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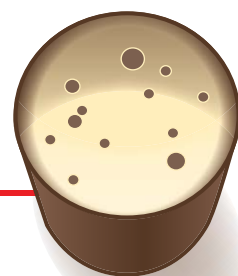


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Derby City Charter Beer Festival

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Derby CAMRA City Charter BEER FESTIVAL 2014 - It's Back!!



Despite recent challenges Derby CAMRA City Charter Beer Festival are thrilled to confirm that the event is going ahead on 9th - 13th July. A large marquee will be prominent in the Marketplace which will be packed full of hundreds of delightful fine ales. Shiny & Derby Brewing Company will have their very own featured bars at the festival. Subject to availability it is hoped that all breweries from Derbyshire will be represented there, all under one roof. Generous selections of Cider, Meads and Continental beers will also still be available this year.

Hot and Food stalls will be present including the excellent Merry Berry Chocolates stall.

Entertainment as ever is varied from Rock and Soul to Soul to Morris Men!

Various celebrations will be taking place across the festival period including 50 years of Derby Mountain Rescue, which will be the main theme of the festival. Members of Derby MRT will be present at the event to discuss the great work that they have been doing for the past half century. Their logo will be prominent on festival glasses so be sure to keep yours safe as a keepsake and there is rumour of a special brew being launched to mark the occasion. Other celebrations include 10 years of Derby's

very own beer king 'Les Baynton' who will grace the opening ceremony along with the deputy mayor elect of the city. The event will also be marking 40 years of Derby CAMRA, so there are plenty of reasons to raise a glass!

Card carrying CAMRA Members are able to gain free admission to all festival sessions. Paying visitors can take advantage of ordering advance tickets through Derby Live to gain fast track admission prior to 8pm.

Under 26's can benefit from half price admission to all sessions and over 60's free admission during lunch times (all subject to proof of ID)

We hope to see you there!

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LAST ORDERS



Julian Hough

It is with deep sadness that we have to report the passing of one of Derby CAMRA's finest ever campaigners, Julian Hough who was a well known and much liked figure not just locally but Regionally and Nationally as well.

Until recently he served with distinction on CAMRA's National Executive Committee, the only Derby Branch member to achieve this status and before that he was CAMRA's East Midlands Regional Director. Locally Julian performed a number of jobs within the Branch including the Chair of the National Members weekend & AGM in Derby in 2000, Branch Treasurer and Committee Member but is perhaps best known for his work at the Derby City Charter Summer Beer Festival where he was simply 'Mr Beer Festival' the man who knew where everything went and how everything was organised.

Julian's outstanding commitment and work for CAMRA will be much missed by the campaign and he will be remembered with fondness throughout the Country by all who knew him, CAMRA colleagues, friends and family alike. Derby CAMRA may have lost one of its finest but I know Julian will be forever with us at the City Charter Fest making sure that everything runs just as it should and if it doesn't I'm sure he'll let us know !!!

Gareth Stead

Regional Champion Bottled Beer, SIBA Midlands 2011



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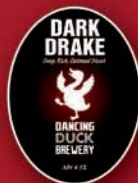


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Here's the full line up...

WEDNESDAY EVE – Rock band **NoWaytoNorway** are a touring band from Osnabruck. The name came about when the band vehicle broke down on the way to Norway to secure an important recording contract – they never made it. Hopefully, they will make it tonight and make their impression on the marquee stage. Out local **Herron Brothers** start the proceedings with a couple of acoustic guitars and a host of easy listening songs you may like to sing along to. Also, **Ripley Morris Men** will be strutting their stuff with a couple of sets of traditional Cotswolds dances.

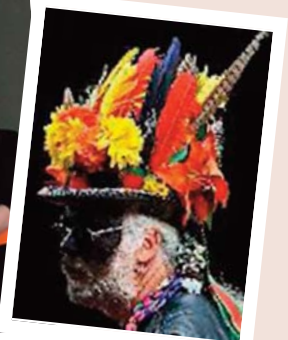
THURSDAY EVE – **Wille and the Bandits** continue touring and honing their unique sound. The band have created something rather special with a cult following right across Europe, which continues to grow with every passing day. Although difficult to pigeon-hole their style, they never fail to connect with their audience. "Love the soul in the music" – Bob Harris, BBC Radio 2. Support band **Weathering Eye**, premier midlands rockers, fronted by Colin Aardvark Fowler.

FRIDAY EVE – **The Wam Bam Band** bring rock, soul and ska from a very big band indeed - a four-piece horn section, four singers and rhythm section. They are no strangers to Derby Summer Beer Festival, this being their fourth visit. If you like the sound of The Commitments, and The Blues Brothers, get out your dancing trousers and get ready to party. The evening is supported by **The Dark Horses**, who like having a laugh on stage and performing songs from the sixties to present day. They have been retro-rocking the Midlands for over five years.

SATURDAY EVE – Headline band **Ferocious Dog** take the stage. This six-piece, contemporary folk band continue to take festivals by storm nationwide, and in Europe, playing a mix of high-energy folk, ska and punk, as inspired by the likes of The Levellers and The Pogues. They never fail to get the place jumping. Warning: the band can tend to whip mosh fans into a bit of a frenzy so hang on to your beer and stand well back! Those who say Derby Beer Festival entertainment needs livening up – this could be it!! Support band are **The Strange Quartet**, featuring Lauren Strange on vocals. Using some of their own material, there's not much this band can't handle, from musical theatre to Motown and heavy rock.

