

AUTUMN SOCIAL WEEKEND 2006 BOURNEMOUTH – 18TH – 19TH. NOV.

A warm welcome to all Guild members to the “deep south”.

As you will be aware, this meeting links with the Centenary Celebrations at St. John’s Surrey Road. Attached with this letter is the invitation sent out also to all local towers, with details of the booking arrangements for the Dinner.

We hope that Guild Members will join us for all of this event. We would be grateful if, despite the usual habits of ringers, you could send in bookings promptly, to enable us to organise the catering effectively.

So far as the rest of the weekend is concerned :-

1. I am not proposing to arrange anything for the Friday night, but anyone arriving early will be welcomed at Canford Magna Practice night – usual times.
2. I would be grateful for indications of anyone who isn’t stopping to the service and dinner, but would be willing to ring at Sacred Heart for our usual 5.30.p.m. Saturday ringing.
3. I would be grateful if those staying overnight Saturday, and wishing to linger over Sunday lunch could send in names/numbers, so that we can plan something / somewhere suitable.
4. The Saturday lunchtime venue has yet to be finalised – we shall be off on a recce early next month.
5. We no longer have any ringing hoteliers to recommend – there are now various budget chain hotels in the conurbation, which may be better options than some of the traditional – and rather worn out – Bournemouth seaside hotels.

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