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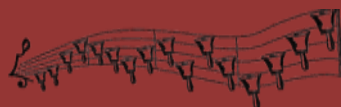
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Happy New Year!

We are excited that a new season of ringing has begun! All across the country, ringers are joining together to make music! This new year brings excitement as new music is released!

We are pleased to be celebrating our 19th year in business with you. The art of handbell ringing has advanced so much since we began. We thank you for your enthusiasm and commitment to advancing the art of handbell ringing in Canada.

Remember, if you need anything for your handbell choir, please give us a call!

Susan Galloway and Camille Ream

Clinicians



Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, New Brunswick and Colorado.

Both Susan and Camille have received their Handbell Musicians of American Level 2 Director’s Certification so if you are looking for a clinician/director to give your choir a head start this fall, give us a call! We are interested in coming to your rehearsal to work with your choir (fees to be discussed). We will get both ringers and directors energized and enthusiastic about the upcoming ringing season! We have been clinicians in British



Servicing, Polishing and Maintenance

Want your bells or chimes serviced? Handbells etc. is happy to do this for you. Imagine how wonderful it would be to be able ring polished and serviced handbells at your upcoming Spring Concerts! Please give us a call and we can give you a quote!

Teacher Tip

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Email Us!

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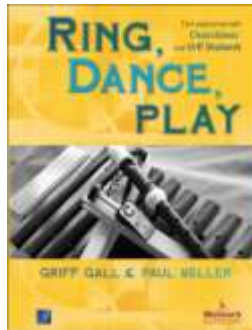
About Handbells Etc.

Handbells Etc. was established in Edmonton, Alberta in February 1994 and serves Handbell Directors and Ringers across Canada. We strive to fulfil all of your handbell needs.

Susan Galloway has served as clinician for workshops across Canada and also in Colorado. Susan has directed with Edmonton Public Schools as well as both community and church choirs. She is currently ringing in the auditioned community choir JUBILOSO! Bells of Concordia. Susan is the Western Canada Sales Representative for Malmark Handbells and Choirchimes®.

Camille Ream has served as clinician for workshops across Canada and also in Colorado. She is currently the director of the handbell program at First United Church in Fort Saskatchewan, Alberta.

Looking for Ways to Combine Bells, Chimes and Orff in Your Classroom?



We are excited to announce a new resource for our music teachers.

Available now!

[Click here to email us with your order!](#)

Send us your "Teacher Tip" about what you are doing in your classroom with handbells for a chance to win a copy of Ring, Dance, Play! The best tips will be included in our next newsletter!

Handbells in the Classroom



Handbells etc and Concordia University College have joined together to make [Handbells in the Classroom](#) happen!

We are excited to have Glenda Pickering, a well known and respected Music Teacher from Elk Island School District instruct this class. Glenda uses handbells in the classroom from Kindergarten to Grade 6! She will show us all how to integrate handbells into your regular music class!

Join us to learn how to make your music class come alive with handbells!

January 28 from 7 pm - 9 pm

\$25 per person (payment and registration due Jan 21)

Registration required.

[Click here to email Susan at Handbells etc today!](#)



YOUTH HANDBELL FESTIVAL INFORMATION 2014



The Alberta Guild of English Handbell Ringers and Edmonton Public Schools are hosting youth handbell festivals once again this spring in Edmonton, Alberta. Clinician will be Debbie Rice from North Carolina.

Wednesday, April 23, 2014

Michael Strembitsky School

Thursday, April 24, 2014

McKernan School

Friday, April 25, 2014

Mee Yah Noh School

[Click here for detailed information and registration package.](#)

[Please contact Wendy Hoskin.](#)

New Year's Resolutions!

We came up with some New Year's Resolutions for bell ringers and directors! Feel free to add some of your own!



For the Director:

- I will smile at my ringers during rehearsal.*
- I will smile at my ringers during performance.*
- I will not count out loud as much as I did last year.*
- I will come prepared for rehearsals.*
- I will memorize at least one score.*
- I will direct at least one piece this year without a score in front of me.*
- I will start and end rehearsals on time.*
- I will say thank you to the ringers for coming.*

For the Ringer:

- I will be at rehearsal on time.*
- I will not clash my bells*
- I will have clean gloves with no holes in them for the next performance.*
- I will not frown or make a face when I make a mistake.*
- I will look at the director to see if he/she is smiling at me.*
- I will share my bells and not be a Diva (even though I am in my real life).*
- I will say thank you to the director for rehearsal.*



Handbell Music Reviews



[Click here to see the January 2014 Music Reviews!](#) Some exciting new music for you to check out!

Some of the titles include:

- **Call Me Maybe - Arr. Anderson**
345 octaves Handbells with opt Rhythm (guitar, bass, synth, drums) or accompaniment CD Level 3+
- **Time of Your Life (Good Riddance) - Arr. Richards**
345 octaves Handbells with opt Rhythm (guitar, bass, synth, drums) or accompaniment CD Level 3+
- **Hallelujah by Leonard Cohen - Arr. Raney**
345 octaves handbells with opt Choirchimes® and Synthesizer Level 3
- **El Shaddai - Arr. Geschke**
345 octaves Level 2+
- **Reminiscence - Arr. Glasgow**
34567 octaves Level 3+
- **Through the Walk of Life - By Compton**
34567 octaves Level 4+
- **I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light - Arr. Moglebust**
345 octaves – optional C or Bb Instrument (part included) Also available in 23 octaves Level 2
- **Plus more!**

Upcoming Events



[Upcoming Canadian Handbells Events](#)



[Upcoming International Handbell Events](#)