MUSICAL AFTERNOONS

THURSDAY – **Martin Atterbury** brings the sound of the theatre organ, playing old songs from Edwardian times, to the sixties. Martin has guested many times on the Blackpool Tower Ballroom Wurlitzer.



FRIDAY – Derby band **Brookside Jazz** make their debut. Five seasoned musicians playing good-time foot tapping stuff.

SATURDAY – Plenty of musical atmosphere in the marquee this afternoon. On stage **3 Eyed Fox**, folk-rock fiddle band, plus **Black Pig Border Morris** and **Sheffield Steel** (all girl rapper/sword dancers).

SUNDAY – The festival rocks out with **Blues Town**, plus a few stage guests, bringing out some of the best in rock, rhythm and blues to play out the festival.

Have a good festival!

Terry Morton – Entertainment Manager



Derbyshire Ale

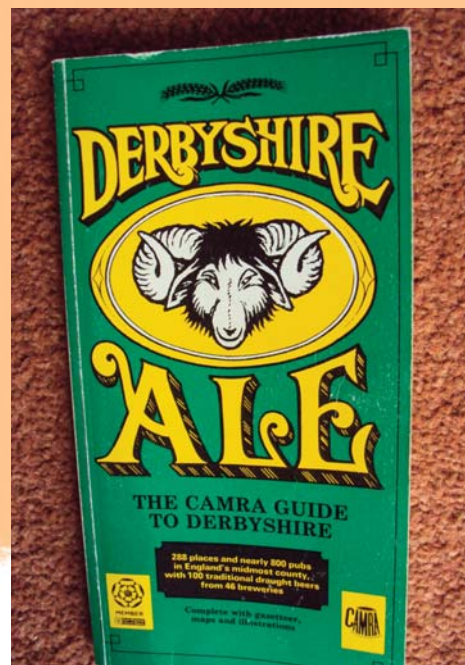
24 Years On

Part 3

In the third and concluding part of the series, we look at a dozen Derby pubs that featured in the 1990 **Derbyshire Ale** guide which ultimately sold some 7,500 copies. Nearly all of these pubs have closed in the interim but have risen, phoenix like, with the common thread of serving good real ale. All have survived recessions, at least one World War, and a profound change in drinking habits which has seen beer sales in the on-trade (pubs) eclipsed by beer sales in the off-trade (supermarkets).

When Derby CAMRA was founded in 1974 at the **Alexandra**, the Siddals Road pub was a thriving Shipstone's house with long serving licensee, Flo Fox, at the helm. At the inaugural meeting, a small contingent of CAMRA members from the already established Nottingham branch attended to oversee proceedings, one of which was Dave Williams. The Victorian boozier struggled in the late 80s and closed, so there must have been a feeling of déjà vu for Dave when he took charge in 1990, as the "Alex" reopened under the auspices of Bateman (Wainfleet). Sadly, Dave is no longer with us, and the Alex is now owned by Nottingham's Castle Rock brewery with Ralf and Anna Dyson-Edge serving a consistently high quality range of real ales. The **Bell and Castle**, on Burton Road, had been converted from stockingers' cottages into a popular Bass house, but, like the Alexandra, fell on hard times a few years

ago. The old premises are unrecognizable as Alan Kilkenny has undertaken an eye catching refurbishment and introduced an ever changing array of beers from independent breweries. The landscaped garden is a peaceful haven from the busy road outside and the freehouse came a creditable third in this year's Derby CAMRA City Pub of the Year competition. We now turn our attention to three pubs that, in recent years, have triumphed in this much coveted competition. The characterful **Exeter Arms**, one of only four Derby pubs in the first Good Beer Guide in 1974, was a busy Marston's pub when **Derbyshire Ale** was published. In the early 21stC, closure followed a steady decline but, again, with a happy sequel. Run by Martin Roper and Denise Sage, the 2013 winner has earned an enviable reputation for an innovative food offering and well-kept Dancing Duck ales. The **Five Lamps**, known as the St Helen's Inn back in 1990, was on its uppers not so long ago, but bounced back in spectacular fashion following its acquisition by Everard of Leicester under the Project William (Everard) scheme. Industrious licensees Graham and Janette Browett were headhunted and it came as no surprise in 2012 when Derby CAMRA bestowed its ultimate pub award to this thriving, edge of city hostelry. No less than 14 hand-pulled beers vie for attention and good pub fayre is available. This year's Pub



of the Year is the **Furnace**, handily situated between the city centre and Darley Park. Purchased by Pedro Menon following its closure by Greene King, the Duke Street tavern has gone from strength to strength with its on-site Shiny Brewery, and ever changing guest beers, making the Furnace a magnet for beer buffs. From the pleasant patio at the rear, one can see Derby's twin towers of the Cathedral and St Mary's church. The **Flowerpot** was a small, plain Bass house with a T shaped interior. In 1993, the late John Evans and Lol Stephenson set about transforming the unprepossessing King Street pub into a favoured destination for real ale and music lovers by adding and refurbishing Central Tyres next door. The carved bar counter and clock centred back fitting are the only remnants of its previous incarnation (albeit



