

## **Tendring Branch Information Sheet**

(News Letter)

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**Branch Activities** 

All members are welcome at Branch Meetings, start at 8 pm. Also Committee Meetings start at 7.30pm (only committee can vote)

9<sup>th</sup> November Sausage Festival in Harwich (visiting 3 pubs) 12<sup>th</sup> November mini Branch Meeting Cherry Tree Lt Oakley 22<sup>nd</sup> November Branch Pub Run-about to Manningtree area 25<sup>th</sup>November Greene King Brewery Social Trip 4<sup>th</sup> December Branch Committee Harwich Beer Fest 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> December Branch Social Harwich Beer Fest 15<sup>th</sup> January mini Branch Meeting Black Boy Weeley 12<sup>th</sup> February full Branch Meeting The Alma, Harwich POTY voting trips (one north one south) date TBA Trip to Colchester Brewery (date TBA in the New Year) Branch Run-about to Colchester (date TBA in Spring)

All dates/destinations may be subject to change.

If you are interested in transport for any of the above contact Mick at the email address below.



Can you name this now 'Lost Pub' in our patch and the village it was located in? Clue— there is a sporting connection with the old pub name. Although banned by the 2004 Hunting with Dogs Act.

This is unfortunately the second pub I have featured in the same village.

# renaring Branch Membership now stands at 516

This picture was taken during our last branch meeting at the Railway Tavern Brightlingsea. Branch Chairman Jeff Luesley presented Gerard English (joint Landlord with his dad Dave) their certificate for one of the runner-up pubs for Pub of the Year 2013.

### Help wanted!

As part of our campaigning activities it is important we regularly check *all* of our pubs. We would like to visit each pub at least every three months to check whether they still sell (or not sell) real ale. A number have started selling real ale recently that have only been found thanks to member surveys. There are three ways you can help.

- a) Score your beers using WhatPub.com; sign in with your CAMRA login, search for the pub, and fill in the details. This lets us know a pub has been visited and whether they do real ale or not. (If they have sold out, score 0, but add a note in the advanced section, please).
- b) Adopt your local pub. If you are willing to adopt a local pub or two, send their names, your name and your preferred email address to pubs@tendringcamra.org.uk if no other member scores those pubs in a 3 month period, you'll get an email asking if you could visit for us.
- c) Download Target Pubs from the member area of our website and score one near the top of the list. Use your CAMRA login at http://www.tendringcamra.org.uk/

#### **QUOTE FOR TODAY**

"One of the hallmarks of the baby boomer generation is that it doesn't live like the previous generation. It hasn't yet given up jeans and T-shirts or beer." -Ron Klugman, SVP, Coors Brewing

#### **Beer Festival Diary Dates**

Norwich Beer Festival 28 October to 2 November South Woodham Ferrers Beer Fest 31 Oct-2 Nov Cross Inn Great Bromley Beer Festival 1-3 November Beccles Beer Festival 8-10 November Rochford Beer & Cider Festival 19-23 November The Dove Ipswich, Beer Fest 27 Nov- 1 Dec Harwich & Dovercourt Bay Beer Fest 4-7 December