

RINGING VISIT TO LONDON FOR NORTH AMERICAN GUILD

DATES : 16TH AUGUST TO 23RD AUGUST (PROVISIONAL)



Fancy a week of ringing in London? We, London Ringers, have put together a special opportunity for members of the North American Guild to visit London in all her majestic glory for a week of ringing, sightseeing and other pleasures.

We welcome ringers of all abilities and experience up to a maximum of 20. In addition we also welcome non-ringing partners at a reduced rate (see below).

We want to tailor this week, as far as possible, to meet your requirements. We have set out a suggested programme below...

Ringling Activities

Training and Practices in specific methods (*as requested*)

Quarter peals (*as requested*)

Peals (*as requested*)

General ringing, training, peals and quarters in London towers, probably including, (most of them in walking distance from our accommodation):

• Spitalfields (8)	• Shoreditch (12)
• St Magnus the Martyr (12)	• St Catherine Kree (6)
• Southwark Cathedral (12)	• St Clement Danes (10)
• St Martin in the Fields (12)	• St Mary-le-Bow (12)

Ringing visits to

- Oxford
- Cambridge
- Canterbury
- River boat cruise to Greenwich

Recreation to include Thames river cruise and theatre/concert visits.

Tours to St Paul's Cathedral, Westminster Abbey, Buckingham Palace and the Tower of London

Evening garden buffet

Accommodation

Amazingly central (for the City of London) brand new tower of self-catering flats/studio apartments located in **Frying Pan Alley** between Liverpool St Station and Spitalfields. There are supermarkets and a host of restaurants / cafes within a few minutes walking distance. Nearest Tube – Liverpool St is less than 5 minutes walk.

Rooms are available in the following shapes:

1. Single studio apartment with kitchenette and shower
2. Apartment with two separate single bedrooms, kitchenette and shower
3. Studio with two single beds in one open plan living space, kitchenette and shower
4. 'Group 4' apartment, with 4 separate single bedrooms, 2 showers and communal living area and kitchenette (see photo)



A single bedsit with kitchenette and shower. The communal area in a "Group 4" style flat

Cost per person (bed) for any style of accommodation US\$1,200 including tours, zone 1 and 2 transport in London, but not theatre tickets or access charges to monuments (and not including flights to/from UK).

Reduced rate for non-ringing partners is US\$900.

Please indicate your interest **by 4th July** to:

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Philip Vracas, 34 Hanbury Street, Spitalfields, London E1 6QR.

To allow us to arrange ringing that would best suit you, we ask you indicate the type of ringing you would prefer:

A: Method Practice (which method(s)?)

B: Quarter Peals (method(s))

C: Peals (method(s))

D: General ringing

E: Other (please state)

For visits outside London please put in order preference:

Oxford

Cambridge

Canterbury

Other

Are the dates 16th to 23rd August good for you? Which dates in August would you prefer, if any?

Name and e-mail address: