

## **Tendring Branch Information Sheet**

(News Letter)

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## **Branch Activities**

All members are welcome at Branch Meetings, start time 8 p.m.

8th February Branch Committee meeting Bricklayers Lt Bentley 20th February full Branch Meeting Haywain Lt Bromley 14th March mini Branch Meeting Castle Ramsey 20th March Branch social trip to Colchester Castle Beer Festival 11th April Branch Committee meeting White Hart Weeley Heath 16th April full Branch Meeting Blacksmiths Little Clacton 15th May mini Branch Meeting Wooden Fender Ardleigh

10th June Branch Committee meeting TBA

13th June full Branch Meeting TBA

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 closed pub in our patch and the village it was located in?

Clue: this pub was in the parish of Elmstead Market up until 1948 when a boundary change occurred. It closed in the early 1990's.

Answers at Branch Meeting on 20th February. If you cannot make this meeting and would like the answer to this or previous questions please make request by email

## **QUOTE FOR TODAY**

Change your hearts or you will lose your inns and you will deserve to have lost them. But when you have lost your inns, drown your empty selves, for you will have lost the last of England.

Hilaire Belloc, The Four Men, 1912

Tendring Branch Membership now stands at



'O' Dear, what is that normally nice Mr Loach doing with that poor frog! Taken during the very enjoyable Harwich & Dovercourt Bay Winter Beer Festival

**POTY voting forms must be** returned at or before the Branch Meeting on 20th February, see branch website members section for more information.

## **Beer Festival Diary Dates**

Luton Beer & Cider Festival 21-23 February Chappel Winter Festival 1-2 March St Neots Beer, Cider & Perry Festival 14-16 March Colchester Castle Beer Festival 19 - 22 March Little Clacton Church Beer Fest 30 March -1 April Maldon Beer Festival 10-13 April Members weekend & AGM Norwich 19–21April Thurrock Beer Festival 4-8 June Braintree Beer Real Ale Festival 13-15 June Beer in The Gibberd Garden, Harlow 15-16 June Chelmsford Summer Beer Festival 9-13 July NATIONAL GBBF London 13-17 August Harwich Town Brewing Co, Beer Fest 15-18 August Peterborough Beer Festival 20-24 August Clacton Real Ale & Cider Festival 21-24 August Chappel Beer Festival 3-7 September St Ives 'Booze on the Ouse' Festival 12-14 September Letchworth Beer & Cider Festival 19-21 September St Albans Beer Festival 25-28 September Bedford Beer & Cider Festival 2-5 October