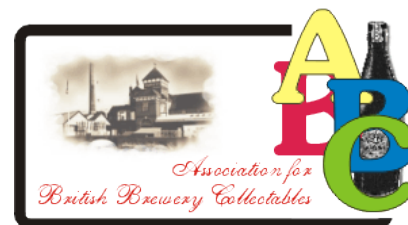


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BREWERIANA NEWS.

If you know of any developments relating to breweriana, please [let 'Beer Memorabilia' know](#), so that your information can be shared with other members.



Harvey's has announced that it is to brew keg beer, and to start canning. Three beers are to be canned in the first instance, Gold Bier, Malt Brown, and the familiar Sussex Best.

Birmingham Brewing Company is a new micro brewery. Its first two beers are Pale Brummie and Bitter Brummie, in cask and cans. Stout Brummie and India Pale Brummie are due out soon.

Brinkburn Street Brewery has bottled Canny Sculler to commemorate the life of Harry Clasper, a world rowing champion.

Heineken has entered the craft beer market using the Maltsmiths Brewing brand, brewed in Caledonian Brewery, Edinburgh. These are available in keg, bottle and can, and include Pilsner and IPA. Heineken describes the beers as craft beer for non-craft beer drinkers.

Dawkins has done Amber on draught to commemorate the Six Nations. They have also produced Albion Vintage at £20 a bottle. Only 25, 750ml bottles have been done. These are available by e-mailing glendawkins@gmail.com, and naming the Dawkins pub you wish to collect the bottle from (if they aren't already sold out). Incidentally, I understand their

Friese-Greene Ale is still available in bottle, produced in honour of William Friese-Greene, a Bristol photographer.

Everards has done Tighthead on draught to commemorate the Six Nations.

Belhaven (i.e., Greene King) has done Grand Slam for the Six Nations.

St. Austell has announced its next issue of small batch beers. They are Hop in the Dock, Divine Inspiration, the Fifth Amendment, Drayman's Reserve, Target the Market, Rye the Long Face, Skipper (a collaboration with Harpoon Brewery, Boston), Hop over the Pond and Don't be so Pacific. These are usually available on draught and in bottle.

Wylam Brewery has done 3,000 gyles from home, their 3,000th brew, in cask.

Darwin Brewery had a special New Bridge Pale Ale brewed by Brewlab students in honour of the New Wear Crossing over the River Wear, which was put on sale in cask at a special do, to celebrate the 208th birthday of Charles Darwin.

Sambrook's Brewery, Battersea, is producing Flying Vinyl own label beer. This will be available at the Flying Vinyl Festival on 8th April 2017 at Oval Space, Bethnal Green, London. They haven't said if it's in cask, keg or bottle form. Incidentally, Flying Vinyl produces monthly boxes of 7" vinyl records (usually 5 of them) from up and coming bands.

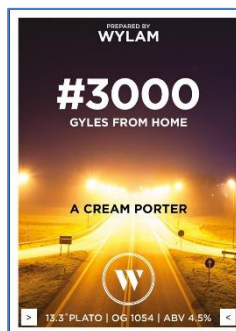
Brick Brewery has done Peckham Pils (one of their regulars) in a specially packaged form, in a can which is shrink wrapped. They are publicising this as their 223rd brew. Brick Brewery states "Why 223rd? Well by the time we thought of the idea we had already bypassed 200 and we simply couldn't wait to 250!"

Traquair House Spring Ale in bottle is now being stocked in Aldi.

The Brewshack at Wimborne has done a bottle called Trail Ale for the Maverick running race.

The Chiltern Brewery has made a new limited edition bottled ale - the Prides of Bucks and Berks - where 5p of every pint sold will go to the charity Horatio's Garden.

Hobson's bottled Old Prickly has been designated beer of the inaugural Shrewsbury Comedy Festival in July. Expect a special label for the event.



AUCTIONS



A John Barras & Co, Bath Lane Brewery, Newcastle, Advertising sign, on board, 28" x 20¼" was sold at auction for £280.00, plus extras like buyer's premium at 18%. This was sold by Bourne End Auction Rooms on 1st March. This item looks to be in good condition, and is not one of the reproduction items done recently.



A New Westminster Brewery Doulton match striker sold on E-bay for £199.50. The New Westminster Brewery Co. Ltd., was registered in

1873, and taken over by the Lion Brewery in 1914. This dates the item to between those dates, but even so it was in excellent condition.

A Russells Gravesend Brewery postcard sold for £37.00 on E-bay. Those who know me, know I collect Russells Shrimp Brand items, but I wouldn't have paid that for this item. Nonetheless, it's a choice item, and somebody has done well to win this.



EVENTS

Thanks for your suggestions for a venue for an ABBC meeting in September. Our Chairman is currently discussing your suggestions and a venue will be announced shortly.

If your organisation has a breweriana event coming up, I can list it here. Just [e-mail me](#) with the details.

Association for British Brewery Collectables Meetings

Saturday 6th May 2017. Association for British Brewery Collectables meeting at [Barley Mow](#), 39 Barton Road, St Philips, Bristol, [BS2 0LF](#), from 11:30.

Other breweriana meetings of interest

13th – 19th March. London Beer Week. A chance of plenty of new point of sale material.

24th March 2017. 11:00 am. Brewery History Society. Pope's Yard Brewery, Unit B5b, 477-479 Whippendell Road, Watford, WD18 7PU.

25th March 2017. British Brewery Playing Card Society, at the Coseley Working Mens Club, 57 Ivyhouse Lane, Coseley, Bilston, [WV14 9JH](#). Meeting starts at midday.

