of the Association; John Barnes, Peter Borer, Jan Boughton, Christine Butcher, John Cannell, Derek Chatfield, Allen Collins, Janet Croughton, Stephen Davis, Brenda Elmer, Reverend Stanley Evans, Coral Fry, Melvyn Hiller, Brian Johnson, Ray Lucas, Matthew Nixon, Jeremy Potter, Andrew Reid, Betty Scoones, Issy Sinden, Peter Skinner, John Stook, Kenneth Sussmes, Peter Wharton, Jean Wilkinson. There then followed a period of silence and prayers.</p>
<p>3.</p>	<p>Apologies for Absence – Tom & Jacqui Barlow, Joy Barnard, Valarine Cooper, Richard Dyson, Margaret Fitzgerald, Florence Hamp, Stan & Ann Jenner, Mike Little, Barbara Meachem, Natalie Slator, Richard, Rebecca and James Steele, Peter Titley and Ray Taylor.</p>
<p>4.</p>	<p>Agreement to take items of Any Other Business notified in advance – Members had been invited to notify items of AOB in advance by 4th July. Members were encouraged to raise any</p>

	additional items during the meeting by using the Q&A function. Any such items would then be taken at item 20.
5.	Minutes of the AGM at Chilham, 22nd April 2019 – The Minutes had been widely circulated and posted on the Association website so were taken as read. No queries had been raised as to their accuracy so the Chairman proposed adoption from the Chair, seconded by Caroline Stockman. An online poll was then taken and the following results displayed for all to see; 94% For, 6% Against. The Chairman would digitally sign the Minutes post meeting.
6.	Matters arising from the Minutes – The General Secretary, Sue Bassett, mentioned one item that had been raised by a member relating to amendment of Association's Rules due to the Central Council rule changes (see item 13.8 of the 2019 AGM Minutes). This had not been achieved during the past year for which apologies were given. Appropriate changes would be made in the coming year but would not affect today's elections to the Central Council.
7.	General Secretary's Report – Sue Bassett confirmed that no comments had been raised by the membership and had nothing to add to her report at pages 22-23 in the 2020 Handbook.
8.	<p>Treasurer's Report – Maureen Poole spoke to her report at pages 13-15 in the 2020 Handbook. She displayed a number of slides (added to the end of these minutes) giving summaries of the accounts. These were explained very clearly, in order to answer questions raised in advance by members. 100% of the 2018 Subscription income funds had been transferred to the General Fund as this had been low at the end of 2018. An adjustment of £1,508.22 had been made to the General Fund to account for the closure of the bookstall. Most of the outstanding income owed to the General Fund at the end of the 2019 financial year was due to the late payment of subscriptions into the account by some districts.</p> <p>The Training Fund had been divided into two distinct funds, General Training (£2,000) and Kent Young Ringers (£2,500), the latter to support the continued development of KYR activities. Funds from General Training had been used to deliver ART and Safeguarding courses to Association members and the KYR Fund had been used to enable the young ringers to participate in the Ringing World National Youth Competition (RWNYC) and the South-East England Youth Striking Contest (SEECON). As a result of the two separate funding allocations the Training Fund expenditure had increased in 2019 to give a negative net income and the balance of the account had been reduced.</p> <p>The expenditure of the Bell Restoration Fund (BRF) increased in 2019 due to the payment of four grants totalling £21,000 and resulting in a negative net income. Most of the outstanding income owed to the BRF at the end of 2019 was due to the late payment of fundraising monies by some districts (120 Club, raffles, etc).</p> <p>The Treasurer confirmed that the accounts had been inspected by the Independent Examiner Stephen Marsh. No further queries on the accounts were raised at the meeting so the Treasurer proposed their adoption. Seconded by the Chairman and an online poll was then taken. Votes For 97%, Against 0%, Abstained 3%</p>
9.	To agree the Practising Member's Subscription 2021 – A question had been raised in advance as to whether membership numbers had decreased following the increase in the 2020 subscription fee and how this had affected Subscription Income. The Treasurer displayed a slide to show the figures and explained these verbally but due to the changes to categories a direct comparison was not possible. Also not all subscriptions had yet been paid into the Association which affected cash flow and impacted on the accuracy of the membership database. It was hoped that a move to an online subscription process in 2021 would address these problems. Therefore the membership database figure of 1,396 had been used in this instance, which gave a total of 62 fewer members for 2020 than the 1,458 in 2019. The Treasurer proposed no increase in

