



# MANAGER WANTED

Reet Ale Pubs is looking for a Manager for the Rutland Arms, 86 Brown St, Sheffield.

Hands on and passionate about running pubs? Sick of working in the corporate world and feeling like just a number?

We are looking for entrepreneurial and motivated manager who wants to make a difference and continue the growth and successes of the Rutland Arms.

The ideal candidate will have worked within a similar environment, be a true relationship builder and most of all have a passion for the pub industry.

As General Manager you will have full responsibility of managing the pub. In this role you will need to be enthusiastic, hands-on and strive for excellent customer satisfaction.

This would ideally suit an existing General Manager looking for a new challenge, an Assistant Manager looking for a step up or someone with a passion for pubs and the right transferable skills. The next manager of the Rutland Arms will understand its place at the heart of Sheffield's Cultural Industries Quarter, as a real ale haven close to Bramall Lane, as the destination, pub, beer garden and function room of choice for a wide and disparate variety of clubs, societies, businesses and more.

A dedication to quality across the range of products especially cask and keg is a necessity as is an understanding of the food offering (especially the specials board) and the way the pub meets varying needs.

Salary dependent on candidate and experience.

To apply please send a CV and covering letter saying why you are the right person to andyøreetalepubs.co.uk





# 3,500 MONTHLY CIRCULATION

# **EDITOR**

Andrew Cullen
07554 005 225
beermatters@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

Articles, letters and suggestions are most welcome so please send them in\*

#### **ADVERTISING**

Paul Crofts advertising@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

Quarter Page £40+VAT
Half Page £60+VAT
Full Page £90+VAT
Inside Cover £100+VAT
Back Cover £110+VAT
Discounts for regular placements

PDFs or high-res (300 dpi) bitmaps only please

Design from £30 Updates from £10

# NEXT COPY DEADLINE Friday 3rd June

Opinions expressed are those of the author and may not represent those of CAMRA, the local branch or editor. Beer Matters is 
© CAMRA Ltd.

\*For legal reasons a full name and address must be provided with all contributions.

# THE FREE MAGAZINE OF CAMRA SHEFFIELD & DISTRICT

ISSUE 464 - JUNE 2016

#### **NEWS**

Meet the new committee Our survey says... Beer Report and Belgium



#### **BREWERIES**

Sheffield Brewery Co Drone Valley Neepsend Brew Co.



#### **PUBS**

Social Saturday crawl
Hillsborough Hotel
Old Hendersons Relish Factory
Volunteers required to survey
pubs!
Peaks pubs minbus trip

THE MOON INN

#### **AWARDS**

Pub of the Month Harlequin presentation: New rural award! Special award

Historic pub interiors

Railway, Bramall Lane



#### **FESTIVALS**

3 Valleys preview Steel City 42 Festival Guide 28

12



DIARY

34

**COMMITTEE** 

36



# MEET THE NEW COMMITTEE

As many of you know, we recently held our AGM and elected a new committee for the year. With some old hands, and a few new faces, we are hoping to bring a new lease of life to the branch. Without further ado, let us introduce ourselves:



# Kate Major

I have been a real ale lover for a few years now, but was thrown in at the deep end last year when I took on my first CAMRA role as branch secretary. The learning curve was steep but rewarding, and I decided the logical progression was to challenge myself in the role of chair. I currently run a pub as my 'day job', so my love for ale and the licensed trade runs deep. and I'm so excited to be a small part of what makes Sheffield the world's real ale capital!



# Louise Singleton Vice Chair Beer Fest Organiser

I became involved with Sheffield CAMRA when I volunteered to help at the 2011 AGM. Following that I volunteered at the festival at Ponds Forge, and was soon given the task of Staffing Officer, I became Chair of the Festival Organising Committee for the 41st festival, and again this year. I am not from a Beer Industry background as I work in Pensions Administration, and although working 60+ hours on the festival week I really enjoy it, though at times through the tiredness it doesn't seem that way! It is a long 11 months organising the festival with many obstacles to overcome, but I do enjoy working with the other volunteers and am very proud of what we achieve together.



# Richard Short Secretary

I joined CAMRA while an archaeology student in York in the early 1990s. My subsequent archaeological work gave me access to pubs and a wide range of ales from around the UK. I am now a life member and an enthusiastic home brewer.



# Tony Kennick Treasurer

Having retained the Olympic cheese tasting gold for the third time in a row I retired to Sheffield to take up a life of dark beers and twice cooked chips. Have own clown shoes.



# Andy Cullen Membership Secretary

I joined CAMRA at Sheffield's Steel City Beer Festival when it was held at Hallam University Student Union's Nelson Mandela Building (since demolished) and my first active role was on the national Young Members committee. Locally. I have held an number of branch committee positions including secretary. Membership Secretary and Chairman along with being editor of Beer Matters, having taken over from Paul Goddard when it was still a black and white publication where the master copy was printed on a photocopier and taken to the printers in hard copy - no PDF files uploaded in those days! I have also been involved with the Steel City Beer Festivals for a few years, generally as staffing officer but more recently as the person in charge of the beer order! I also volunteer on the Membership Stand at the Great British Beer Festival in London, and the Robin Hood Beer Festival in Nottingham, as well as being one of the organisers of the 3 Vallevs Festival in Dronfield.



# Paul Crofts Press Officer

Although a lifelong beer fan, I only joined the committee last year. I sell kitchen worktops for a living. I'm a huge music fan, particularly live music, and will talk endlessly about Mary-Chapin Carpenter given half a chance. And Sheffield Wednesday. Science Fiction, old Slot Machines, woodwork, in fact most things really. Although be warned, if you stop me for a chat I WILL ask you to volunteer for the Beer Festival!



# Matt Nedved Young Members Contact

Hi I'm Matt, a keen lover of beers, ciders and pie. I have another 2 keen interests which are cricket and geology.



# Dave Pickersgill Pubs Protection Officer

CAMRA member since the 1970's, SCBF42 will be the 35th Sheffield CAMRA festival at which I've worked. I lead on Pub Heritage and ACV issues within the branch, and also have an ebook on the 'Worksop and Retford Brewery' which for a brief period was top of the Amazon Kindle charts in the 'beer' category!



# Mark Boardley and... Social Secretaries Pub Officers

Member for 20+ years. I joined the committee last year and hope we can reach more of our branch members by providing interesting social eventsa and helping members get to know us.



# Sarah Mills Cider Officer

Member for about 6 years; encouraged to join because I wanted to get involved with the festival. It was a time when cider was a small sideline and since being joint cider bar manager I've seen it go from strength to strength. I enjoy talking about the ciders we sell encouraging customers to try the new things on offer.



# ...Patrick Johnson

I moved to Sheffield from Newcastle 4.5 years ago and straight into the Kelham Island area to partake of its many glorious pubs and myriad pale ales. While a member for almost 10 years, this is the first time I have ever been 'active'.





# **OUR SURVEY SAYS...**

Well, it turns out we were one step ahead of head office in deciding to survey our members! The recent survey we sent round to all the Sheffield CAMRA members had slightly different aims in that we weren't looking at a complete review of what CAMRA is about, more trying to find out member's opinions of our branch and how we get them more involved.

We had 145 responses, which is just under 10% of branch membership. Not as high as we would have liked but realistic for this sort of survey. However still enough for us to draw some interesting conclusions.

The initial questions showed that 30% had been to a CAMRA meet-

ing, and 43% had been on a group social, which are higher figures than currently attend. 85% have been to the Steel City Festival at some point, 58% always read Beer Matters and 94% will renew their membership when it's due. All signs that the interest is there for the Sheffield Beer Scene.

The challenge now for the new committee is to look at what changes we need to implement to make the most of this interest.

