

Choir Membership Roster

List first the choir's conductor, then contact person if different, with mailing addresses. Then list the remaining members of the choir, with email addresses. Indicate in the box on the right any member who wishes to receive the newsletter by email.

CONDUCTOR		Newsletter by email
Name	E-mail	<input type="checkbox"/>
Address		
City		
Postal Code		
Phone	Fax	
CONTACT PERSON (if other than conductor)		
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City		
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CHOIR MEMBERS		
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Membership Application 2014

Please fill out the appropriate form on the reverse, and note the following:

- ◇ **Individual memberships** are \$40 per year. Members may elect to receive their newsletter by Canada Post, or a PDF version by e-mail. Please indicate your choice on the form.
- ◇ **Choir memberships** are \$250 per year, and for the purpose of BCGEHR official business, are granted 5 votes. Follow the instructions on the choir membership application form carefully. Only the mailing addresses of the conductor, and contact person if different, need to be listed, but do include the email address for any individual in your group who chooses to receive a copy of the newsletter by e-mail.

Send the fully completed form(s) and payment (see options on reverse), to:

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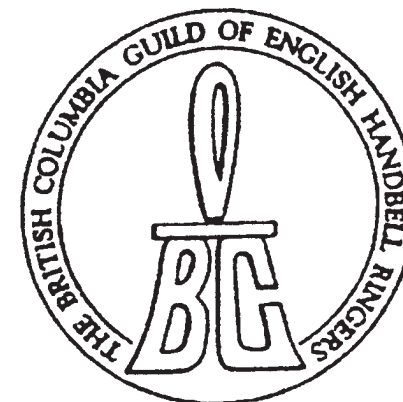
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of people who love to ring!

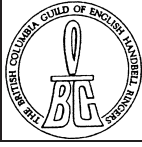


HANDBELLS & HANDCHIMES

- Visual and aural art for all ages
- Harmony with voice and instruments
- Listening skills, rhythmic skills
- Music skills, and
- A lot of fun!

2014





Attention handbell and handchime ringers!

We invite you to become a member of the British Columbia Guild of English Handbell Ringers. Please fill in the application form and submit it, with your cheque or money order, to the address on the reverse.

BCGEHR members are entitled to:

- ◇ Receive the Guild newsletter, *Quarternotes*, published September, December, March & June
- ◇ Receive a Guild pin and an annual roster
- ◇ Vote at the Annual General Meeting
- ◇ Make use of the Guild's music lending library
- ◇ Make application to any Guild loan, grant, or bursary program
- ◇ Receive notice of all Guild events
- ◇ Pay member rates at all Guild events
- ◇ Participate in all Handbell Guilds of Canada and International Handbell Symposium events

The British Columbia Guild of English Handbell Ringers

began in Abbotsford in 1993. Our Constitution and By-laws were approved at the Annual General Meeting in Vancouver in 1994, and we were incorporated as a non-profit organization under the BC Societies Act on January 18, 1995.

BCGEHR's objectives are:

- ◇ To bring together handbell choirs from all parts of British Columbia
- ◇ To encourage the formation of new choirs on an inter-generational basis
- ◇ To sponsor workshops for ringers and directors
- ◇ To publish a regular newsletter, *Quarternotes*
- ◇ To offer a variety of programs and services to support our members

BCGEHR offers a variety of services to its members, including:

- ◇ Biennial provincial festival "Spring Ring," with regional workshops offered in alternate years
- ◇ On-site "mini-workshops" to meet the needs of individual choirs
- ◇ AGM
- ◇ Chime Loan Program
- ◇ The quarterly newsletter as a forum for publicizing upcoming events, and articles about ringing, handbells and handchimes, music, updates from our sister guilds, and other news.
- ◇ Voluntary participation in our music lending library
- ◇ Endowment Fund grants
- ◇ Student Bursaries
- ◇ Participation in the handbell community in BC

Our national organization, Handbell Guilds of Canada (HGC), is an umbrella organization representing four provincial guilds: BC, Alberta, Manitoba, Ontario.

Join a province-wide community of people who love to ring!



A warm welcome awaits you.



Membership Application 2014 (January 1 – December 31, 2014)

Payment is by Cheque (payable to BCGEHR) Credit Card (complete card information below) Paypal (complete transaction at www.bcgehr.com) **Transaction fee will be added to credit card and PayPal payments**

INDIVIDUAL \$40 per year Send form and payment to Peggy Bensler, Treasurer, #119-1950 Capistrano Drive, Kelowna, BC V1V 2N7

- Renewal New Membership Lapsed membership (No membership for two or more years)
- Check here if you are a bell choir director

Name	Address	
City	Postal Code	Your bell choir
Phone	Fax	E-mail
<input type="checkbox"/> Receive newsletter by Canada Post	<input type="checkbox"/> Receive newsletter by e-mail	
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Number of octaves _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal <input type="checkbox"/> New Membership <input type="checkbox"/> Lapsed membership (No membership for two or more years)		
Choir name and conductor		
School/Church organization		
City	Postal Code	Phone

! IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS FOR CHOIR MEMBERSHIPS: Using the form on the reverse, list the name, email and complete address for your choir's conductor and then contact person, if different. Then list the name and email address of every member of your choir. Indicate in the box at the right those who wish to receive an e-mail copy of the newsletter. For the purpose of BCGEHR official business, choir memberships are granted 5 votes, which are designated at the choir's discretion: all 5 votes granted to one person, 1 vote each to 5 people, or any combination thereof. *You do not need to designate your choir's voting representatives at this time, but will designate them when registering for any Guild function at which voting will take place.*

For payment by credit card Complete the information below (*transaction fee will be added to credit card and PayPal payments*)

Name as it appears on card _____

Card No. _____ Expiry date _____ CVV* _____

Signature _____

*3-digit number on the back of MasterCard and Visa cards, 4-digit number on the front of American Express and JCB cards