








Sussex CAMRA Branches Beer Cider Festival 2012 - The Sussex LocALE Bar Beer List

The symbol to the left of the Beer Name denotes Beer Type:

 Bitter under 5% ABV	 Bitter 5% ABV and above	 Mild	 Golden Ale
 Old, Stout or Porter	 Barley Wine/Strong Ale	 Unusual	


The following list was accurate when the programme was printed, but there may be some late additions or alterations. Please see the Amendment Board at the entrance to each of the halls for details of any changes.


NB The tasting notes are not official CAMRA tasting notes


SUSSEX BEERS

Downstairs in the Sussex LocALE bar

1648 BREWERY East Hoathly, East Sussex


 Gold Angel (5.0% ABV)
This medium-bodied golden ale has a light malt and citrus hop character.

 Ruby Mild (3.6% ABV)
It is exactly what it is; Ruby and Mild with a dry edge.


 Signature (4.4% ABV)
*Very pale, light, crisply refreshing ale with a bitter aftertaste.
It was launched at this beer festival in 2004.*


 Triple Champion (4.0% ABV)
This chestnut-coloured traditional English ale is deeply flavoured and full-bodied.

ADUR BREWERY CO-OPERATIVE Steyning, West Sussex


 Black William (5.0% ABV)
This is a rich black stout with chocolate aromas and roasted flavours.

ANCHOR SPRING Littlehampton, West Sussex

 Black Pearl (5.2% ABV)
A dark, powerful old English porter with cinnamon sticks added to the boil.

 Mild (3.8% ABV)
A fruity, full-bodied version of the style with chocolate notes and a hint of liquorice in a lingering finish.

ARUNDEL Ford, West Sussex


 ASB [Arundel Special Bitter] (4.5% ABV)
A special bitter with a complex roast malt flavour leading to a fruity, hoppy, bitter-sweet finish.

 Black Stallion (3.7% ABV)

A dark mild with strong chocolate and roast aromas, which lead to a bitter taste. Slight aftertaste where the initial flavours remain in the dry clean finish.


 Prize Fighter (4.6% ABV)

A chestnut-coloured ale with a refreshing bitter flavour and hoppy aroma produced by East Kent Golding and Fuggle hops.

 Trident (5.0% ABV)

This amber-coloured strong bitter has a citrus, fruity aroma. The taste is clean and refreshing with a hoppy, fruity flavour and a pleasant dry bitter finish.

BALLARDS Nyewood, West Sussex

 Golden Bine (3.8% ABV)


A lovely golden yellow beer with floral lemon fragrance and soft citrus flavours and a sharp dry finish. Brewed with Pearl malt and a touch of wheat, combined with Golding and Fuggle hops.

 Meltdown (7.4% ABV)


The current Old Bounder beer; it is sweet, rich and honeyed, you might even pick up a touch of marmite.

 Nyewood Gold (5.0% ABV)

Robust golden brown strong bitter very hoppy and fruity throughout with a tasty balanced finish.

 Wassail (6.0% ABV)

A strong, full-bodied, tawny-red beer with a predominance of malt throughout, but also an underlying hoppiness.

 Wild (4.7% ABV)

This is a brewery blend of Mild and the 6% ABV Wassail - hence the name.

BEACHY HEAD East Dean, East Sussex

 Parson Darby's Hole (4.0% ABV)

Dark brown/black in colour; this is named after the man who excavated a refuge for sailors near Belle Tout, complete with "rooms" a chimney and lights.

 South Downs Ale (4.4% ABV)

This pale bitter ale has sweet bitterness and floral characteristics. Well-balanced ale produced using malted barley and hop flowers.


DARK STAR Partridge Green, West Sussex

 American Pale Ale (4.7% ABV)

An American yeast strain along with Cascade, Centennial and Chinook hops are used in the recipe for this golden, dry, seriously hoppy beer.

 Hophead (3.8% ABV)

A golden coloured bitter with a fruity/hoppy aroma and a citrus/bitter taste and aftertaste. Flavours remain strong to the end.

 Festival (5.0% ABV)

A chestnut bronze coloured bitter with a smooth mouth-feel and freshness. A classic style strong bitter brewed as our version of King & Barnes Festive.

