

## CARLISLE DIOCESAN GUILD (founded 1975)

Formerly: Cumberland Association of Change Ringers (1889 to 1947)

Cumberland & North Westmorland Association (1947 to 1975)



### Former Association - Cumberland Association of Change Ringers

Pendant ring, hallmarked 9 carat gold, manufactured by Thomas Fattorini.

Obverse: 'CUMBERLAND ASS<sup>N</sup> OF CHANGE RINGERS'

This example engraved on rear 'St Stephens 1913, F Gibson'



### Former Association - Cumberland Association of Change Ringers

Pendant badge, hallmarked silver, manufactured by George Stacey

Obverse: 'MEMBER OF THE CUMBERLAND ASSOCIATION OF CHANGE RINGERS'

This example is engraved on the reverse: 'COMPETITION 1930. WON BY BRIDEKIRK. 2<sup>nd</sup> J. H. HAYES'

It was assayed in Birmingham in 1929 and has George Stacey's maker's mark – G and S in interlocking circles.



### Former Association - Cumberland and North Westmorland Association of Change Ringers

Circular, brass with blue enamel border Diameter 20mm

Buttonhole and brooch versions with plain reverse. Manufactured by 'VAUGHTONS LTD / B'HAM'

'Nearly £7 of badges were in hand' *'The Ringing World'* 2.v.1952 p284

'The purchase of about 200 badges costing £17' *'The Ringing World'* 10.v.1957 p301

'Messrs. Vaugton's, 50 badges £5 13s 6d' *C&NWACR annual report for 1964*

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### Version A (1978)

Shield, chrome with transfer printed design of white mitre on black cross on silver bell on white background.

Length 27mm Brooch fastening with plain reverse

No manufacturer shown but known to be Westfield Advertising Specialists Ltd

'Westfield Advertising Specialist Ltd - badges £51.38' *Carlisle Diocesan Guild annual report for 1978*

'The new badges continue to go well, almost two thirds having been sold.' *Carlisle Diocesan Guild annual report for 1979*



### Version B (1995)

Similar to version A but top of shield not engrailed and different version of the mitre in the enamelled design.

Length 25mm Brooch fastening with square pattern on reverse.

No manufacturer shown but known to be Tyrella Rosettes

'New Guild badges have been bought (same design, improved materials) and are available from the General Secretary and the Treasurer. If your old badge is worn out why not consider buying a bright new one?' *Carlisle Diocesan Guild annual report for 1995*

'A new stock of Guild badges arrived recently. The cost is £2 each.' *Carlisle Diocesan Guild Newsletter July 2008*