A list of suggested social events showed an interest in games nights, heritage talks and pub crawls, and events are already being planned in response.

The most interesting section of the survey, and the most difficult to sum-

marise, was the six openended questions at the end. Members took the opportunity to expand on their thoughts about branch meetings - what they liked/didn't like, what would make them attend, suggestions for improvement etc.

The full report summary will be on our website shortly, but the basic message was that members want the committee to be more open about it's activities, be more welcoming to new members and to make meetings more appealing, particularly to women and vounger members. The new committee, which includes three women and at least one actual young person is keen to take all these comments on board and make Sheffield CAMRA a much more sociable organisation.

Elsewhere in this month's Beer Matters you'll find information on the new committee members, including photos (sorry!), as the first part of this process. Rest assured this is only the start of what we have planned.

Finally, for all the people who did respond there was a raffle for 12 bottles of beer donated by Hop Hideout. The winner was (drum roll...) Simon Wood, seen here collecting what looks like a fabulous selection of beer.

Congratulations to Simon, and thanks again to Jules and Will at Hop Hideout for providing the prize.



# **BEER REPORT**

I read the Sheffield Beer Report while on Eurostar en route for a few days with a 'Podge's Tour' in LambicLand (Belgium). It generated considerable discussion with both colleagues on the tour and also a number of local Brewers. The initial Belgian reaction was 'Sheffield?' However, they were impressed by both the numbers and our enthusiasm.

Despite their well-deserved international beer reputation, the Belgium topseller is Jupiler, a 5.2% Pils brewed by international giant, Anheuser-Busch InBev (this lists maize as one of the main ingredients). This illustrates the variety of the Belgian beer scene: some unique, and excellent, practice, but also a high level of mediocrity.

For example, we visited the internationally known, biannual lambic beer festival known as 'The Night of the Great Thirst International Geuze and Kriek Festival of the Pajottenland' at Itterbeek. This consisted of a marquee, about a dozen Brewers and 40 or so beers, mostly only avail-





# **AND BELGIUM**

able in bottles. There was no programme or tasting notes, prices were not low and abvs were only available by asking to look at the bottle label. All the Brewers were local with the single exception of Allagash from Maine (USA). The event needed more organisation and information. By contrast, the vast majority of CAMRA Beer Festivals have a larger beer choice and are a model of customer-friendly information and assistance. We were not impressed.

This lack of information was also apparent in many bars. A chalkboard and/or printed menu often listed the beers available, in bottle and on tap, but the detail is lacking: style? Brewery? abv? One notable exception was the Molenhof Café in Oostvleteren which serves a selection of draught De Struise Brouwerij beers from the brewery across the road. Their chalkboard included both ABV and beer style. Sadly, this level of information seems to be the exception, not the rule. Many Sheffield pubs, by contrast, display such detail and often more.

We also visited the Brabanthal venue just outside Leuven for a visit to the Belgium equivalence of the GBBF, the Zythos Beer Festival with 88 brewers offering over 500 beers. This was a total contrast to the previous evening: lots of staff, a programme available in English, detailed information and even a free beer token for CAMRA members. In short, an excellent event. The provision of free bread at each stand was welcomed, an innovation which UK festivals could take on.

Belgium has a large a number of fine long-established Brewers and blenders (many of which we visited, for example: Rodenbach. Oud Beersels) with excellent beers, including some world classics which simply could not be brewed elsewhere (think Lambic and Geuze). They also have a growing number of recently established innovative enterprises: for example, Urthel. Their impressive range now includes, 'Bassets,' a 24.4% aby freeze-distilled beer which was matured in oak barrels.

The Sheffield Region also has its World classics, but focusses on a different style and market. The vast majority of beers from the Sheffield region are cask-conditioned and sold relatively locally whereas the bottled outputs from Belgium hit the export market, many breweries exporting over 50% of their production.

The Sheffield region needs to up its game re-



garding exports - the potential is there, as Thornbridge have shown. The Sheffield Beer Report suggests that a local canning/bottling plant is an essential. Anyone care to invest?

It's also worth noting that at Itterbeek, we had a long beer-related conversation with the Flanders Region Minister of Culture. He expressed more interest in the Sheffield beer scene than seems to emanate from Sheffield Town Hall. The presence of such a highranking politician at a beer festival indicates the level of local political support for beer tourism. It would be positive to see similar political representation at both the forthcoming SCBF42 and SIBA BeerX 2017.

In short, an excellent few

days away - two contrasting beer scenes:

- LambicLand with a focus on exporting quality
- Sheffield, the unknown hub of beer tourism in the UK (and possibly, the world)

Each area has lessons to learn from the other. However, Sheffield is in the best place - an innovative, established, but growing beer scene contrasting with a, perhaps, complacent Belgian offering. Steel City is Beer City!

Links to the Sheffield Beer Report and Podge's Tours can be found on our website.

**Dave Pickersgill** 





# SHEFFIELD BREWERY CO.

Sporty Tykes is a delicious golden ale at 4% made with Challenger and Calvoso hops and infused with aromatic elderflower heads grown locally. It's number five of our top ten reasons we love Sheffield and is in homage to the city's great sporting traditions past, present and in the future! Whether you admire our Olympiads, watch your local team, play in the park or throw a dart there will always be some activity in this region which excites us as Sporty Tykes!

# **Beer Club**

#### 5-11pm Fri 3 - Sat 4 Jun

Our third first Friday/Saturday was another fab weekend – and the sunshine certainly brought a fun loving crowd! Hello to all our new members.

Congratulations again to our neighbours, the mighty Peddlers Market, they'll be open again the same weekend, and will showcase another fresh line-up of Britain's best street food traders, alongside top-notch craft beers, freshly made cocktails, live music and art. You've got to be there, the atmosphere is brilliant and gets better at each event!

# Semi-acoustic bands/artists wanted

Big thanks to Tom and Richard from Silverdale School for playing a fantastic set last Friday. Any smallish bands or singers fancy playing at our Beer Club please get in touch with Pete at the brewery.

# **Sport in Sheffield**

A few facts on Sheffield and why it's the National City of Sport courtesy of Wikipedia:

Sheffield has a long history of involvement in sport. Although cricket was the first organised sport, it has gradually been supplanted by football. Both the main two local football teams grew out of cricket teams. Sheffield can claim many firsts in football the most famous one being Sheffield F.C. being the world's first and oldest football club. Today it has a club in every major team sport in England. Sheffield became the first UK National City of Sport in 1995 and is now home to the English Institute of Sport (EIS).

Today the city is home to two league clubs Sheffield Wednesday and Sheffield United, top flight ice hockey (Sheffield Steelers) and basketball (Sheffield Sharks) and a Premier League speedway team (Sheffield Tigers). Sheffield Eagles is the main rugby league club. Sheffield Tigers and Sheffield Rugby Club make up the other

There are six boxing world champions from

Sheffield including Clinton Woods and Johnny Nelson. David Sherwood is a top ten British tennis player from the city and the former England cricket captain, Michael Vaughan, was brought up and lives in Sheffield. Joe Simpson, a famous climber also comes from the city. Steve Peat "Peaty" was the MTB Downhill World Champion.

The largest stadium is Hillsborough Stadium, the home of Sheffield Wednesdav. which holds around 39.850. The now-demolished Don Valley Stadium was formerly the largest athletics stadium in the United Kingdom. Bramall Lane is the world's oldest major football ground and holds around 33,000 and Sandvaate Road, home to Hallam F.C., is the oldest football ground. The World Snooker Championships has been held at the Crucible Theatre since 1977.

Our inspirational Jessica Ennis-Hill famously won Gold in the London Olympics 2012.