	Member's Subscription, this was seconded by Nick Wilkins. A vote was taken which resulted in adoption of the proposal with 92% For, 4% Against and 4% who Abstained from voting.
10.	Allocation of Subscription Funds – The third slide prepared by the Treasurer was then displayed to explain the rationale behind her recommendation of 50% to the General Fund, 25% to the Training Fund and 25% to the Bell Restoration Fund. A question had been raised by two members about the amount of funding held in the BRF deposit fund being in excess of BRF commitments. The Treasurer explained the BRF Fund had decreased due to grants paid out over the past 3 years and there were agreed future commitments. Discussions had taken place amongst the Trustees and an analysis and review would be undertaken by the General Committee very shortly. The outcomes of this review will be taken to the AGM in 2021. The Treasurer proposed, seconded by Adam Moore and a Poll was taken. This resulted in For 88%, Against 9%, Abstained 3%. Chairman added that the membership are supportive of these developmental funds for training and young ringers. There is a legitimate question about the amount of funds held in the BRF so it is timely that the General Committee should look at the amounts held in the funds before the next AGM.
11.	Election of an Independent Examiner (Rule 6i) – The Treasurer praised Stephen Marsh who had been very helpful during her first year of office and was pleased that he was willing to stand again. The Treasurer proposed that Steven Marsh be appointed Independent Examiner for 2020, seconded by the Chairman. There being no other proposals a vote was taken which resulted in 100% voting For, so was carried nem con.
	Prior to introducing each of the Officers' Reports at Agenda items 12- 15 following, the Chairman sought the approval of members to vote on all these reports, en-bloc at the end of item 15. He advised that members would still be able to ask questions about the reports if they wished by using the Q&A function. A poll was then taken on this proposal and was carried:- For 96%, Against 2%, Abstained 2%.
12.	Peal Secretary's Report – Phillip Barnes commented that it was encouraging to see much ringing activity during lockdown with many Handbell Peals for the Association and by Association members. This appeared to be reminiscent of the Peals Report during the war years. There were no questions raised.
13.	Quarter Peal Secretary's Report – Anthony Leeves had nothing further to report and no questions were raised.
14.	Librarian's Report – Hazel Basford had nothing further to report and no questions were raised.
15.	Officers' Reports – pages 23-28
15.1	Safeguarding – Emma Jarvis had nothing further to report and no questions were raised.
15.2	Training – David Grimwood commented that an interesting Training Programme had been built up for 2020 but it hadn't been possible to implement this due to lockdown. He thanked and expressed gratitude to Tom Hinks for the high quality and standard of his online training sessions. He encouraged members to engage with these. No questions were raised.
15.3	Young Ringers – Jen Thomas added to her report that a young ringer had recently expressed disappointment that she hadn't heard about the Kent Young Ringers earlier in her ringing career. There had been no mention of the Kent Young Ringers in her own tower and very little in her District. Jen Thomas requested that all District Secretaries and Tower Captains should keep spreading the word about KYR. Also to keep in touch with the parents of the very young ringers about young ringer activities. On a happier note she thanked all ringers around Kent who

