

From the Editor

This issue of Darlington Drinker is a bit different from the last issue, which in its turn was a bit different from preceding ones. It has been a steep learning curve for me to get to this point, and in this issue we are being helped by Capital Media, a CAMRA approved company who publish a number of branch magazines.

For several reasons this will be my last Darlington Drinker as Editor. I have really enjoyed putting it together but things change. Happily, Ian Jackson, who is well known to you as a brewer, a previous chairman of the branch and now our webmaster has agreed to take on the task of collating the editorial and liaising with Capital Media. I hope you support him with news and articles.

Darlington Branch of CAMRA has over 300 members but the number prepared to lend a hand running the branch is a tiny proportion of this number. Branch meetings seldom attract numbers in double figures and our Branch Committee has, by and large, had the same members for years. There was a lot of disappointment when the Arts Centre closed and we decided not to have a Rhythm 'n' Brews Festival this autumn. We have been urged to find a new venue and we hope there will be a festival this spring, but we need people to come forward and help, especially some of you younger ones. It is sociable and you can do as much or as little as you feel able, but we really do need you.

Vron Burningham

End of Deceit By The Pump

Late in 2009 Heineken UK ceased production of cask John Smiths Magnet, but at the Travellers Rest in Cockerton, Darlington it was still apparently being sold. It transpired that this was the keg version, served via a hand pump. As the local branch of CAMRA, we contacted the pub's owner, Ashcroft Pollard, who stated, "We do not sell or purport to sell Magnet Cask, the customer has the choice how Magnet keg bitter is dispensed."

The issue was taken up with Darlington Council's Trading Standards who confirmed the pub was selling Magnet through 3 hand pumps and 2 electric pumps all connected to the same Magnet in the cellar. The advertising on each pump was identical. The Council added that the pub was free to dispense Magnet through whatever means they wished so long as they comply with the relevant weights and measures legislation.

The branch members' view was that many people may not have known that cask Magnet was no longer available, and if they saw a hand pump they would expect nothing other than cask ale to be served through such a device, therefore the customer was clearly being deceived.

Heineken, whose S&N subsidiary brew Magnet, were told of the situation and issued an unequivocal statement that "Heineken does not endorse this method of dispense" for the keg version.

When this practise was raised at a CAMRA Yorkshire Regional Meeting, it was found that one or two pubs in Yorkshire were carrying out the deception and this prompted "Magnetgate", as it became dubbed, to be passed onto CAMRA's national level.

We are delighted to say that in late July the new landlord of the Travellers Rest, Mr C Tosso, notified Darlington CAMRA that he was immediately ending the practice, which he too considered to be misleading, and that a real cask was taking its place on the bar alongside a second cask beer. This was confirmed after a visit from Peter Everett, branch chairman who had a long and fruitful conversation with him and finally put this issue to rest in our area.

John Magson

### Ship Inn Success

On the evening of Friday 28th September, members of Darlington and Durham CAMRA branches plus a large contingent of Cleveland CAMRA members assembled at the Ship Inn in High Hesleden, near Hartlepool along with pub regulars for the presentation of the CAMRA North East Pub of the Year for 2012.

Nominated by Cleveland Branch for the award, The Ship Inn beat competition from pubs in Durham, Newcastle, Sunderland Wylam and our entry, The Quakerhouse to win this prestigious award for the first time. The presentation to licensees Peter and Sheila Crosby was made by John Magson, CAMRA's Deputy North East Regional Director. John thanked them plus all their staff for their commitment in running the pub since taking over twelve years ago and for making it also the focus of the local community.

Sheila thanked all the staff and the regulars in a "well prepared" speech and said she and Peter were thrilled to win the award. Peter looks after the "beer" side of things offering a range of seven real ales while Sheila looks after the restaurant and one of her "famous" buffets on the night didn't disappoint !.