The Golden Eagle



The Peacock



The Alexandra Hotel



Smithfield



The Brewery Tap

in a different position) and tribute bands fill the concert room. Today, the "Pot" is still innovating with on-suite accommodation available and Tuesday Gurkha curry nights proving popular. The **Golden Eagle** on Agard Street has had a few face-lifts over the years but with former college Vice Principal, Brian Collins, at the helm, its future looks secure. The unusual, eye catching exterior artwork pays homage to some notable Derby industrialists including clockmaker, John Whitehurst. Inside, Titan beers brewed nearby in gleaming, stainless steel vessels, rub shoulders with guests, and there is a pleasant patio to the rear. Quiz fans should note that the Wednesday night quiz is well worth seeking out. Trevor Harris of Derby Brewing Company has an impressive track record of rescuing dilapidated pubs and turning them into going concerns. Trevor (with the late John Evans) will always be remembered for his magnificent restoration of the Brunswick but in recent years he has revived the fortunes of **The Tap** (formerly Royal Standard) and **Greyhound**, Friar Gate. Both hostleries serve Derby Brewing Company beers with guests, and The Tap has benefitted from recent redecoration that neutralized its minimalist feel. The Greyhound is the much older of the two buildings and retains a period fireplace, but contemporary interior design and a roof terrace (à la The Tap) have proven very popular in Georgian Friar Gate. Two former Derby licensees who had a big impact on the city's real ale scene were Nigel Barker and Terry Holmes, each of whom ran the Dolphin and **Silk Mill** during the past quarter of a century. Between their tenures of the Silk Mill, the Full Street pub fell on hard times, and it wasn't until Terry took over that it regained its status as one of Derby's foremost ale houses, winning Derby CAMRA Pub of the Year in 2011. Following Terry's retirement to Ireland, Martin Roper and Denise Sage have taken charge and an enticing food menu and attractive side patio have been added to a good range of beers. The foundations of the **Peacock** no longer shake to the passing by of heavy traffic on Nottingham Road, once the main A52 artery to and from our neighbouring city. Now ensconced in a slightly more peaceful setting, Penny and Roger Myring serve some cracking ales including a house beer from Leatherbritches, Peacock Pale Ale, and beers brewed by the Hartshorn brothers. In a different era, Hartshorn brewery's proximity would have enabled dray horse delivery. Penny and Roger are well known in this neck of the woods, having previously run the Friargate (Bishop's Blaise) and **Smithfield**. There were a few furrowed brows when the Smithfield, sitting on a valuable parcel of land on Meadow Road, was marketed for sale a while back, especially as the area is earmarked for redevelopment. Long a Bass house run by the Conneely family, and pre-1990 known as the Cattle Market Hotel when the beasts were sold just across the river, before the bridge was removed to isolate the pub from the town centre. Thankfully, buyer, Paul Clark, who frequented the pub on Rams' match days, restored it to a high standard and his Westminster Building Company occupies the first floor. The Smithfield boasts a delightful river terrace from where a pint of Whim or Oakham can be enjoyed whilst taking in the flora and fauna of the Derwent. Make no mistake, this pub could easily have been bulldozed, but, happily, we can continue to patronise the "Smithy".

Derbyshire Ale and its ilk may belong to a different era, but its intrinsic permanence will never be matched by on-line technology.

Paul Gibson

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Sub-Branch News

Beer Festival is Back

We are pleased to announce that we have finally managed to settle on a date and venue for our second beer festival. We will be returning to Ashbourne Town Hall, opening on Friday 10th October and continuing through Saturday 11th into Sunday 12th. We hope to offer a similar volume of beer to last year, but will be opting for 50-60 different choices this time, as well as an expanded cider and perry range. We will have a similar line-up of music to last year's events and hopefully a good range of locally supplied food as well. We have a Facebook page up and running (Ashbourne Camra Beer Festival) and should also have a webpage up and running soon, so will announce developments as soon as they occur. Some details will also be available on the Derby branch website.

Pub News

Dave Paterson at the Bowling Green in Ashbourne reports that the introduction of the third guest ale handpump there has proved to be a great success and he plans to continue introducing regularly rotating guests on a permanent basis. Breweries represented in recent weeks have been Springhead, Peakstones Rock and Wincle to name just a few.

The wet weather in recent weeks has tried to play havoc with some local festivals, but the Horns in

Ashbourne (early May) and the Bentley Brook Inn at Fenny Bentley (Spring Bank Holiday) both ploughed on regardless. The Bentley Brook festival in their marquee did put on a good impression of a typical Glastonbury-style mudfest, but nonetheless a good time was had by those who squelched their way through it.

The next local pub beer festival on the horizon is the Bluebell at Tissington, taking place over the August Bank Holiday. Details of any other local beer festivals or other events can be sent to the e-mail address at the top of this page for inclusion in upcoming editions.

The former White Lion on Buxton Hill which has in recent years been several different versions of restaurants, is about to re-open as White's Bar & Restaurant, a potential welcome addition to the local scene. The sub-branch will be keen to support the venture and will report on the opening in the next edition.

The owners of the Green Man complex have now submitted plans for a new pub area situated in the area formerly occupied by Leatherbritches Brewery. It is mooted as a family-friendly gastropub, to possibly be known as The Old Brewery, and it is hoped to be ready to open before Christmas.

