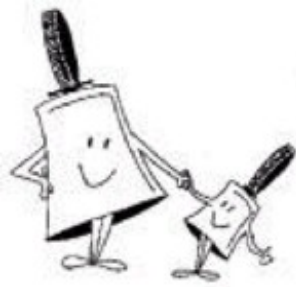


## AGEHR, Area 1, Inc. High School Ring Out 2011



AGEHR, Area 1, Inc. is proud to announce the 12th annual Area 1, High School Ring Out. We will be returning to Souhegan High School on Saturday, November 12, 2011 from 9:30 am to 4:00 p.m. Pat McMullen and the ringers at Souhegan High School invite all Area 1 youth ringers and choirs to participate in this exciting and growing event. The day will include rehearsals with an exciting guest director, BYO lunch, a closing concert with an opportunity for individual choirs to present solo pieces and plenty of time to get to know other ringers.

**Date:** Saturday, November 12, 2011

**Location:** Souhegan High School -- The school is located at 412 Boston Post Road, Amherst, NH 03031. It's centrally located, just outside of Nashua, and easy to find. Specific directions will be sent in a confirmation letter and may be found at <http://www.sprise.com/shs/visitor.aspx?id=2720>. We guarantee it will be worth the trip. There are several motel options available in the area if you want to make an overnight of it.

**Cost:** \$20.00 per ringer covers building use fees, administrative costs and the clinician honorarium. Our clinician for Ring-Out '11 is Michael Joy from Philadelphia, PA. All ringers, including directors and chaperons who want to ring, are asked to pay the registration fee. Non-ringing directors/chaperons attend free of charge. You must provide one adult chaperon for each 6 youth ringers.

### Repertoire:

- *Ein Kleines Kindelein*, arranged by Michael Joy; From the Top 20186; 3-5 octaves handbells/3-5 octaves chimes; Level 2. Although this piece is based on 2 Christmas piece by Praetorius, the alternate secular title is *A Praetorius Celebration*.
- *Rhapsody* by Judy Phillips; Red River Music BL 5048; 3-6 octaves handbells; optional 3 octave chimes; Level 3, Optional violin solo.
- *Pirates of the Caribbean* by Klaus Badelt/arranged by Kevin McChesney; Jeffers, JHS9402; 3-5 octaves handbells; Level 3+

All music must be original purchased copies. **NO PHOTOCOPIES CAN BE ALLOWED.** Music should be sufficiently rehearsed ahead of time so we can spend our day preparing for performance, not note learning. Our massed rehearsal time is at a premium. Recordings of all selections can be reviewed at [HandbellWorld.com](http://HandbellWorld.com)

**Bring:** Each Ringer should bring gloves and comfortable shoes. If your choir has a uniform or concert dress you are encouraged to wear it for the day or the performance. Each choir should bring bells, mallets, foam, table covers, music stands and tables. Unfortunately, rental tables are not available at this location.

**Lunch:** Snacks and lunch are not provided in the registration Choirs coming for the day may wish to have each ringer bring their own bag lunch. A list of local fast food / take-out establishments will be provided for choirs that need to send someone out to pick up lunch.

**Schedule:** 9:00 - Early arrival

- 9:30 - Registration;
- 10:00 - Opening bell, announcements, stretches. (All choirs set up and prepared to ring.)
- 10:15 - Rehearsal I
- 11:15 - Break / BYO snacks
- 11:30 - Rehearsal II / Director's meeting
- 12:30 - Lunch - BYO / Solo Rehearsals
- 1:15 - Rehearsal III
- 2:15 - Dress Rehearsal
- 3:00 - **Concert** - Open to the public. Invite everyone you know !!
- 4:15 - Pack up and depart for a safe trip home

**Sharing:** We invite your choir to share a "solo" selection during the concert. Please fill out the appropriate information on the registration form. This must be done in advance for planning and programming. We reserve the right to limit the number of solo selections. You will be assigned ten minutes during lunch to run through your piece once in the performance area. Please be prompt and courteous to other groups.