Peter also provided an excellent range of real ales which varied in strength to strength including Copper Dragon Golden Pippin and Hadrian & Border Tyneside Blonde at 3.9%, Durham White Amarillo at 4.0%, Consett Red Dust at 4.5%, Maxim Double Maxim at 4.7% through to Thornbridge Jaipur at 5.9%. Also available was another beer by Hadrian & Border, "Needles and Pins ... Ah !" at 4.2% which was brewed to celebrate the life of Norman Weatherburn, licensee of the Boathouse in Wylam who passed away in June. Ironically twice a previous winner of the North East Pub of the Year award, the Boathouse at Wylam was the runner up in this competition and it was a really nice touch to see this beer on the bar at the presentation night in Norman's memory.

The Ship Inn now goes forward to the next round of CAMRA's National Pub of the Year competition and our best wishes to go Peter, Sheila and all the staff at the Ship Inn for this.

Situated between the A19 at Castle Eden, site of the former brewery, and Blackhall just north of Hartlepool, The Ship Inn has accommodation in the form of six chalets and a self contained flat at the rear of the pub making it ideal for exploring the East Durham area and the coast, of which superb views can be seen from the beer garden. Why not stay there as a warm welcome, great beer range and excellent food are already guaranteed ?.

Ian Jackson

### Darlington CAMRA Beer Tent

Due to the closure of Darlington's Art Centre, our usual CAMRA autumn beer festival which usually ran in conjunction with the Rhythm 'n' Blues concert was cancelled.

We were approached by Darlington Borough Council and asked if we could run a beer tent during the town's Food Festival scheduled for mid August. This was discussed and it was agreed to have a beer tent on Saturday 18th and Sunday 19th August during the Darlington Food Festival.

We were able to rent two adjacent market stalls sited on High Row near Binns Department Store. Several members turned out on the Wednesday prior to the festival to furnish the stalls with bars and all the necessary equipment to accommodate six different real ales including chiller units, hand pumps and plastic glasses. All the beers were locally brewed with a carefully selected range and strengths. We opened to the public at 11am on both days and shut up shop at 5pm.

The Saturday was well attended and our location was close to street entertainment, which with all the sunny weather generated a steady stream of customers. Several branch members manned the hand pumps and customers were able to enjoy their real ales in the seated drinking area in the adjacent stall and view all the street entertainment.

Sunday dawned on a damp note and the rain steadily increased as the afternoon wore on. Due to the wet conditions the footfall on High Row was much reduced from the previous day, however we still attracted a few hardy drinkers until we closed at 5pm. We then dismantled all the equipment and the bars which were returned to storage for the next time.

We all agreed that it had been a good learning exercise and we would be in a position to do a better job on our next "Beer Tent" venture.

Bill Oliver

### Highest Number Of Breweries In The UK

CAMRA's Good Beer Guide is celebrating the perfect 40th anniversary as its research finds there are now more than 1,000 breweries (1,009) operational across the UK, the highest number for 70 years.

Exhaustively compiled by CAMRA's 143,000 members, this anniversary edition of the Good Beer Guide reports a shattering 158 breweries have opened up in the space of 12 months, the highest rate of new openings ever recorded in the guide's history.

Such an astonishing number is put into context when considering that 1,009 is five times more breweries than there were in operation 30 years ago, four times more than there were 20 years ago, and more than twice as many as there were a decade ago !.

Speaking about this monumental landmark coinciding with the Good Beer Guide's 40th anniversary, Roger Protz, Good Beer Guide editor said, "A double dip recession has done nothing to halt the incredible surge in the number of brewers coming on stream, making the small brewing sector surely one of the most remarkable UK industry success stories of the last decade. In fact, the boom in new breweries has, in many cases, made the term 'micro' obsolete, with some small brewers having some remarkably large, installing new equipment or doubling production to keep up with demand.

Beer drinkers in the present day are faced with an enormous variety and choice like never seen before on these shores. Whilst historically there were more breweries in the UK pre-1930s, the distribution and communication networks of the modern day mean that real ale has never been so accessible to consumers, or to pubs wanting to meet demand for serving locally produced beer.

As a ratio there is now just under one brewery for every 50 pubs in the UK, so for certain pubs who are struggling in the current climate, there is a big opportunity to tap into this exciting market and work with a local brewery. In many cases, a pub serving quality real ale at the bar is an indicator of quality in other areas of the business, and this is apparent with the 4,500 outstanding pubs that are listed in the Good Beer Guide's 40th anniversary edition.'