Whilst technically not within the sub-branch's area, but very close by the western boundary, Ye Olde Royal Oak at Wetton looks to be prospering well under new management. A free house in great walking country, they regularly take beers from local breweries such as Storm and Wincle and the landlord is looking to widen his scope as far as possible with his beer choice.



The Bentley Brook Inn, Fenny Bentley



The Horns, Ashbourne



The Bowling Green, Ashbourne



Ye Olde Royal Oak, Wetton

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BRANCH MEETINGS

Tuesday 24th June

Branch meeting – The Bentley Brook Inn,
Fenny Bentley

Tuesday 29th July

Branch meeting – The Yew Tree, Ednaston

Tuesday 26th August

Branch Meeting – TBC



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Derby Cathedral Quarter is at the heart of the city's Real Ale Trail with a wide range of venues offering enthusiasts a world of choice.

Here, we take a tour of some of the Cathedral Quarter Real Ale establishments including those with special offers during the beer festival and those who are holding their own festivals this summer.

The Flowerpot in King Street features a vast selection of real ales including many from small independent brewers. The highlight of the year is their annual Potfest event August 21 to 25 which features more than 40 real ales and ciders, free live music, morris men and BBQs throughout. For special offers available during the Derby beer festival, download the free Flowerpot app.

Ye Olde Dolphin in Queen Street is Derby's oldest pub and offers cask ales and guest beers from local and national breweries. Its popular annual beer festival on July 16 to 19 features more than 50 real ales from around the country, a selection of ciders and perries and live music every evening.

The Silk Mill Ale & Cider House in Full Street was voted Derby CAMRA Pub of the Year in 2011 and offers a traditional real ale pub with a friendly, eclectic and relaxing atmosphere specialising in cask ales, lagers, artisan ciders and a unique all British retro menu.

Blessington Carriage in Chapel Street is an eclectic indie bar serving a range of real ales, cider, draught beer and spirits. It is open until 2am on weekends.

You are spoiled for choice at venues in the historic Iron Gate.

The Standing Order and neighbouring **Thomas Leaper** offer a large variety of real ales, cider, wines and craft beers as well as quality food with daily speciality offers.

Enjoy the sun-drenched courtyard at **Slug & Lettuce** which is offering 15% off the total bill for CQ loyalty card holders and 10% off a pint of real ale for all CAMRA members.

Jorrocks has a warm and friendly atmosphere with evening entertainment and a range of real ales.

Sadler Gate is an iconic street in the Cathedral Quarter with boutique retailers nestled alongside a host of popular food and drink venues.

The recently re-opened **Old Bell Tudor Bar** has been lovingly restored as part of a £1m refurbishment project. With its mixture of fine local cask ales, world beers and the largest selection of whiskies in the city the Tudor Bar takes you back to another era.

Neighbouring **Shakespeare** is one of Derby's oldest pubs - refurbished with a contemporary look and an outdoor beer garden.

Friar Gate is renowned as the city's food and drink destination.

The Friary offers a selection of real ales and a comprehensive food menu. There is 10% off Bass and Blue Monkey Brewery ales for CAMRA members during the beer festival.

Pitcher & Piano, complete with a new roof terrace and an atmospheric bar design, is perfect for enjoying great food, drinks and cocktails.

Bishop's Blaise serves a range of ales, draught beers, guest ales, spirits and wines with an outside courtyard. The Real ales are offered at £2.30 per pint until 7pm.

Fat Cat Café Bar is offering real ales at £2.50 a pint and £1.50 a half during the beer festival.

Lorentes Tapas serves five bottled ales from different Derby breweries and is offering 25% off all them during the festival.

Meanwhile **Wardwick Tavern**, in The Wardwick serves cask ales, wine and home-made food and has large screen facilities for sports viewing.

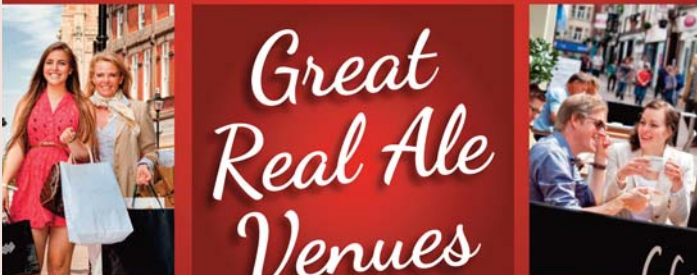
Metro Bar in Albert Street stocks six real ales including Black sheep, Doombar, Bass and three guest ales. Take your festival tankard to the bar during the festival for a £1 fill and enjoy a host of live music every evening.

And the **Tiger Bar** in the Cornmarket serves Pedigree, Timothy Taylor Landlord, Bass and a guest ale with a staggering 42 happy hours every week!

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AMBER VALLEY NEWS

Amber Valley CAMRA Beer & Cider Festival 2014

The 5th Amber Valley CAMRA Beer and Cider Festival (formerly Rail Ale Festival) is moving to a new venue at Strutts in Belper and will run from **Thursday 25th to Sunday 28th September**. It will take place in the main hall of this former school and in 5 rooms on the ground floor plus 3 rooms on the first floor all in the North wing with all beers, ciders, perries and wines being served from a marquee in the North Quadrangle. There will be over 100 beers, ciders, perries and wines available plus soft drinks and hot & cold food at all sessions with a hog roast on Friday and Saturday. Thursday & Sunday will be music-free with music in the afternoon and evenings on Friday & Saturday. Tickets will not be sold for any sessions this year so just come along and pay on the door. Further details next time or check out the website.