So all in all we've a lot of sporty tykes who love this city!

PS: whoever was playing in goal at the University pitches on Thursday 12th May in the evening at around 7ish – come and have a pint on us!

Lookout for more in our Top Ten series which we'll be releasing at the end of each month. Details of everything on our new website: sheffieldbrewery.com





www.oldhallhotelhope.com 01433 620160 info@oldhallhotelhope.com



www.oldhallhotelhope.com

01433 620160

info@oldhallhotelhope.com





# **DRONE VALLEY**

In April the brewery was officially launched by Natascha Engel MP who exchanged calling 'order' as deputy speaker to taking orders behind the bar. Well over 100 members and guests enjoyed the band, Blind Badger and the buffet from Chariots kitchen, Dronfield. To finish the night in true style, one of the members fell into the river-it was very cold by the squeal that was heard...!

Beer production is now in full swing at this, member owned and volunteer run, brewery on the banks of the river Drone at Unstone.

The stock range includes the popular *Dronny Bottom Bitter* (3.7%) and *Gosforth Gold* (4.0%) both of which are getting repeat orders, to the stronger *Fanshawe Blonde* (4.8%), the 'fabu-

lous' **Stubley Stout** (5.2%) and the 'splendid' proper, **Drone Valley IPA** (5.2%). Recent additions have been the seven malt **Coal Aston Porter** (4.5%), a 6.4% strong pale ale and a weissbier beer in recognition of the twinned town of Sindelfingen in Wurttemberg.

Several pubs around the Three Valleys beer festival will have Drone Valley beers on offer. A chance to collect them all!

Both the Three Tuns and the Pioneer club in Dronfield will have specific bars selling a selection, for all tastes.

We continue to welcome new members and investors, many of whom are playing an active role as registered volunteers.

Jez Horton

# **Buses and Trams**South Yorkshire:

Travel Line 01709 51 51 51 www.travelsouthyorkshire.com **Derbyshire** 

www.derbysbus.info

#### **Trains**

National Enquiries 08457 48 49 50 www.nationalrail.co.uk

## **Trading Standards**

trading.standards@sheffield.gov.uk
Consumer advice (0114) 273 6289 Sheffield Trading
Standards. 2-10 Carbrook Hall Road. Sheffield S9 2DB



# **NEEPSEND BREW CO.**

Our latest brews have included Osiris - a 4.2% New Zealand Pale Ale hopped with Green Bullet and Pacific Jade. It is clean, crisp and zesty with a smooth bitterness and notes of citrus and grapefruit - and a tweaked version of our stout utilising even more varieties of dark malt. Our latest IPA, which was dry hoped with mosaic in the conditioning tank, has started making its way out into the world and showcases the unique characteristics of the mosaic hop nicely with a big and distinctive aroma and flavour

The collaboration brew with Abbeydale, Kelham Island, Exit 33, Blue Bee and Sheffield breweries for the Sheffield Food Festival went well (though some unnamed brewers retreated to the Fat Cat rather early in the day) and we were delighted to have representatives

from the Sheffield Royal Society for the Blind along for the brew. Watching a pink elephant (the charity's mascot) adding the aroma hops to the brew made for a slightly different Thursday afternoon at the brewery than usual! The beer - a six hop pale ale - will be available at the Sheffield Brewer's Co-op tent at the Sheffield Food Festival at the Peace Gardens on the 28th-30th May.

Next up in the brewing plan is our Breakfast IPA collaboration with Hop-jacker brewery, lots more Blonde to keep the thirsty drinkers of the Sheaf View and Blake Hotel happy and a red rye IPA when we can squeeze it in.

Follow us on twitter and Instagram @Neepsend-BrewCo or find us on Facebook to keep up to date on our latest brews and news.

**Gavin Martin** 



Check out the Newly Returbished



# BANNER CROSS

8 Cask Ales, 4 Draught Craft Beers Extensive Craft Bottle Beer Range



WE ARE ALSO THE HOME OF SPORT IN SHEFFIELD



The Banner Cross
www.thebannercross.co.uk
971 Ecclesall Road, Sheffield S11 8TN - Tel. 0114 266 1479





# **SOCIAL SATURDAY CRAWL**

On Saturday 14th May we decided to run a crawl of some of the pubs in Central Sheffield with the theme linking the pubs being they all sell real cider.

An enjoyable afternoon started in the Head of Steam and took in the Benjaman Huntsman, Clubhouse, Devonshire

Cat, Three Tuns and Harlequin. The Harlequin is our Cider Pub of the Year and when we got there a band was just about to start performing.

Special thanks go to the Clubhouse on London Road where a warm welcome was extended with complimentary food!





# HILLSBOROUGH HOTEL

As the summer is arriving, at long lost, we are introducing Sunday Afternoon Jazz & Blues here at the Hillsborough Hotel. Initially we will be hosting these sessions once a month; 'Blind Papa Stumblin' will be hosting the first session on Sunday 29 May, 3 - 5pm.

Why not start the afternoon for Sunday lunch,
served 12 noon - 4.00
pm, washed down with
one or two of our excellent beers; our house session ales are Mojo, a 3.6%
Citrus Pale from Tapped
Brew Co and Barnsley
Bitter, 3.8% Rich Chestnut Malty Ale from Acorn
Brewery, or from the local/
regional/national beers
that are on the bar.

During the next month or so we are hoping to introduce a selection of Keg Beers and Lagers along with a new selection of Canned and Bottle craft beers.

Our new menu will be introduced in June with a selection of freshly made sandwiches, salads and main courses with an emphasis on using locally sourced produce.

# **INN BRIEF**

The New Barrack Tavern is holding a charity weekend in aid of the Childrens' hospital from 10th to 12th June, this features a busy programme of live music plus of course beer and food as usual.

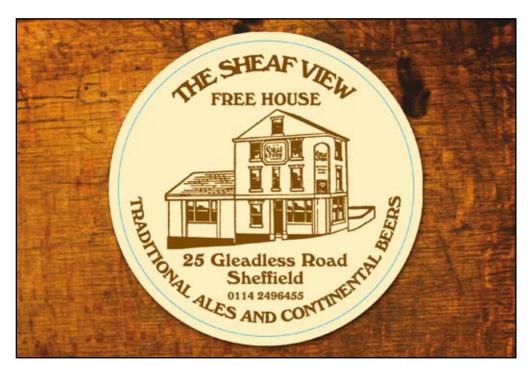
Sentinel Brewhouse & Bar is now open for beer and food, shortly after this issue of Beer Matters hits the streets the official launch is planned which will see the first beers brewed on the premises available.

The **Ball Inn** at Crookes has had a refurbishment and now carries an even bigger range of real ales!

The **Shepley Spitfire** at Totley has a new manager.

Hop Hideout on Abbeydale Road will be hosting a Cloudwater meet the brewer on 30th June (advance tickets required) and a festival of sour beers over August bank holiday weekend. They also anticipate their garden area being complete for then!











# **OLD HENDERSONS RELISH FACTORY**

An application asking for planning permission to turn the old Henderson's Relish factory on Leavygreave Road into a pub is to be submitted after Sheffield-based company Hadfield Cawkwell Davidson were selected to design the scheme.

Hendersons Relish pub

University of Sheffield

Keith Lilley, the Sheffield University Director of estates and facilities management, said he thought the chosen architect's design 'really hit the spot' by incorporating the original house.

Pamela Freeman, managing director of Henderson's,

said: "Having the chance to be part of this project and see the building that was such an important part of our company's history preserved and brought into public use is fantastic."

Work on removing lean-to extensions to the building have started.

# **VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED TO SURVEY PUBS!**

CAMRA's national pub website, **WhatPub?**, is being relied on as a resource to find information on pubs around the UK by more and more people and it is increasingly important we keep the database up-to-date.

