



Ringing Up! 2022 Phoenix

Area 11 Festival/Conference

June 23-26, 2022

DoubleTree by Hilton Phoenix-Tempe, Arizona

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RINGING UP! GENERAL INFORMATION

Festival Check in Thursday, June 23, 2022

OPTIONAL Saturday ONLY Session Saturday, June 25, 2022

Ring of Fame Banquet: Saturday, June 25, 2022

Festival Concert & Closing Bell: Sunday, June 26, 2022

Ringing Up! Tracks: *If you are not sure which track to choose, consult with your director or refer to the repertoire listed on the registration form. The levels of music for each track are given below.*

Ringing Up! Copper-Lite to Copper (Level 2)

Ringing Up! Copper to Bronze (Level 3+)

Ringing Up! Polished Bronze (Level 4)

Ringing Range Preference:

You will have up to three choices of Ringing Range. We will do our best to accommodate one of these choices. If you do not request a ringing range, we will assign you where needed in the Ringing Up! Track you have chosen.

Repertoire:

You will have the option to purchase your own music packet prior to Festival and bring it with you OR having Area 11 purchase it for you where you will pick it up at Festival check in. The repertoire list and links for ordering are on the registration form.

OPTIONAL Conference Choir:

This option is for Polished Bronze ringers only who can't get enough ringing! It will be a more concentrated, advanced ringing experience. You must also sign up and participate in the Ringing Up! Polished Bronze Track. Conference Choir rehearsals might take priority over class time. ***Music must be purchased by the registrant and prepared in advance.***

Minimum of 12 registrants needed. Other than the cost to purchase music in advance, there is no additional fee for this option.

Classes:

There will be a variety of classes on topics from ergonomics-based techniques, to conducting, to assignment methods, as well as musical concepts for beginners and veterans alike.

Handbell Musicians of America Membership:

A current Handbell Musicians of America membership number must accompany every registration. This number can be found on your "Overtones" cover label. If you are not an Individual Member, you may use your Director's or Group's number.

HOTEL INFORMATION: Registration fee **DOES NOT** include hotel accommodations. The DoubleTree by Hilton in Tempe, AZ, 2100 S Priest Drive, Tempe, AZ 85282 is the festival/conference headquarters hotel. ***You must make your own room reservation by contacting the hotel. Reservations must be made by individuals no later than June 1, 2022.*** Identify yourself as being part of our group Handbell Musicians of America. Call 1-800-528-6481 to make your room reservation. ***The hotel offers a free shuttle to and from the airport!***

Room rates: Room rates are exclusive of local taxes and fees. Room rates include complimentary parking, 24 hour business center, 24 hour Fitness Center, heated pool and spa. *The hotel offers a free shuttle to and from the airport!*

Single/Double - \$115.00 per night (If two people are sharing the room, the nightly rate would be divided by the two people sharing the room)

Triple - \$125.00 per night (The nightly rate would be divided by the three people sharing the room)

Quad - \$135.00 per night (The nightly rate would be divided by the four people sharing the room)

Off-Site Lodging Surcharge:

Registrants who live outside a 50 mile radius from the hotel and choose not to stay at the DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel must pay an off-site lodging surcharge of \$100.00. This helps ensure we meet our contracted room blocks, keeping all costs as low as possible.

FULL FESTIVAL REGISTRATION FEE includes all concerts, workshops and classes, meeting space, and ringing equipment needed to participate (bells, chimes, tables, pads). Meals that are included with registration are Thursday opening night buffet, Friday lunch, Saturday lunch, Saturday evening Ring of Fame Banquet, and Sunday lunch.

Registration Options:

We have two methods for registering. Online registration and payment with credit card is available. Processing fees will apply when registering online. You can also register by mail and pay by check. If you choose to pay by credit card/PayPal, there is a link on the registration form for that option.

Early Bird Registration Fee (online or postmarked on/or before **March 31, 2022**) **\$290.00**

Registration Fee (online or postmarked from **April 1, 2022 and May 15, 2022**) **\$350.00**

Non-Registrant Package (online or postmarked before May 15, 2022) **\$230.00** (*includes ALL concerts and Festival Meals*)

Saturday ONLY Registration: \$75

Saturday Evening Ring of Fame Banquet ONLY \$85.00

OPTIONAL SATURDAY ONLY OPTION:

Although we hope you will want to have the Full Festival experience, a Saturday ONLY option is available which includes workshops, classes, ringing track observation for Saturday ONLY and Saturday lunch buffet. Check-in will be on Saturday morning, June 25. Six class options will be offered. Tickets to Saturday Evening Ring of Fame Banquet are available for an additional fee. Registration must be paid in full online or postmarked on or before **May 15, 2022**.

Festival Refund Policy:

Refunds, minus a \$200 cancellation fee, will be allowed until May 15, 2022. After that date, if special circumstances prevent a registrant from attending, you may petition the Area 11 Executive Committee for a refund. Please contact the Area 11 Chair, Anne Kleve at chair.area11@handbellmusicians.org.