 Revelation (5.7% ABV)

A blend of Centennial, Liberty, Cascade, and Citra aroma hops by the sack full then dry hopped during conditioning using the bespoke 'Hoptimizer'.

 Rye and Juniper Hop Back (5.2% ABV)

No, it's not a New York deli sandwich! It started with an idea adopted from the traditional Finnish Sahti beer, with its characteristic juniper flavour... but then married with noble hop varieties.

FALLEN ANGEL East Hoathly, East Sussex

Gamekeepers Bitter (4.1% ABV)

A mid-amber coloured bitter with moderate malt and hop notes.

Gardeners Delight (4.2% ABV)

This is now a light refreshing beer with a soft gently hoppy taste.


FILO The First In Last Out, Hastings, East Sussex

 Cardinal's Sussex Porter (4.6% ABV)

A classic black porter generously brewed with chocolate malt and roasted barley to leave a smooth deep flavour.


Churches Pale Ale (4.2% ABV)

A superb pale refreshing and hoppy ale with long spicy flavours. Deliciously moreish and easy drinking.

 Ginger (4.6% ABV)

Light coloured ale infused with organic ginger that adds to hint of lemon from the classic Bohemian Bobek hop, a prize winning combination.

FRANKLINS Bexhill-on-Sea, East Sussex


 Conqueror (5.1% ABV)

A richly flavoured smooth beer, with 3 hops, a surprising fruity bite, and a hint of caramel.


EXP (4.2% ABV)

A crisp English amber bitter, rich in flowery aroma with a nice dry finish and a harmony of malty sweetness & bitterness.


GRIBBLE The Gribble Inn, Oving, West Sussex

 Black Adder 2 (5.6% ABV)

A combination of a mild and a porter. Brewed from a 19th century London recipe using the finest grain; smooth on the palate.

 Pig's Ear (6.1% ABV)

A full bodied 'Old Ale' with a rich ruby brown colour. This ale has a great balance sweetness with a toffee caramel finish

 Reg's Tipple (4.8% ABV)

Named after a customer from the early days of the Gribble; A traditional beer, with a dark copper red tone. a nutty flavour and a sweet, mouth filling aftertaste.

HAMMERPOT Hammerpot, West Sussex


 Bottle Wreck Porter (4.7% ABV)

A traditional black porter with chocolate, coffee and rich roast malt flavours of which warm your cockles!

 Madgwick Gold (5.0% ABV)

A golden ale with a fresh citrus / spice hop flavour and nose. Very drinkable with a refreshing thirst quenching finish.


HARVEYS Lewes, East Sussex

 1859 Porter (4.8% ABV)

This is brewed to a 1859 recipe, coffee and hop notes are dominant in the taste and the long finish.

 Christmas Ale (7.5% ABV)

A strong ale; heavily hopped, dark and brewed to a strength similar to the beers produced by the Tudor brewers in the time of Queen Elizabeth 1

 Elizabethan (8.1% ABV)

Originally brewed to mark the Queen's Coronation in 1953, this prize winning golden barley wine proved so popular that it has been brewed ever since.

 Hope of Hove (6.5% ABV)

This is an extremely hoppy East India Ale; based on Star of Eastbourne recipe.

 Lewes Castle Brown Ale (4.8% ABV)

A full malty "Brown Ale" with a creamy head. Mild hop notes with a lingering biscuity sweet palate provide coffee and liquorice notes. It has a bitter-sweet finish.

 Sussex XX Mild Ale (3.0% ABV)

Dark copper-brown in colour; roast malt dominates the aroma and palate leading to a sweet caramel finish.

HASTINGS BREWERY Hastings, East Sussex

 Hastings Blonde (3.7% ABV)

This brew uses Cascade hops, pale and crystal malts with elderflower added.

 HPA [Hastings Pale Ale] (4.7% ABV)

This is an IPA brewed with 5 different hop varieties.

 Hastings Porter (4.5% ABV)

This is a brand new beer; the first brew taking place as these notes are written.

HEPWORTH Horsham, West Sussex

 Classic Old Ale (4.5% ABV)

Dark and malty with a balanced bitterness; brewed with a variety of roasted malts balanced with luscious sweetness and the bitterness of Admiral hops.


 Dark Horse (3.8% ABV)

This beer is a delicious mild with crystal & chocolate malt tones.


