



## No 6



We hope that you enjoy reading our news



# *Hop Off The Press*

Hi, Fellow Beer and Cider Lovers.

The Hospitality Sector, and the rest of society, has now reopened with all the legal restrictions of the previous 18 months removed in law, but now remain with us to use our judgement, wherever we are, and for whatever we are doing.

The Chancellor has listened to thousands of CAMRA members from across the whole of the country who have long called for a change in the way alcohol is taxed. A new, lower rate of duty for draught beer and cider served in pubs and clubs establishes an important principle in the taxation system – that pubs are a force for good in our communities, and should be supported to help them survive and compete with the likes of supermarkets. But this new system will not be implemented until 2023.

In the meantime, measures like duty freezes and a 50% cut in business rates in England for another year are to be welcomed. Our pubs and breweries are still recovering from the pandemic, face rising bills and costs and will continue to need as much support as they can get so they can rebuild their businesses and thrive in the years to come.

Cutting tax for lower ABV drinks will incentivise lower strength alcoholic drinks, whilst new financial support for smaller producers – including cider producers – and continuing discussions around a 50% minimum juice content are encouraging news for both cider makers and consumers. These measures should help to improve quality and choice at the bar. CAMRA will continue to engage with the Government on the planned reforms to Small Brewers Relief and call for a solution that doesn't require some of the smallest breweries to have to pay more tax.

The introduction of a Draught Duty Rate is a gamechanger for cask beer drinkers, cider and perry drinkers and the Great British local. This is something CAMRA has campaigned on for many years and we are delighted that the Government has listened, supported our locals and introduced the important principle that beer, cider and perry served in a pub or social club should be taxed at a different rate to alcohol bought at places like supermarkets.

CAMRA has previously commissioned research that showed that a Draught Beer Duty rate could pull consumption into pubs and social clubs from the off trade, providing a boost to pubs and local economies.

We hope that pubs and producers will make sure drinkers see the impact of this revolutionary policy on the price of their pints, to encourage them to return to their locals – please try and use your local pub and club, otherwise there is a distinct possibility that we will lose them!

*Cheers, Bob Holmes and the Plymouth CAMRA Committee*



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# Branch Diary



November 2021

**Saturday 6<sup>th</sup>**      **Mutley and Greenbank Pub Stroll** – Meet at the Roam Brewery Tap, New Victoria House, Western Park Road, Peverell, from 1200. Most pubs on this stroll have an outside seating area should you wish to sit outside. We will spend about an hour at each venue, and will move on to the Bulletproof Taphaus, Mutley Plain; Mannamead, Mutley Plain; Fortescue, Mutley Plain; Clifton Inn, Clifton Street, Greenbank; Providence Inn, Providence Inn, Providence Street (if open when we get there, as it does not open until later); Fawn Club, Armada Street, Greenbank; & Nowhere Inn, Gilwell Street.

## Some Technical Brewing Terms 4

Isinglass	Finings made from the swim bladder of fish.
Isomerization	The conversion of hop components during the boil to enhance the bitterness and increase solubility.
Krausening	Adding young fermenting wort* to beer to encourage new fermentation.
Lagering	Cold maturation for long periods.
Liquor	Brewing water.
Mash	The mix of grains and hot liquor that starts the brewing process.
Milling	Crushing the grains prior to mashing.
Original Gravity	A measure of the specific gravity prior to fermentation.
Parti-Gyle	Brewing of certain beers from one mash.

\* the unfermented sweet, sugary liquid produced by the mash.



### **Budget's historic change to the way beer is taxed recognises that pubs are a force for good in our society**

*Changing the tax system to better support pubs can help the Great British local thrive – but more pubs, breweries and drinkers should be able to benefit, say CAMRA*

**Responding in full to the Autumn Budget announcements, CAMRA National Chairman Nik Antona said:**

“The Chancellor has listened to thousands of CAMRA members who have long called for a change in the way alcohol is taxed. A new, lower rate of duty for draught beer and cider served in pubs and clubs establishes an important principle in the taxation system – that pubs are a force for good in our communities and should be supported to help them survive and compete with the likes of supermarkets.

“Our task before this new duty rate is implemented in 2023 is to make sure that the new, lower draught duty rate applies to beer and cider served in smaller containers too, so that as many pubs, breweries and consumers as possible can benefit. We will be using the Government's consultation on how this new system should operate in practice to make this case.

“In the meantime, measures like duty freezes and a 50% cut in business rates in England for another year will be welcomed. Our pubs and breweries are still recovering from the pandemic, face rising bills and costs and will continue to need as much support as they can get so they can rebuild their businesses and thrive in the years to come.

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## New Draught Duty Rate

### CAMRA says ‘Cheers’ to the Chancellor for new Draught Duty rate

*CAMRA welcomes ground-breaking new policy for cask beer and cider drinkers*

Commenting on the Autumn Budget announcement of a new Draught Duty rate for beer and cider served in pubs, CAMRA Chairman Nik Antona said:

“The introduction of a Draught Duty Rate is a gamechanger for cask beer drinkers, cider and perry drinkers and the Great British local.

“This is something CAMRA has campaigned on for many years and we are delighted that the Government has listened, supported our locals and introduced the important principle that beer, cider and perry served in a pub or social club should be taxed at a different rate to alcohol bought at places like supermarkets.

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“We hope that pubs and producers will make sure drinkers see the impact of this revolutionary policy on the price of their pints, to encourage them to return to their locals.

“We look forward to campaigning for future reductions in Draught Duty, to make sure that consumers, brewers and publicans can enjoy the maximum benefits of this ground-breaking new policy.”



## Where Are They Now No 12



### No Place Inn, Stoke Road, Stonehouse

Built in an affluent area of Plymouth in the early 1830's, there have a number of different addresses over the years, including Noplace, North Place, Stoke Lane, Stoke Hill and Eldad Hill – so take your pick!

From a CAMRA perspective, I have little recollection of drinking in here, not because of imbibing too much, rather the opposite I think. The pub wasn't listed in either of the Devon Real Ale guides of the 1990's, and hasn't

appeared in any CAMRA Good Beer Guides.

No matter, it was a pub from the early part of the 1830's right through until its' closure in 2010, a good 180-odd years or so. One family which saw an awful lot of that time was the Dodd family, who owned it from the 1840's until the 1920's through various sons and daughters.

However, this may have been different if a certain Mr Brunel had had his way in the 1840's and built a railway station in Noplace, instead of at Millbay.

We believe the building is now in residential use.



