



# Oxford City Branch Hugh's News!



(Produced and edited by Hugh Deam and Paul Lucas. All contributions are welcome.)

**8<sup>th</sup> March 2010.**



Our 15 minutes of fame! The Oxford Mail took this picture after a wedding on 19<sup>th</sup> February, as part of a recruitment campaign for Marston Ringers. L- r: Robert Bruce, Hugh Deam, Andy Dunn, Paul Lucas, Roy Jones, Anthony Hughes. (The full article can be seen on the City Branch Website).



On Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> February we had another well attended outing at towers in and around Northampton. It was a very wet day, but we managed to dodge the worst of the rain during a very pleasant lunch!

L-r at Hartingstone: Susan King, Hugh Deam, Roy Jones, Judy Kirby, Peter Lloyd, John Pusey, Heather Dobson, Ryan Noble, Andy Dunn, Hal Drysdale, Simon Edwards, Charles Smith, David Ingrouille, Christian Burrell.

## Dates for your Diary:

<b>Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> March</b>	Kidlington (8)	Branch Practice	10.00am
<b>Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> March</b>	<b>Chichester Outing</b> (Slightly amended from the last edition!)		
	10.15 for 10.30	Chichester Cathedral, Holy Trinity 8, 18-1-12 in Eb	
	11.45	Aldwick, St Richard 8, 7-3-26 in Bb	
	12.45	Yapton, St Mary 6, 6-2-12 in Bb	
	1.45	<b>Lunch at the Fox &amp; Hounds, Funtington</b>	
	3.15	Funtington, St Mary 6, 5-3-21 in Bb	
		<b>Estimated to be back in Oxford by approx. 6.00pm</b>	

Minibus pick-up time is 8.00am at St Nicholas, Old Marston. Names to Hugh Deam as soon as possible please. Call Hugh on 07899-871079 or email: [hughdeam at btinternet.com](mailto:hughdeam@btinternet.com). (Cost: £15 inclusive)

## Future events:

<b>Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> April</b>	St Thomas, Oxford (10)	Branch Practice.	6.30pm
<b>Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Cowley (6)	Half Yearly Branch Meeting. 6 Bell Striking Competition.	3.30pm 6.00pm
<b>Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Bicester (10)	Grandsire Caters Practice	9.30am

## Local Practice Nights:

<b>Mondays:</b>	Cowley (6) (7.00-9.00), St Aldates (6) (2 <sup>nd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> week), Garsington (6).
<b>Tuesdays:</b>	Headington (8), Kidlington (8), Horspath (6) (Headington now has an <b>Advanced Practice</b> after 8.00pm on the first Tuesday of each month. Stedman Triples and beyond! The next one is <b>Tuesday April 6<sup>th</sup></b> . All experienced ringers welcome).
<b>Wednesdays:</b>	Iffley (6), (Note: Because of their AGM, there will be no practice at Iffley on 24 <sup>th</sup> March)
<b>Thursdays:</b>	Wolvercote (6), St Giles (8), Stanton St John (6).
<b>Fridays:</b>	Old Marston (6), Wheatley (6), North Hinksey (6) (6.45-7.45)

**Note: Most Practices start at 7.30pm, but before turning up, check the details about the Ringing Times, Tower Captains and Correspondents, by going to the Oxford City Branch website:**

<http://www.oxfordcitybranch.org.uk>

Any information or photographs for possible inclusion in **Hugh's News** (subject to space available), please email me: [paulclucas at hotmail.co.uk](mailto:paulclucas@hotmail.co.uk)  
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