**The Bells of London Town, Thursday 9th March 2017**

10 walkers, 10 miles – leader Ron Williamson

A walk inspired by the nursery rhyme:

The Bells of London Town

"Gay go up and gay go down

To Ring the Bells of London Town

"Oranges and Lemons" say the Bells of St Clement’s

"Bullseyes and Targets" say the Bells of St Margaret’s

"Brickbats and Tiles" say the Bells of St Giles’

"Halfpence and Farthings" say the Bells of St Martin’s

"Pancakes and Fritters" say the Bells of St Peter’s

"Two Sticks and an Apple" say the Bells of Whitechapel

"Maids in white aprons" say the Bells of St Katherine’s

"Pokers and Tongs" say the Bells of St John’s

"Kettles and Pans" say the Bells of St Anne’s

"Old Father Baldpate" say the slow Bells of Aldgate

"You owe me Ten Shillings" say the Bells of St Helen’s

"When will you Pay me?" say the Bells of Old Bailey

"When I grow Rich" say the Bells of Shoreditch

"Pray when will that be?" say the Bells of Stepney

"I do not know" say the Great Bell of Bow

Here comes a Candle to light you to Bed

Here comes a Chopper to Chop off your Head

Chip chop chip chop – the Last Man's Dead."

All locations visited with the exception of St Johns which is inside the Tower of London

**Highlights:**

Pre walk refreshments from The Yurts (St Katharines Precinct)

A visit to the shop at Whitechapel Bell Foundry (recommended but be quick closes in May)

The bell at Shoreditch rang especially for us.

More photographs by Sue Kahn on the group Facebook page