The nation's 1,009 breweries are comprehensively featured in CAMRA's Good Beer Guide 2013, jointly sponsored by industry bodies Cask Marque and SIBA (Society of Independent Brewers).

The Good Beer Guide 2013 is available now from all good retailers and also from the CAMRA shop by visiting [www.camra.org.uk/shop](http://www.camra.org.uk/shop), where it is priced £10 for CAMRA members and £12.99 for non-members.

Save Our Pubs E-Petition

Thank you !. 100,000 signatures - a fantastic achievement in the campaign to scrap the beer duty escalator. The next step is a CAMRA mass lobby of parliament. Join us on Wednesday 12th December to tell your MP to show their support for your local pub.

Today marks an exciting achievement for CAMRA as we gain our 100,000th signature on the e-petition calling for an end to the beer duty escalator. Thank you to all those who signed the petition and took part in the campaign. The enthusiasm and hard work from so many of our members has meant that we are only the 12th e-petition to reach the 100,000 milestone. This will help us secure a high profile Parliamentary debate.

If you haven't yet signed then you still can - why not help us become the largest e-petition on the site !. It's vital we keep the pressure up with just six months to go until the next budget. So please consider joining us on CAMRA's Save Your Pint mass lobby on Wednesday 12th December - you don't need to be a seasoned campaigner, we will support you all the way.

With 12 pubs still closing every week the lobby day comes at a critical time for the future of the pub. I look forward to meeting you at Westminster alongside hundreds of your fellow CAMRA members from across the UK.

It is hoped that as many members as possible from the North East will travel to London to support the mass lobby on 12th December. If you are intending to join in, please register on the CAMRA website. There is a possibility that transport will be organised from the North East and if you would be interested in this, please let us know preferably via the CAMRA website by clicking [here](#).

Cheers !

Colin Valentine (CAMRA National Chair, 20th September 2012)

What Pub Is Now Live For All CAMRA Members

CAMRA is pleased to launch its new pub website "WhatPub" to all members of the campaign. The website is the product of thousands of volunteers visiting pubs, adding content and developing the site over a two year period.

The "WhatPub" website aims to become the best, more comprehensive online pub listing which all pub lovers can use and enjoy. At present there are more than 21,000 pubs listed on this site but we need your help to ensure these listings are as complete and accurate as possible.

We realise that this is only the end of the beginning for "WhatPub". We know that we must continue to develop and improve the site and with the help and support of members like you we can make this the best pub website in Britain.

How you can view and review ... Logging in to WhatPub

Visit [whatpub.com](http://whatpub.com) and log in with either:

- The same details you use to visit the Members Area of CAMRA's national website.
- If you have not visited the Members Area website before, then please try your CAMRA membership number (which will be six digits - if it is less, please use the leading zeros eg. 001234) and postcode when you joined the Campaign (in upper case, no spaces eg. AL44LW).
- If none of these seem to be working, please email [marketing@camra.org.uk](mailto:marketing@camra.org.uk) with an email entitled "Membership Password for WhatPub", our membership number and we will get back to you.

Submitting & Editing Pub Data

- Enter a pub that you would like to view in the search field - pubs can be searched by pub name, town, station, postcode etc.
- If information is missing, or you feel it needs improving/updating then click on the red button "Add/Edit Details" at the top right hand of the page.
- You will be taken to a Pub Feedback for that will allow you to submit additional information and recommend changes.
- This information will be sent to the appropriate CAMRA branch and updated. Please be patient as these branch officials are volunteers and will try their best to update the site with your suggestions as soon as they can.

- If you cannot find a pub that you wish to view/review this is because it has not yet been entered on to the system by the local branch. Only pubs that have been listed by your branch can be viewed and edited. If you like to offer help to your local branch or want to check if your branch is participating then visit [www.camra.org.uk/branches](http://www.camra.org.uk/branches) and get in touch.
- If there is not an “Add/Edit Details” option on the pub that you have searched for then this is because the CAMRA branch that manages this data has yet to agree that they have the resources to manage any updates/changes. Again visit [www.camra.org.uk/branches](http://www.camra.org.uk/branches) if you would like to contact your local branch on this matter.
- Enjoy !. We hope you will enjoy using “WhatPub” and we look forward to your help in developing the site. Once we are happy we have the best pub website in Britain we will launch to the public but for the time being this is for members only.

