

The Dunblane Cathedral Hand Bell Group

With Christmas fast approaching, there are many different ways in Dunblane to get into the festive spirit, such as the yearly Dunblane Cathedral hand bells concert, held in the Dunblane Cathedral on Sunday the 13th of December at 7:30pm.



The people involved in the concert are people from the local community, aged eight and above, who are part of the various hand bell groups that the Cathedral offers, with a range in ages and skills. The groups have broadcast several times on television and radio and been behind commercial recordings. They have performed around Europe, the USA and Canada.

The groups have won the single hand bells competition in the UK against the thousands of competitor groups, however this is not something to be intimidated by as there is a wide range of people in the groups with varying levels of music experience, some very experienced, some originally with none at all.

The hand bell groups are open to anyone over the age of eight with rehearsals taking place once a week during the school term times (this time is dependent upon which group). The hand bell group is a festive show that may encourage you to maybe pick up a new hobby or meet new people within the community of Dunblane of all different ages and backgrounds, whilst getting into the Christmas spirit.

For More information on the Dunblane hand bell groups please contact Malcolm Wilson, the hand bell director, at <http://www.dunblanecathedral.org.uk/contact/Malcolm-Wilson.html>