

Portsmouth District

Quarter Peal Fortnight

Saturday 6th to Sunday 21st September 2008

September has for several years now seen the District hold a Quarter Peal month during which towers have been encouraged to attempt to ring a Quarter Peal either as part of their normal Sunday Service ringing or by special arrangements.

This year we have reduced the period to a fortnight (well 15 days actually) and would like to try to make this the most successful year ever for the District. Our aim is to attempt to ring at least one Quarter Peal in every tower in the District and to get as many District members to participate in this event as possible. 100% participation would be the ultimate goal but realistically 75% is probably a good target to try to achieve. In addition, it would be good to see as many 'firsts' as possible, in whatever shape or form this may take.

A member of the District Committee will be contacting you nearer the time to offer help with any arrangements or coordination that you may require. Please take this opportunity to discuss with them any ringers from your tower who would like to ring or conduct something 'special' during this fortnight and we will try to coordinate at a District level and provide additional help and support to ensure that their desires are fulfilled.

At a District level we are planning to ring a Quarter Peal on all numbers from Minimus to Maximus so look out for invitations to participate in the District event also.

For further details of this event please contact any member of the District Committee or Ian Carey at iancarey@ntlworld.com

We look forward to learning of your achievements and to a highly successful and rewarding fortnight of Quarter Peal ringing.

District Ringing Masters