### The Lost Beers & Breweries Of Britain

Some eighty breweries from all around Britain, from Tetley’s Brewery in Leeds to Joule’s in Staffordshire and William Hancock of South Wales, and from Chancellor Ale of Oxford to Disher’s Ten Guinea Ale of Edinburgh. Lavishly illustrated with everything from photographs and adverts to beer mats and bottle labels - demonstrating the fine art of selling beer.

You never forget your first beer. Whether you pucker up your face in disgust at the bitter taste, or gulp with increasing pressure, it’s a rite of passage that all experience. The golden moment comes when you discover a drop that really tickles the taste buds, and the memory, like that of a lover’s kiss, will bring on a smile later.

Certain brands define an area, such as the famous Courage brew of Barnsley, Yorkshire or Boddingtons Bitter for Manchester and the Pennines. When breweries are lost, gaping gaps are left in the markets, and local emotions are touched to the extent that closures can spark protests of thousands.

Brian Glover provides a nostalgic look at the breweries which have vanished, packed with colourful illustrations showing the fine art of selling beer. It’s a rare chance to drink in the past.

A nostalgic look at British Beers and breweries which have gone - but are far from forgotten (£15.99)

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Didn’t We Do Well !

Results of CAMRA's North East Club of the Year and North East Pub of the Year have been revealed and branch wise, "Didn't we do well !".

Darlington Snooker Club has once again triumphed in CAMRA's North East Club of the Year winning the award for 2012. The club situated on the corner of Northgate and Corporation Road held off competition from Chester le street Cricket Club in Chester le street, the Comrades Club in Haltwhistle, Jesmond Cricket Club in Newcastle and Ashbrooke Sports Club in Sunderland to take the award for the eighth time.

Snooker Club proprietor Peter Everett was described to be 'buzzing' on winning the award while he was pulling pints in Darlington CAMRA's Real Ale Tent at the Darlington Summer Spectacular in the town's High Row. A presentation will be made in the near future, meanwhile our congratulations go to Peter and all the staff on winning the award - again !.

In the CAMRA North East Pub of Year competition, it was another branch success as the Quakerhouse in Mechanics Yard managed to achieve third overall and was beaten only by last year's winner The Boathouse at Wylam and the overall winner which was The Ship at High Hesleden just north of Hartlepool. Again, an award presentation for 'taking bronze' will be taking place in the near future and our congratulations go to Brian, Garry and all the staff at the Quakerhouse on being the third best CAMRA real ale pub in the North East - well done !.

Castle Players Get A Special Brew !

Local community theatre group "The Castle Players" were born during a power cut when a game of charades ensued in The Old Well Inn in Barnard Castle many years ago. Therefore having fun and a beer has always been linked to the group.

They asked local brewer Pete Fenwick of Mithril Ales if he could brew something up especially for them to celebrate this connection and to coincide with this year's summer production of Shakespeare's "As You Like It", which was staged in the grounds of the Bowes Museum from Tuesday 10th to Saturday 14th July 2012.

They were delighted with his response, as he suggested he could produce a special beer named "The Castle Players Ale, Beer As You Like It". Having come up with a unique recipe, Pete also invited a few of the cast to the brewery in nearby Aldbrough St John to help make the brew.

The beer was available for a limited time in pubs around Teesdale and Darlington, and course the Old Well Inn !.

The Crafty Pint

The Crafty Pint, opening in Darlington Indoor Market this month is the brain-child of long time real ale scholars John Anderson and Dave Walker. Its mission is simple - to source and supply the best in bottled beers with an emphasis on small regional breweries. What drives this vision is the gap left in the market left by the chains, who are largely reliant on volume sales of the common, mass produced brands.