**Partial Choirs:** If you are planning to ring only the massed selections then it's perfectly acceptable to attend with a partial choir of any size. Even if you only have one or two high school aged ringers, you are encouraged to bring them so they can experience this event. We know that school choirs may lose some ringers to sporting events and that many inter-generational church choirs may not have a full compliment of high-school ringers. Please be encouraged to fill out your choir with chaperons or other adult ringers - especially if you want to offer a solo selection - but remember that all ringers must pay the \$20.00 registration fee.

**Registration:** Complete both pages of the enclosed Registration Form and make a copy for your records. Enclose the original Registration Form together with a check for the full registration amount made out to "AGEHR, Area 1, Inc." and mail to:

*Phil Brown, Registrar - High School Ring Out  
P.O. Box 53  
St. Johnsbury, VT 05819*

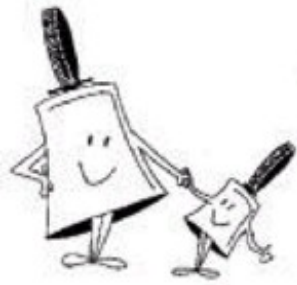
Deadline for registrations is **October 12, 2011**. Registrations postmarked after October 12, 2011 will be honored on a "space available" basis. Individual registrations will be accepted at the door if you add ringers after you submit your registration. If you lose ringers, you are encouraged to fill in with substitutes. If you require a refund you must let the registrar know prior to the registration deadline. Due to budgeting and planning constraints, no refunds can be issued after October 12, 2011.

**Questions:** For registration questions contact Phil Brown by e-mail at [stjmusic@sover.net](mailto:stjmusic@sover.net); or by  
Phone: 802-748-3894 (h), 802-274-5240 (cell)

For questions regarding overnight accommodations or specific facility questions contact Pat McMullen at [pmcmullen@sprise.com](mailto:pmcmullen@sprise.com); Phone: 603-683-9940 ext.167

We hope you will join us in supporting and encouraging Area 1's high-school ringers at Ring-Out '11!

Phil Brown, registrar  
Patricia McMullen, host



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## REGISTRATION

Deadline: **October 12, 2011** !

AGEHR member #: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Choir name: \_\_\_\_\_

Director: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_, State: \_\_\_\_\_, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

email: \_\_\_\_\_

Floor space needed for tables: \_\_\_\_\_ feet.

\_\_\_\_\_ We would like to share a "solo" selection during the afternoon concert

Title: \_\_\_\_\_, Comp/Arr: \_\_\_\_\_

Publisher: \_\_\_\_\_, Publication #: \_\_\_\_\_

Soloists/Instrumentalists/Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration deadline is October 12, 2011.

Groups will be assigned floor position and concert rehearsal time according to postmark on the envelope containing their completed registration form and payment in full. Any registrations postmarked after October 12, 2011 will be honored on a "space available" basis only. Registration questions should be directed to Phil Brown at the address on next page.

Registration confirmation letters will be mailed October 30.

**Please complete reverse / 2<sup>nd</sup> page**

If you are bringing individual ringer(s) and are interested in having them participate in an “orphan choir”, please complete the “Acceptable Bell Assignment(s)” column. If there is enough interest we will try to “create” a choir for you. You will be contacted to finalize these arrangements.

	Ringer, Director or Chaperon name. Please print clearly.	R(inger), D(irector), C(haperon)	Non - ringing Adult	Acceptable Bell Assignment(s)
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\_\_\_\_\_ Youth Ringers @ \$20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Adult Ringers @ \$20.00 = \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Adult Non-ringers @ \$0.00 = \_\_\_\_\_ 0.00

Total Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks payable to  
AGEHR, Area 1, Inc.**

**Send completed registration and payment to:**

*Phil Brown - High School Ring Out  
P.O. Box 53, St. Johnsbury, VT 05819*

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