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# Pub & Brewery News

## Pub News

The **Complex**, Keyham, appears from social media to have been acquired by **Higgins Leisure Group** and is to be renamed **Lucifer's Warehouse**. It would appear to be a music venue from FB. This makes four Plymouth pubs in their portfolio, the others being Bitter & Twisted, Tavistock; Lockdown Bar & Grill, Southway; & Woodside Bar & Kitchen (and music lounge), as all are included on their profile picture. The **Sir Joshua Reynolds**, Plympton, no longer serves real ale. The **Brewery Tap**, Stonehouse, is currently opening between Thursday and Sunday. Sadly, the **Plume of Feathers**, Princetown, has closed down due to the efforts of the covid pandemic, and the trading conditions placed upon the hospitality industry. **Minerva Inn**, Looe Street, Barbican, requires proof of vaccine status for inside service; The **Swan**, City Centre, refused to serve two senior citizens because they were wearing clothing with armed forces affiliation motifs. The **Ship Inn**, Morwellham Quay, is now open to the public without having to pay entry for the tourist attraction, with separate parking available for the pub at no charge. Michael Jonas, manager of the **Tamar**, Crownhill, has requested some CAMRA promotional material. The following pubs are believed to be under new management – **Crooked Spire**, Ermington; **Forest Inn**, Hexworthy; **Leaping Salmon**, Horrabridge; **Mary Tavy Inn**, Mary Tavy; **Modbury Inn**, Modbury; **Tavistock Inn** (may be a Relief Manager?) and **Trout N Tipple**, both in Tavistock; **Odd Wheel**, Wembury; and **Who'd Have Thought It**, Milton Coombe. Sadly, Bitter & Twisted, Tavistock, is currently closed, as is the **Miner's Arms**, Hemerdon. The **Dartmoor Union**, Holbeton, is under a planning application for change of use to housing. The branch have received about 100 pub photos taken in the early 1980's – Thank You very much Lee from Essex! **Boomerangs Sports Bar**, Mutley Plain, is now trading as a restaurant, Turkish Sharwarma.

Thatchers and Weston's cider is no longer considered real cider by the APPLE Committee of CAMRA.

**Plymouth CAMRA would like to wish all new publicans all the very best in their new ventures during the current very difficult trading conditions.**

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## CAMRA Member Discount Scheme and CAMRA Voucher Scheme.

There are currently 21 establishments listed as being members of the CAMRA Member Discount Scheme, and a further nine which are part of the CAMRA Voucher Scheme, making 30 in total. Please give these pubs your support if/when you go out! These are listed on the branch website. Please remember to take your CAMRA Membership card with you, along with your Member Discount Vouchers which may be accepted in part payment in selected pubs.

## Planning Applications

A planning application, ref no 21/01683/MOR, was submitted on 9/9/21 for a change of use to Nano-Brewery and Tap Room by Pilgrimage Brewing, for 190, Exeter Street, PL4 0NQ. The former Mount Pleasant Inn, 12 Millbay Road, Plymouth PL1 3LF, planning application ref. no: 21/01371/FUL, for change of use to car park for 5 years, was submitted on Tue 20 Jul 2021, but was withdrawn. No further pub-related applications have been found.

## Long-Term Closed Pubs

Four long-term closed pubs are still closed, but have no Planning Applications submitted for these premises. The **Revenue Inn**, 32 Marlborough Street, PL1 4AH, closed on 18 April 2016 and **Prince Albert**, 35 Marlborough Street PL1 4AE, closed 1 June 2017, both in Devonport. The Prince Albert was reported to be reopening in July 2018, but no further details are known. Both pubs are still looking like public houses from the outside, although Revenue Inn was being used for storage of some kind, wef 21/5/21. No planning Applications or License Applications have been found for the **River Cottage Canteen & Deli**, Royal William Yard. **Beresford Arms**, Cumberland Street, Devonport, had its' license revoked in August 2016, and has believed to have been closed ever since. No further planning applications have been found to date 25/10/21.



# Pub & Brewery News

## Historic Planning Applications

The *Crown and Column*, Devonport, closed in 2015. A Planning Application, Ref No 17/01487/FUL, was submitted on 14 July 2017 and conditionally granted on 12/10/17, for change of use and conversion into two flats. A Planning Application was also submitted several times for the *Duke Of Somerset*, Stonehouse, for change of use. This pub closed in late 2008. One was finally granted on 23 June 2009, Ref No 09/00132/FUL, after the 30 January 2009 application was refused. Both of these closure and conversion details have proved very difficult to find !!!!!!! A planning application was submitted, for the *Friendship Inn*, Albert Road, Devonport, Ref 16/01421/FUL, on Wednesday 27 July 2016, and granted conditionally, on Thursday 27 October 2016. Proposal: Conversion of public house and owner's accommodation to ground floor flat and first floor maisonette. The Premises license was surrendered, application no 058799, on 24/11/05 to 11/11/16, by DPS Mr Robert Coleman. *Somerset Arms*, 231 North Road West, PL1 5DQ. This pub had closed by 19 November 2013. No further information held. There are no planning applications listed since the building extension was granted in 1985. Planning Application ref 85/00226/FUL was submitted on Friday 25 January 1985 and granted on Wednesday 20 March 1985. The premises license appears to have lapsed on 21 August 2017. The *Stonemasons Arms*, 142 Albert Road PL2 1AQ, had several Planning Applications submitted, the last Planning Application, Ref 10/01374/OUT, was submitted on Monday 09 August 2010, and granted conditionally on 30 March 2011. The proposal: Renewal of outline application to redevelop the site with the erection of 11 flats with associated car parking, cycle and bin store. The previous Application, Ref 08/00816/REM, was submitted on Wednesday 16 April 2008, and granted conditionally on Friday 17 April 2008. This Proposal: Redevelopment of former public house to 11 flats with associated car parking, cycle and bin store. The Premises License was surrendered, application no 020857, on 24/11/05 to 19/01/10, by DPS Mr Robert McCullough. The *Trelawny Arms*, 642 Wolseley Road, St Budeaux PL5 1TE, is now a café (*Honey's Coffee*), solarium and pizzeria. The Last Planning Application, Ref 12/00456/FUL, was submitted on Thursday 15 March 2012, and granted conditionally on Thursday 17 May 2012. The Proposal: Change of use, conversion and alteration of unit 1 to café (Class A3) and hot food takeaway (Class A5), including installation of extract flue enclosed by proposed chimney. There are a further eight PA's for these premises, including the granting for a Solarium (ref 11/00729/FUL, submitted on Friday 06 May 2011 and granted on Friday 24 June 2011. This Proposal: Change of use, conversion and alteration of public house to form three commercial units (1x A2 'financial and professional services', 1x solarium - 'sui generis' and 1 x A5 'hot food takeaway') and three self-contained flats at first floor.

## Cask Marque Accreditation

During the current very difficult trading conditions, the following pubs are no longer Cask Marque Accredited: Castle Inn, Lydford; Cornish Arms, Tavistock; George, Roborough; James Street Vaults, City Centre; Old Smithy, Ivybridge; Penguin Lounge, Lipson; Pub On The Hoe, The Hoe; Rose & Crown, Yealmpton; Ship Inn, Barbican; Waterfront, The Hoe; & Westward Inn, Lee Mill.