Most of the stock at The Crafty Pint comes direct from independent brewers rather than wholesalers, and ale drinkers will be able to enjoy bottled beers that you just won't find anywhere else - or at least are rarer than speckled hen's teeth !. Indeed some lines and "one offs" will be brewed by selected micros, especially for bottling under The Crafty Pint name.

Further information can be found at [www.thecraftypint.co.uk](http://www.thecraftypint.co.uk)

Branch Members Tie The Knot

Darlington CAMRA Branch members Sandra Simpson and David Wilkinson tied the knot on Saturday 1stt September.

The service took place at Startforth Holy Trinity Church in Startforth near Barnard Castle and was attended by many family and friends including branch members. Following the service the reception was held The Grand in Bishop Auckland, which is run by Sandra and Dave. Amongst the real ales on the bar included ones brewed by Just A Minute brewery and Mithril Ales especially for the event.

The newlyweds headed off on honeymoon to Mexico for a few weeks and Darlington CAMRA sends its best wishes to the new Mr and Mrs Wilkinson.

Real Ale Guide Updates In & Around Darlington

#### COUNTY DURHAM

##### ARLINGTON

- Bay Horse, Middridge. Tel 01325 312653.  
Marstons Burton Bitter, Wychwood Hobgoblin, 1 guest. Open 11.30-11 Mon-Sat, 11.30-10.30 Sun

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- Bowes Club, Bowes. Tel 01325 722228.  
Now open 7-11 Mon, 8-11 Tue-Fri, 5-11 Sat, 4-10.30

##### ARLINGTON

- Carlbury Arms, Piercebridge.  
Pub Closed
- Comet, Hurworth Place. Tel 01325 722228.  
3 Guests. Open 11.30-2.30 Tue-Fri, 5.30-11 Mon-Fri, 12-late Sat-Sun
- Fighting Cocks, Middleton St George. Tel 01325 335253.  
Black Sheep Best Bitter, Shepherd Neame Spitfire. Open 10-11 Mon-Sun
- Lord Nelson, Gainford. Tel 01325 733233.  
Serves food Sunday lunch only
- Oak Tree, Newton Aycliffe. Tel 01325 788646.  
Jennings Bitter, 1 guest. Open 12-11 Mon-Sun
- Royal Telegraph, Aycliffe Village. Tel 01325 313155.  
Camerons Strongarm. Open 4-12 Mon-Thu, 11-12 Fri- Sun
- Turbinia, Newton Aycliffe. Tel 01325 313034.  
Shepherd Neame Spitfire. Open 12-12 Sun-Thu, 12-1am Fri- Sat
- Walworth Castle (Farmers Bar), Walworth. Tel 01325 485470.  
Theakstons Best Bitter. Open 12-11 Mon-Sun

## DARLINGTON TOWN CENTRE

### DARLINGTON

- The Voodoo Cafe, Skinnergate now has 2 guest beers
- Vesuvio, Houndgate now has 1 guest beer

### NORTH YORKSHIRE

- A66 Motel, Smallways. Tel 01833 627334  
1 guest. Open 11-late Mon-Sat, 12-10.30 Sun
- Duke of Wellington, Welbury. Tel 01609 882464.  
3-5 guests. Open 4-11 Mon-Thu, 12-11 Fri-Sun
- Horseshoe Inn, West Rounton. Tel 01609 882176.  
2 guests. Open 6-11 Mon-Sat, 12-11 Sun
- White Swan, Gilling West.  
Pub Closed

### TEESDALE

- Black Horse, Barnard Castle.  
Pub closed
  - Black Swan, Staindrop.  
Pub closed
  - Pub closed
  - Bridgewater Arms, Winston. Tel 01833 730302  
Greene King Old Speckled Hen, Taylor Landlord, 1 guest. Open 12-2.30 & 6-11 Tue-Sat
  - Cafe 1618, Middleton in Teesdale. Tel 01833 643000  
Caledonian Deuchars IPA, 1 guest (up to 5 in summer). Open 11-11 Sun-Thu, 11-12 Fri-Sat
- Sat
- Morritt, Greta Bridge. Tel 01833 627232  
Beers should read Taylor Landlord, Thwaites Major Morrit (house beer).
  - Oak Tree, Hutton Magna. Tel 01833 627371  
Wells Bombardier, 1 guest. Open 6-11 Tues-Sat, 7-10.30 Sun
  - Sun Inn, Wackerfield. Tel 01833 718205  
Copper Dragon Best Bitter, Courage Directors, John Smiths Bitter, 1 guest. Open 11-3 & 5-11 Mon-Sun

