

## DISTRICT MEETING AT KIMPTON ON SATURDAY OCTOBER 19th.

Afternoon ringing took place at Sandridge from 3.30 to 5 pm, and at Kimpton from 5.15 to 6 pm. This was followed by tea and business meeting, during which a Roman Catholic service was held in Church.  
K. Newman chaired the meeting.

Apologies for absence were received from Mrs E and S. Drummond-Tyler, Mrs M.A. and L. Coburn, Miss T. Crowder and Mrs J and D. Badger.

The Minutes were read and signed as correct.

### Matters arising.

D. Redfern was now judging the Handbell competition at the St Albans Music Festival in place of Mr Coombes.

At the Kimpton Cup competition, Harpenden had come 5th and St Stephens 10th. The County voted at the Special General Meeting following to increase the peal fee to 20p from 1st January 1986.

### Election of New Members

The following <sup>of Non Resident Life Members</sup> bellring elections were ratified.

Mark C. Instone of Slough, proposed R. J. Crochet, seconded K. D. Waples

Stephen R. Smith of Wokingham, proposed R. J. Crochet, seconded K. Newman

The following full member was elected

Christine Toyer of Kimpton, proposed Mrs S. Newman, seconded K. Lensen

### District Social

It was stated that ticket sales were going well and it was expected that there would be about 50 people present.

### Date and Place of next meeting

The next District Meeting would be at St. Peter's, with afternoon ringing from 3.30 to 5 pm followed by service, tea and meeting and evening ringing from 6.30 to 8 pm. This would be on Saturday November 16th.

Any Other Business

A vote of thanks was proposed to the vicar of Sandridge and rector of Kilmington for the use of their bells and to the kilmington ringers for the splendid ten.

Evening ringing continued at kilmington until 8-30 pm.

W. J. A.  
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