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## Brewery News

**Anchor House** and **Billy Ruffian's** – no news; **Bere Brewery** continue to brew every week and, with restrictions lifted, they are having their Tap Room open at least once a month. They are also selling their bottled conditioned beers at Tavistock Market on various dates (Go to their website for details on dates). **Bulletproof** have teamed up with TQ Beerworks to carry out some new collaborative brewing; **Dartmoor** continue to brew their full range of beers; **Devil's Pleasure**, Sigford, South Devon, is a new brewery founded on the edge of Dartmoor National Park, on a farm near Newton Abbot, in 2020 and specialising in brewing punchy bold craft beers which are unfiltered and naturally hazy. Their beers mirror the owner's passion: They are direct, full of character, have bold tropical notes, and are unfiltered and hazy. They aim to not be static, so look out for new creations and one-off brews. The website lists five beers as the most recent additions which are Breakfast Juice IPA, ABV 3.8%; Hellishly Hoppy IPA, ABV 4.0%; Crafty Lager, ABV 4.5%; NEIPA, ABV 4.5%; & West Coast IPA, ABV 4.6%; **Gilt & Flint**, Musbury, East Devon, are also a new brewery and they generally produce ORGANIC beer which is bottled, or canned. The range includes a lager, a pale ale, a NEIPA and a stout; **Ivybridge** – no news; **Morwell** have only started brewing recently, when the Ship Inn, Morwellham Quay, reopened in July 2021. They provide cask conditioned ale for the pub and also have bottles of their 3 ales to buy from the bar for taking away. Free parking is available to visit the Ship Inn only at present; **Noss Beer Works** – no news; **Platform 5**, Newton Abbot, have relocated to somewhere near Torquay from the Railway Brewhouse, which has changed ownership recently; **Roam** – no news; demand for **Stannary** beers has risen, with more brewing, canning, running the online shop and the popular tap room. The tap room has been complemented by the addition the "Beer Shed", a large covered outdoor area. The core range remains the same (Stannary Pale 4%, PL19 - craft larger 4.2%, All That Jazz - session IPA 4.2%, Reverse Camber - west coast IPA 5%). They have just celebrated their 6th Birthday with Lupo Juice (8.7% double IPA) brewed every August for the event. The tap room is now open Fridays 3-10pm and Saturdays Midday - 8pm. **Steel Brew Co** continued to brew and bottle during Lockdown and also started doing deliveries. They are now brewing their keg beers again to keep their Tap Room replenished. Currently, the taproom opens Wednesday to Sunday (check their website for times). They continue to brew one-off beers to go alongside their four core beers, which are Mantra, Plymouth, Chairman Meow and Breakwater. Plymouth Pale Ale has been Awarded Champion Beer 2021 in the Taste Of The West competition – congratulations! Steel will also be relocating within RWY shortly, from Melville Building and into Mills Bakery;





# Pub & Brewery News

## Brewery News Cont.

**Summerskills** are brewing once or twice a week at the moment. Following the Lockdowns and woefully inadequate and inconsistent financial support from government for breweries without taprooms, Summerskills are reassessing their channels to market and options going forward. Summerskills are now licenced for retail sales to the public from the brewery. Their bottle conditioned beers are also available to order online with delivery from Westcountry Produce ([www.westcountryproduce.co.uk](http://www.westcountryproduce.co.uk)). The Foxhound Inn at Brixton are also continuing to take orders and payment for their beer for local home delivery or collection from the pub. Owner Norm is planning to bring their branding all in line with the bottle labels and refresh the website. Summerskills is still offering 5 and 10 litre bag-in-box beers to order, as well as a wide range of their bottle conditioned ales available for sale from the brewery along with some craft beers, ciders, wines and spirits not generally found in the supermarkets;



**Turk's Head**, High Street, Exeter, is a new brew pub and part of the City Pub Group. The pub has been closed since 2018, but reopened on Wednesday 1st September 2021 at 1600. It is believed that the pub has had extensive refurbishment during the Lockdown period, including hotel accommodation. The brewery is a 5 BBL plant and will be offering both real ale and keg products, initially building up to a range of 10 products (5 of each). The brewer will be Simon, who is normally based at King Street in Bristol. The pub is quite old and has a lot of history - Charles Dickens used to frequent there back in the day. Along

with offering a range of alcoholic beverages and pub food, there will also be 6 guest rooms above the pub and a secret roof terrace. One of their cask ales has a great name – Dickie's Best!



## *Little John's Torquay*

It was a beautiful September day when our group of merry men met up at Plymouth train station. Little John was our leader for the day and this gave the good Captain a well-earned day off. It was suggested that we each buy a plus bus ticket with our train ticket. It was without doubt the best advice we have been given. It allows for virtually unlimited bus trips on any bus virtually anywhere near your destination, in our case The English Rivera resort of Torquay.

When our train pulled into Plymouth station from Cornwall, it was very clear it was extremely busy, so we all marched off down to the front of the train where the carriage was virtually empty. People seldom want to walk too far do they these days? After a change of train at Newton Abbot it was a quick trip to our next stop of Torre where we got off.



Our first port of call was the **Bull and Bush** but unfortunately, we were too early, and it hadn't opened. So, we popped into a nearby watering hole and a rather grumpy guy from Birmingham served us a rather bland beer of no particular interest in a rather drab looking pub.

After one drink it was a short walk to **The Bull and Bush** and it was a great improvement. I had a Marston's Pedigree followed by Hobgoblin from Wychwood brewery. Both were excellent indeed. Things were looking up.

Round the corner to the bus stop we went. While waiting for the bus I noticed a patisserie across the road with a constant stream of customers visiting and buying products. Waiting for a gap I rushed across the road to order some munchies, out of the corner of my eye I noticed our bus had appeared, so I quickly ran out the door to see our bus going off into the distance. None of the group thought to put their hand out to stop the bus as they were too busy talking. So the shop benefitted from a few more eager customers.

As our original bus had about an hour gap till the next one we got on the next bus going down to the harbour. After checking the timetable, we had time to sample the delight of the nearby **Yates** bar. It was a mainly sports and eating establishment offering very reasonable food and drinks, with a wide range of ciders.

Then we were off again. The Plus Bus ticket was really coming into its own. Our bus turned out to be an open top double decker offering great views on the way to Babbacombe. There were lots of families out enjoying the sunshine but our destination lay a little further on at St Marychurch.

Our first point of call was the **Dolphin** and we sat outside on the pedestrian walkway sampling a very drinkable Bays Devon Dumpling. The Good Captain, wishing to be different, sucked on a pint of Sandford Orchards Devon Scrumpy.



# Little John's Torquay



Then we were off around the corner to the **Molloys**, part of the Platform 5 Brewing Company. The Platform 5 American Pale Ale was very well received by all. The Exeter v Leicester rugby match entertained us as well. **MOLLOYS**

Then it was time to take the bus back down to Torquay harbour where we went to the not to be missed **Hole in the Wall** pub. It is tucked behind some buildings down a small alley and for the average tourist would have been impossible to find, unless for example, they had looked at What Pub. A hidden gem.



The Timothy Taylor Landlord was excellent, and so was the best of the afternoon from Exeter Brewery, Ferryman, which I scored 4 out of 5. Brilliant indeed.

Our final pub visited in Torquay was the excellent Weatherspoon, the **Green Ginger**. The service was very swift and the beers were very good indeed. Tring Nosebag, as well as another excellent pint of Bays Devon Dumpling, were both enjoyed.

Our bus back to Newton Abbot usually runs very frequently (every 10 minutes or so) but due to bad traffic or driver shortages, we waited for about 45 minutes which seemed ages. This was a bit of a downer to say the least. Eventually we got back to Newton Abbot and had time to pop into the **Railway** pub. Platform brewing company doesn't operate there anymore

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So it is now just a normal pub serving run of the mill beers. The train timetable television screen is still operating, so at least something of the old pub remains.