31st March to 1st April 2017. [X International Breweriana Collectors Meeting](#) in Minsk, Belarus. 6th floor, 22 Kuibysheva Street, Minsk (Art-space "Verkh"), Time: 8:00 - 16:00. Don't forget, you probably still need a visa which costs a lot. I know from bitter experience!

7th April 2017, 11:00 am. Brewery History Society. Phipps NBC, the Albion Brewery, 54 Kingswell Street, Northampton, NN1 1PR.

8th April, 2017. The British Brewery Playing Card Society will be holding their umpteenth breweriana and brewery playing card collectors meeting at the Good Beer Guide listed Coalheavers Arms, 5 Park Street, Peterborough, PE2 9BH. Directions at www.individualpubs.co.uk/coalheavers/where.html. The action starts at 12:00 hrs and there will be on sale a selection of their stock acquired over the last year including beermats, brewery playing cards, pump clips, glasses, etc. Peterborough has now four micro pubs, i.e. the Bumble Inn, The Stoneworks, Puzzles and the Frothblowers, so make a day of it and "do the rounds". For further details contact Maxine on 01733 239585 or email maxinechantry@virginmedia.com. Bring along those items you want to sell or exchange. No table booking necessary.



The Coalheavers Arms

15th April 2017. Brewery History Society. Wigan, NW Region, Martland Mill Brewery's Tap n Barrel. Topic: What's in a cask? Dave Sweeney.

13th May 2017. Brewery History Society. Southwark walk, starting at Southwark Bridge. Details from [Ken Smith](#).

19th-21st May 2017. Tychy, Poland. 3rd [Brewery Collectables World Convention](#).

25th May to 4th June 2017. Norwich City of Ale 2017.

19th-25th June. Nottingham Craft Beer Week.

15th July 2017, Saturday, 11.00am. BHS North-West Regional Meeting: "CAMRA and Me." (John Ingham) - Bowland Brewery, Holmes Mill, Greenacre Street, Clitheroe BB7 1EB.

21st October, Saturday. National Breweriana Auction at Burton Town Hall, doors open at 11:00. Auction starts at 12:00.

BOOKS

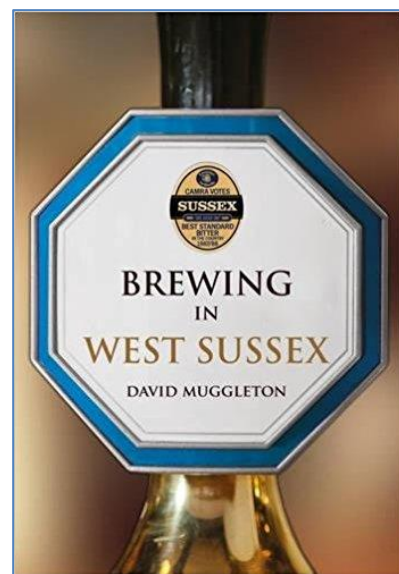
The Beer Review Logbook (Rate and Record Your Favorite Brews) Hardcover. Peter Pauper Press. ISBN-10: 1441322620, ISBN-13: 978-1441322623. £7.99. 144 pages. An ideal item for recording beers you have tasted, for those who collect details of beers they have drunk.

Craft Beer Notebook: a journal for beer tasting or brewing. Paperback. Montpelier Publishing, £3.99. ISBN-10: 1543102220, ISBN-13: 978-1543102222. 60 pages. As above, but for craft beers.

Hold My Beer I Need Another One: Journal Notebook for Men. 108 lined Pages (diary, notebook, journal) published by CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform. Paperback, £6.97. ISBN-10: 1544032226, ISBN-13: 978-1544032221. Another of the above!

Notebook – Beer. £5.99. Published by CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform. ISBN-10: 1543286275, ISBN-13: 978-1543286274. Yet another!

Brewing in West Sussex by David Muggleton. Amberley, 96 pages, £13.48. ISBN-10: 1445657252, ISBN-13: 978-1445657257. Another title in Amberley's excellent series on pubs and brewery history.



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David Taylor seeks old beer bottle labels, single or collections considered. Contact Dave in Wimborne, on 01202 980 299 or david.deraled@talktalk.net

Alan Gardner, 2 Kellet Court, Fairfield Road, Lancaster, LA1 5NP, has a run of the Association for British Brewery Collectables magazine, What's Bottling, no. 1, March 1984, to no. 160, Summer 2016, plus four crates of full bottled beers, mainly 1977 Jubilee, all in good condition. To be collected by the new owner. If you want to donate money to my charity event you are welcome. 01524 66679. Sorry, no e-mail. Post or phone only.

Rich Monte in the USA, is looking for any rare Bass items. Especially interested in ceramic coasters, signs, pitchers (jugs), etc. In fact, anything rare. Good prices paid. E-mail hr4378@aol.com.

Tony Krasij in Kent is looking for Tennents, Double Diamond, McEwans Export and Heineken bar fonts from the 70s and 80s. Tel 01634 371 157, Mobile 07762 252 819. tonykrasij@outlook.com.

AND FINALLY...



A story is told of John Woodhouse, a former head brewer at Hall & Woodhouse. Attempting to rise after a few pints, he found his legs no longer worked. Thus the name 'Tanglefoot' was born. From [Inside Beer](#), Jeff Evans web site.

An item listed as Breweriana on E-bay was described as a 'rum warmer'. It is, in fact, a dzezva, a copper container for making Bosnian or Turkish style coffee. And lovely coffee it makes too. The seller wanted 15 quid for it along with a copper measure. Some sellers have a vivid imagination.

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