Pub and Club of the Year

On 15th May the Branch Chair, Chris Rogers presented our 3 winners with their award certificates. POTY was The Black Bulls Head at Openwoodgate, winning for the 2nd consecutive year. Congratulations to both Andy Horsfall and Nicky Butt on this success and also on the birth of their baby son, Jensen Austin born 3 days earlier on 12 May weighing in at 6lb 4oz - we wish them all well. In the photo, Nicky and her team are shown receiving the award.

Runner up in POTY was the Holly Bush at Makeney whose vintage van parked outside the pub was featured in the previous edition of Derby Drinker - landlord Chris Wilbraham is pictured receiving the award.

Club of the Year was awarded to Strutt Club on Campbell Street in Belper whose history dates back to 1835 and the founding of the town's Conservative Club - the Branch have proposed this historic

venue for inclusion in CAMRA's Heritage Clubs list. The photo shows Paul Carroll receiving the award from Chris.

Belper Goes Green Report

This free-entry eco-festival took place at Belper's Rugby Club and playing field off Derby Road and for the first time, Amber Valley Branch ran the real ale and cider bar located inside the Clubhouse. Attendance was excellent, boosted by good weather on Saturday and glorious sunshine all day Sunday. A total of 30 real ales and 6 ciders + 2 perries were available with Dancing Duck Ay-Up the first beer to sell out, and almost every drop drunk by final closing time. With a rota of 3 staff manning the real ale bar in 4-hour shifts, the opening times were 6-11pm Friday and from noon to 11pm on Saturday & Sunday.

The Branch also showed willing by entering the Festival's scarecrow competition which it WON - see photos - our scarecrow "Russ" was no 29 in the list of entries and faced strong competition such as the Scouts "Scare Grylls" and "Sal Vage", a female composed of recycled components. Our winning entry was put on display for a week in Belper's Market Square outside "No 28".

Branch Diary

Meetings - 8pm

Monday 14 July beer festival meeting at George & Dragon, Belper

Thursday 31 July branch meeting at Thorn Tree, Waingroves

Monday 18th August beer festival meeting at Beehive, Peasehill, Ripley

Thursday 28th August branch meeting at The Steampacket, Swanwick

Socials

Sat 19th July and Sat 16th August

Social survey, destination to be announced. By free minibuses from Ripley Market Place at 7:30pm, Belper Market place at 7:45 and other pickups are available on request. Please contact Jane Wallis (Social Secretary) on 01773 745966 or 0779 620 4519 or by e-mail at mick.wallis@btinternet.com to reserve a place.



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Cider

with Suzie



Early May means Reading Beer and Cider Festival, a special occasion for cider and perry lovers because the final judging of CAMRA's cider and perry of the year competitions take place here. Ciders and perries from all over the country are on the bar, those in the competition having won through by being placed in regional competitions held throughout the year. Judging is by blind tasting, and judging rounds at Reading reduce the numbers further.

This is a fantastic opportunity to get personally involved, because the panel members are ordinary festival goers, the only qualification being an interest in real cider / perry. After the final, judged by invited expert / celebrity panellists the result is eagerly awaited. This year the winning cider was Sheppys medium, a fruity cider with a delicious, fresh aftertaste. Sheppys is near Bradford-on-Tone, on the A38 between Taunton and

Wellington, an easy stop off on the way to Devon or Cornwall. It is quite a large outfit with extensive orchards and a well-stocked farm shop. The winning perry was Olivers, a smooth, soft perry, yet bursting with flavour. Olivers is at Ocle Pychard, just of the A465 between Bromyard and Hereford near Burley Gate. There is a shop selling a wide range of ciders and perries, well worth a look if you are in the area.

Both of these winners will be on sale at the Derby Summer Festival, held I'm sure you will know by now, from 9th to 13th July in a marquee outside the Assembly Rooms. Of course we want good weather for the event, but the 32 degrees we had at times last year was a bit much. We are laying on cooling for the cider, so it should reach you in good condition. There will be a mix of local ciders, some new to Derby, along with plenty of old favourites, mainly from the West Country.

One cider new to the festival is Oakfield Farm, at Stanley Common, the site of the Nutbrook Brewery. This is a very small operation using fruit picked locally and pressed at Three Cats Cider (also available at the festival) from Morley. It promises to be a pale and clear, medium cider. Why not call in the farm shop (open Saturdays) if you are passing. Also local is Spencer & Haspel's Shock, hopefully back to 8.4% this year. It is made at Ockbrook, but you will find it on sale at Mr Grundy's Tavern, Ashbourne Road, Derby. One more fairly local cider is Charnwood, made by a park ranger adjoining Bradgate Park, Leicestershire. More local fruit and it should be a crisp, medium dry cider.

From further north, and in second place at Reading we have Dove Syke Ribble Valley Gold, from Clitheroe, Lancashire. This is a clear, golden cider with a long, satisfying aftertaste. For those of you who like something a

little sweeter we have two classics from Hecks, Street Somerset, notably Port Wine of Glastonbury cider and Blakeney Red perry, both single variety drinks. Just a few more to whet your appetite; Biddenden Kentish Strong, Gwynt y Ddraig Black Dragon, Tatchers Cheddar Valley, Winkleigh Sams, and in the perries Impaired Vision and Gwatkins Malvern Hills. Enough for now, the festival website and program have full details.

