



MARSTON UPDATE

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Feedback from previous issue

Ha HA!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!We love it...Janice recognised her own husband last. Christopher recognised Paul then Hugh then me and couldn't recognise Adrian... Jonathon Beale

That is bloody funny, Hugh! - Adrian Gray

Love my new look!! Not sure whether I will keep it that way! Not sure I even had it like that in the 1970's! I recognise you on the left - the beard and bouffant hair suit you.... but I can't work out who the two people are on the right? (Is the far right one Adrian?)

The Headington ringers have been enjoying 'virtual' ringing practices every Wednesday in the Ringing Room! Might be worth the Marston ringers trying it sometime.... it's a bit chaotic, but great fun! James and Rachel are masterminding the technical side for us, which takes some doing! There are loads of Ringing Room entries you may have seen on Bellboard, many of them international!

We can just about ring Plain Hunt on 5 and 6, and we are trying to ring Plain Bob Doubles now, which is our goal for this week... It's also nice to see and chat with our fellow ringers, so we have a short 'catch-up' at the end of the practice. - Paul Lucas

Hugh's observation this week

With the restrictions on travel having recently been eased, so it allows the opportunity to venture a little further for our photo of something positive arising from the spare time afforded by Lockdown this week - The village shelter in Finmere which has recently been decorated with paper mobiles of doves.



Back in the Day Saturday 23rd May 2015 - Outing to Mendip Hills towers

Those of you who are aware of our yearly Outings planning meetings will know that for several years we have coordinated numerous ringing trips, including this ambitious ambulation to Somerset that was organized by Heather Banyard from Wheatley. The day was bathed in sunshine and made for a multitude of memorable photographs of the locations to be taken, some of which appeared in the Hugh's News edition of 01/06/2015, along with Kathy Xu's report on the outing. For instance, the ceiling of the ringing room at Radstock is probably as decorative as you will ever get to view. Further pictures of the outing, such as the sundial at Radstock, are available to view on the Outings page of the City Branch website. <http://www.oxfordcitybranch.org.uk/outings.htm>

