

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).

POTY trip **Saturday 4th February**Cider POTY **Saturday 11th February**Branch Meeting **Thursday 23rd February** Haywain
Committee Meeting **Wednesday 8th March** Blacksmiths
Branch AGM **Wednesday 29th March** Maybush
Committee Meeting **Wednesday 10th May** Ship Grt Holland

You will find later activities on our diary page see:-

http://www.tendringcamra.org.uk/diary.html

All dates/destinations are subject to change. Transport is available for some of the above; if you are interested please contact Mick at the email address above. By doing so you agree to being contacted via email.



This picture was taken during our very enjoyable Burns Night celebration at the Cross Inn, Great Bromley. We have held this for a number of years now and we always hold it on the 25th. The Master of Ceremony and 'Addresser of the Haggis' was my friend Andy Schooler, again doing a great job and also entertaining us. We had 17 members present and even two came dressed in their kilts.

QUOTE FOR TODAY

Canned beer went on sale for the first time, made by Krueger brewery of Richmond, Virginia. ~ 24th January 1935

We may not have enjoyed the beer but the selling of beer in cans caught on.

This wasn't the first time tin cans were used to keep perishable goods. In fact Napoleon held a contest to find a means of feeding his 'Grande Armée' whilst they rampaged across mainland Europe Tendring Branch Membership now stands at 616

Another of our annual events is the very popular Morris Traveller (St George's Day celebration) - Saturday 22nd April. The cost should be around £25 each. We load a large coach up with Real Ale drinkers and Leading Lights Morris and visit four great village locals. We hope our visit encourages customers to visit their local and what can be more quintessentially English than a pint or two in a village local watching Leading Lights Morris perform traditional dances. Please let me know if you would like a seat?

Below are a few of our proposed events please let me know if you are interested and if there is enough support I will set dates and advertise again.

The Dove Ipswich Transport by minibus would be around £10 each.

Little Earth Project (The White Horse Edwardstone) Transport by minibus would be around £11 each. A bit off the beaten track and found along the South Suffolk Cycle route, you'll find an oasis of great beer found in a traditional styled Suffolk freehouse.

Sudbury - a summer Saturday daytime country walk ending at The Nethergate Brewery Tap (with an option for a brewery show round). Transport by minibus would be around £11 each. The walk is 3 miles along a disused railway line so should be level ground. The minibus will drop us off in Sudbury and pick us up at the brewery. The Valley Trail runs through the Sudbury riverside meadows, which are the oldest continuously grazed pastures in East Anglia. The majority of these have been part of the Sudbury Common Lands Charity since 1897 and are traditionally managed.

Beer Festival Diary Dates

Great British Beer Festival 16th– 18th February Chappel Winter Beer Festival 2nd – 4th March

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.

