

PUB:	Saxon Inn	No:	1
At:	Child Okeford	Dorset	
Tour:	Home	Date:	25/03/07

This lovely secluded village pub offers 2 Regular real ales - Butcombe, Ringwood Best, plus 2 guests. Pub has recently been extended to rear providing more tables/seating for customer use. Note this is not necessarily 'Restaurant'. Very tastefully done to a high standard and in keeping with the old pub interior. The cozy atmosphere of the bar has been carefully maintained. 4 superb B&B rooms in a similar vein. Good food. Open all day Sundays, no food Sunday eve. New rear patio and extended parking has not affected the charm of the beer garden. Peter & Helen have done a superb job and I am proud to be a regular at their splendid pub. SCORE-10.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Butcombe	4.0	Bitter	3.5
Ringwood	3.8	Best	
Goddards	4.0	Special G	3.5
Hidden	4.8	Hidden Depth (Stout) G	3
Food:	Short Bar Menu+Specials		Eat here? Y
Test:	Chilli+Rice £7.95		Value Index 144
Games	Pool table in garden (summer)		
Stay?	Y, exp@£40pppn!	All Day?	Sun only

PUB:	Old Inn	No:	2
At:	Kilminster	Devon	
Tour:	Truly Amazin'	Date:	15/06/07

A character thatched Inn set on south side of A35 just west of Axminster. Several rooms/bars, restaurant & pleasant patio+beer garden away from road at the rear. 3 Otter beers (Bitter, Bright & Ale) from 4 hand pulls were in good condition. GBG listed in 2006 we couldn't see why it is not in latest guide. A reasonable menu, food good but few lower priced (value) bar snacks. Reviewed 15/06/07 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-7



Brewery		abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Otter		3.6	Bitter		~
Otter		4.3	Bright		~
Otter		4.5	Ale		3
Food:	Bar+Rest,Ltd lite snacks			Eat here?	P
Test:	Tuna Bag,Chips,roll £5.95			Value Index	110
Games	None				
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	No	

PUB:	Fox & Hounds	No:	3
At:	Bridestowe	Devon	
Tour:	Kernow II	Date:	22/10/09

An impressive old coaching Inn on the A386 just out of the village. The Landlord of some 36 years has friendly staff around him and we were made very welcome by Sarah. Restaurant & accommodation looked good and the bar snacks we tried were excellent value. 3 beers on hand pull were in good condition. A partly hidden room behind the fireplace provides a cosy area to play Pool or Darts. Fox Grill £11-50. This should be a GBG pub!

Reviewed 15/06/07 & 16/11/07 & 22/10/09 by SADCATS on Tour!
This time we stayed over SCORE-8.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
St Austell	3.9	Dartmoor Best	~
St Austell	4.3	Tribute	3.5
Princetown	4.8	Jail Ale	3.5
		DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	<i>Good Bar & Rest menus</i>		Eat here?
Test:	<i>Fox Whopper still £4.95</i>		Value Index
Games	<i>Separate Pool & Darts Bar area</i>		
Stay?	<i>Y, £70pn/room</i>	All Day?	<i>Yes</i>

PUB:	Ye Olde Cider Bar	No:	30
At:	Newton Abbot	Wilts	
Tour:		Date:	05/12/07

Dates from at least 1745, before East St was established when as a farm with its own cider orchards, their own cider was sold from the farm kitchen. Formerly Vennings Cider Stores it was run by the Yeo family in 1869, sold to William White in 1904, later to George Squires the grandfather of Mrs.Knibbs who with her husband Richard have run the Bar since 1971. Had no true bar until 1962, and has since moved again as the Courtyard & alley were enclosed to form the present building. The Long Bar Cork Club (est 1904) to us are the original Sadcats! See 1911 photo! A multi award winning gem of a drinking establishment selling Ciders only and definitely a PTVBYD. SCORE- 9.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
		More scrumpy ciders	
		and perries than you can	
		count and mostly above 6% abv	
		Enjoy!!!!!!	
		<i>Dunny</i> Marque -	
Food:	<i>Lunch rolls, pasties</i>		Eat here?
Test:	<i>Rolls £2, Pasties £2-20</i>		Value Index
Games	<i>Games room at back</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	possibly

PUB:	Stumbles Inn	No:	36
At:	Shepton Mallet	Somerset	
Tour:		Date:	09/02/08

The town of Shepton Mallet itself seems to be struggling to stay alive as do the pubs. We find a pair of shops at the bottom of Town St which converted into The Stumbles Inn. A basic boozier where Landlord Ian is doing his best to create an ambient pub for the town.

