



# Tendring CAMRA Newsletter

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Suggestions for Social Activities, please contact Mick Hearn at [social@tendringcamra.org.uk](mailto:social@tendringcamra.org.uk)

## Branch Activities

All members are very welcome at Branch Meetings (start at 8 pm) & Committee Meetings (start at 7.30pm) (only committee vote).

20<sup>th</sup> September Social/short meeting Victory Walton  
4<sup>th</sup> October Branch committee meeting Globe Harwich  
10<sup>th</sup> October Full Branch Meeting Kings Arms Frating  
18<sup>th</sup> October Cravat Day  
20<sup>th</sup> October 'Rivers' Charity Walk Grt Oakley to Harwich

You will find later activities on our diary page see:-  
<http://www.tendringcamra.org.uk/diary.html>

*All dates/destinations may be subject to change. Transport is available for some of the above, if you are interested please contact Mick at the email address above. By sending an email to Mick, you agree to being contacted by him via email.*



Taken on a lovely Saturday during our Clacton pub walk-about with 11 branch members in tow. Picture taken outside the 'Makai' bar and café on the seafront with the great vista of the much improved Clacton Pier. A visit to this bar was a treat for our 'Cider' Rep Tracey as there is presently only cider sold here! This was a week before our Beer & Cider Festival, we created quite a stir around the town and in the pubs wearing this years festival polo shirts to help advertise the event.

## QUOTE FOR TODAY

Beer and cheese represent two of the biggest, and most iconic British food groups and it was fantastic to meet some of those Essex farmers who produce these great products.

~ John Whittingdale MP speaking during a House of Commons event

**Tendring Branch Membership  
now stands at  
796**

Our Summer Beer & Cider Festival was a great success again, this year whilst the number of people attending was around the normal 2,000 the amount of ale & cider sold was up. So we must have had a better class of drinker! It was very pleasing to note there were quite a few younger drinkers attending. This is great as we are keen to promote CAMRA, Real Ale & Cider to a younger age group. CAMRA young members are in the age range 18 to 30, there is a concessionary subscription rate (£17 with Direct Debit) for under 26 year olds

**How about the CAMRA Gift Membership as a present for your children or grandchildren?**

- Order the Gift Membership by visiting the online shop [camra.org.uk/shop](http://camra.org.uk/shop)
- You will receive a membership pack and covering letter containing a unique voucher code
- Present the pack and letter as a gift to the lucky recipient. The recipient will then go online or call the CAMRA membership team to activate their Gift Membership

## Beer Festival Diary Dates

South Woodham Ferrers Beer & Cider Fest 4-6 October  
Harwich Shanty Festival 5-7 October  
Live & Let Live Colchester Beer & Pie Fest 19-21 Oct  
Harwich Sausage Festival 3rd November  
Harwich & Parkeston Winter Ale Festival 21-24 Nov  
Rochford Beer & Cider Festival 21-24 Nov  
Colchester Winter Ale Festival 30 Jan to 2 Feb

If your 'local' is hosting a Beer/Cider related function and you would like it added to this list please let me have the details.



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