	enabled young ringers to progress in their individual ringing careers through support and by welcoming young ringers to their towers. No questions were raised.		
15.4	<u>Publicity</u> – Caroline Stockmann asked if anyone who was intending to ring again soon to message her about it, as she'd contacted the BBC to do another piece. Also she would be interested to hear about ringing-related things members had been doing during lockdown. This would enable articles to be written for various papers, which would be interesting to others, whether hand bell ringing, social events or other. No questions were raised.		
15.5	<u>Bell Restoration</u> – Brian Butcher added to his report published on pages 26-27 that the Faversham project was due to start on 10 th August. Referring to the BRF discussions earlier he agreed there was a lot of money held in the fund but in future it may be called upon for 100% grants (one had been given in the past) to prevent the decommissioning of bells. No comments or questions were raised.		
15.6	<u>Health & Safety</u> – Peter Sims commented that 2019 had been a quiet year in terms of reports about health & safety. 2020 had been somewhat different (due to lockdown). No comments or questions were raised.		
	<p>A vote taken to adopt all the above reports en-bloc resulted in 99% For, 1% against.</p> <p>With precisely as many nominations as Officer vacancies (and no other nominations having been received) the Chairman proposed that these be voted en-bloc. Seconded by Peter Dale and carried 96% For, 2% Against with 2% Abstention. The full list of nominees with their proposer and seconder was then read out and is listed in full at the end of these minutes. The following persons were then duly elected by a vote of 99% For, 1% Against.</p>		
16.	Election of Officers		
16.1	<u>Chairman</u> – Phillip Barnes	16.2	<u>General Secretary</u> – Susan Bassett
16.3	<u>Treasurer</u> – Maureen Poole	16.4	<u>Peal Secretary</u> – Phillip Barnes
16.5	<u>Librarian</u> – Hazel Basford	16.6	<u>Bell Restoration</u> – Brian Butcher
16.7	<u>Training</u> – David Grimwood	16.8	<u>Youth</u> – Jen Thomas
16.9	<u>Central Council Representatives</u>		Phillip Barnes
	Doug Davis		David Grimwood
	Caroline Stockmann		Nicholas Wilkins
16.10	<u>Handbook Editor</u> – Doug Davis	16.11	<u>Health & Safety</u> – Peter Sims
16.12	<u>Publicity</u> – Caroline Stockmann	16.13	<u>Quarter Peal Secretary</u> – Anthony Leevies
16.14	<u>Safeguarding</u> – Emma Jarvis	16.15	<u>Webmaster</u> – Doug Davis
17.	<p>Election of Vice President – The Chairman commented that this item of business was occasional but very welcome. He reminded members that such an election required 2/3 of those present and voting to vote in favour. Charles Sinden then spoke to support his proposal to elect Brian Butcher as a Vice President. Brian had learned to ring in 1963 at Lympne and quickly became interested in the re-hanging projects of Burmarsh and Newchurch. This began a long association with the Bell Maintenance Team which continues to this day. He became known as Red Leader (due to his red overalls) and gave his time freely with no job being too large or too small. As the DAC Bells Adviser to both Canterbury and Rochester he was a very much respected member of these committees and still holds these offices today. Brian is also well respected outside the county and has adjudicated on many cases when compromise proved difficult. He had also worked for Taylors Bell Foundry. His work with the "Heavy Gang" had saved many thousands of pounds on projects by supplying reliable labour and other expertise. Brian has created a team, which is the envy of many other associations and of which we should all be very proud. Charles had great pleasure in proposing Brian as an Association Vice President and expressed grateful thanks for all his work. The Chairman then invited Maureen Poole to say a few words to second Charles' proposal. Maureen has known Brian since 1970 when she learned to ring at Lympne where Brian was already running the ringing as a teenager. He was tinkering with bells then and</p>		