 Traditional Sussex Bitter (3.6% ABV)

A fine clean-tasting amber session beer. A pleasant fruity and hoppy aroma that leads to a crisp, tangy taste. A long dry finish.

KING Horsham, West Sussex

 Brighton Best (4.0% ABV)

Colour is light to golden amber. The aroma is complex blend of floral hops and malts. The mouth feels clean and well balanced with a lingering after palate.


 Cascade (4.2% ABV)

A pale golden ale bordering on orange colour; the aroma has citrus with grapefruit prominent. The flavour is wonderfully balanced bitter with a crisp, clean aftertaste.

 Kings Old Ale (4.5% ABV)

This award winning beer is brewed with a complex blend of dark malts and malted wheat, with bitterness derived from choicest Kent Hops. The beer has a slightly smoky aroma and a smooth velvety flavour; a classic dark ale.

KISSINGATE Lower Beeding, West Sussex

 Best (4.0% ABV)

A glorious chestnut coloured ale. Pleasant fruity notes with a slightly dryer finish. Gentle and gathering bitterness derived from Cascade hopping. Proceeds from the sale of this cask are being donated to the festival charity Leo House.

 Chennai IPA (5.0% ABV)

Powerful flavours of pale and amber malts are balanced with the resinous bitterness and herbal characteristics of Amarillo and Cascade hops.

■ Mary's Ruby Mild (6.5% ABV)

This is an award winning, silky smooth ale. Full of aroma and character with a Port like 'nose'. Lightly hopped but certainly not weak. Treat with the greatest respect.

■ Smelter's Stout (5.1% ABV)

A deep and rich traditional stout. Notes of dark chocolate derived from black and amber malts. Bitter sweet finish with a hint of wood smoke. Dark and gorgeous!

LANGHAM Lodsworth, West Sussex

■ Hip Hop (4.0% ABV)

A classic blonde beer; clean and crisp. The nose is loaded with floral hop, while the pale malt flavour has a pleasing dry and bitter finish.

■ Langham Special Draught [LSD] (5.2% ABV)

An auburn beer with rich, complex flavours and a deep red glow. Sweet maltiness is balanced with spicy hop aromas and a dry finish.

■ Triple XXX (4.4% ABV)

Dark, chocolate malty winter ale with smooth hopping for a slightly sweeter taste.

PIN-UP Brighton & Hove

(Brewed under contract in Essex)

■ Milk Stout (4.5% ABV)

A luscious Milk Stout, brewed using milk sugars (Lactose).

■ Natural Blonde (3.8% ABV)

Stunning citrus aroma, full in hops and flavour.

RECTORY Streat, East Sussex

■ Diamond Jubilee Ale (6.0% ABV)

This strong bitter celebrates both Her Majesty the Queen's Diamond Jubilee and Godfrey Broster's (the brewer) 60th year.

■ Old Ale (5.0% ABV)

This is a traditional dark old ale, not as sweet as many old ales and with a dry aftertaste.

ROTHER VALLEY Northiam, East Sussex

■ Chocolate Porter (4.2% ABV)

A dark brew where the traditional hoppiness is offset by the sweet notes of the chocolate malt flavours.

□ Hopper's Ale (4.4% ABV)

A copper-coloured ale; the initial burst of hop is followed by a pleasant caramael taste.

Smild (3.8% ABV)

A full-bodied, dark, creamy mild with hints of chocolate.

SOUTH DOWNS, Small Dole, West Sussex

(Brewed under contract by Kent Brewery)

New Brew (3.7% ABV)

The latest brew; light and hoppy, awaiting an official name.

Devils Dyke Porter (5.0% ABV)

Dark and rounded, packed full of chocolate and caramel flavours with a hint of marmalade.

WELTONS Horsham, West Sussex

Headless Horseman (6.0% ABV)

A deep brown Oatmeal stout dark & sinister, strong & scary. Full of burnt flavours tempered by the oats.

Jagerblind (5.4% ABV)

A full-on American Pale Ale; golden coloured, bitter with a citrus twist and aromatic from being dry-hopped.

Triple Crown (4.2% ABV)

An amber coloured beer brewed with 3 different malts and 3 hop varieties from 3 different countries.