### News & Events

#### YORKSHIRE PUB OF THE YEAR 2012 RESULTS:

1. Kelham Island Tavern in Sheffield
2. Jemmy Hirst at Rawcliffe
3. No 7 in Barnsley and The Old Cock in Otley
  
5. The Crown at Manfield

#### YORKSHIRE CLUB OF THE YEAR 2012 RESULTS:

1. Wakefield Labour (The Red Shed) in Wakefield
2. Guiseley Factory Workers Club at Guiseley

The Hack & Spade at Whashton, near Kirby Hill has reopened but is currently not selling real ale.

#### QUAKER TOURS:

##### SATURDAY 17TH NOVEMBER:

Sheffield Pub Crawl to Kelham Island and "The Valley of Beer"  
Depart Dolphin Centre (Feethams) at 9am, £15 per person  
One hour "comfort stop" at Wetherby on the way back

##### SATURDAY 15TH DECEMBER:

Suddaby's Beer Festival at The Crown Hotel in Malton  
Depart Dolphin Centre (Feethams) at 9.30am, £15 per person  
One hour "comfort stop" at Helmsley on the way back

All tours arrive back in Houndgate, Darlington no later than 7.45pm. Gordon Pentland and John Reed hope to see faces old and new on our "not for profit" social outings. If you are interested on going on any of the above trips, please contact John Reed via email at [john.reed263@ntlworld.com](mailto:john.reed263@ntlworld.com) or see either Gordon or John at the Quakerhouse.

#### Annual General Meeting & Members' Weekend 2013

The next AGM and CAMRA Members' Weekend will be taking place at St Andrews Hall in Norwich from 19th to the 21st of April.

Norwich is a beautiful city packed with medieval buildings and quality pubs including 2012 pubs Take 5 and The Vine. The city is also home to four breweries, plus there are another twenty within the surrounding area, many of whom will be providing their beer for the Members' Bar. To whet your appetite branch member Ian Jackson visited Norwich in August 2011, click [here](#) to read a review of his trip in "Away Days".

It is free to attend conference. The only thing you will need to pay for is your travel and accommodation, and perhaps some money for a few reasonably priced drinks from the Members' Bar.

The event takes place at: The Halls, St Andrews Plain, Norwich, Norfolk NR3 1AU. For further information contact CAMRA on 01727 867201 or via email at [camra@camra.org.uk](mailto:camra@camra.org.uk)

#### Branch Diary:

##### NOVEMBER

Tuesday 6th: Branch Meeting Quakerhouse, Mechanics Yard, Darlington 7.30pm

Friday 9th: 2nd County Durham Pubs Surveying Trip.

Going to Sadberge x 2, Morton Palms, Creebeck, Hurworth and Hurworth Place. 7pm from Feethams.

## DECEMBER

Tuesday 4th: Branch Meeting Cricket Club, Feethams South, Darlington 7.45pm

Friday 7th: 3rd County Durham Pubs Surveying Trip.

Going to Middridge, Newton Aycliffe x 3, Coatham Mundeville and Preston-le-skerne. 7pm from Feethams.

Thursday 28th: Christmas Social Darlington Snooker Club, Corporation Road. 7.30pm onwards.

## JANUARY

Tuesday 8th: Branch Meeting Travellers Rest, West Auckland Road, Cockerton, Darlington 7.30pm

Friday 11th: 1st North Yorkshire Pubs Surveying Trip.

Area and pubs to be confirmed. 7pm from Feethams.

All trips leave from round the corner from the Dolphin Centre and return there. Trips are open to CAMRA members and non members. Visitors and new members are always made welcome.

For details of all trips please call Pete Fenwick on 01325 374817 or 07889 167128

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