



HANDBELL RINGERS OF GREAT BRITAIN
SCOTTISH REGIONAL ASSOCIATION

AUTUMN RALLY 2025



A very warm welcome is extended to all handbell, handchime and Belleplate® ringers

to the **HRGB Scottish Regional Association Autumn Rally**

to be held at **Langtoun Central Church Bennochty Building,
Elgin Street, Meldrum Road,
Kirkcaldy, KY2 5HR**

on **Saturday 25th October 2025**

Doors will be open from 10.00am and tea/coffee will be available in St. Andrew's Hall. The Rally will start at 11.30am in Methven Hall and continue till lunch at 12.30pm, Ringing will resume at 1.15pm with a break at 2.15pm till 2.45pm. There will be a final performance of the massed ringing pieces at approximately 3.30pm. Please bring your own packed lunch. Cloaks and boxes can be stored in the adjacent Elgin Hall. Parking is available at Rexel, Katherine Street, parallel to Elgin Street (a short walking distance away but heavy bell boxes can be dropped off at the Elgin Street entrance prior to parking).

Enclosed with this information letter are an Application Form, a Team Layout Form and a Music Download information sheet. *The Merry Peasant* and *You are my Sunshine* are free to download from the HRGB Scotland website. *Hosanna!* should be ordered from Handbell World/Jeffers Handbell Supply. Please ensure you purchase sufficient copies for your team.

6' x 2'3" and 3' x 2'6" tables are available; please advise John Elcock of your requirement before the event. You must bring your own foam/music stands etc. if needed.

Ringers are asked to bring a raffle prize. Money from the raffle will be divided between a charity selected by Bennochty Bells and the HRGB Scottish Regional Association.

Photographs/video will be taken during this event. Anyone not wishing their photographs/video included in HRGB publications/website/social media should advise the Regional Chair prior to the event or on the day.

If you are unable to come as a team there will be spaces for unattached ringers to join in the massed ringing, or you may wish to organise to link with another team for this event. Please complete the enclosed application form and return it as soon as possible, or by Saturday 4th October at the latest, (please help us to organise this event by adhering to the date) to:

**John Elcock
4 Trabroun Cottages, Elvingston
Haddington
EH41 3SX**

Tel: 07746 742032

email: john.s.elcock@gmail.com



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Application Form

Team Name and Team HRGB No.	.	
Name of Leader/Director/Conductor		
Contact/ Secretary		
Address		
Address		
Postcode		
Telephone		
E mail (<i>please supply so we can acknowledge your application</i>)		

	Number attending	Cost per person	Total
HRGB Adult members	_____	£6.00	£_____
HRGB Junior & Youth team members	_____	free	£_____
Adult non HRGB members	_____	£12.00	£_____
School-age non HRGB members	_____	£4.00	£_____

TOTAL £_____

Please send/email this form with payment (cheque payable to **HRGB Scottish Region** or by **BACS Sort Code 08-92-99, Account number 67431272-00**) by **Saturday 4th October** to:

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I confirm that £_____ has been paid by BACS



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Team Layout and Performance Details

Please draw a diagram of how you wish your tables to be positioned, giving sizes (in feet), the position of the ringers and ringing direction so space can be allocated in advance.

TABLES WILL BE BROUGHT / ARE REQUIRED / ARE NOT USED
(Delete as appropriate and state number/size of tables to be borrowed, if required)

Teams are invited to give a performance totalling no more than **6 minutes** (including movement between pieces).

Please provide details of your team piece/s:

TITLE

COMPOSER/ARRANGER

Item 1 _____

Item 2 _____

If you would like to tell us a little bit about the music you have selected, please feel free to do this prior to your performance at the Rally.

In the event of two teams submitting the same piece, both teams will be contacted prior to the event to give them an opportunity to change their selection.

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Massed Ringing Music

The Massed Ringing Music for the Autumn Rally can be downloaded using the following links:



[The Merry Peasant - R Schumann - arranged Donald and Philip Bedford from Mainly Folk Volume 2 \(free download courtesy of Donald and Philip Bedford\)](#)



[You are my Sunshine - J Davis/P Rice - arranged Donald and Philip Bedford from Mainly Folk Volume 2 \(free download courtesy of Donald and Philip Bedford\)](#)



[Hosanna! by Jason Krug - this can be purchased as a digital download from Handbell World/Jeffers Handbell Supply catalogue number 1646L \(please ensure you purchase the correct number of copies required for your team\).](#)

Links to each also can be found on the HRGB Scotland website at the following link:

<https://www.hrgb-scotland.org.uk/calendar/hrgb-scottish-regional-association-autumn-rally-in-kirkcaldy-25-october-2025>