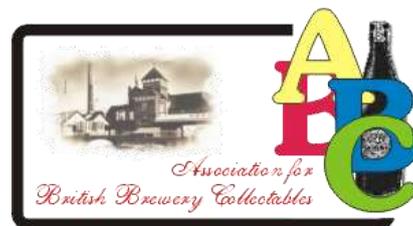


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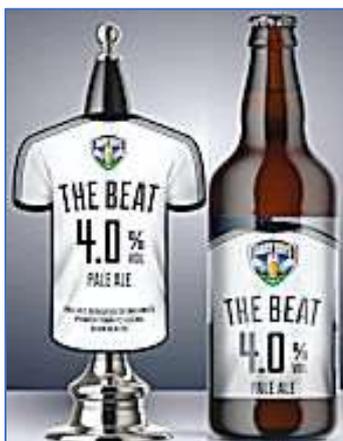
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The Association for British Brewery Collectables e-newsletter

BREWERIES IN BRADFORD ON AVON & NEIGHBOURHOOD by Keith Osborne, is now published and available for download. For every meeting Keith produces a detailed publication describing the history of breweries in the town. Our next meeting is on May 11th in Bradford on Avon (all are welcome). This 20-page book covers all known breweries in and around Bradford on Avon, and is in pdf format. [Download it here.](#)

BREWERIANA NEWS



Stod Fold Brewery has done 'Pippa's West Coast Pale Ale' on draught for the Potting Shed bar in Guiseley. 20p of every pint goes to charity.

Signature Brew has canned 'Reverb' named after their favourite guitar pedal.

Old Mill Brewery has announced that Jack Leaning, the cricketer who plays for Yorkshire, is their brand ambassador for the next 12 months. This will involve a range of different promotions including a special beer to come later in 2019.

Away Days Beer (which brews beer for football fans and their clubs) has done a beer in remembrance of Ipswich Town player Kevin Beattie, called 'the Beat'. It is available in cask and in bottle, and is intended to help raise funds for a statue of the player.

Purity has done 'Pure Helles' in keg.

Nailmaker is producing a limited-edition range of draught beer, and is calling the series 'Shuffle', using point of sale material as illustrated (left).

Bays Brewing is doing 'Orangutan' in cask to raise funds for Paignton Zoo.

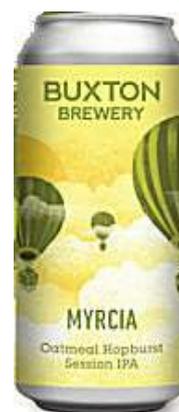
Wild Horse Brewery has produced three limited edition cans, 'No Vacancies', 'Tramcar' and 'Fatlamp'.

Brinkburn Street Brewery has collaborated with Bigg Market Brewery to produce '2018 Brut IPA' in bottle. It contains Sauvignon Blanc grape juice.

Ora Brewing has done 'Brut IPA' on draught, and possibly also in bottle. Some of the brewery's descriptions are interesting; "a fascinating whiskey/bourbon and coconut character breaking into the fruity background ... taste the blueberries through the glass".

Buxton Brewery has canned 'Myrcia', an oatmeal hopburst session IPA, and 'Ryescrack', a raspberry and rye sour.

Fourpure has done three draught beers. 'Mornington' is described as an Australian flat white IPA. 'Hummingbird' has also been done. They have collaborated with Magic Rock to produce 'Driftwood'.





Wild Card Brewery is collaborating with Five Points Brewery to release through Honest Beer and other outlets a beer for International Women's Day called 'Straight Up Pale Ale'.

Stroud Brewery has canned 'Schwarzwalder' for International Women's Day.

Brewsters Brewing has canned 'Virago IPA' for International Women's Day.

Wiper and True has bottled 'XX Gooseberry Wheat' for International Women's Day.

Handsome Brewery has done 'Mad March Hare' in cask.

Brixton Brewery has collaborated with Earth Station Brewery, to invite women to the brewery to brew on International Women's Day. The product will be a limited-edition charity beer in keg and can, so far unnamed, for sale on Mother's Day.