I hope that you have managed to visit a few pubs on the Amber Valley Cider Trail which has been running throughout June. It finishes on 6th July, so when you read this you just might have time to visit one or two more. 34 pubs from the Amber Valley Branch area agreed to take part, an impressive total, and the top three will be announce soon. See you at the festival.

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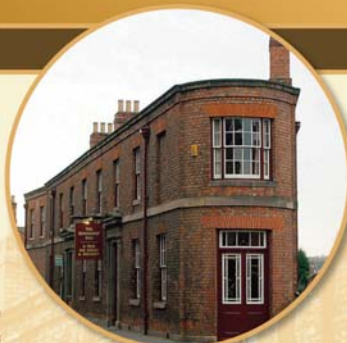
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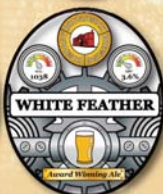
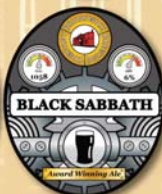
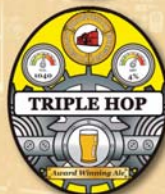
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Matlock and Dales CAMRA Branch

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MAD : CAMRA's Newest Branch

If you didn't know this by now, here's a refresher: CAMRA, the Campaign for Real Ale is an independent, voluntary organisation campaigning for real ale, community pubs, and consumer rights. The organisation was founded in March 1971 by Michael Hardman, Bill Mellor, Graham Lees and Jim Makin, four likely lads from the north-west who were on a beer-infused holiday in County Kerry. Kruger's Bar in Dunquin on Kerry's jagged coast is recognised as the official birthplace of CAMRA, because it was in that particular watering hole that they collectively decided something had to be said (and done) about the poor quality and sparse choice in the British beer market. All four freely admit the "knew nothing" about how beer was made, and had no clue as to why the stuff they were being forced to drink was so dreadful. "We found out about beer from all

these people who joined us," says Hardman.

At the first AGM (at the Rose Inn, Nuneaton, 1972) the membership consisted of the four founders and a few friends, but interest in CAMRA and its objectives spread rapidly. Hardman is quoted as saying "We were overwhelmed by the number of people behind us - we grew to almost 2000 members in that first year, by 1973. The year after that, we grew into five figures" Today, CAMRA has over 160,000 members across the world, and is often cited as the most successful consumer campaign in Europe.

In November 1975 Derby CAMRA held a meeting at the Boathouse on Dale Road, Matlock to sound out support for a Matlock Area Sub-committee, and as a result Trevor Peacock became Matlock Area Sub-committee Chairman. The Chesterfield branch of CAMRA was founded in 1977 with the first meeting at the Furnace Inn, Goytside, (now the Unicorn Tavern). Their allotted area was large, and they were granted the Matlock area

from Derby branch. About eight years ago, Matlock members began holding their own group meetings, with the focus away for the bright and busy lights of the metropolis that is Chesterfield, concentrating more locally on the town of Matlock and its surrounding dales. The group became known as the 'MAD' (Matlock and Dales) sub-branch, and slowly grew in active membership numbers, to a point where its meetings were attracting considerably larger attendance than those of many fully fledged branches.

By last year MAD had the first Matlock CAMRA Beer Festival behind them, a steady flow of new members turning up to sub-branch meetings, a campaigning record of considerable note, excellent relationships with licensees the area, their own campaigning strategies, their own local pubs in the Good Beer Guide, and an impressive list of social engagements both past and future. Not bad for a sub branch. It was therefore inevitable that the group were to apply for full branch status, so after a vote on Thursday 16th January 2014 in the AGM at the MoCa bar on Dale Road, the national Campaign for Real Ale received notification that a new branch wished to join the cause. It was met with applause.

So today, Matlock and Dales is an independent Branch of

CAMRA, 43 years late to the table, but supporting the same aims dreamed up by those four sterling chaps all those years ago on a boozy holiday in the Irish republic. So 'Sláinte!' as they say over there - or 'Cheers!' as we do in Matlock.

Matlock Beer Festival II : Just when you thought it was safe!

August 8th and 9th 2014 will see the second Matlock and Dales Beer Festival being held at the Fishpond in Matlock Bath. The beer selection will concentrate on local beers, with over 40 real ales being available at all times. As with last year, entrance will be FREE to all, with opportunities to purchase festival glasses and T shirts. There will also be the famous hog roast, beer bread, plus normal and vegetarian snacks and meals for sale throughout. For more information, please visit the branch website at <http://www.mad.camra.org.uk> or the Fishpond's own website www.thefishpondmatlockbath.co.uk

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Fishpond, Matlock Bath, 20p on a pint and 10p on a half

Twenty Ten, Dale Rd, Matlock, priced at £2.50 per pint, £1.25 per half on all cask ales

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MAD Branch Diary

17 July : MAD Monthly Meeting for July is a summer walkabout: Meet at 8pm at the Temple Hotel in Matlock Bath. From there we will stroll to several other pubs, conducting business on the way.

26 July : MAD Trip to Buxton. Further details to be posted on the website www.mad.camra.org.uk

8-9 Aug : Matlock Beer Festival, at the Fishpond, Matlock Bath. See above article for details.

