



Dear all,

**All Wales Striking Competition and Association Social Day
Saturday 30 September 2017**

We're looking forward to welcoming everyone to Abergavenny on Saturday 30th September for what promises to be a good day of ringing and socialising. The purpose of this note is to give some additional information and updates about the programme for the day.

To confirm, the programme for the day will be as follows:

Time	Location	Activity
1.00pm - 2.00pm	St Mary, Abergavenny (10, 25cwt)	Open ringing, distribution of Treasure Hunt clues and draw for the competitions.
2.15pm - 3.15pm	St Mary, Abergavenny	8-bell competition (Treasure hunt to take place whilst the competition is going on.)
3.30pm - 4.30pm	St Teilo, Llantilio Pertholey (6, 12cwt)	6-bell competition followed by open ringing until 5pm. (Refreshments will be available throughout.)
5.15pm onwards	Llantilio Pertholey Community Hall, St David's Rd, Mardy, Abergavenny, NP7 6HF.	Judges Remarks and Results followed by a meal at 6pm and a table quiz.

There has not been sufficient interest in the morning quarter peals so these will not take place. However, we do have a full afternoon's ringing planned as shown above.

Maps of venues

An interactive Google Map has been created showing the three main venues – Abergavenny, Llantilio Pertholey and the hall – has been created and is available here:

<https://tinyurl.com/AllWalesMap>

An additional map showing the location of the hall is appended to this note.

Parking

Abergavenny has a number of pay and display car parks around the town. There is one accessed via the bus station to the south of the church and is the closest to the church but does get busy. There is also a large car park to the north of the town centre close to Bailey Park on Park Road. There are a number of smaller pay and display car parks around the town and some on-street parking outside of the town centre for those who don't mind a walk.

Parking at Llantilio Pertholey is available in the church car park located across the road from the church. Please park close together so we can get as many people in as possible. Once the car park is full then please park responsibly on the road taking care not to block driveways etc.

Parking at the hall is in the car park located adjacent to the hall. Additional parking is available on nearby streets if required.

Evening Meal

The evening meal will take the form of a fish and chip supper provided by a local chip shop. The cost will be £6 per head and there is a choice of cod and chips or sausage and chips. For vegetarians there is the option of either a vegetarian burger and chips or vegetarian pancake roll and chips at the same cost.

All food orders must be given by Saturday 23rd September. Please submit numbers and choices, preferably by e-mail to master@llanmon.org.uk, or by telephone on 029 20 628 933.

It would help enormously with cash flow if the cost of food could be paid either at Abergavenny or Llantilio Pertholey earlier in the afternoon.

Other useful information

Please note that access to the tower in Abergavenny will be via the church interior and not via the external door that previous visitors may have used. There is some building work going on at the church meaning that the external door is not available. We will have some welcomers on hand to point people in the right direction.

Also at Abergavenny there will be some calendars for sale. Carol Brown, a ringer at Newport Cathedral, has drawn a number of pictures of churches in Monmouthshire and has now published 12 of these as a 2018 calendar. They will be on sale at £5 each with all profits going to the Llandaff & Monmouth Association Recruitment and Training Fund.

I think that is everything for now but if you have any queries then please don't hesitate to contact me (contact details below).

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