# Plain Minor Methods 

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## St Clement's Bob

Moving on beyond Plain Bob Minor

## Single Oxford Bob

 Single Court
## What were you hoping to learn?

No one can learn it for you v Just going and learning it isn't enough!

## What does each method have to teach us?

Lead structure and Place bells
What to learn with new methods - not how
Place notation
Plain bob lead ends
Plain Bob Bobs
Converting ends place methods to 6th place equivalents



## St Clement's "College" Bob

The "Blue Line" in chopped into "leads"


## St Clement's structure (grid)

## "College"

-2 bells on the front dodging. -
-1, 2, 3

- one + half lead + one
- striking

4 bells hunting behind making 3 lots of thirds - ropesight

2nds place method

- just like plain bob



## St Clement's whole course

Dodges come in the opposite order to plain bob

## Treble Passing Positions





Treble in 5-6 - dodge 3-4 down
Treble in 4-5 - dodge 5-6 down
Treble in 3-4 - dodge 5-6 up
Treble in 2-3 - dodge 3-4 up
Treble in 1-2 - make 2nds

## Learning Place Bells

## Let's walk through

| 6 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 5 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\times 2345$ | $4^{42} 35{ }^{(4)}$ | $\times 4523$ (2) | $5{ }^{5} 342$ (3) | 352 | A new way of |
| $162443 / 35$ | ${ }_{4}^{4}{ }_{4} 253$ | 55432 | $55^{5} 3^{2} 24$ | 3 32 245 | understanding methods |
| + $\times 24 \times 5$ | $4{ }^{4} 5$ | 5) 324 | $3524{ }^{5}$ | $234{ }^{3} / 5$ | understanding methods |
| 36 $\times 445$ $\times 425$ | 4) 532 | 5324 | 5324 | 3245 | that saves LOADS of effort! |
| ${ }^{\times} 425{ }^{4}{ }^{4}$ | 4352 | 5) 234 | 3542 |  |  |
| 36 $\times 2453$ $\times 4235$ | 4) 325 | $5243 / 3$ | $534 / 2 / 2$ | 3254 |  |
| $\begin{array}{r}364235 \\ \hline 243\end{array}$ | $4{ }^{423} 35$ | 5) $542 / 3{ }^{3}$ | $354 / 42$ | 2354 |  |
| + $424 / 3 / 5$ | $4 / 253$ | 5432 | 3524 | $23 / 54$ |  |
| $164 / 2 / 35-1$ | 4523 -B | $5342-\mathrm{F}$ | 3524 -w | 2345 -H |  |
| $12 \times 42$ | ${ }^{54523}$ | -53 5 24 24 | - $\left.32544^{3}\right)^{4}$ | -243 2345 |  |
| (42) 35 |  | 5 342 | -3524 | 2345 |  |
| 4 | 2 | 3 | 5 | 6 |  |

## Plain Bob Lead Ends = A Regular Method



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| St Clements | Yorkshire |
| :--- | :--- |
| Plain Bob | Bristol |
| Single Oxford | Lincolnshire |
| Single Court | Pudsey |
| Double Oxford | Cornwall |
| Little Bob | Lessness |
| Cambridge | Rutland |
| Primrose | Oxford TB |
| Ipswich | Kent |
| Norfolk | Superlative |
| Bourne | Double Norwich |
| Hull | Norwich |
| London |  |

Grandsire
Stedman

## Regular Methods have the familiar coursing order



Coursing order 65324
Course bells = before and after bells

Using Course bells:
-three dodges on front -dodges in 5/6

## Place Notation



## Plain Bob Bobs - 14 lead end instead of 12



## Plain Bob Bobs



## St Clement's <br> Putting it all together



# Questions about St Clement's? 

(Leads, place notation, place bells etc)

## Single Oxford Bob

Careful with the word Oxford!!

