



Tendring CAMRA Newsletter

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Suggestions for Social Activities, please contact Mick Hearn at social@tendringcamra.org.uk

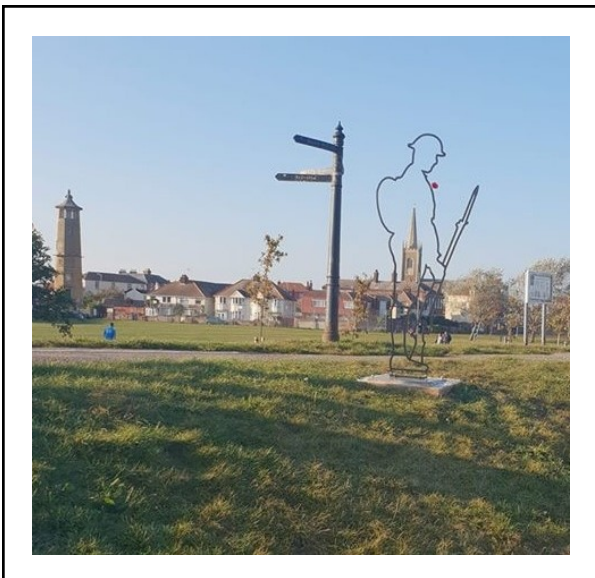
Branch Activities

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

3rd November Harwich Sausage Festival
14th November Short / Social—New Bell Inn, Harwich
22nd November Harwich & Parkeston Beer Festival
4th December Committee Never Say Die Jaywick
15th December National Christmas Sweater Day
17th January Full Branch Meeting TBC
25th January Robert Burns night at Bromley Cross
18th February Social / Branch Meeting TBC

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.



This picture featuring a silhouette of a 'British Tommy' was taken against the backdrop of Harwich nearing the end of the branch RambAle of 7.95 miles from Great Oakley to Harwich. This was one of those quiet, reflective moments and so poignant given next month is 100 years since the end of The First World War.

QUOTE FOR TODAY

Cask drinkers are far more interested in the beer than they are in the price.

Cask Marque Report – 2016/18

**Tendring Branch Membership
now stands at
798**

Please note the branch social events (3rd & 22nd November, 15th December & 25th January), Let me know if you would like more information about them. There maybe transport available so let me know the ones you are interested in? Also if you have never been out with us before can I have your home location. I will then get back to you if transport from your area is available.

The Sausage Festival on 3rd November & the Christmas Sweater Day on 15th December are both quirky fun events but they do support CAMRA's Key Campaign's 3 & 4.

During the Sausage Festival there will be a throwing & tasting event. The throwing event takes place from about 11.30am beside Saint Nicholas Church. Then amble between the nearby participating pubs (Alma, Hanover and New Bell) to taste & vote for the competing sausages (not the thrown ones!).

If you feel like the magic and mystique of Christmas has faded with maturity and age? Well fear not, our Christmas Sweater Day is here to save you, it is a day of light hearted fun with friends and in four pubs. What's not to like! Most importantly, this is a day to kick start that holiday feeling, the way it was intended to be! Believe it or not, there's actually a day to commemorate the wearing of ugly Christmas sweaters. [National Ugly Christmas Sweater Day](#)

Beer Festival Diary Dates

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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