	<p>he's still tinkering with bells today. Such dedication and tireless work over those years, so Maureen wished to second the proposal. A vote was then taken which resulted in 100% For Brian Butcher's election as Vice President. The Chairman expressed thanks to Brian for all that he had done and continues to do. He invited Brian to speak.</p> <p>Brian Butcher thanked everyone for their support and commented that there have certainly been a lot of places where he has been involved. He had begun to set up a spreadsheet of work done at towers, volunteer labour used and money saved. He estimated that at today's prices, a saving of somewhere in the order of half a million pounds must have been achieved. Brian expressed thanks for everyone's support. The Chairman invited members to give Brian a "virtual" round of applause by using their "hands up" button online.</p>										
18.	<p>Members achieving 50 years' membership – The Chairman expressed sadness at not being able to present the Certificates to the following members at the present time. He then read out the following members who would receive their Certificates in due course.</p> <table> <tr> <td>John Legg (St. Alphege, Whitstable – Canterbury)</td> <td>Christopher Saunders (Leeds – Maidstone)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Nigel Baker (Hollingbourne – Maidstone)</td> <td>Malwyn Williams (Otham – Maidstone)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Terry Barnard (Aylesford – Maidstone)</td> <td>Richard Young (Yalding – Maidstone)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>David Bryden (Linton – Maidstone)</td> <td>Kenneth Bromley (Horsmonden – Tonbridge)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Malcolm Hitchcock (Hollingbourne – Maidstone)</td> <td>David Beeken (Cranbrook – Tonbridge)</td> </tr> </table>	John Legg (St. Alphege, Whitstable – Canterbury)	Christopher Saunders (Leeds – Maidstone)	Nigel Baker (Hollingbourne – Maidstone)	Malwyn Williams (Otham – Maidstone)	Terry Barnard (Aylesford – Maidstone)	Richard Young (Yalding – Maidstone)	David Bryden (Linton – Maidstone)	Kenneth Bromley (Horsmonden – Tonbridge)	Malcolm Hitchcock (Hollingbourne – Maidstone)	David Beeken (Cranbrook – Tonbridge)
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19.	<p>Forthcoming Events – No "normal" ringing events were possible at the present time but the Chairman reminded everyone of the following online activities planned for later this day; 1pm Invicta Virtual Pub (open discussion for members), 2pm choice of two breakout sessions; One on Ringing Room with an introduction on how to use this technology to "ring" whilst we are unable to use real bells. The other to discuss with David Grimwood the benefits that changing KCACR into a Charitable Incorporated Organisation could bring. 7.30pm Virtual Pub Quiz.</p>										
20.	<p>Any Other Business – The Chairman gave an update on the Covid-19 issues relating to ringing and guidance of the Central Council which was also being considered by Public Health England. As a result there has been a significant relaxation in rules which would assist some ringing to take place from tomorrow. Where ropes fall in a straight line side by side, you can ring adjacent bells (facing forward) so long as ropes are 1.5m apart (and at least 2m away from the ringers opposite). Perspex screens were considered dangerous so are not approved. Ditto Perspex visors as head shields. There is comment in the guidance to ring the minimum number of bells appropriate for the occasion – so let's not push it! Other comment stressed the importance of improving ventilation as breezes blow the virus away. There is clarification in the guidance about not raising your voice and advice about organising ringing in advance of going up the tower. A gentle relaxation is good news but clearly not back to normal ringing. The new guidance was on the Central Council website. One query was raised about face coverings. The Chairman considered this a sensible and effective way of proceeding as it does not cause harm and reduces the chance of virus transmission. The Chairman commented that if he was in a tower, he would use one.</p>										
21	<p>Vote of Thanks</p>										
21.1	<p>The Chairman paid tribute to Catherine Lewis for all the years since 1999 when she became a Central Council Representative. She has been a stalwart of the Central Council and done a huge amount of work, particularly on the Education Committee. She has worked hard for both the Association and the Central Council. The Chairman paid her a personal vote of thanks for all that Catherine has done and was sure she would try to keep us on the straight and narrow for years to come.</p>										
21.2	<p>The Chairman thanked his fellow officers for all their hard work during the year, especially the General Secretary in matters of governance and the Treasurer who had a confident grip on the</p>										

	finances. Particular thanks today to Doug Davis and Mark Elvers for assisting with the smooth running of this online meeting.
21.3	The Chairman commented that the Lewisham District was going to produce a glorious AGM this year and announced that we're all hoping that next year's AGM will be at St. Nicholas.
21.4	Caroline Stockmann on behalf of every one thanked the Chairman for all his work during the year, particularly for all the work on returning to ringing guidance with the Central Council and for conducting such a good meeting. The Chairman said it was nice to be appreciated.
	The Chairman declared the meeting closed after a duration of 1hr 34minutes.

FULL DETAILS OF Nominations for Officers 2020 - 2021			
<u>Post</u>	<u>Nominee(s)</u>	<u>Proposer</u>	<u>Seconder</u>
Chairman	Phillip Barnes	Jen Thomas	Michèle Clement
General Secretary	Sue Bassett	Chris Bassett	Susan Gullett
Treasurer	Maureen Poole	Charles Sinden	Brian Butcher
Peal Secretary	Phillip Barnes	Mike Birkbeck	David Grimwood
Librarian	Hazel Basford	Phillip Barnes	Sue Bassett
Bell Restoration	Brian Butcher	Maureen Poole	Keith Osborne
Training	David Grimwood	Alexander Runting	John Keeler
Youth	Jen Thomas	Laura Byrne	Amber Cusick
CC Reps (5)	Phillip Barnes	Doug Davis	Mike Birkbeck
	Doug Davis	Sue Bassett	Maureen Poole
	David Grimwood	Alexander Runting	John Keeler
	Caroline Stockmann	Chris Bassett	Sue Bassett
	Nicholas Wilkins	Catherine Lewis	Philippa Rooke
Handbook Editor	Doug Davis	Phillip Barnes	Sue Bassett
Health & Safety	Peter Sims	Sheila Phyll	Tim Munt
Publicity	Caroline Stockmann	Doug Davis	Phillip Barnes
Quarter Peal Sec.	Anthony Leeves	Emma Tamkin	Michael Bullett
Safeguarding	Emma Jarvis	Ann Jenner	Terry Barnard
Webmaster	Doug Davis	Maureen Poole	Phillip Barnes