| 2345 (6) | $5 \cdot 342$ (3) | $42 / 35$ (4) | 3524 (5) | $\times 4523$ (2) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ${ }_{14} 2 \times 435$ | 5324 | $4) 253$ | 3254 | - 5432 |
| $\times 2435$ | 53.42 | 4235 | 3254 | 5423 |
| ${ }^{\times} 423$ | $35 \sim 24$ | 4253 | 2354 | 5432 |
| $\times 4325$ | $3 / 524$ | 2453 | 2534 | 5432 |
| $1634 / 25$ 16 | (3254 | $2{ }^{5} 43$ | 5243 | 4532 |
| $\times 3 / 452 / 2$ | , 2345 | $25.34 / 4$ | $542 / 3 / 3$ | 4352 |
| 16 3 $534 / 42$ |  | 523 53 | $45 / 52 / 23$ |  |
| $\times 5 / 324$ | $42 \times 35$ | 35 24. | $4 / 5 / 532$ | 23.4 |
| $145342-\mathrm{F}$ | $4235-1$ | 3/52 4 -w | 4523-в | 2345 -H |
| $12-53) 2$ 24 |  | $-\frac{3254}{3} 54$ | - $\frac{5432}{452}$ | $-\frac{24345}{234} 5$ |

## Single Oxford Bob

## Structure

Hunting below 4ths place around the lead end
Then hunting on 6
Then hunting below 4ths place With a seconds place lead end


## RULES to ring Single Oxford by the treble

Ring Bob Minimus if you hunt up and pass the treble $1 / 2$ or $2 / 3$ or 3/4


## RULES to ring Single Oxford by the treble

If you don't meet the treble $1 / 2$ or $2 / 3$ or $3 / 4$ - you want to dodge on the back



# RULES to ring Single Oxford by the treble 

Dodging at the back"
But how many?
"Dodge" + "Lead end Dodge"

+ "Start with a Dodge"



## Using the "Rules" to ring Single Oxford

Let's walk through

| 2345 | 5342 (3) | $42 / 35$ (4) | 352,4 (5) | ¢ 4523 (2) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $14243<5$ | 5 3 24 | 425 | 3254 | 5432 |
| ${ }^{14} 2435$ | $53 \bigcirc 42$ | 4235 | 32 -4 | 5423 |
| 1623 5 | $35 \sim 24$ | 4253 | 2354 | 5432 |
| ${ }^{16432} 5$ | 3524 | 2453 | 2534 | 5432 |
| $\times 34$ | 3254 | 2543 | 5243 | 4532 |
| ${ }^{16} 3 / 452$ | 2345 | 2534 | 5423 | 4352 |
| $\times 354 / 2$ | $243 / 5$ | 5234 | $45 / 2$ | 3425 |
| 16 [ $53 / 42$ | 24 35 | 5324 | 4/5/23 | 3245 |
| $145 \times 324$ | 4253 | $35 / 24$ | 4532 | $23 / 4$ |
| $5 \times 342-F$ | 4 2 35-1 | $352<4-w$ | 4523 -в | 2345 -H |
| $53>24$ | -4 23 | 3254 | 5432 | -243 |
| ( $5<342$ | -42>35 | -352 4 | - 4523 | 2345 |
| 3 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 6 |

## Plain Bob Bobs - 14 lead end instead of 12



The investment is starting to pay off!!!!!

## A touch of Single Oxford

Let's walk through


## Single Court

Without learning it!!


## Single Oxford

## Single Court

Differences


## Single Court

Similarities

## Single Oxford





## Sixth place lead end - 16 lead end instead of 12



## Let's Generate Single Court from Single Oxford



12

## Single Court Bobs are Single Oxford Bobs are....Plain Bob Bobs

$\times 14 \times 16 \times 16 \times 16 \times 14 \times 12$ (Single Oxford)


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\times 14 \times 16 \times 16 \times 16 \times 14 \times 14 \text { (Bob) }
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x $14 \times 16 \times 16 \times 16 \times 14 \times 16$ (Single Court)

## Plain Bob Bobs - 14 lead end instead of 16 or 12



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# Questions about Single Oxford/Single Court <br> -Converting 2nds to 6th place methods 