360° Brewing has done two cask beers, 'New Zealand Pale Ale' and 'India Porter', both in cask.

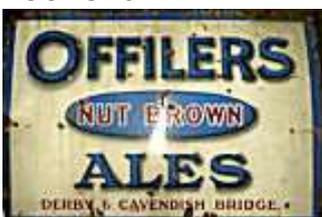
Dig Brew is doing a limited-edition canned beer called 'Hathor's Revenge' to be issued with part one of an operatic trilogy, Besse, performed at the brewery on 8th March. A can of the beer was included in the admission price to the opera. Different beers will be produced for parts two and three.

Beavertown has collaborated with Wander Beyond to produce a 15% alcohol beer called 'Gluttony' in can.



Brewdog has committed to dedicating two taps at each of their bars to local breweries. This includes local limited-edition beers produced by them in collaboration with local breweries. The initiative is called 'Homegrown Heroes'.

AUCTIONS



This Officers' enamel sign sold on E-bay for £275.00. This was a large sign, measuring 5 feet by 3 feet 4 inches. The size may have put some collectors off, as storage space can be a problem when collecting large items. Also, the seller's requirement that the buyer has to collect will have reduced the number of people who could bid for it. The sign was in quite good condition. There were not many clues on the item which could help with dating it.



This rare Guinness lamp sold on E-bay for £820.00. I have no reason to believe that this item is not genuine. The item was described as in excellent condition. The places where damage most often occur, to the tail and to the locations where the toucan and the glass are attached to the base, were reported by the seller as OK. The shade has survived, which is also extremely rare. Most of these items come on the market

either without a shade, with a fake Guinness shade, or with an ordinary replacement shade. This is an early lamp, not made by Carlton Ware, but by Arklow Pottery.



Two Arnold, Perrett crown caps sold on E-bay for good prices. The red one (left) sold for £77.00, while the blue one (right) which was not in such good condition, sold for £53.00. Arnold, Perrett of Wickwar was taken over in 1924 by Cheltenham Original Brewery with 232 pubs, when, according to the Brewery History Society, brewing ceased. So, these caps have to date to before 1924, and probably some time after 1906.



This Malvern Royal Well Brewery jug sold on E-bay for £530.00. The jug showed some wear and had no discernible maker's name. The seller suggested it was made by Minton, but as it bore no recognisable mark on the base this was very unlikely. The brewery went through some vicissitudes. It was registered as the Royal Well Brewery Co. Ltd., in 1903. While the jug doesn't bear the word 'Ltd.' I believe it could still post-date 1903. The brewery was offered for auction in 1930, so the jug must pre-date that year. The seller described it as Victorian, which could have been correct. However, I believe the jug has the appearance of being later than that.



A quirky Allsopp's 1902 Coronation jug sold on E-bay for £170.00. On the sides of the jug, it reads "May his reign be glorious" and "long live the King" with "Allsopp's" around the lower front. Oddly there is no mention that Allsopp's is a brewery, so it's possible it could conceivably be a different 'Allsopp's' business. The jug had no maker's mark, and the lettering was amateurish looking, especially when compared with stock transfers of the pictures of King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra, placed below the pouring lip, which must have been standard decals made for the occasion and widely used. They don't fit in with the design of the rest of the jug. The seller misquoted the date as 1901, however the jug itself had no date on it. Judging by the appearance, the jug could be a one-off.

This Worthington mirror was sold by Golding Young & Mawer of Grantham for £2,120.00 hammer price. The mirror was 16 inches (40cm) wide, and described as having a "stencilled centre". The auctioneer charges 20% buyer's premium on the hammer price to bidders present at the auction, 24% if purchased on the internet through the auctioneer and 28% if purchased through an independent bidding platform. VAT at 20% is added to these premiums. as shown in the table below. It's amazing how much buyers' premiums are creeping up. Perhaps the auctioneers should be called Golding, Young and More!