Then it was off back to "Fun City" after a very nice day out, mixed with a couple of mishaps, which always makes for an interesting day. Full marks go to Little John for all his hard work.

Roll on our next adventure!

Phil Ward





# Pulling Together



Like pubs, breweries were not initially deemed as essential businesses at the beginning of the pandemic. However, this changed quite early on, and a large number of breweries joined the Pulling Together Campaign to publicise, free of charge, what customers were able to order.

The Pulling Together website, [Pulling Together - CAMRA - Campaign for Real Ale](https://pullingtogether-camra-campaign-for-real-ale.org.uk) (link) lists all known breweries and pubs which are providing beer sales (and other options) direct to the public during the Covid-19 pandemic, the first pandemic in 100 years.

There is no known UK brewery brewing at anywhere near their usual production levels for this time of year, as the majority of beer is sold direct to the Licensed Trade for consumption in Licensed Premises.



## Unusual Pub Names 5

Jolly Taxpayer

Kangaroo

Kicking Cuddy

Lad In The Lane

Land of Liberty, Peace & Plenty

*Portsmouth*

*Shropshire*

*County Durham*

*Birmingham*

*Hertfordshire*

Laughing Fish

Leg Of Mutton & Cauliflower

Mad Cat

Morris Clown

Old Dungeon Ghyll

*East Sussex*

*East Sussex*

*Cambridgeshire*

*Oxfordshire*

*Cumbria*

[Cite your source here.]



The **CAMRA LocAle Scheme** is an initiative that promotes pubs stocking locally-brewed real ale. The scheme builds on the growing consumer demand for quality local produce and an increased awareness of “green” issues. List correct as at 26 October 2021.

### **Avonwick**

Avon Inn, Avonwick, TQ10 9NB  
Turtley Corn Mill, Avonwick, TQ10 9ES

### **Bere Ferrers**

Olde Plough Inn, Fore Street, PL20 7JG

### **Bittaford**

Horse & Groom, Exeter Road, PL21 0EL

### **Brixton**

Foxhound Inn, Kingsbridge Road, PL8 2AH

### **Buckland Monachorum**

Drake Manor Inn, Buckland, PL20 7NA

### **California Cross**

California Inn, PL21 0SG

### **Chipshop**

Copper Penny Inn, PL19 8NT

### **Clearbrook**

Skylark Inn, PL20 6JD

### **Dousland**

Burrator Inn, PL20 6NP

### **Ermington**

Crooked Spire Inn, The Square, PL21 9LP

### **Hemerdon**

Miner's Arms, PL7 5BU

### **Hexworthy**

Forest Inn, PL20 6SD

### **Holbeton**

Dartmoor Union Inn, Fore Street, PL8 1NE

### **Mary Tavy**

Mary Tavy Inn, Lane Head, PL19 9PN

### **Meavy**

Royal Oak Inn, PL20 6PJ

### **Milton Combe**

Who'd Have Thought It Inn, PL20 6HP

### **Modbury**

Exeter Inn, Church Street, PL21 0QR  
Modbury Inn, Brownston Street, PL21 0RQ



### **Noss Mayo**

Ship Inn, PL8 1EW

### **Plymouth**

Artillery Arms, 6 Pound Street, Stonehouse PL1 3RH  
Brass Monkey, 12-14 Royal Parade, PL1 1DS  
Bread & Roses, 62 Ebrington Street, PL4 9AF  
Brewery Tap, 99 Edgecumbe Street, PL1 3SZ  
Britannia Inn, 2 Wolseley Road, Milehouse PL2 3BH  
Clifton Inn, 35 Clifton Street, Greenbank PL4 8JB  
Dolphin Hotel, 12 Barbican, Barbican PL1 2LS  
Fareham Inn, 6 Commercial Road, Coxside PL4 0LD  
Fawn Members Club, 39, Prospect Street, Greenbank PL4 8NY  
Ferry House Inn, 888 Wolseley Road, Saltash Passage PL5 1LA  
Fisherman's Arms, 31 Lambhay Hill, Barbican PL1 2NN  
Fortescue Hotel, 37 Mutley Plain, Mutley PL4 6JQ  
Gog & Magog, 58 Southside Street, Barbican PL1 2LA  
Golden Hind, 260 Mannamead Road, Hartley PL3 5RJ  
Kitty O'Hanlon's, 5 St Andrews Street, City Centre, PL1 2AH  
Mannamead, 61 Mutley Plain, Mutley PL4 6JH  
Maritime Inn, 19 Southside Street, Barbican PL1 2LD  
Masonic Inn, 65 Devonport Road, Stoke PL3 4DL  
Minerva Inn, 31 Looe Street, Barbican PL4 0EA  
Noah's Ark, 32a Courtney Street, City Centre PL1 1EP  
Nowhere Inn, 21 Gilwell Street, City Centre PL4 8BU  
Plymouth Hoe Club, 1-2 Osbourne Place PL1 2PU  
Porters, 20-21 Looe Street, Barbican PL4 0EA – (closed)  
Prince Maurice, 3 Church Hill, Eggbuckland PL6 5SR  
Providence Inn, Providence Street, Greenbank PL4 8JQ  
Pub On The Hoe, 159 Citadel Road, The Hoe PL1 2HU  
Stoke Inn, 43 Devonport Road, Stoke PL3 4DL  
Swan Inn, 15 St Andrews Street, City Centre PL1 2AX  
Tamar, 1-7, Morshead Road, Crownhill Plymouth PL6 5AD  
Thistle Park Tavern, 32 Commercial Road, Coxside PL4 0LE  
Union Rooms, 19 Union Street, City Centre PL1 2SU  
West Hoe, 24 Bishop's Place, The Hoe, PL1 3BW

### **Plympton**

Colebrook Inn, Colebrook Road, PL7 4AA  
London Inn, 8 Church Road, PL7 1NH  
Stannary Court, 95-99 Ridgeway PL7 2AA  
Union Inn, 17 Underwood Road PL7 1SY

### **Plymstock**

Drake's Drum, 19 Radford Park Road, PL9 9DN





### **Postbridge**

East Dart Hotel, Sat Nav 50.5949, -3.9097, OS Ref 652792, PL20 6TJ  
Warren House Inn, Sat Nav 50.613, -3.8752, OS Ref 674809, PL20 6TA

### **Princetown**

Dartmoor Inn, Merrivale PL20 6ST  
Prince of Wales Hotel, Tavistock Road PL20 6QF

### **Ringmore**

Journey's End Inn, TQ7 4HL

### **Shaugh Prior**

White Thorn Inn, PL7 5HA

### **Sparkwell**

Treby Arms, PL7 5DD  
Welbeck Manor Hotel, PL7 5DF

### **Tavistock**

Bedford Hotel, Plymouth Road, PL19 8BB  
Queen's Head Hotel, 80 West Street PL19 8AQ  
Trout 'N' Tipple, Parkwood Road, PL19 0JS

### **Turnchapel**

Boringdon Arms, 13 Boringdon Terrace PL9 9TQ  
Clovelly Bay Inn, 1 Boringdon Road PL9 9TB

### **Walkhampton**

Walkhampton Inn PL20 6JY

### **Wembury**

Odd Wheel, Knighton Road PL9 0JD



# Public Transport

## Local Bus Companies

If you have any questions about public transport in and around Plymouth, please contact our Public Transport Officer, George McCarron, on [pto@plymouth.camra.org.uk](mailto:pto@plymouth.camra.org.uk)

