

Tendring CAMRA Newsletter

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Suggestions for Social Activities, please contact Mick Hearn at 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).

9th May Committee meeting Queens Arms Clacton

22nd May Mystery pub round-about 29th May Short & Social meeting Hanover & Globe Harwich

8th June Historic Harwich guided tour

15th June POTY presentation's Maybush, White Hart & Old Lifeboat House

19th June Full Branch Meeting Bromley Cross

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 via email.



We held our annual Morris Traveller on a Saturday after St George's Day. When 48 members and Morris Dancers went round four Tendring pubs in a coach. This is a great way to support local pubs and bring a little cheer to the venues. Plus it demonstrates to the pub landlords and regulars the work that CAMRA does in support of their pubs. The pubs visited were the Waggon at Wix, Bromley Cross, Kings Arms Frating & Crown at Thorpe. All the pubs made us very welcome. The Kings Arms (pictured) even cleared a dining area so Morris could perform inside and they took advantage of this by performing a musical interlude.

QUOTE FOR TODAY

St George he was for England. And before he killed the dragon. He drank a pint of English ale. Out of an English flagon.

 $\sim G.K.$ Chesterton, 'The Englishman', 1914.

Tendring Branch Membership now stands at 787

If you are interested in any of the forthcoming branch activities could you please register an interest.

Saturday 8th June Historic Harwich walk. This is a guided tour of the town by a local tour guide which will include a stop in a pub and probably end up in another!

Saturday 6th July Norwich visit by train.

Saturday 13th July Manningtree pub walk about. This will include an opportunity to visit the Sailing Club Beer Festival.

Saturday 27th July Harwich Town Brewery Beer Festival. If there are enough takers we will run a mini bus from the Clacton area to this very popular beer festival in the fantastic Redoubt Fort.

Saturday 3rd August visit to Mighty Oak Brewery Maldon. This will include an opportunity to visit other pubs in the town.

Saturday 17th August Clacton pub walk about. This will give us the opportunity to promote our Clacton Beer Festival.

Beer Festival Diary Dates

The Dove Ipswich Beer Festival 22-27 May White Hart Halstead Beer Festival 24-26 May Comrades Club Clacton Beer Festival 24-28 May Cambridge Beer Fest + young members forum 25 May Kings Arms Frating Music (& Beer) Festival 25-26 May Colchester Real Ale & Cider Fest 28 May to 1 June Braintree Real Ale Festival 13-15 June Ship Kirby-le-Soken Beer Festival 28-30 June Chelmsford Beer & Cider Festival 2-6 July Manningtree Beer Festival 12-13 July

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.