Separate room with Pool table. Good plates of food at down to earth prices. 2 real ales: Matthews Bob Well 4.2%, plus a Guest which today was Box Steam Rev Audrey 3.8%. Both sampled and in excellent condition. We were very welcome in this friendly pub and recommend you give it a try. SCORE – 7.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Matthews		4.2	Bob Well	4
Box Steam		3.8	Rev Audrey G	3.5
Food:	Good Basic Bar Menu		Eat here?	Y
Test:	not sampled		Value Index	87
Games	Separate room with Pool table			
Stay?	n/a		All Day?	Was on Sat

PUB:	Green Man	No:	39
At:	King's Stag	Dorset	
Tour:	Bob & Tony's Birthday Bash	Date:	29/02/08

Country pub on the busy B3143 Dorchester Rd looks less inviting since the huge oak in front was cut down. 3 real ales in reasonable condition, (Exmoor, Old Speckled Hen + guest) but a tad too cold. Skittle Alley now a carvery, (Sun lunch only) but looks good value. Rest of pub mostly given over to restaurant food - good but expensive. No value bar snacks. Friendly staff and the few locals at the bar made us feel welcome. Dartboard survives but in eating area and probably only used on Darts nights. Reviewed 18/11/07 & 29/02/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-7.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Exmoor	3.8	Exmoor Ale	
Greene King	5.2	Old Speckled Hen	
Exmoor	4.2	Fox G	2.5
Food:	Short Menu + Specials		Eat here? Y
Test:	Lamb Shank specl £11.95		Value Index 113
Games	Dartsbut in eating area?		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	

PUB:	The BELL	No:	40
At:	Great Cheverell	Wilts	
Tour:	Bob's Birthday	Date:	03/03/08

Impressive old village pub with old beams and log fire. Nice looking separate restaurant which felt cold, and the tables set out in the bar had a regimented look. Small beer garden at rear. On a quiet Monday lunchtime we were greeted by a friendly Landlord who explained that although a Free House he kept Wadworth 6X, IPA, & an occasionally changing guest (Fullers London Pride) as they were popular with locals. Pictures featured in the bar indicate that the locals enjoy their pub! Food seems expensive – eg 'Bangers & Mash' £8.95 !! Reviewed 03/03/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-6.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Wadworth		4.3	6X	2.5	
Wadworth		3.6	Henry's IPA		
Fullers		4.1	London Pride		
Food:	Short Menu card			Eat here?	P
Test:	not sampled			Value Index	149
Games	None				
Stay?	n/a		All Day?		

PUB:	CHURCHILL Arms	No:	41
At:	Littleton Pannell	Wilts	
Tour:	Bob's Birthday	Date:	03/03/08

An old Worthington House sat on side of A360. Retro refurbished bar has cosy feel and there is a separate Games room, and restaurant. 4 Wadworth beers on hand pull in good condition. Restaurant value meals eg Chilli £7.95, but the Bar Bites Menu gives a dozen beer soaking dishes for £2-3 which is a highly commendable feature we would like to see everywhere!!

Staff & locals were friendly and welcoming.

Reviewed 03/03/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-7.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Wadworth		3.6	Henrys IPA		
Wadworth		4.3	6X		
Wadworth		4.0	Horizon	2	
Wadworth		5.0	Bishop's Tipple		
Food:	Rest+Bar Snax+Spec			Eat here?	Y
Test:	not sampled			Value Index	65
Games	Games Bar, Darts, Pool				
Stay?	n/a		All Day?		

PUB:	The OWL	No:	42
At:	Little Cheverell	Wilts	
Tour:	Bob's Birthday	Date:	03/03/08

Lovely 19th Century red brick building off the beaten track became a pub in 1939. Warm welcome from Landlady and locals in small pub that has a friendly atmosphere and a log fire. Lovely decked verandah overlooking garden and stream must be great in the summer. All bar snacks seem to be £7.99 but burgers are good value at £2.50. 2 B&B rooms. Three hand pumps offer Brakspeare Bitter, plus 1 guest (Butcombe at time of visit) both in excellent condition. This should surely be not only a GBG entry, but more likely a rural Pub of the Year for the local CAMRA group. Reviewed 03/03/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-7.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Brakspeare	3.6	Bitter	2.5
Butcombe	4.0	Bitter G	
Food:	<i>Small Bar Snack Menu</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>not sampled</i>		Value Index 105
Games	<i>N/a</i>		
Stay?	2 Rooms	All Day?	

PUB:	FOX & HOUNDS	No:	44
At:	Warminster	Dorset	
Tour:	Bob's Birthday	Date:	03/03/08

Roadside pub on approach to town centre. 2 bars, one a cosy snug and the other has a pool table behind discreet screening. Surprisingly no food or snacks, but 3 real ciders & 3 real ales. Regulars Ringwood Best, Wessex Warminster Warrior, plus a guest – currently Sharps Doom Bar, and all in excellent condition. A good friendly little town pub.