As with almost everything in CAMRA, it relies on volunteers and our branch is responsible for all the pubs in our area being maintained in the database.

We know that of the several hundred pubs in our area a proportion have information that is out of date or wrong, this is where you come in as a CAMRA member. We ask that any pub or bar you visit for a drink, you look it up on whatpub.com and see if there are any errors. If there are, please find out the cor-

rect infor from the staff and submit an update (there is a link on the website to do this) which our pubs officer will then process.

Likewise, if you're aware of a new pub opening it would be very useful if info could be submitted to us so we can upload it. We need the name, address, website, phone number, opening hours, beer range, real cider availability, food offering and facilities. A photo is always good too.

Whatpub? aside, our annual **Beer Capital Survey** is coming up on 3rd September. This is where we run a number of different pub crawls around the city on the same day and record the choice of ales and ciders along with prices where possible in as many pubs as we

can. This takes the pulse of the pub and beer scene looking at the scale of variety available, which breweries and beers most commonly appear on the bars and the average price of a pint. There are a number of towns and cities doing such an audit now and there is competition to be declared the 'Real Ale Capital of Britain' based on the number of different beers - so far Sheffield is undefeated in terms of pure numbers (others try to work it on beer per head of population to make their figure look better!).

Look out for the details and join us - if we have lots of people doing this, not only does it mean we can cover more pubs but it also becomes a more social event!

# **INN BRIEF**

Saxbob is hosting another live music night at the University Drama Studio with a real ale bar available, this time featuring Dale Storr on the 24th June. Tickets £10 from wegottickets.com.

The Fox & Duck at Broomhill has now gone free of tie from the pub company and like sister pub the Doctors Orders is featuring beer from Little Critters Brewery, which is run by the same people as the pubs. A discount is available on these beers before 7pm.

The **Place** at Broomhill is reported to be offering a discounted price of £2.50 a pint on Tuesdays.

The **Swim Inn** on Glossop Road is now run by Hawthorne Leisure, having been sold by Wetherspoons.

The **Bath Hotel** is opening on Sundays once a month (first Sunday of the month) for live music sessions.







# SVALLEYS

O VENUES
LINKED BY BUS SERVICE FROM
DRONFIELD STATION

A GREAT VALUE DAY OUT!

SELECTION OF 200 BEERS PLUS CIDER FOOD AND MUSIC

BEER FESTIVAL SAT 4 JUN 2016

threevalleysfestival.org.uk

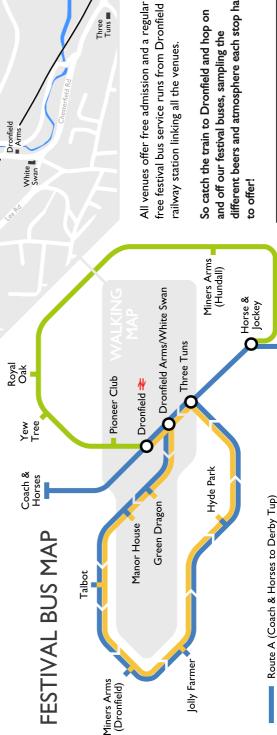
Pioneer Club

surrounding villages filled with beer, cider, food and music. A great value day out in Dronfield, Derbyshire and the

Green Dragon

Manor House

> different venues - town centre, suburban and rural pubs. This beer festival is spread across a number of very



threevalleysfestival.org.uk different beers and atmosphere each stop has Bus times and more info:

Derby Tup

Route B (Dronfield Station to Horse & Jockey)

Route C (Dronfield circular)



# **PEAKS PUBS MINIBUS TRIP**

On the last Friday in April a group of members set out on the first of what we hope will be regular trips into Derybshire to sample the delights of some of our rural pubs.

After a quick half in the Queens Head, Pond Street, we headed for our first destination, the Moon Inn at Stoney Middleton. The recent refurbishment looked good and it was nice to see the pub so busy at 7 o clock.

Next stop was the 3 Stags Heads in Wardlow Mires. Several members went for the Black Lurcher, produced specially for the pub by Abbeydale Brewery and it's fair to say everyone enjoyed the real fire in the back room.

The Monsal Head Hotel followed, with its spectacular views of the viaduct. With some of us outside admiring the view, we managed to avoid overcrowding the Stables bar where several people were enjoying some appetising-looking meals.

A short walk down the road took us to the Packhorse Inn, where more fine looking food kept coming past us. A good selection of ales were on offer including quite a few from Thornbridge.

Then it was back on the bus for our penultimate stop, the Eyre Arms at Hassop and some excellent local beers from Peak Ales.

Lastly we called into the Grouse at Longshaw, a popular haunt with walkers. Beers available included Pedigree and Hobgoblin Gold. Sadly we were too late to sample any of their famous steak pie.

Amazingly enough the



whole thing ran to time, thanks to Kate's cajoling, and we were back at Sheffield interchange for 11, where a few of us sneaked in another drink before wending our way home.

The ticket price included entry into a raffle to win 6 bottles of beer kindly donated by Beer Central in Moor Markets. This was won by Kathy

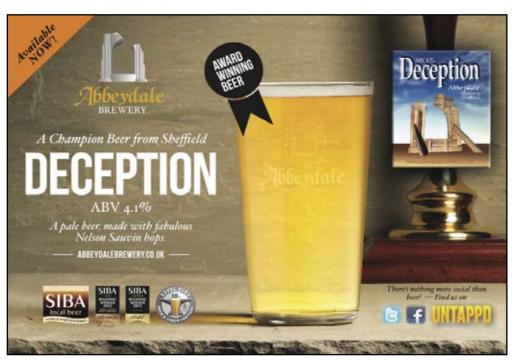
Clark, seen here collecting her prize from Sean at Beer Central.

Everyone agreed it was a great night, and we'll be visiting other pubs in Derbyshire regularly throughout the year in support of our new Rural Pub of The year award.

Our next trip is on 1st July and will include the District Pub of the Year award presentation.















Recently another Sheffield pub became part of the prestigious CAMRA Regional Inventory of Pub interiors – The Princess Royal (Crookes) is now designated as SRI - 'some Regional Interest.'

Previously a beerhouse, the Princess Royal was re-built of stone in the mid-1920s for Duncan Gilmour (architects: Hall & Fenton. Sheffield). The currentday external footprint of the pub is identical to this rebuild. The interior was changed in ~1949 when the small servery situated just inside the pub and an off sales to the right of the porch were removed; the present centrally situated servery added; internal toilets replaced the Kitchen and Scullery and the outside toilets were demolished.

Apart from the opening-up of the smoke room on the right (in the 1980s?) the interior is little changed for over 65 years with two (was three) rooms still including an active billiard room. It has

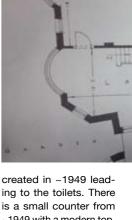
a lovely set of Gilmour's etched and frosted exterior windows, some with their Windsor Castle symbol.

The entrance lobby has a mosaic floor and a dado of 1920s tiling in cream and green and an inner door in a good screen. Across the front of the pub is the single room originally the Lounge & Dining Room on the left and the Smoke Room on the right but a small piece of wall including the door to the smoke room has been removed (in the 1980s?). The bar counter is 1949 with a modern top and has a row of tiles at the top. The back fitting is from ~1949 with some modernisation. There is some 1920s panelling one piece of wall on the left, in the former smoke room area on the right and also on the left there is 1920s fixed seating which has been re-fitted and boxed-in, and there is a modern tiled dado in the former off sales area and to the right of the servery.

