

## **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)

14<sup>th</sup> May mini Branch meeting Alma Harwich

19th May Clacton Beer Festival meeting Never Say Die Jaywick

23<sup>nd</sup> May Ipswich Pub run-about (Fat Cat, Dove, St Judes)

2<sup>nd</sup> June Committee meeting Bell Thorpe le Soken

9th June Branch AGM White Hart Weeley Heath

13<sup>th</sup> June RambAle Maybush to White Hart

20<sup>th</sup> June Star Brewery & Peterborough visit

15<sup>th</sup> August Chelmsford pub walk-about

All dates\destinations may be subject to change. If you are interested in transport (most are subsidized by the branch) for any of the above contact Mick at the email address below.



Photograph taken outside the White Hart, Weeley Heath during our 'Morris Traveller'

"It's one of those quirky events that works on many levels and gets us around some great pubs that we perhaps wouldn't normally visit.

Morris is definitely one of those things that injects a bit of life into a pub and makes people smile - some of us even tapped our feet or moved around a bit! '

~ Richard Oxborrow

## **QUOTE FOR TODAY**

Pubs are unique in their ability to bring together all sides of a community in one single welcoming environment

~ Tim Page – CAMRA chief executive

You may think you don't have the time for actively helping the campaign for the branch, but think again!

Tendring Branch Membership

now stands at

You could pick up a pub 'Passport' from participating pubs. even if you only collect a few pub stamps by the end of July you will have given encouragement to those pubs. See www.tendringcamra.org.uk/passport2015.html for more details and a list of participating pubs.

You could use 'What Pub' www.whatpub.com to send in beer scores (all branch pubs are listed). This is a useful source of feedback as the results are reviewed and discussed at branch meetings and are of assistance when selecting the pubs that maybe included in 'The Good Beer Guide'.

Whilst there are approximately 600 Tendring branch CAM-RA members about a third don't receive this Information Sheet because they are not registered to receive emails from the branch. So if you know any of these members you could print off this sheet and give them a copy. They can then keep up-to-date with what the branch is doing and maybe join us on one of the advertised activities.

## **Beer Festival Diary Dates**

3 Jays Jaywick, Beer Festival 8-10 May White Hart Weeley Westons Cider weekend 21-25 May Dove St Inn Ipswich Beer Festival, 20-25 May Clacton Rugby Club Beer Festival, 22-25 May Clacton Railway Social Club (take your CAMRA membership card) Beer Festival 22-25 May Pointer Inn Alresford Cider Festival 23-25 May Colchester Real Ale & Cider Festival 26-30 May Ship Great Clacton Beer Festival 5-7 June Ipswich Beer Festival, Ipswich Town FC, 11-13 June Braintree Real Ale Festival, 11-13 June Beer Day Britain (1st national beer day) 15 June White Hart Weelev St Austell's weekend 2-5 July Chelmsford Beer & Cider Festival, 7-11 July Great British Beer Festival Olympia 7-15 August Clacton Real Ale & Cider Festival, 26-29 August Victory Walton Music & Beer Festival 28-31 August Chappel Summer Beer Festival, 8-22 September Harwich Winter Beer Festival, 2-5 December