Reviewed 03/03/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-6.



Brewery	abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Ringwood	3.8	Best Bitter		
Wessex	4.5	Warminster Warrior		
Sharp's	4.0	Doom Bar	G	3
Food:	<i>No Food</i>		Eat here?	n/a
Test:	n/a		Value Index	
Games	<i>Separate area for Darts & Pool</i>			
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	Yes	

PUB:	The Forester	No:	45
At:	Donhead St Andrew	Wilts	
Tour:		Date:	02/05/08

15th century thatched Inn. A warm & welcoming atmosphere but sadly no longer really a pub as there isn't anywhere for 'drinkers' to sit. Extended in last couple of years with impressive Gothic eating area and nice beer garden. Landlord is friendly and very accommodating. 3 real ales: Butcombe (a bit endy) Ringwood Best, & Butts Barbus Barbus. Food is nouveau, tasty, but small portions and therefore expensive for what it is, but worth a visit for a special occasion meal. Pub in Wilts but postal address is Dorset. Reviewed 02/05/08 by SADCATS Bob & Kath SCORE-6.



Brewery	abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Butcombe	4.0	Bitter		2
Ringwood	3.8	Best		
Butts	4.6	Barbus Barbus		
Food:	<i>Restaurant</i>		Eat here?	Y
Test:	<i>Belly Pork £13-95</i>		Value Index	156
Games	<i>None</i>			
Stay?	Has rooms		All Day?	<i>N</i>

PUB:	The Black Dog	No:	46
At:	Chilmark	Wilts	
Tour:		Date:	14/05/08

A 15th century coaching Inn on the not too busy B3089 where it is still pleasant to sit out 'roadside' in lovely front garden. Good parking & large beer garden at rear. Small bar plus 2 eating areas, one having an impressive medieval atmosphere. Food is good but Lasagne bar snack a bit pricey at £10-50. 3 real ales, well kept, but tied to Wadworth.

Reviewed 14/05/08 by SADCATS Bob & Kath SCORE-7.



Brewery		abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Wadworth		3.6	Henry's IPA		
Wadworth		4.3	6X		
Wadworth		4.0	Horizon		3
Food:	Rest + Bar snacks			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Lasagne £10-50			Value Index	132
Games	None				
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	N	

PUB:	Tan Hill Inn	No:	47
At:	Keld, Nr Richmond, Swaledale	N.Yorks	
Tour:	Islay Festival '08	Date:	21/05/08

Small mining settlement where an Inn was 1st recorded in 1586. Current building dates from 17th cent. When last mine closed in 1929 all nearby cottages were demolished. Not much else has changed other than the 1990 addition of B&B rooms & toilets. At 1732ft as/ this is the Highest Pub in GB. So remote there is, nothing for 10 miles, and views are superb. A freehouse with 6 hand pulls: Black Sheep, Theakstons Best, Old Peculiar & Guests. Good value pub grub. We were made very welcome by eccentric Landlady Tracy and by 2nd pint I was serving behind bar while my wife fed the lamb! Tracy is a character & so is her pub – one of the few TO VISIT BEFORE YOU DIE or she retires! Reviewed 21/5/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-.10



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Theakston	3.8	Best Bitter	4
Black Sheep	3.8	Best Bitter	4
Theakston	5.6	Old Peculiar	
		Guest	
		DunnyMarque - 8	
Food:	<i>Good Pub Food</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>TanHill Saus+Mash£5-95</i>		Value Index 80
Games	<i>Pool, Darts</i>		
Stay?	Definitely!	All Day?	Yes.

PUB:	Drum Inn	No:	48
At:	Cockington Village, Torquay	Devon	
Tour:		Date:	25/07/08

Built in the 1930's with retro thatched roof it is an imposing building in a peaceful village that is hidden from mainstream Torquay by a short 15min walk. 3 beers Butcombe, Tribute, London Pride all in excellent condition. Food is well presented and the real sausages creamy mash and gravy were excellent value at £6-50. Lovely gardens, an idyllic peaceful spot and luckily we were staying just round the corner at the equally idyllic Lanscombe House private hotel. Score 8



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Butcombe		4.0	Bitter	3.5	
St Austell		4.3	Tribute		
Fullers		4.1	London Pride		
Food:	Steaks to Bar snacks			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Sausage & Mash			Value Index	81
Games	None - Excellent gardens				
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	Yes	

PUB:	Flintlock Inn	No:	49
At:	Marsh, Honiton	Devon	
Tour:		Date:	20/09/08

Roadside pub in tiny village by-passed by A303 many years ago. Exterior in Cornish pebbledash white with lovely atmospheric interior, but surprising that a pub has survived in this location. 3 hand pumps serving 2 beers and plethora of used pump climps. Seemed friendly enough good menu although not cheap, but I hear portions are large and quality good from other customers who stop here every time they go to holiday home in West Devon. More Restaurant than pub and gets busy at weekend. Needs a beer garden sorting out. Watch 2.30 closing!!
Reviewed 20/09/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-7.