### Plymouth CityBus

Plymouth Citybus Limited, 1 Milehouse Road, Milehouse, Plymouth, Devon, PL3 4AA  
telephone 01752 662271

Visit their website <https://www.plymouthbus.co.uk/> (Opens in a new window)

Please email [customer.services@plymouthbus.co.uk](mailto:customer.services@plymouthbus.co.uk)

### Stagecoach South West

Stagecoach South West, Belgrave Road, Exeter, Devon, EX1 2LB

Telephone 01392 427711,

disability helpline 01392 889749

Visit <https://www.stagecoachbus.com/localdefault.aspx?Tag=Plymouth/> (opens new window)

Please email [southwest.enquiries@stagecoachbus.com](mailto:southwest.enquiries@stagecoachbus.com)

### Tally Ho Coaches

Tally Ho Coaches, Kingsley Close, Lee Mill Industrial Estate, Ivybridge, PL21 9LL

Telephone 01752 893480 or 0333 456 0231

Visit <https://tally-ho-coaches.business.site/> (opens in new window)

Please email [info@tallyhocoaches.co.uk](mailto:info@tallyhocoaches.co.uk)

### Country Bus

King Charles Business Park, Old Newton Road, Heathfield, Newton Abbot, Devon TQ12 6UT

Telephone 01626 833664

Visit <http://www.countrybusdevon.co.uk/index.html/> (Opens in new window)

Please email [info@countrybusdevon.co.uk](mailto:info@countrybusdevon.co.uk)

## Train Companies

### Great Western Railway

Write to:- Freepost, GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY CUSTOMER SUPPORT

Visit <https://www.gwr.com/#/> (Opens in new window)

### Cross Country Trains

Office: XC Trains Limited, Admiral Way, Doxford International Business Park, Sunderland, SR3 3XP

Visit <https://www.crosscountrytrains.co.uk/> (Opens in new window)

## Traveline South West Journey Planner

Combine journey's by bus, train, coach and ferry for travel in the south west.

Visit <https://www.travelinesw.com/> (Opens in new window)

Telephone 0871 200 2233 (calls cost 10p/min from a BT landline, price at December 2017)



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## Trading Standards

### Plymouth Trading Standards

Tel 01752 304147

[trading.standards@plymouth.gov.uk](mailto:trading.standards@plymouth.gov.uk)

### Devon and Somerset Trading Standards

01392 381381 (from Devon) or 08453 459181 (from Somerset)

[tsadvice@devon.gov.uk](mailto:tsadvice@devon.gov.uk)





The Campaign has provided, for a number of years, a national pub website, which we have called What Pub, and is available [UK Pub Guide, Campaign for Real Ale • whatpub.com](https://www.whatpub.com) (link). This lists over 55 000 pubs, clubs and hotels throughout the whole of the United Kingdom, with over 37 000 of these establishments serving real, cask-conditioned ale.

This website is maintained and managed by unpaid volunteers on a local level, in the case of Plymouth CAMRA by four local volunteers. We update the website whenever we are aware of changes to a pubs details, or made aware by people providing details of any errors or changes, such as telephone number has changed, for instance.

**NOTICE:** As venues recover following the coronavirus lockdown period they need your support more than ever. But please be aware that different arrangements apply across different parts of the UK. Special restrictions may apply, opening hours may be different to those displayed here, and some pubs may be yet to re-open at all. While we've made every effort to ensure details here are accurate, we strongly advise checking ahead before visiting. It may be easier to find what you're looking for by using our search filters, including one provided for those venues showing details of temporary arrangements. If you notice any information on this website that needs updating, please use the link on the pub's dedicated page to let us know. Cheers! The CAMRA WhatPub team.

e.g. place name, postcode, pub name, station... **Search**

☐ Search only for pubs and clubs that serve real ale

**➔** ☒ Only show venues with **information about COVID-19 temporary arrangements**


Breweries are also offering delivery services during the Covid-19 crisis. You can search for them here [CAMRA #PullingTogether](#)

However, due to the pandemic, things have changed slightly. We no longer make changes to the pub opening hours, or food timings, due to the rapidly-changing situation due to the pandemic. Instead, we make amendments to an additional field, which we have called Covid-19 Temporary Arrangements. Before you click in the Search Box, tick the “**Only show venues with information about COVID-19 temporary**”


**arrangements**", just below the search box as shown by the arrow above, then type in your search criteria, such as Plymouth, or Tavistock, or Ivybridge, or whatever – see screenshot above.


You can search using a pub name, or postcode, or Plymouth (CAMRA), if you wish. You can also tick the **"search for pubs and clubs that serve real ale"** as well if you wish. Using the search criteria "Plymouth CAMRA", we get the following screenshot.

Search results for Pubs in 'Plymouth' CAMRA branch View On Map New Search










Showing results 1 to 10 of 229  Order by: [Name](#) [Town](#)

**NOTICE:** In some parts on the UK, venues are still shut due to COVID-19. Where venues are open, normal opening hours and other temporary changes may be in place. Where we have confirmed that venues are open but have made changes to usual services, or to see venues that are offering takeaway and delivery services please use the additional service filter below.

☒ Only show venues with **information about COVID-19 temporary arrangements** 

 **1620 Pub & Eatery**  
60 Notte Street  
Barbican  
Plymouth  
PL1 2AG

**Pub Features**

This lists the total number of establishments we are aware of that are open under the present trading conditions following Government guidelines (229 pubs, clubs and hotels). You can sort this, in order, by Pub Name, or by Town.

### Famous Beer Advertising Slogans 5

- |   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| 21. "The amber nectar"                      | Foster's         |
| 22. "The beer that made Milwaukee famous"   | Schlitz          |
| 23. "The coldest tasting beer in the world" | Coors Lite       |
| 24. "The Champagne of bottled beer"         | Miller High Life |
| 25. "The cream of Manchester"               | Boddington's     |



# What Pub Help

To help the unpaid volunteers to try and keep up with news about what pubs may be able to provide during the current difficult Period, please use What Pub in the usual way and search for the pub. Then click on the “Feedback On The Pub” link at the top of the pub entry, as shown below by the arrow. Then just fill in the details about the services being provided, such as:-

“Food and drink deliveries are available on Tuesdays to Sundays, from 1200 until 1400, and 1700 until 2100. See Facebook/Pub Website for full details”.

Search > **Brook Inn**

New Search



About Location Submit Updates Nearby

**NOTICE:** Venues need your support more than ever during the ongoing coronavirus crisis.

A nationwide lockdown is currently in place in England, and you are required by law to stay at home. Hospitality venues can still provide food takeaway and delivery services, but can only sell alcohol by delivery service.

But please be aware that opening hours and services may be different to those displayed here. Before visiting or ordering from any venue, we strongly advise you to check its website or social media, or get in touch with them first to avoid disappointment.

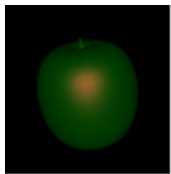
If you see any details here that need updating, please let us know by submitting [feedback on the pub](#).