At the rear left is the



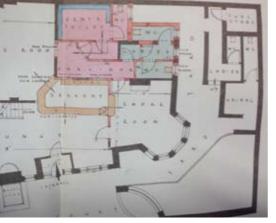
billiard room now with a three-quarter sized table (presumable replacing a full sized one). The fixed seating looks to be the original from the 1920s but has been re-fitted and boxed-in. There are three good 1920s baffles by doors – two by the door to the corridor



created in ~1949 leading to the toilets. There is a small counter from ~1949 with a modern top. The fireplace looks like a replacement (or is it the ~1949 one?). There is also a Club Room above the billiard room

The first mention of the name, 'Princess Royal'



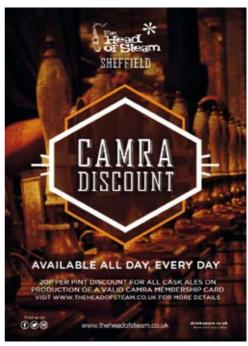


in a Directory is in 1937. Also, in that year, the building was designated as a 'Public House,' not, as previously, a 'Beerhouse.' The first mention of a phone number is in a 1954 Directory. The pub has had the same phone number since then. Gilmours were taken over

by Tetleys (Leeds) in 1954 – perhaps the telephone was installed at this point?

Thanks to Tim Knebel at Sheffield Archives for assistance in sourcing original floor plans.

**Dave Pickersgill** 







# RAILWAY, BRAMALL LANE

It's been a busy spring with plenty of work still being carried out on the pub. We're now happy with the look of the place and pleased to say we've got a sunny beer garden out back where you can catch the rays with a pint in hand. Towards the end of the summer we also hope

to have the upstairs room open, with the eventual aim of getting some regular live music on, but that's a little while off still.

On the beer front we've made a couple of alterations. We've swapped out two of the more standard lagers we had and replaced them with a pair of

rotating taps, which have been very well received. Expect to see the likes of Sierra Nevada Pale, Brooklyn, Anchor Steam, Frontier etc. on these, with prices from £3 a pint. Our 5 rotating real ales taps are going from strength to strength too. Although we don't have any permanent

casks you can always be sure to find a good cross section of the city and regions ales, from blondes to porters and in a range of strengths.

We've got plenty of events on over the summer, including tastings and meet the brewers. You can find details of all these on our Facebook page – Facebook.com/railwaysheff – and on our twitter @railwaysheff.

Finally, in the Autumn we'll be forming another pool team to enter into the Wednesday night Sheffield league. If you're interested in joining, or for more information, swing by the pub.

Jack Cater



2006



2016











THE HALLMARK OF A PERFECT PINT

Since launching our first beers in 2006, we have gone from strength to strength, producing a range of award winning real ales.

Ten years later in 2016 here at The Sheffield Brewery Company, we are celebrating our **Ten Year Anniversary** with a brand new look, website and ten monthly specials.

Come and join the celebrations this year by **booking a brewery tour**, **joining our beer club** on the last Friday of the month, or **purchasing our beer** down your local.

# STEEL YOURSELF... SOMETHING'S BREWING!













www.sheffieldbrewery.com

f A sheffieldbrewery

2006 2. TEN YEARS (2016 )



# BATH HOTEL PUB OF THE MONTH - JUNE 2016

The perfect pub for a Saturday afternoon - pick up a paper from the bar and a homemade hot roast pork sandwich; a guaranteed tranquil day.

Knowledgeable and friendly staff makes this Grade II listed pub (dating back to 1867) a popular watering hole. Inside you'll find a remarkable tiled interior bar housing six hand pulled ales and six keg offerings, no wonder it's listed in CAMRA's National Inventory of Historic Pub Interiors!

Rotating Thornbridge Brewery kegs such as their big bourbon barrel aged Imperial stout *Eldon* in addition to regular guests from the likes of Tiny Rebel and Cloudwater, sit welcomingly on the bar.

With regular pub quizzes, art exhibitions and music gigs, plus free Wi-Fi so you can check in and update friends on the beers they're missing out on; this pub is a must visit on any city centre pub trail.

66-68 Victoria Street, Sheffield S3 7QL beerinthebath.co.uk @BeerInTheBath

**Jules Gray** 



# HARLEQUIN DOUBLE AWARD PRESENTATION

Liz of the Harlequin was presented with the winners certificate for our May Pub of the Month award along with our Cider Pub of the Year by branch Chair Kate Major and Cider Officer Sarah Mills.



# NEW RURAL AWARD! RURAL PUB OF THE SEASON

Introducing the new Rural Pub Of The Season award!

As readers may know, the reason we are known as Sheffield & District branch is because part of our area falls within Derbyshire. This means we have many excellent pubs which, due to their distance from the city, are perhaps overlooked in Pub of the Month nominations.

To try and redress the balance, and to encourage members to venture further afield when looking for good pubs, we are introducing a new award.

The Rural Pub of The Season, as the name suggests will be a quarterly award, and will only be open to our pubs that are outside the Sheffield City Unitary Boundary. Like the Pub of the Month award, pubs must have served Real Ale for at least a year, and had the same landlord or manager for the last 6 months.

Winning pubs will also be added to the shortlist for the Branch Pub of The Year competition.

Members can nominate a pub at any point and vote using the online form on our website or at branch meetings.

The first award will be the Autumn award, with voting lasting from 1st June to 31st August.

We intend to be more proactive in promoting this award and helping to support our rural pubs. Beer Matters will feature frequent articles, and we will organise regular trips into the area.

The full set of rules and a full list of the eligible pubs are on our website. Landlords or Bar managers wanting to know more can contact our Press Officer, Paul Crofts at press@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

Picture shows a fine example of a Derbyshire pub, The Anglers Rest at Millers Dale, current District Pub of The Year.





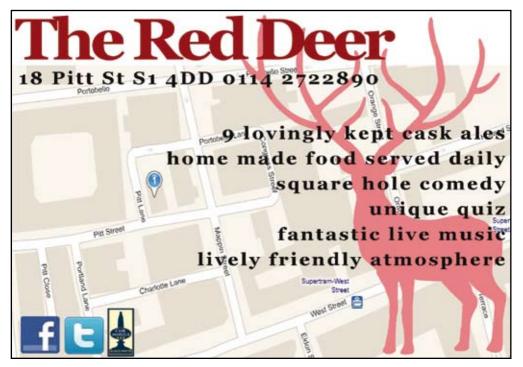
MARKET HILL, BARNSLEY, S70 2PX

OFFERING AN EXCITING RANGE OF CASK ALES, CONTINENTAL BEERS, PILSNERS AND CIDERS





WWW.ACORN-BREWERY.CO.UK





# YOUR PUB NEEDS YOUR VOTE!

Our Pub of the Month award is a bit of positive campaigning, highlighting local pubs that consistently serve well kept real ale in friendly and comfortable surroundings.

Voting is your opportunity to support good, real ale pubs you feel deserve some recognition and publicity.

All CAMRA branch members are welcome to vote at branch meetings or on our website.

It's not one pub against another, simply vote YES or NO as to whether you think the pub should be PotM. If we get enough votes in time we will make the award.

Nomination forms are available at branch meetings and on the website. The pub must have been open and serving real ale for a year and under the same management for 6 months.

Winners compete alongside our *Good Beer Guide* entries for branch Pub of the Year, the winner of which is entered into the national competition.