21st August : MAD Monthly Meeting. Venue TBA. Please check the website at www.mad.camra.org.uk





The LocAle Scheme is a National CAMRA initiative to promote pubs that regularly stock local Real Ales.

Pubs on the scheme usually display the logo either on the handpump or on a poster or sticker. Within Derby & Amber Valley the radius is 20 miles from pub to brewery.

This is the latest list of LocAle pubs:

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Alexandra
Babington Arms
Bell & Castle
Brewery Tap/Royal Standard
Brunswick
Crown & Cushion
Exeter Arms
Falstaff
Five Lamps
Flowerpot
Furnace
Golden Eagle
Greyhound
Little Chester Ale House
Mr Grundy's Tavern
New Zealand Arms
Old Bell
Old Silk Mill
Peacock
Seven Stars
Slug and Lettuce
Smithfield
Thomas Leaper
Wardwick Tavern
Ye Olde Dolphin Inne

SURROUNDING AREA

Bell (Smalley)
Blacks Head (Wirksworth)
The Brackens (Alvaston)
Coopers Arms (Weston-on-Trent)
The Dragon (Willington)
Harrington Arms (Thulston)
Harpur's (formerly Melbourne Hotel) (Melbourne)
Hope and Anchor (Wirksworth)
Lamb Inn, Melbourne NEW
Lawns (Chellaston)
Miners Arms (Carsington)
Nunsfield House Club (Alvaston)
Old Talbot (Hilton)
Okeover Arms (Mappleton)
Queens Head (Little Eaton)
Queens Head (Ockbrook)
Pattenmakers (Duffield)
Royal Oak (Ockbrook)
Royal Oak (Wirksworth)
Vine Inn (Mickleover)
White Swan (Littleover)

AMBER VALLEY

Black Swan (Belper)
Cross Keys (Turnditch)
George Inn (Ripley)
Holly Bush (Makeney)
Hop Inn (Openwoodgate)
Hunter Arms (Kilburn)
King Alfred (Alfreton)
The Lion (Belper)
Poet and Castle (Codnor)
Red Lion (Fritchley)
Strutt Club (Belper)
Talbot Taphouse (Ripley)
Tavern (Belper)
Thorne Tree (Waingroves)
Waggon & Horses (Alfreton)

A Guide to...



CAMRA LocAle is an accreditation scheme to promote pubs that sell locally-brewed real ale.



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LocAle Coordinator
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If your pub regularly stocks local Real Ales and you would like to join the scheme then please get in touch. All accredited pubs will receive posters, stickers and handpump crowns to display and will receive free publicity in the Derby Drinker and on the Derby CAMRA website.



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Crown & Cushion, Derby	10p off a pint
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Old Spa Inn, Derby	20p off a pint
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Red Lion, Fritchley All real ales	£2.50 a pint
Red Lion, Hollington	20p off a pint
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White Swan, Spondon	15p off a pint

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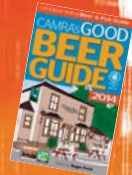
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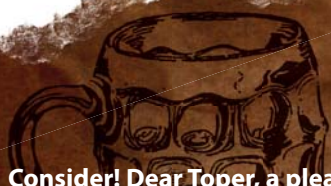


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and in the other an aerosol can containing customer repellent – sorry: polish. As she stands there looming large, we are left in doubt whatsoever, that she wishes to clean our table. There are of course, several other tables in the room, all of them unoccupied (we appear to be the only remaining customers) but she has decided to clean ours first. Dutifully, we lift

up our pints and beer mats (in the case of the ladies, their handbags, car keys, mobile phones and goodness knows what else?) and she lets loose half a can of spray polish, before giving the table a half-hearted swipe with her manky cloth. She then slouches off and pays some less than cursory attention to the rest of the tables.

Putting her can of customer repellent aside, she now places all of the unoccupied stools, upside down, on the settles, so that we feel as if we're behind bars; she does this with many a pout, frown and grimace, and so, without uttering a word, makes it plain that she would dearly like to do the same with the furniture that we are occupying.

Ain't You Got Homes To Go To?

Having so far failed to dislodge us, she now produces a mop and bucket from somewhere, and starts to clean the floor – not

behind the counter, where most of the evening's spillages have occurred (an area that looks as if it has not had a mop dragged across it in living memory) – no: she decides to sulkily slop her soggy weapon about in the vicinity of our table!

Finally, she has succeeded in driving us from our table, and we decide to finish off our pints whilst leaning on the counter, prompting her to abandon her mopping up exercise, as

suddenly and as inexplicably as she began it, and instead she removes the bar towels (causing us to lift up our pints again) and wipes the counter top down, needless to say, after giving it (and us) a liberal spraying of customer repellent.

Having had the conviviality of the evening ruined, we decide to sup up and leave, noting which a chill smile of satisfaction creases her sour lips, for now the slattern can lock up and do what she's been itching to do all evening: that being to go home, switch on the T.V. and catch up on all of those mind-rotting soaps that she so adores! Consider that, Dear Toper!

D.T.



STOP PRESS – FURNACE takes Derbyshire Pub of the Year Title

As DD went to press we learnt the great news that Derby CAMRA's Pub of the Year, the Furnace Inn on Duke Street in Derby has been crowned CAMRA's Derbyshire Pub of the Year for 2014. Congratulations to them, more details next time.

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DerbyCAMRA BranchDiary

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Tue 24th - Midsummers Day Social - Exeter Arms,
Derby - 9pm.