**Features**

- Real Ale Available
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## *The Amazing Cider Man*

An occasional series of ramblings from one of the branch's biggest fans of the apple juice. In this article, the Amazing Cider-Man talks about May – one of CAMRA's "Cider and Perry" months. Something to think about for NEXT year!

After spending some not inconsiderable time at a guest house at Her Majesty's pleasure (I didn't do it, guv; it was Colonel Mustard in the library) I have been released at the right time..... May!

So thoughtful of them.

Yes, May is one of the best months of the year. Bluebells, the Eurovision Song Contest, the promise of summer, the FA Cup final (no Argyle in the final this year) and CIDER!!

Both cider and perry have reached a certain maturity from when the fruit was first crushed into juice last autumn. It's also the month when our wonderful orchards come into bloom.

Obviously the worldwide pandemic ("There's no need to say the word "worldwide" –Ed) has put a bit of a dampener on the occasion for the second year running but, fingers crossed, we can now confidently plan for events in May 2022.

### Some ideas for Cider and Perry month May 2022

- Contact a Devon or Cornwall producer (there is a list on the Plymouth CAMRA website ([Devon Cider Producers - Plymouth CAMRA \(link\)](#))) to see if they welcome visits
- Arrange a tasting with friends at a convenient venue
- Attend the Plymouth CAMRA cider crawl (but only when organised events are approved – Ed) or organise your own
- Go online to discover ways of cooking with cider and apples
- Curl up with a good book such as CAMRA's Good Cider Guide
- Try varieties of apples and pears that you haven't eaten before
- Wash yourself in a bath full of pear juice – it's lovely!

No excuses – you have just under a year to organise something!

In the meantime, the summer is on our doorstep and this is a great time to drink cider and perry. In the Plymouth area we have some fine places to drink the stuff (a couple of my favourites are the Cider House and the Walkhampton Inn) but if pubs aren't your thing, you can get a 20 litre bag in box starting from around £45 for home drinking.

Please support cider producers after what has been an awful 14 months or so.

I'm off for my bath.

See you in Cyderspace!

The Amazing Cider-Man.

## CAMRA campaigns for real cider and perry



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Real Ale



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# Traditional British Beer

## Styles No 9



### 15. *Baltic Porters, ABV 5.5% and above (to approx. 10.5%)*

Originally brewed in England, this beer was exported to countries in the Baltic and Scandinavia, and then adopted by its recipients and crafted into what it is today. *A hardy traveller.*

This dark smooth beauty was brewed bigger and bolder in order to survive the journey from England to the Baltic countries. Since the original journey, however, it has become a distinct, stand-alone style. Dark mahogany to black in colour, it is smooth, full-bodied and almost coating – nearing stout in character. The malt-forward introduction can be a bevy of flavours: caramel, chocolate, roasty notes, liquorice, raisins, prunes and molasses. There is no flavour from the hops, but a balance and a bitterness is attained in their presence. It is sweet on the finish and, overall, a velvety treat. Unknown to many, Baltic porters are worth discovering.

Three examples of this style:

*Green Jack Brewery Baltic Trader Export Stout ABV 10.5%* – based in Lowestoft, a major port for the Baltic. This beer uses roasted barley and chocolate malt and has dark fruits, chocolate and peppery hop notes (bottle).

*Teignworthy Brewery Russian Porter ABV 10.5%* – an extra rich, dry, liquorice flavour, with a smooth marble finish (bottle).

*Hopshackle Brewery Baltic Porter ABV 7.0%* – intensely fruity, with blackberry and lemon flavours, with dark chocolate and peppery hop notes (cask).

### 16. *Irish Dry Stouts, ABV 4.0% to 5.0%*

This style was typified and refined in Ireland, and today few beers are so closely tied to a single nation. *Roasted barley.*

Simply the mention of dry stout conjures images of Irish pubs and Arthur Guinness. Evolving from the porters brewed in London, stouts were stronger and more full-bodied. Dry stout is typified by the use of roasted barley instead of black roasted malt. This gives the characteristic core of sharp, espresso-like roastiness. It is an opaque deep brown to motor-oil black in colour, with a thick and creamy head. There can be a hint of hop bitterness, but this is usually overcome by the bitterness of dark chocolate, cocoa, or coffee. From a keg or a can with a nitrogen widget, the creaminess makes the brew smooth and chewy. Deceivingly refreshing and highly sessionable, Irish dry stout is known to be the perfect choice for a long evening in the pub.

Three examples of this style:

*Guinness Draught Stout ABV 4.2%* – the world's most famous dry stout. The fluffy brown-ish head is the focal point. On first sip, there is an almost burnt bitter espresso flavour. (This is a keg beer)

*Skinner's Brewery Pennycomequick ABV 4.5%* – creamy, dark brown, sweet stout with roast grain aroma. Heavy roast coffee, malt, fig and cherry flavours. Roast, dry finish. Cask conditioned beer.

*Bridgetown Brewery Shark Island Stout ABV 4.5%* – a smooth stout with strong malt and roast throughout. Touches of liquorice and chocolate lead to a bitter finish. Cask and bottle conditioned beer.





CAMRA Members have been able to play an active part in their local Branch for many years, without having to commit to devoting a lot of extra time to the cause. Beer scoring is an easy way to do this!

Beer scoring enables a number of things – firstly, it lets us (the Branch) know that **A Pub** is open and trading – which is very important in these very difficult trading times. Secondly, it also lets us know how the beer is being kept in **A Pub**. It also shows us what different real ales are being sold in branch area pubs which have been Beer Scored.



A full explanation, and screenshots, are available on the Plymouth CAMRA website, [National Beer Scoring System - Plymouth CAMRA](#) (link)

Beer scoring is very easy to do, even when you are enjoying a meal and a pint in the pub, if you have a smart phone or a tablet/iPad.

As can be seen on the left, for a smart phone, start the What Pub App. You will see a Button at the top right of the screen which states “Nearby Pubs”. Simply tap the button and you should get a refreshed screen showing the pub that you are currently in.


You will need to sign in with your current CAMRA membership number and your password in order to beer score, by tapping on the Login. Enter your number and password.

The screen will be similar to the one shown below on Page 24.

The screenshot shown below on Page 24 is for a laptop/tablets, but it is pretty similar for the smart phone. Once signed in, you can then go ahead and score the beer for the pub you are currently sat down in.

For the example below, for the Fortescue, Mutley Plain, you can tap the Calendar button and add the date. Then you can tap the upturned triangle and select your beer score – please remember that this is NOT whether you like the particular beer, but how it has been kept and served to you.

Next, click/tap in the Brewery box and start typing the name of the brewery and select from the auto fill list. A list of that brewery's beers will then appear – please select from that list.



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## Fortescue Hotel

37 Mulvey Plain  
Mulvey Plain  
Plymouth  
PL4 6JQ

View on [Map](#)

 (01752) 660673




**Opening Hours**  
11-midnight; 12-11 Sun

**Meal Times**  
12-3.30 Sun only

**Owner**  
Original Pub Company



**About the Pub**  
Winner of numerous local CAMRA awards, this lively local is frequented by a broad section of the community and conversation flourishes. A perfect Sunday can be spent here – a good value home-cooked roast washed down with a pint of Spingo Special, followed by brain-teasing quiz in the evening. The patio beer garden draws crowds in the summer and is heated in winter. Note the interesting cricket memorabilia which adorn the walls. 8 ales are usually available, as well as a selection of up to 6 real ciders. CAMRA members discount is offered on all real ales. Plymouth CAMRA City Pub Of The Year 2014, Cider and Perry Pub Of The Year 2014 and Branch Pub Of The Year 2014.

