## OXFORD DIOCESAN GUILD OF CHURCH BELL RINGERS OXFORD CITY BRANCH

## Half Year General Meeting – Saturday 7th September 2024

## Minutes

- 1. Apologies for Absence Simon Edwards, Paul Lucas, Craig Robertson, Elizabeth Mullett, Pete Spain, Katie Lane, Mary Bayliss, Clare Fairbairn, Steve Everett
- 2. In the absence of the Chairman, Lindsay Powell took the chair with the agreement of the meeting.
- 3. With only nine members present it was decided the meeting should not formally approve the minutes of the AGM.
  - No matters were raised from the minutes.
- 4. The meeting noted the deaths of Andy Dunn, and Ron Burgess.
- 5. There were no proposals for the election of new members
- 6. Katherine Stonham had provided the striking competition rules used by the Branch and dated April 2013, and it was decided to re-adopt these (noting that they allow overlapping bands from one tower, specifically one ringing a method and one ringing call changes).
- 7. It was suggested that future Half Year meetings might be better attended if held in October.