

DISTRICT MEETING AT ESSENDON ON SATURDAY 19th AUGUST 1989

Afternoon ringing took place on the six bells of Essendon with about a dozen ringers present. This was followed by a service of Evensong and a splendid tea served in the churchyard. S.A. Saunders chaired the ensuing business meeting.

Apologies for absence were received from P. Cook and family and G. Legner.

The Minutes were read and signed as correct. There were no matters arising.

No new members were elected.

There were no requests for quarter peals.

Date and Place of next Meeting

The next District meeting would be on Saturday 16th September at Welwyn with ringing from 8-30 to 5pm, service, tea, meeting and evening ringing 6-30 to 8pm. The next Learner's Practice would be at St Pauls Walden on 2nd September from 10 till noon, and the next Surprise practice at Kimpton on 6th September from 7-45 to 9-15pm.

Any Other Business

Miss T. Crowder thanked the District for the card welcoming her to her new home. S. Saunders proposed a vote of thanks to the rector for taking the service, to P. Montgomery for playing the organ, to the Essendon ringers for providing tea and to the ringers and clergy at both Essendon and Hemel Ford for the use of their bells.

D. Badger thanked all those who had contributed to the last newsletter and invited members to submit articles for the next newsletter, the closing date being the end of September.

That being no other business, the meeting was declared closed.

Evening ringing was held at Lemsford, again with few rings
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