The list of nominees includes which buses to take if you fancy a trip to try them out:

# **CURRENT NOMINEES**

#### **Beer Engine**

Cemetery Road (buses 3, 4, 4a, 20, 43, 43a, 44, 75, 76, 85, 86, 97, 98, 218)

#### **Bulls Head**

Ranmoor (bus 120)

#### **Gardeners Rest**

Neepsend (buses 7, 8)

#### Lescar

Hunters Bar (buses 65, 81, 82, 83, 83a, 88, 272)

#### New Inn

Gleadless (bus 51; tram Blue or Purple to Hollinsend)

#### Old Oueens Head

City Centre (next to Sheffield bus Interchange)

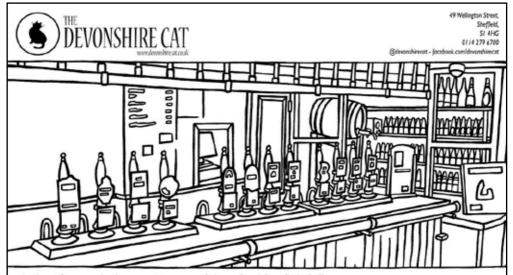
#### **Walkley Beer Co.**

Walkley (buses 31, 31a, 95)

#### White Lion

London Road (buses 10, 10a, 20, 24, 25, 43, 43a, 44, X17)

VOTE NOW at sheffieldcamra.org.uk/potm



Look out for upcoming beer events on our website and social media including

Tap Takeovers - Spirits Tasting evenings - Beer and food pairings

Also check out our brand new 16 keg fonts and new expanded range of bottled beers to include the most exciting beers from home and abroad!



# THE BEER ENGINE

# CRAFT BEERS SPIRITS FOOD

17 CEMETERY RD

www.beerenginesheffield.com





# **3 VALLEYS PREVIEW**

3 Valleys Festival takes place across the Dronfield area on Saturday 4th June featuring 15 pubs and a club all with real ale. Many of the venues will also feature food and music. Entry to all the venues is free of charge.

We are running a Sheffield CAMRA branch social to this event, catching the 12:05 train from Sheffield station to Dronfield. A return ticket costs £4.60 (remember to buy your ticket at the station before boarding, it may cost more on train).

As it is getting quite close now, here is the Beer Matters guide to the festival.

# **Getting there**

There are a number of local bus services in Dronfield that pass participating venues, including Stagecoach 43/44 and TM Travel 14/16. There are also some free feeder buses operated by Linburg running to the festival from Totlev (11:56 from Cross Scythes or 12:00 at Shepley Spitfire), Bradway (12:03 from bus terminus). Dore & Totley rail station Mosborough (11:40),(11:43 from British Oak), Eckington (11:53 from bus station), Ridgeway (11:55 from opp church) and Marsh Lane (12:00 from opp Butchers Arms).

The most popular way of reaching 3 Valleys Land however is by train, Dronfield Station will be at the heart of the festival. Trains on the Leeds-Sheffield-Nottingham route call at Dronfield every hour.

# **Getting around**

A free festival bus service will operate from midday until 9pm linking all the venues at regular intervals (every 15-30 minutes). The buses run on two routes, both serving Dronfield Station. The station will see 8 departures per hour. route A goes to Dronfield town centre, Dronfield Woodhouse, Hill Top, Hallowes, Unstone and Whittingon Moor. (Note there will be some extra buses on part of this route badged as route C). Route B goes to Coal Aston, Hundall and Unstone.

Note that the free bus service can be very popular, some people choose to get a taxi rather than wait for the next bus. New this year is the arrival of Uber at the festival who will have a number of cars around Three Valleys Land that can be ordered on their phone app. If you are new to Uber look out for the 3 Valleys promotional code which will get you your first ride free (up to the value of £15). Other taxi operators in the area include City Taxis and Network Taxis.

Some of the venues are of course walkable. From the station it is a reasonable stroll to the Dronfield Arms, White Swan, Three Tuns, Pioneer Club, Green Dragon and Manor House Hotel.

# What's on?

# Coach & Horses Dronfield

Honey Bee Blues Club is hosting live music from 4pm featuring Alex Haynes, Ash Gray & the Burners and Black Thunder Revue. Beer from Thornbridge plus guests. Food from Chariot's Kitchen. (Festival bus A, local bus 43).

# **Derby Tup**Whittingon Moor

An extended beer range will be offered featuring Pigeon Fishers, Castle Rock and others. (Festival bus A, local buses 43,44,50,50a,X17).

# **Dronfield Arms**Dronfield Bottom

An extended beer range will be accommodated across 3 outside bars as well as the pub bar, live music throughout the afternoon starting from 12:30 and a disco in the evening from 7pm. There will also be a pizza stall and an auction to raise funds for Coal Aston Cricket Club. (Festival bus A and C, local bus 44).

# **Green Dragon**Dronfield Church Street

A party in the car park with beer, cider, food and music!

# Horse & Jockey

Live music with the Watchsnatchers in the afternoon and Rachel Louise in the evening. Beer and food also feature. (Festival bus A and B, local bus 43/44).

# Hyde Park Inn Hill Top

Beer, food, music and a great beer garden. (Festival bus A and C)



# Jolly Farmer Dronfield Woodhouse

Extended Real Ale selection from the glass fronted cellar, meet the brewer, normal pub dining available plus festival food. (Festival bus A and C. Local buses 43 and 16a).

# Manor House Hotel Dronfield High Street

Abbeydale beer tent, live music from Sam Wain and food from I Love Ostrich, all outside. Normal food and drink service at the hotel bar inside. (Festival bus A and C).

# Miners Arms Dronfield Woodhouse

Beer and food, enjoy inside the pub or in the garden. (Festival bus A and C. local bus 16/16a).

# Miners Arms

A rural, scenic hillside location, tap takeover by Pictish Brewery in the pub and a great range of guest beers and ciders outside plus food by Deli-Licious and entertainment. (Festival bus B, local bus 14).

# Pioneer Club Dronfield

A family atmosphere here with a bouncy castle for the kids, ice creams, hog roast and other hot foods, music and an outside bar showcasing the new Drone Valley Community Brewery. (Festival bus B, local buses 14,15,44).

# **Royal Oak**

#### **Coal Aston**

An opportunity to relax in a genuine, traditional village pub with a selection of classic ales. (Festival bus B, local bus 44).

# Talbot

# **Dronfield Woodhouse**Outside bar show

Outside bar showcasing beers from Peak Ales, Fish & Chips and live music - Rattled in the afternoon, G Men in the evening. (Festival bus A and B, local bus 16,43).

# Three Tuns

Brewery bars outside in a marquee showcasing Barlow Brewery and **Drone Valley Community** Brewery, quest beers on the pub bar. Range of cider and perry available on all bars. Various food stalls serving Pizzas, lamb pittas and hog roast. Live music throughout the afternoon and evening commences 2pm. (Festival bus A and C. local buses 43/44).

# White Swan Dronfield Bottom

Beer, Cider, BBQ and entertainment. (Festival bus A and C, local bus 44).

# Yew Tree Coal Aston

Outside real ale bar, burger van, live music throughout the afternoon from 2pm to 7pm. (Festival bus B).



# STEEL CITY 42 UPDATE

Don't Panic - It's Steel City Beer & Cider Festival 42!

As Douglas Adams (not Corporal Jones!) once said - 42 is the answer to Life, the Universe, Everything and which Beer Festival is this? (That sentence has been reclassified as "Mostly True")

Yes, it's the 42nd Steel City Beer & Cider Festival and we have a brand new sci-fi looking logo for it. You'll soon be seeing this dotted around magazines, posters and beer mats around the city as we get underway with promoting what is undoubtedly the highlight of the year for beer lovers in Sheffield. And beyond for that matter, no doubt.

We are also extremely pleased to announce that this years chosen charity is the Sheffield Children's Hospital. We're sure everyone in the city knows the great work done by the hospital and probably knows someone who has benefitted from their excellent care. We'll be having the usual collections during the festival and encouraging everyone to donate their leftover beer tokens (whatever they are!)