**Regular Beers**  
This pub serves 4 regular beers.





View on [Larger Map](#)

**Location**

-  Close to Railway Station
-  Close to Bus Routes

### Submit Beer Scores

Date of visit:  
 /  /  

Score (0-5):  
 

Brewery:


Beer:

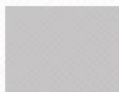
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If the beer you are currently drinking doesn't appear, please check the brewery name. If the brewery is correct, it could well be that the beer you are drinking is a new one, so please select "Advanced Options", where you can then add the name of the beer in the "comments" box.

Once you have finished adding your details, please click/tap "Submit Score" to finish the simple Beer Scoring Process.



The following pub discount information has been received by Plymouth CAMRA and is given in good faith, but is liable to change at short notice. Some discounts may be modified, restricted or withdrawn when special promotions are on offer. List believed to be correct as 26 October 2021.

<b>PUB NAME</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>DISCOUNT</b>
Ales and Tails	The Broadway, Plymstock PL9 7AN	10%/pint
Boringdon Arms	13 Boringdon Terrace, Turnchapel PL9 9TQ	10p/pint
Bread 'N' Roses	62 Ebrington Street, City Centre PL4 9AF	10%/pint
Dolphin Hotel	14, The Barbican, PL1 2LS	15p/pint
Fareham Inn	6 Commercial Road, Coxside PL4 0LD	10p/pint
Fisherman's Arms	Lambhay Hill, Barbican, PL1 2NN	15p/pint, 5p/half, 20% food
Fortescue Hotel	Mutley Plain, PL4 6JQ	10% pint & half
Golden Hind	Mannamead Road, PL3 5RJ	10%/pint & half
Horse and Groom	Exeter Road, Bittaford PL21 0EL	10p/pint, 5p/half
Jack Rabbit	7-9 Howeson Road, Derriford PL6 8BD	20p/pint
London Inn*	8, Church Rd, PSM, Plympton PL7 1 NH	See below
Minerva Inn**	31 Looe Street, Plymouth PL4 0EA	See below
Nowhere Inn	21, Gilwell Street, City Centre PL4 8BU	TBA
Olde Plough	Fore Road, Bere Ferrers PL20 7JG	10%/pint, real ale and cider
Pub On The Hoe	159 Citadel Road, The Hoe PL1 2HU	10%/pint real ale and cider
Sir Joshua Reynolds	25 Ridgeway, Plympton PL7 2AW	10p/pint, 5p/half
Tamar	Morshead Road, Crownhill, PL6 5AD	10%/pint

Key:

\* London Inn Grumpy Hour daily deals for all customers.

\*\* Minerva has a loyalty card (cost £1.00) available Mon – Fri 1130 – 1500 for all customers

The following pubs accept CAMRA member vouchers as part payment for real ales and real ciders

<b>PUB NAME</b>	<b>ADDRESS</b>	<b>DISCOUNT</b>
<b>S</b> Brass Monkey	Royal Parade, City Centre, PL1 1DS	10%/pint & CAMRA vouchers
<b>S</b> Noah's Ark	32A Courtney Street, City Centre PL1 1EP	10%/pint (guest beer only) & CAMRA vouchers
<b>S</b> Roundabout	2-4 Drake Circus, City Centre PL4 8AQ	CAMRA vouchers
<b>W</b> Britannia Inn	Milehouse, PL2 3BH	CAMRA vouchers
<b>W</b> Gog And Magog	Southside Street, Barbican, PL1 2LA	CAMRA vouchers
<b>W</b> Mannamead	Mutley Plain, PL4 6JH	CAMRA vouchers
<b>W</b> Queen's Head Hotel	80, West Street, Tavistock, PL19 8AQ	CAMRA vouchers
<b>W</b> Stannary Court	Ridgeway, Plympton, PL7 2AW	CAMRA vouchers
<b>W</b> Union Rooms	Union Street, City Centre, PL1 2SU	CAMRA vouchers

Key:

**S** prefix denotes Stonegate outlets accepting CAMRA Member vouchers – please check the reverse of your voucher to ensure that it is still in date!

**W** prefix denotes JD Wetherspoon outlets accepting CAMRA member vouchers – please check the reverse of your voucher to ensure that it is still in date!



## Where Are They Now No 13

### Wyndham Arms, 17 Stoke Hill, Stonehouse, PL1 5JG

Wyndham Square is located in one of the more impressive early 19<sup>th</sup> century Plymouth developments which still remain today. The Wyndham Arms clearly fits in with the other buildings.

It could have been a beer house from as early as the 1830's, following the introduction of the 1830 Beer Act, which gave any ratepayer permission to apply for a license to brew and sell beer on the premises. And all for the princely

sum of just £2.00! Oh, how times have changed!

The pub is situated across the road from the old Royal Naval Hospital wall, despite RHN Stonehouse closing its' doors in the early 1990's when the Royal Navy moved their medical staff to Derriford.

It was alleged that there was, under one of the great stone slabs in the cellar, a tunnel which ran under the road and the wall and came out somewhere inside the hospital grounds. How true this is, I guess that I'll never know, as the pub closed around 2010 and is now used for housing.



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**Your details:**

Title ..... Surname .....

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Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy) .....

Address .....

Postcode .....

Email address .....

Daytime Tel .....

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By Email ☐ By Post ☐ By Email ☐ By Post ☐

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Signed .....

Date .....

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Joint Membership	£31.50 <input type="checkbox"/>	£33.50 <input type="checkbox"/>
(At the same address)		
Joint Under 26 Membership	£23 <input type="checkbox"/>	£25 <input type="checkbox"/>



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To the Manager Bank or Building Society

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**Name(s) of Account Holder**

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### CAMRA REAL ALE DISCOUNT SCHEME

Discounts on real ale in over 3,500 pubs



### REAL ALE VOUCHERS

£30 worth of CAMRA real ale vouchers



### ONLINE LEARNING RESOURCES

Discover more about your favourite drinks



### BOOK DISCOUNTS

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### CAMRA PODCAST

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### WHAT PUB?

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### MEMBERS' WEEKEND & AGM

Meet, socialise and vote on our policy and direction



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# CAMRA Member Discount Benefits











As a CAMRA Member, you could also benefit from some great discounts with a growing number of other companies with which CAMRA has negotiated. These are being added to frequently.