Bid price	Buyer's Premium	Percentage	VAT	Total cost	Extra charge
£2,120.00	£424.00	@ 20%	£84.80	£2,628.80	£508.80
£2,120.00	£508.80	@ 24%	£101.76	£2,730.56	£610.56
£2,120.00	£593.60	@ 28%	£118.72	£2,832.32	£712.32

NOTES AND QUERIES



Members may recall the white rose with a red triangle sign (left) being offered for sale on E-bay, and being mentioned in Notes and Queries. The sign turned out to be well known by a Yorkshire member, who reported another example in current existence. An Association for British Brewery Collectables member from the USA managed to persuade the seller to post it across the Atlantic to him, and it is now taking pride of place in what is believed to be the best Bass collection in the world. Incidentally, the member also noticed, in his collection, a Bass South Yorkshireman full bottled beer (right) which bore the same logo.



EVENTS

Association for British Brewery Collectables events.

The venue of the next Association for British Brewery Collectables meeting will be [the Castle Inn](#), 10, Mount Pleasant, Bradford on Avon, Wiltshire, [BA15 1SJ](#), at about 11:00 on 11th May 2019. The pub is open from 8:30, so there's no problem arriving early. They do bed and breakfast, phone 01225 865 657. It is anticipated that members attending will be entitled to a free bottled beer from a local brewery while stocks last. [Download Keith Osborne's history of breweries in the area](#), in pdf format. It provides excellent background information on the area.

The Labologists Society Spring Meeting – still open to non-members - Donnington Brewery Tour



The Labologists Society is delighted to announce that the Society Spring Meeting will take place on Saturday April 13th in the Cotswolds. To book this event e-mail Eric Doré, for a booking form. Alternatively, send a cheque for £10.00 to Eric Doré, Secretary, The Labologists Society, 86a Southwold Road, Wrentham, Beccles, NR34 7JF and confirm to him [by email](#) that you have done so.

The first part of the meeting will comprise a tour of Donnington Brewery probably regarded as the most picturesque brewery setting in the UK. After the tour (conducted by Mr Johnny Arkell) there will be a chance for some hospitality there before we move on to the Snowhill Arms at Snowhill for the second part of the meeting where we will have use of the skittle alley as a private function room! It appears that we will have a few places left on the tour and so we are now offering these to non-members

Donnington Brewery has 17 beautiful Cotswold pubs (including the Snowhill Arms) and also supplies a number of free houses close by. So, a good place to visit! A Donnington Brewery pub is easily identified by the distinctive black and white signs outside, introduced by Claude Arkell, and the tradition has survived.



Close to the historic Snowhill Manor, which is open to the public, the Snowhill Arms lies in this very pretty village. This is a family-friendly, locals pub which also welcomes animals - they're part of the family too. A large play area for the children and a lovely log fire in the winter offer enticements to visit all year round. Here locals mix comfortably with the many tourists visiting Snowhill Manor.

As there is a train from London arriving at Moreton in Marsh around 11am, we will start the tour of the brewery at 11.30, finish at 12.30pm and after some hospitality comprising a beer or two at the brewery, we leave for Snowhill at about 1pm. We would arrive at the Snowhill Arms before 1.30pm and leave about 4pm in time for those travelling by train to make their way back to Moreton for the London train at around 4.40pm (by the way, at the time of writing the train fare from

London is just £6 each way before any discounts)

We anticipate that there will be an auction of older beer labels during the afternoon (auctions are open to Labologist Society members only) as well as other label sales. The bar at the Snowhill Arms will stay open until 4pm. Please order (and pay for) food and drinks individually. Donnington beers will of course be available there.

We have negotiated a reduced price for the tour of £10 per person payable on booking please. We will deal with bookings in the order in which they arrive and if places are fully booked, we will not cash cheques for those who are not successful.

For those who are travelling to the meeting by train we are arranging a "taxi ticket" (cost £12.00) to include all three journeys involved. Again, first come first served so early bookings are advised please "to avoid disappointment" – and, as we always say, please do not drink and drive.

See you there!