JULY

Thu 3rd - Branch Meeting and 40th Branch Birthday
Celebrations - Alexandra Hotel, Derby - 8pm.

9th-13th - City Charter Beer Festival - Derby Market Place.

AUGUST

Sat 2nd - Branch 40th Birthday Trip to Batemans Brewery.


Wed 13th - EGM & Branch Meeting - Brunswick Inn, Derby
- 8pm.

SEPTEMBER

Thu 11th - Branch Meeting - TBC - 8pm.

NB. All trips Depart/Return from Cathedral Green, Derby.

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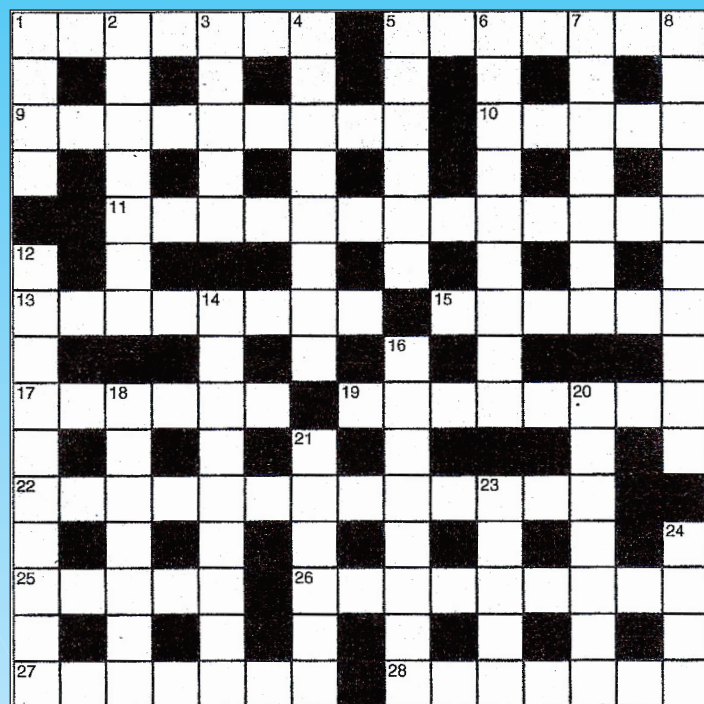
Crossword

No 40 by Wrenrutt

The Good Beer Guide 2014 is necessary for some of these clues

Crossword winner is

John Boothman
from High Wycombe
picked up in Bell at
Smalley



Across

- 1 Peculiar cad, I accept, contains a place of rustic simplicity (7)
- 5 You need brains if you live or work in this city (7)
- 9 A Derby brewery from Roman times? (9)
- 10 Sicilian secret society, or a group which acts like it (5)
- 11 Derbyshire village with at least one quiet woman (4.9)
- 13 Cosy hideaway for a thirsty Charles II in Wirksworth or Ockbrook (5.3)
- 15 Tars' NE hindsight when unravelled (6)
- 17 A country's citizen, or an oyster (6)
- 19&26 A former railway line but now Cottage's best bitter (8.3.6)
- 22 First World War's "Battle of Mud" at Ypres (13)
- 25 Sir Ralph Assheton embodies a dominant human type (5)
- 26 See 19
- 27 A Turk, who might be sat on (7)
- 28 French city with half a bridge leading its inhabitants a dance, and a song (7)

Down

- 1 A rearranged idea for a helper (4)
- 2 Where one can get a cut off the joint for a fixed price (7)
- 3 "Get right in, Dear"—how tedious! (5)
- 4 A rain set about creates a sort of well-being (8)
- 5 A four-leaved one is supposed to be lucky if overlooked (6)
- 6 Cries "mine" when around to recount past memories (9)
- 7 Lean, fit, but about to blow up! (7)
- 8 Brotherhood, to express it another way (10)
- 12 £1000 softly for a musical instrument (5.5)
- 14 Amorous bracelet, philtre or spell (4-5)
- 16 Agitated goo aided a brainwave (4.4)
- 18 Spot sot – he's a drunkard (7)
- 20 This is old hat in the USA (7)
- 21 Stay, concerning the sea (6)
- 23 Town in Campania has no right to be mixed up in boiler (5)
- 24 Looking back, this knockout is nuts! (4)

- ▶ Access to Chambers Dictionary, and the 'Bible' (aka the Good Beer Guide 2014) recommended.
- ▶ Send completed entries to the Editor (see address below) stating in which pub you picked up Derby Drinker.
- ▶ Correct grids will go into a draw for a £10 prize.

Crossword No 39 Answers

Across

1. BOTTICELLI
6. SPOT
8. AMBER IPA
9. PATTEN
10. NICK
11. DEHYDRATED
12. ATOMISERS
14. SINEW
17. HOUSE
19. ARCHANGEL
22. WINCHESTER
23. TOLL
24. VIELLE
25. HOUSE-DOG
26. EROS
27. INSIDE LEFT

Down

1. BRAINWASH
2. TOBACCO
3. CHILDISH
4. LEATHERBRITCHES
5. IMPEDE
6. SATIATION
7. ONES EYE
13. MUSICALES
15. WALL LIGHT
- 16 & 17 THE ROUNDHOUSE
18. OLIVIER
20. GEORDIE
21. YEMENI

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