 <p><b>ADNAMS</b> 10% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>BEER 52</b> FIRST CASE FREE/20% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>BIER NUTS</b> 5% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>BREWHOUSE &amp; KITCHEN</b> 10% OFF*</p>
 <p><b>BROUGHTON BREWERY</b> *EXCLUSIVE OFFER</p>	 <p><b>CORNERSTONE</b> £10 OFF*</p>	 <p><b>COTSWOLD OUTDOOR</b> 10% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>THE CRUSTY PIE COMPANY</b> 10% OFF*</p>
 <p><b>EXMOOR ALES</b> 10% OFF (NOV/DEC 2020)*</p>	 <p><b>FRED. OLSEN CRUISES</b> 10% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>HENLEY SWEETS</b> 10% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>HOME BREWTIQUE</b> 15% OFF*</p>
 <p><b>HONESTBREW</b> 20% OFF FIRST ORDER*</p>	 <p><b>ISLE OF WIGHT FERRIES</b> 20% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>INSURE MORE</b> 25% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>LEARNING TREE</b> 25% OFF*</p>



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 <p><b>MERLIN ENTERTAINMENT</b> up to 49% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>NATIONAL EXPRESS</b> 20% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>ORIGINAL COTTAGES</b> 8% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>PINT365</b> 10% OFF*</p>
 <p><b>RED LETTER DAYS</b> 20% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>RHINO CAR HIRE</b> 10% OFF*</p>	 <p><b>VAUXHALL</b> £500 OFF*</p>	 <p><b>VIRGIN WINES</b> 50%+ FIRST BOX OFFER*</p>

*Please note all benefits and rates are subject to change.*

## Traditional Cask Sizes

Butt	108 imperial gallons, no longer used
Puncheon	72 gallons, no longer used
Hogshead	54 gallons, now rarely used
Barrel	36 gallons
Half-Hogshead	27 gallons, now rarely used
Kilderkin/Kil/Kiln	18 gallons
Anker	10 gallons, now rarely used
Firkin	9 gallons
Pin	4 ½ gallons



**Pear Tree Inn, 7 Devonport Road, Stoke PL3 4DJ**

This was a large pub for many years and located, at various times, as being in Tavistock Road and latterly on Devonport Road without moving location. It survived the dark days of the Blitz of April 21st and April 22nd 1941, and had a full publican's license under Octagon Brewery.

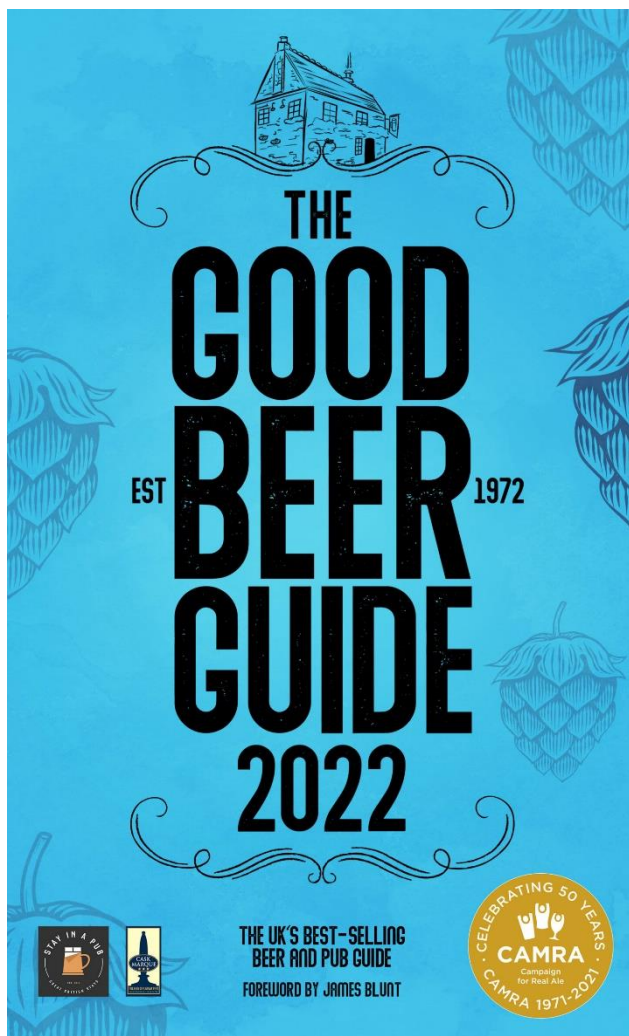
This area, at one time, had the largest number of pubs/licensed premises, in Plymouth, other than Union Street and the Barbican areas. From here, along

Devonport Road to 178 at the Stopford Arms, there were at least another dozen, all within a short 5-10 minute walk.

The Pear Tree was described in the Devon Real Ale Guide of 1990 as a "One-roomed horseshoe-shaped bar on the main road. Music at weekends". It served just the one real ale, Courage Best Bitter. By 1993, Usher's Best Bitter appeared on the menu, and kept real ale drinkers happy with a choice of ales to drink. Managers came and went during the period up until 2012, when the pub was finally put up for sale. After submitting planning application for a change of use, the building is now being used for an animal grooming service.







## THE ORIGINAL INDEPENDENT GUIDE TO GOOD BEER AND GOOD PUBS

You're never far from a great pub and an excellent pint with *The Good Beer Guide* to hand. Now in its 49th edition, the fully revised and updated Guide recommends pubs in England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and offshore islands that serve the best real ale. From country inns through urban style bars to backstreet boozers – if you love pubs, don't leave home without the *Good Beer Guide*

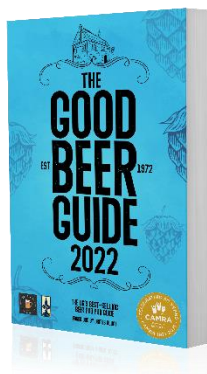
- Entries for more than 4,500 of the UK's best pubs, in rural and urban areas, with details about beer, food, pub gardens, accommodation, family facilities, disabled access and transport links.
  - The Good Beer Guide is completely independent. Pubs are regularly checked by local CAMRA volunteers and we make no charge for entries.
  - Lively and informative colour features on beer, pubs, brewing and consumer issues.
  - Unique breweries section listing all UK real ale breweries – micro, regional and national – and their regular beers.
- This edition features almost 1,900 breweries and more than 7,500 beers, plus information about brewery

taprooms.

To purchase your copy of the Good Beer Guide 2022 book, please click the link [CAMRA's Good Beer Guide - CAMRA - Campaign for Real Ale](#) . It is available for just £15.99 – CAMRA members must log in to obtain the Members discount.

The Good Beer Guide App is also available for free download to your smart phone or tablet – please click this link [CAMRA's Good Beer Guide App - CAMRA - Campaign for Real Ale](#)

Please note that full functionality is also available for an annual subscription of £4.99



## *A Pint Of The Usual, Please!*

Pubs reopened for inside service without food from 17<sup>th</sup> May, and then all legal restrictions were removed from 19<sup>th</sup> July 2021. We have seen lots of innovative ideas from publicans, along with some great expenditure by them to try and keep everyone safe at their pubs.

We have enjoyed a pretty good summer, with some excellent weather and have got used to sitting outside in the garden, or patio areas, many of them newly installed. However, we are now into the Autumn and are starting to look forward to Christmas – let us hope that we are able to enjoy Christmas with our families and loved ones.

We live in and around Plymouth and fortunately do not usually encounter droughts, so, when visiting our pubs, we should remember to wear a coat for inclement weather, and to also pack a brolly and a hat !!!!!!!



If you do go to the pub, please remember to be polite to all the staff and be courteous to them – it is not their fault that things have changed! Please also remember to comply with the latest Government guidelines in force, and to wash your hands often. But please, above all,

## *Stay Safe!*