Other breweriana related events of interest

If your organisation has a breweriana event coming up, I can list it here. Just [e-mail me](mailto:ed@breweryhistory.com) with the details. Events are listed only if there may be breweriana available during the event. Brewery History Society events may be charged for non-members. To join BHS, [click here](#) for a membership form.

11th March to 17th March. Sheffield Beer Week.

13th March to 14th March 2019. BeerX UK 2019. Liverpool Exhibition Centre. A SIBA organised trade event. Brewery History Society to exhibit there.

21st March 2019. Watford Breweriana Auction. Contact Bill Austin, (baustin1951@btinternet.com; phone 07789 900411). 8pm start with viewing from 7pm.

6th April 2019. Breweriana event. Peterborough, 12:00 to 17:00. The Ploughman, 1 Staniland Way, Werrington, Peterborough [PE4 6NA](#). Take the Citi 1 bus from Peterborough bus station and ask for the Ploughman. If interested in a booking a table please contact Mike Johnson at mike_s_johnson@hotmail.com.

11th April 2019. Brewery History Society visit to the Ramsgate Brewery, Broadstairs, CT10 2YD. Contact visits@breweryhistory.com.

12th April 2019. Brewery History Society AGM at Shepherd Neame Brewery, Faversham, ME13 7AX at 12:00 noon. Contact visits@breweryhistory.com.

12th April to 13th April 2019. XIIth Minsk International Breweriana Collectors Meeting, 2019, White Hall at 10A Olshevskogo Street, Minsk, Belarus. April 13th: 8:00 - 16:00 (main session); April 12th: 18:00 - 22:00 (extra session). Contact Sergei Shikh, shikh@tut.by.

13th April 2019, (see above). Labologists Society Meeting. At Donnington Brewery and the Snowhill Arms, Snowhill. Bookings only. Booking open to non Labologists Society members from 4th February. More information from [Eric Doré](#). *At the time of writing there were only three places left.*

15th May 2019. Brewery History Society. Banks's Brewery tour, Wolverhampton. Meet at brewery shop at 11:30am. Expect a charge for this visit. Contact visits@breweryhistory.com to book.

24th May 2019. Brewery History Society joint meeting with the British Guild of Beer Writers. 'Malt; past, present and future. Meet 8:45 at Norwich Station. Contact visits@breweryhistory.com.

25th May 2019. Brewery History Society. Ken Smith's Urban Walk to Southwark. Contact knsmi522s@aol.com.

8th June 2019. Labologists Society AGM at Harvey's Bridge Wharf Brewery at Lewes, East Sussex. For more info contact [Eric Doré](#).

22nd June 2019. Brewery History Society. Ken Smith's Urban Walk Barbican to St. Pancras. Contact knsmi522s@aol.com.

10th July 2019. Brewery History Society. Bateman's Brewery visit, Wainfleet, Lincolnshire. 14:00 hours. visits@breweryhistory.com.

13th July 2019. Brewery History Society. Ken Smith's Urban Walk Vauxhall to Chelsea. Contact knsmi522s@aol.com.

27th July 2019. Brewery History Society. Ken Smith's Urban Walk North London. Contact knsmi522s@aol.com.

16th August to 18th August 2019. Thornbridge Peakender Beer Festival. Bakewell Show Ground.

10th October to 13th October 2019. Brewery Collectables World Convention. La Plata, Argentina.

19th October 2019. National Breweriana Auction 2019 at [Burton on Trent Town Hall](#), DE14 2EB.

To book Brewery History Society events, or for further information, for bookings contact Ed Wray, visits@breweryhistory.com, unless otherwise stated. Don't forget, it is advantageous to be a member of BHS to attend their events.

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Keith Osborne 25 Humber Gardens, Gleneagles, Wellingborough NN8 5WE. 01933 674856, e-mail brewdelver@aol.com seeks a label or a bottle from what he thinks is the only 1953 Coronation label he hasn't yet obtained - Higsons of Liverpool. Generous terms offered. 03/19

Enrique Solaesa from Madrid, is looking for coasters from San Miguel and other Spanish brands used in the UK. Will purchase or swap. He has [a web site](#) with details of items he can swap. Phone +34 6091 71355. Email jesolaesa@yahoo.es. 03/19.