You're all reminded that we're always looking for more volunteers, so if you fancy being part of the team, drinking free beer and wearing a free t-shirt, visit the website and sign up.

Don't forget that sponsorship opportunities are now available for the festival - email sponsorship@ steelcitybeerfestival.co.uk for details - and don't worry about the Kelham Island Museum being demolished to make way for a hyperspace bypass. It probably won't happen.



# **FESTIVAL GUIDE**

# JUNE

# **Stockport CAMRA**

Thu 2 - Sat 4 Jun

150+ beers at the football ground.

# Belper Goes Green

Beer tent at the rugby club with 30 or so real ales and cider organised by Amber Valley CAMRA, as part of the wider Green Festival.

# 3 Valleys

#### Sat 4 Jun

This event just grows and grows – a great value day out filled with real ale, food and music hosted across 15 venues including town, suburban and rural pubs.

A fleet of 9 buses provides a regular free service from Dronfield station to all the venues from midday until 9pm, hop on and off at the participating festival venues as you please. All the venues offer free entry.

threevalleysfestival.org.uk for full details of what will be at each venue along with bus timetables.

# Manchester Cider & Perry

This 6th annual festival of Cider & Perry takes place at Copper Face Jacks in the Palace Hotel, located opposite Manchester Oxford Road railway station and featuring a range of around 40 ciders and perrys. Open midday to 10:30pm each day, entry £3 (or £2 for CAMRA members). East Midands Trains run hourly from Sheffield to Manchester Oxford Road.

# JULY

# **Oakstock**

# Sat 2 Jul

Following the first Oakstock proving popular at the British Oak in Mosborough last year, it is back for a second outing! A full afternoon and evening of live music, food and beer, There will also be live music in the pub on the Friday night.

Runs from 1pm to 10pm, regular buses run from Sheffield Interchange to Mosborough and stop outside the pub, these are Stagecoach services 50, 50a, 53, 71 and 71a.

# **Sunfest**

## Thu 7 - Sun 10 Jul

The very popular annual beer festival at the Rising Sun pub at Nether Green. The pub is run by Abbeydale Brewery and their beers – including a festival charity special – takeover the pub bar with a marquee in the car park at the rear featuring around 100 guest ales. Food, music and charity fundraising stalls and events also feature.

# Bassetlaw Beer Festival Fri 8 – Sun 10 Jul

Held at the Grafton Hotel in Worksop with a range of around 25 real ales plus a selection of cider.

# **Burncross Beer Festival**

Beer and live music at the Wharncliffe Arms in Burncross. Bus 86.

#### **Tramlines**

## Fri 22 - Mon 25 Jul

A big music festival that takes over Central Sheffield across a number of venues, inside and out with a lot of pubs in the area also putting on bands to create a festival fringe. You need tickets bought in advance to get into the main stages but the fringe venues offer free entry. Included in the fringe is Tramlines Blues at CADS

near Shalesmoor, featuring a busy programme of blues bands on the Friday and Saturday with a real ale bar, food and stalls. Shakespeare's pub also has a busy programme of music. Most venues are either on the tram line or has a frequent bus service. www.tramlines.org.uk

# **AUGUST - OCTOBER**

# Barlow Carnival Sat 20 Aug

The annual carnival brings a party atmosphere to the village and features well dressings, themed parade, funfair, stalls and a mini beer & music festival at the brewery. An enjoyable day for both locals and visitors.

# Cleethorpes Rail Ale & Blues Fri 16 – Sun 18 Sep

Busy programme of blues along with around 50 real ales at the Cleethorpes Coast Light Railway, which will be running steam trains all weekend.

Direct trains run from Sheffield to Cleethorpes regularly throughout the day.

# Old Hall & Paper Mill Inn Sat 17 - Mon 19 Sep

This event takes place in the two neighbouring pubs and beer garden in the village of Whitehough near Chinley (15 minute walk from station) with over 200 different beers and ciders plus food and entertainment.

# Steel City 42 Wed 19 – Sat 22 Oct

Back at Kelham Island Industrial Museum for the third year and yet again bigger & better to reflect the growing numbers attending. Over 200 beers and ciders plus live music and various street food stalls spread across several atmospheric areas of the venue – Victorian Courtyard, marquee, Millowners Arms, Upper Gallery Hall and Craft Room.



the Legendary arkwright arms

# Hawaiian SHIRT Day 2016

Saturday 2nd July

LIVE MUSIC all day

FOOD SERVED
all day

FREE ENTRY FREE CAMPING & FREE PARKING



# the arkwright arms

Chesterfield Road, Duckmanton, Chesterfield S44 5JG T: 01246 232053 www.arkwrightarms.co.uk info@arkwrightarms.co.uk

• Real Ale • Real Food • Real Pub.

**FESTIVALS** 

www.rawbrew.com/pubs Follow us on Facebook and 🔃 Twitter

# **DIARY**

# SHFFFIFI D

**INFO AND BOOKINGS:** 

social@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

# **Nottingham Mild Trail** 11am Sat 28 May

Joint social with Mansfield & Ashfield branch visiting the pubs on Nottingham CAMRA's Mild Trail to mark the end of Mild in May campaign. 11:15 train from Dronfield (11:05 from Sheffield) to Nottingham.

# **Hope Valley Bus Crawl** 11am Mon 30 May

Our annual trip out to the pubs of the Hope Valley. We catch the 272 bus from Sheffield Interchange at 11:20 to Castleton and work our way back towards Sheffield via Hope, Bamford and Hathersage.

# **Pub Heritage walk**

# 7:30pm Tue 31 May

Our Pub Preservation Officer Dave Pickersgill takes you on a walk between a number of City Centre pubs with surviving historical features. Meet at Fagans at 7:30pm ready for an 8pm departure, the tour finishes at the Bath Hotel.

# **Trip to 3 Valleys Festival**

#### 12pm Sat 4 Jun

We catch the train from Sheffield at 12:05 to Dronfield and take you on a tour of some of the pubs taking part in the beer festival which are linked by a free bus service.

# **Branch meeting**

#### 8pm Tue 7 Jun

The usual monthly formal members get together to discuss branch business: share pub, club and brewery news and catch up on what is happening in the campaign. The venue is Sentinel Brew House, located at 178 Shoreham Street, S1 4SQ and we will be able to enjoy a brewery tour once business is concluded.

#### **Pub of the Month**

#### 8nm Tue 14 Jun

Our members have voted the Bath Hotel the winner of our June Pub of the Month award. Come and join us for a beer or two as we present the certificate. The pub is on Victoria Street in Sheffield City Centre, off Glossop Road. Nearest tram stops are University of Sheffield or West Street.

# **Festival planning meeting** 8pm Tue 21 Jun

We get together to continue work planning the 2016 event due to be held at Kelham Island Industrial Museum in October, If you would like to be involved then please come along to this meeting, the venue this month is Shakespeare's on Gibralter Street (buses 31/57/81/82/85/86).

One of the top 4 Real Ale pubs in Great Britain 2015

# **KELHAM ISLAND TAVERN**

OPEN 12-12 daily

Sheffield and Yorkshire Pub of the Year 2015







PRESENTS



# TRAMLINES BLUES & ALE STAGE FRIDAY 22 & SATURDAY 23 JULY 2018



# **Beer Matters distribution** and committee meeting

8pm Tue 28 Jun

If you have signed up for a magazine delivery run, come along to collect your supply of the July issue and enjoy a beer with other distributors. Please ensure you check the number of copies you take are appropriate as we've struggled to get copies to every pub some months recently.

The committee meeting is also held at the same time.

