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WHAT?PUB

CAMRA's online Pub Guide

was launched on September 23rd. It contains entries for over 47,000 pubs of which about 36,000 have real ale.

That's 96% of the real ale pubs in the

country so with WhatPub you really are spoilt for choice.

About 22,000 entries have full details of real ales, facilities and a description of the pub. All of the information was provided by CAMRA members and compiled by each branch so it is based on real local knowledge of the pubs not from a single visit by a surveyor or information provide by the pub owner.

WhatPub has been available to CAMRA members for a few months and has been really popular. Now anyone can access it and find out about pubs near them or places they plan to visit.

In the Salisbury branch area we have details for all of our pubs and are working to keep them up to date.

On each pub entry there is an option to send updates to the local branch. You won't end up with entries full of misleading and inaccurate comments as all updates will be checked by branches before they are added to the entry.

Andy Shaw, CAMRA Director said "CAMRA has developed WhatPub to be the ultimate online pub guide for all pub-goers. It may even help encourage people who have stopped using pubs regularly, since WhatPub will help them find the ideal pub to suit their needs."

Why not visit WhatPub choose a new pub to visit or check on the entry for you local. If there are details which are incorrect or which you can add to please send them in via the site. We'll check them and update as necessary.

We are working towards including every pub in the country, clubs and off licenses with real ale so we have more work to do. Go to **Whatpub.com** let us know what you like or dislike about it and why not join CAMRA and help us make it even better.

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Crawling on...

We continued our visits to rural pubs by minibus in August with a bus to the edge (and just into) the New Forest. Starting at the **Cuckoo in Hamptworth** which is now settled with the new management and as quirky as ever. With 6 ales to choose from I enjoyed the **Coopers Pale Ale from Wickwar** and **Green Bullet from Sherfield**. Then on to the **Lamb at Nomansland** with **Taylor's Landlord** and **Palmer's Copper** on offer. I hadn't realised how close this pub is to the X7 route at Landford so can be visited on a daytime bus. The **Woodfalls Inn** had **Ringwood Best**, **Upham Stakes Ale** and **St Austell Tribute** all in very good condition, well worth a visit and the food looked excellent as well. We popped into the **Woodfalls Sports & Social Club** which has **Ringwood Best** and a family Karaoke night. Passing the Old Inn at Woodfalls which has been shut some time now we arrived at the **Kings Head in Redlynch** with **Sunny Republic Shark Head**, **Pin Up Red Head** and **Hop Back Summer Lightning**.

An excellent evening out with good beer and good company. My favourite pub was the Cuckoo and my best beer was the Tribute in the Woodfalls Inn. Why not get in touch and join us on one of our trips out.

And Festivalling I went to the Cuckoo the following weekend for their beer festival - the special effects of hail, thunder & lightning and a wonderful rainbow were spectacular and the beer was excellent. Keep an eye out for the pubs locally holding festivals, they are generally well worth the visit.

Stonehenge Ales

The Old Mill
Netheravon
01980 670631



Regular Beers

Spire Ale 3.8%
Pigswill 4.0%
Heel Stone 4.3%
Great Bustard 4.8%
Danish Dynamite 5.0%

Seasonal Beers

Old Smokey 5% (Jan - Feb)
Sign of Spring 4.6% (Mar - May)
Great Dane 4.6% (June - July)
Eye-Opener 4.5% (Aug - Sept)
Bodyline 4.3% (Nov)
Rudolph 5.0% (Dec)

www.stonehengeales.co.uk



Winterfest XVII

Fri 24th & Sat 25th Jan 2014

Fri 6.30—11.00

Sat 11.00—3.30

Sat 6.30—11.00

Castle Street Social Club

Scots Lane

Salisbury

22 Real Ales plus cider

No Music

Filled Rolls available each session

Tickets on sale in December

The Rai d'Or,
69 Brown St,
Salisbury SP1 2AS
Tel. 01722 327137



Historic freehouse dating from 1292, now a cosy pub with real ales and reasonably priced Thai food. The pub is often full mid-evening so if you want to guarantee a table mid-evening, call ahead and let us know if you want to just have a drink. Early and late evenings usually don't need booking but it is still best to call ahead although bookings can usually be made on the day. Even if you don't call ahead, there is always room for drinkers at the bar (enjoy the CAMRA discount if you stay for more than one pint). We specialise in local microbrewed ales - Downton Stonehenge, Keystone, Bowman also Dark Star.

Open Mon-Sat 5 - late
(front door closes at 10.50 p.m.)

The Duke of York



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Monday - Friday
6pm - midnight

Saturday
2pm – midnight

Sunday
2pm - 11pm

- ◆ 5 Real ales & 2 Trad Ciders
- ◆ Belgian & German Bottled Beers
- ◆ Quiz night Tuesdays

Pubs still closed - but Good News too

Sadly more of our pubs are closing and we are waiting to hear of the future of several of them. What will happen to the Old Inn at Woodfalls, the Royal Oak in Shrewton and both the Plough and the Stonehenge Inn in Durrington are closed.

But we have some **Good News**. A recent crawl of **Wilton** saw us back in the **Pembroke Arms** for the first time in years, the public bar is open again and a friendly welcome awaits. There are two beers from Wessex Brewery - **Pembroke Pride** and **Golden Apostle**.

There is a planning application to split off part of the **George Inn at Codford** but retain much of the building as a public bar and function room. The new landlord has lots of plans to make if a good pub with good beer and good pub food. I'm looking forward to visiting there again.

The new licensees at the **Old Inn at Allington** are having theme and quiz nights so as one of our new brand of socials a team from CAMRA enjoyed the quiz, curry and ale.

In August we featured the new scheme allowing communities to register pubs and other amenities as assets of Community Value. The White Horse in Quidhampton is listed and we have heard of a few others being considered. This could be the best way to save your local.

Salisbury Food & Drink Festival was a bit quieter than usual probably due to the work on the Market Square and it did rain! The beer tent was popular and we chatted to visitors from near, far & wide about real ale. It was great to have a level ground to set up on so I look forward to the return to bigger crowds next year.

Why not Join us - come on a social trip - listed on the back page or join CAMRA. Nearly 155,000 members can't all be wrong.

Branch Events

October

- Fri 11th Hampshire Octoberfest 18.47 Train
Wed 16th City Crawl 8pm Bacchus to Duke of York via Malmesbury Arms, Horse & Groom, Devizes Inn dep on Real ale availability
Sat 19th Bristol Beer Factory Presentation 10.40 train

November

- Fri 1st Eve Minibus to Ludgershall, Lower Chute, Tangle, Cholderton, Newton Tony
Wed 6th Branch Meeting 7.30pm British Legion Salisbury
Sat 9th Presentation to Sixpenny Brewery 10.50 Bus
Wed 13th City Crawl 8pm Railway Club, Railway Tavern, Cat, Deacons, Old Ale House
Sat 29th Eve Minibus to East Chisenbury, Enford, Netheravon, Rugby Club

December

- Wed 4th Branch Meeting 8pm TBC

To book on trips contact *Bruce* social.secretary@salisburycamra.org.uk or 01722 556271 More details www.salisburycamra.org.uk

Items for Barrel Organ *hilary.bird@salisburycamra.org.uk* 01722 333839

The Winchester Gate

A genuine free house

The Gate is one of the few pubs in Salisbury that is completely free of tie.

Our Autumn cider festival, starts at 4.30 on Thursday, 10 October & runs to Sunday, 13 October.

Around 10 ciders and perries, probably from Herefordshire.

Keep an eye on our website where the list will be posted.

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