Igor Osanov in Moscow is a brewer at a mini brewery called Zavod. In 2006 he visited some breweries and distilleries in the UK, as well as the Great British Beer Festival in London. His main hobby is collecting beer items (especially labels, postcards, pins) for about 20 years. But recently he has not had much time for labels but continues to collect beer pins quite actively. He has more than a thousand pins from the whole world but unfortunately only a few from the UK and is now looking to find beer pin collectors in the UK. Don't hesitate to drop him a line to his email osanov@list.ru, or to WhatsApp +79859534147. 02/19

Timothy Hewitt, in Manchester, has a large number of pump clips for sale. These can be viewed on Dropbox, [here](#). Phone number is 07522811017. E-mail timmy.hewitt89@gmail.com. He is happy to accept payment through PayPal, cheque, postal order or bank transfer. 02/19

Steve Cook wants envelopes with cancellations featuring British Real Ale breweries and letters from British Real Ale breweries and pubs. Items will be part of a display he will be showing at Sheffield Philatelic Society (stamp club) in Spring 2021. 64 Basegreen Road, Sheffield, S12 3FJ. E-mail tangled_feet@hotmail.co.uk. 02/19



Andy Farmer is looking for full Thomas Hardy's Ale nips. He needs Hardy's Ales with the letter prefixes 'K' 1980, 'L' 1982, 'R' 1989 & 'R' 1990, 'S' 1991, 'T' 1992. Also, all 1993- 1999 Vintage issues. E-mail birchesmill@btinternet.com. 01588 640 409. 02/19.



Rich Monte in the USA, is looking for any rare Bass items. Examples of the kind of stuff he's looking for are illustrated, but anything is of interest. He is especially interested in ceramic coasters, signs, pitchers (jugs), etc. In fact, anything rare. Good prices paid. E-mail hr4378@aol.com. Phone +1 518 527 4180. 02/19



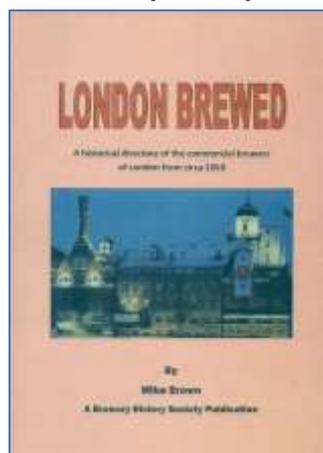
Dave Taylor seeks pre-1960 beer bottle labels, singles or collections considered. Contact Dave in Wimborne, on 01202 980 299 or david.deraled@talktalk.net. 01/19

Andrew Kearley from Bournemouth is an avid collector of beer crown caps (bottle caps) and is seeking to add to his pre-millennium cap collection. If you have any pre-millennium beer caps to offer (swap or sell) or if you have unopened bottles to sell - that have branded bottles caps (brewery name, logo, beer brand etc.) please contact Andrew on 07423 056 707 or by email on kearley7@gmail.com. 01/19

Steve Baker (30 Longbridge Road, Lichfield, Staffs. WS14 9EN) steve.baker@virgin.net, wishes to obtain a good condition Greene King **1953** Coronation Ale label. Offers a good condition **1937** Coronation Ale label from the same company in exchange. 01/19

Frederick Haysom from Brighton, 07768 911 043, e-mail frederickhaysom@msn.com wants First Brews, Last Brews (especially King and Barnes Last Cast), and Coronation Ales. 01/19

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Janusz Mroz in Edinburgh collects Scottish beer labels. He has 100s of spare Scottish Microbrewery labels for swap. if you are interested, email him. janusz73m@gmail.com. 12/18

David McCleave from London SW19, wants anything appertaining to Old Bill's connection with Smiths of Macclesfield or any other brewery that used him. 07885 272435 or e-mail david.mccleave@btinternet.com. 12/18

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