# District Pub of the Year & other rural pubs 6pm Fri 1 Jul

The second of our Friday evening Derbyshire Peak District minibus trips of the year, this one takes us to the Anglers Rest at Millers Dale to present our District Pub of the Year award, this is a pub where we always receive a warm welcome and eniov good beer. We'll also be stopping at a couple of other rural pubs on the way there.

We are meeting at the Old Queens Head next to Sheffield Interchange from 6pm (there is also the option here of arriving early and having food for those out straight from work!) with the minibus departing at 6:30pm prompt! If you wish to come on this trip please book your seat on the minibus in advance, tickets will be available at most branch events or reserve yours by emailing socials@ sheffieldcamra.org.uk.

# **Hawaiian Shirt Party** 2pm Sat 2 Jul

The annual homage to loud shirts at the Arkwright Arms at Sutton-Cum-Duckmanton near Chesterfield which has now developed into a full blown beer and music festival! We'll be making it an official afternoon social. If there is enough demand we will organise a minibus, otherwise there are regular Stagecoach buses via Chesterfield.

# **Branch meeting**

8pm Tue 5 Jul

The usual monthly formal members get together to discuss branch business, pub, club and brewery news and catch up on what is happening in the campaign. Venue TBC.

# Train trip to Worksop

2:30pm Sat 9 Jul

Annual Bassetlaw Beer Festival is taking place at the Grafton Hotel so it seems as good as time as any to jump on a train for the half hour ride to Worksop for a wander around some of the real ale pubs there, starting at the Mallard on the station platform! Meet on board the 14:44 train from Sheffield (also picks up at Darnall and Woodhouse).

# **Pub of the Month** 8pm Tue 12 Jul

Our members have voted the Walklev Beer Company our July Pub of the Month. Come and join us for a beer or

two as we present the certificate.

They will be opening specially for us (normally they only open Thursday to Saturday) and can be found on the main road through Walkley (address is 362 South Road, S6 3TF), buses 31 and 95 stop right outside.

# **DRONFIFI D**

INFO AND BOOKINGS: Nick Wheat

socials@dronfieldcamra.org.uk

# **Dronfield branch meeting** 8pm Tue 14 Jun

Our monthly formal get together to catch up on pub, club and brewery news, vote for pub awards and conduct general branch business - all over a pint or two of course. This month the meeting is at the Manor House Hotel on Dronfield High Street. Bus 43 stops nearby outside Sainsburys or bus 44 stops a short walk away at the railway station.

# **COMMITTEE**

# **Kate Maior**

Chair chair@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

# **Louise Singleton**

Vice Chair Beer Festival Organiser festival@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

#### Richard Short

Secretary secretary@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

# **Tony Kennick**

Treasurer

treasurer@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

#### **Andrew Cullen**

Membership Secretary membership@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

# **Paul Crofts**

Press Officer Pubs Database Officer Beer Matters Advertising press@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

#### Dave Pickersqill

Pub Heritage pubheritage@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

# **Sarah Mills**

Cider Officer

# **Mark Boardley Patrick Johnson**

Social Secretaries Pub Officers social@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

#### **Matt Nedved**

Young Members Contact

#### Alan Gibbons

Pub of the Year and Good Beer Guide Coordinator potm@sheffieldcamra.org.uk

# **CAMRA (National)**

230 Hatfield Rd, St Albans, Herts, AL1 4LW www.camra.org.uk 01727 867201



# Fair deal



on beer



# Join CAMRA Today

Complete the Direct Debit form and you will receive 15 months membership for the price of 12 and a fantastic discount on your membership subscription.

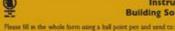
Alternatively you can send a cheque payable to CAMRA Ltd with your completed form, visit www.camra.org.uk/joinus or call 01727 867201. All forms should be addressed to the: Membership Department, CAMRA, 230 Hatfield Road, St Albans, AL1 4LW.

Your Details	Direct Debit Non DD			
Title Surname Forename(s)	Single Membership 224 220			
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy) —————————————————————————————————	Joint Membership £29.50 \$\sum £31.50 \$\sum (Partner at the same address)			
Postcode	For Young Member and other concessionary rates please visit www.camra.org.uk or call 01727 867201.			
Email address Tel No(s)	I wish to join the Campaign for Real Ale, and agree to abide by the Memorandum and Articles of Association			
Partner's Details (if Joint Membership)	I enclose a cheque for			
Title Surname	Signed Date			
Forename(s)	Applications will be processed within 21 days			
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)				
Email address (if different from main member)	01/15			
Compaigning for Dub Coors	Enjaving Bool Ale			

Campaigning for Pub Goers & Beer Drinkers

Enjoying Real Ale & Pubs

# Join CAMRA today - www.camra.org.uk/joinus



Name(s) of Account Holder

**Branch Sort Code** 

Bank or Building Society Account Number

Instruction to your Bank or **Building Society to pay by Direct Debit** 





Campaign for Real Ale Ltd. 230 Hatfield Road, St. Allians, Herts ALI 4LW Name and full postal address of your Bank or Building Society. Service User Number

To the Manager Bank or Building Society

Address

9 2 6 1 2 9

FOR CAMPAIGN FOR REAL ALE LTD OFFICIAL USE ONLY has is not part of the instruction to your Bank or Building Society

Sombership Number

Instructions to your Bank or Building Society

Please pay Campaign For Real Ale Limbed Direct Clobes from the account detailed on this matricism subject to the subgrants assured by the Direct Debit Guarantee, I understand that this instruction may remain with Campagn For Anal Ale Limited and if so will be pursed shorrorically to my Bank/Endding Society.

Chamilton works.			

If an error is made in the payment of year Direct.
 Debit by The Campaign for Real Ale Ltd or your bank

The Direct Debit

Guarantee

· This Guarantee is offered by all banks and building

If there are any charges to the amount, date or frequency of your Direct Debit The Campaign for

he given to you at the time of the reque

Red Ale Ltd will notify you 10 working days in advanced your air count being debited on an otherwise layered If you request The Compaign for Real Ale Ltd to colle a payment, conformation of the present and date will

societies that accept entractions to pay by Direct

You can canced a Desect Debit at any time by an contacting your bank or building society. Writte

- If you record	a reland to	NAME AND DESCRIPTION	cled to, you
ment pay it back	when The	Campaign For	Real Air L
maks you to			

Banks and Building Societies may not accept Direct Debit Instructions for some types of acco











FESTIVAL OF BEER AT THORNBRIDGE OUTDOORS, BAKEWELL 1ST 2-11PM, 2ND 11-11PM, 3RD 11-4PM, JULY 2016

> CAMPING MON SI

US FOR THE DAY- FREE

ENTRY

Enjoy some of the world's best beers in some of the UK's most stunning countryside































# and if you can't make our Peakender...

last Saturday of the month) 10am-2pm. Selling bottled beers, mini casks, clothing and gifts. Open Monday to Friday, 9am-4.30pm and Shop online: thornbridge.co.uk/shop on Bakewell Farmers' Market days booking essential. Adults £7.50, £3 Price includes tour, beer samples Wednesday and Friday at 3pm, (10-17 years), under 10s free. and a branded glass.

**BREWERY SHOP** 

brewery every last Wednesday of brewery tours and pizzas at the Join us for craft beers, music, **BREWERY SOCIAL** the month, 5pm-8pm.

Free entry.

delicious food, 3pm at The Greystones June 26th American Style Beer & BB0 May 22nd Mexican Grub & Beer laste exciting beers paired with 2nd & 3rd July at Peakender

Riverside Brewery, Buxton Road, Bakewell DE45 16S T: 01629 815 999 www.thornbridge.co.uk 🖬 🛩 🔄 🚰 🔛