List of Attendees

Douglas Davis	Catherine Lewis	Angela Clark	Louise Nightingale	Elizabeth Piercy
Emma Jarvis	Keith Tolputt	Peter Morris	Cathy Cheeseman	Liz Morris
Peter Sims	RTL Fairclough	Bruce Butler	Stuart Palin	Stephen Trafford
Mark Elvers	Tim Munt	Diane Reynolds	Lesley Barclay	Richard Bushell
Anthony Leeves	Sam Chard	Peter Dale	Sheila Phyll	Phil Jarvis
Brian Butcher	Peggy Hill	Adam Moore	Richard Barclay	Mark Harris
Phil Barnes	Allan Shepherd	Brenda Davies	Roy Barclay	Judith Rogers
David Grimwood	Steph Barclay	Brian Osmer	Elizabeth Harland	Ian Mills
Jen Thomas	Sue Cameron	Dickon Love	Nick Wilkins	Nick Chard
Sue Bassett	Philippa Rooke	Janice Brown	Gordon Hill	Marilyn Barden
Charles Sinden	Gavin Knight	Jim Rooke	Cathy Kingham	Hamilton Woods
Maureen Poole	Isabel Pearce	Michèle Clement	Chris Bassett	Graham Cuthbert
Hazel Basford	Terry Barnard	Sheila Marsh	Simon Davies	Donald Niblett
Margaret Funnell	Angela Wilkins	Debra Say	Hazel Clarke	Svetlana Sokolova
Benjamin Legg	Caroline Wilson	Elizabeth Barnes	Andrew Hills	Rupert Cheeseman
Caroline Stockmann	Rhiannon Meredith	Robert Powell-Williams	David Manger	Pam Manger

12. Proposal on behalf of the General Committee to amend Rule 9 (i) by deleting the words in red below and adding the words in green:-

"9. (i) Representatives of the Association on the Central Council of Church Bell Ringers shall be elected ~~triennially~~ from current Practising Members, ~~such election to take place at the at each~~ Annual General Meeting of the Association ~~approximately 12 months before the first meeting of each session of the Council~~. The number of representatives so elected shall be as currently prescribed by the Central Council."

16. Election of Officers

Nominations for Officers 2021 - 2022			
Post	Nominee(s)	Proposer	Seconder
15.1 Chairman	Phillip Barnes	Doug Davis	Simon Davies
15.2 General Secretary	Susan Bassett	Chris Bassett	Debbie Brady
15.3 Treasurer	Maureen Poole	Charles Sinden	Nigel Spencer
15.4 Bell Restoration	Brian Butcher	Charles Sinden	Maureen Poole
15.5 Librarian	Hazel Basford**	Sue Bassett	Chris Bassett
15.6 Peal Secretary	Phillip Barnes	David Grimwood	Doug Davis
15.7 Training Officer	David Grimwood	Mike Birkbeck	Graham Heath
15.8 Youth Officer	Jen Thomas	Adam Moore	Jamie Austin
15.9 CC Reps (5)	Phillip Barnes	Michèle Clement	Simon Davies
	Doug Davis	Mark Elvers	Jen Thomas
	VACANCY		
	Caroline Stockmann	Sue Bassett	Chris Bassett
	Nicholas Wilkins	Philippa Rooke	Lesley Barclay

Other necessary officers

15.10 Handbook Editor	Doug Davis	Tom Winter	Becky Winter
15.11 Health & Safety	Peter Sims**	Sheila Phyall	Tim Munt
15.12 Publicity	Caroline Stockmann	Phil Barnes	Doug Davis
15.13 Quarter Peal Sec.	Anthony Leeves	Mike Bullett	Emma Tamkin
15.14 Safeguarding	Emma Jarvis	Ann Jenner	Terry Barnard
15.15 Webmaster	Doug Davis	David Grimwood	Maureen Poole

The officers marked above with asterisks ** have indicated that they will definitely stand down at the next AGM in 2022. If anyone wishes to consider/prepare for filling any such post, now would be a good time to contact the current post-holder to gain an insight into the job. This will assist towards a smooth transition next year.