Brewery		abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Otter		3.7	Bitter		2
Otter		4.5	Ale		
Food:	High end pub meals			Eat here?	Y
Test:	N/A Scampi £9-95			Value Index	143
Games	None, no BG. 3 tables by road				
Stay?	Not avl		All Day?	Closes 2.30 Lun	

PUB:	Seven Stars	No:	50
At:	Falmouth	Cornwall	
Tour:	Kernow Krawl	Date:	24/10/08

Records show Beer has been sold here since 1660 making this Falmouth's oldest pub. It's also Cornwall's only entry in the National Inventory of Historical Pub Interiors. Run by the indomitable Rev Barrington Bennetts (76). No hand pumps, Gravity Stillage, Bass 3 x 18's, plus 2 guests! No food but amazing Ham + Cheese rolls at lunchtime. We were made welcome by Landlord, Wife, Son and locals. Time has stood still here (thank God!) and this is definitely a PTVBYD.
Reviewed 24/10/08 by SADCATS on Tour SCORE – 9.



Brewery	abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Bass	4.4	Bass		4
Sharp's	4.4	Own		4
Skinnners	4.5	Cornish Knocker		
Food:	<i>Lunchtime Rolls only</i>		Eat here?	<i>n/a</i>
Test:	<i>Rolls</i>		Value Index	50
Games				
Stay?	N/A	All Day?	no	

PUB:	Tarky's Arms	No:	
At:	The Morris's		
Tour:		Date:	10/10/08

It's a shame it had to come to this, but Tony's idea of a Pub in his big shed is brilliant. We bring our own drinks and share around. Teresa does great snacks. All the regulars we want to talk to are always there so we have a good laugh and enjoy ourselves to all hours and if we can't drive home, we stay over!! Great wines and excellent Real Ale in bottles. Regular rough ciders and one day soon we may try a barrel for the weekend!

Well done Tony, this goes from strength to strength!

Reviewed 10/10/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 9.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Hop Back		5.0	Summer Lightning (Bot)	4	
Hop Back		4.2	Crop Circle (Bot)	4	
Food:	Excellent snax,meals,BBQ			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Sunday Roast			Value Index	0
Games	Bar Billiards, Darts, Quiz				
Stay?	Yes		All Day?	Yes	

PUB:	Fox & Hounds	No:	
At:	The Green, East Knoyle	Dorset	
Tour:		Date:	30/10/08

15th century pub tucked away in an nice spot with lovely views over Blackmore Vale from The Green opposite. Warm rustic feel, large log fire in one area, bar is central. Part thatched. Conservatory can be cold. Not much drinking space as all laid over to food. 3 real ales: Youngs Bitter, Wadworth Malt & Hops, Palmers 200. Youngs was in average condition. Despite specials boards – no bargain meals on offer. Ribeye Steak £15. Parking can be tight

Reviewed 30/10/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 6.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Youngs	3.7	Bitter	2
Wadworth	4.5	Malt & Hops	
Palmers	5.0	200	
Cheddar Valley	6.0	Cider	
Food:	Restaurant Style		Eat here?
Test:	Ribeye Steak £15 inc sauce		Value Index
Games	Skittle alley		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	No

PUB:	Drax Arms Inn	No:	
At:	Spetisbury	Dorset	
Tour:		Date:	12/11/08

Sat beside busy A350 this building looks to date from around 1930 the original having been thatched. Historically a Hall & Woodhouse establishment thankfully now a Free House. 3 hand pumps: Piddle-James Riddle 3.7%, Ringwood Best, Wychwood Hobgoblin 4.5%, plus a gravity firkin of Otter Ale 4.5%. Thatchers real Cider. Seems to be making a lot of effort, especially on prices: £2/pint, wines £7/btl, many meals around £8. Beer garden sadly next to busy road. 2 dart boards - Darts nights only. Staff & locals were friendly - if you are passing give them a try! SADCATS on Tour! Score-6



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Piddle		3.7	James Riddle	2.5	
Ringwood		3.8	Best Bitter	2.5	
Wychwood		4.5	Hobgoblin		
Thatchers			Cider		
Food:	Good value snacks+steak			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Gammon £7-95			Value Index	79
Games	2 dart boards - darts night only				
Stay?	n/a		All Day?		

PUB:	Red Rover	No:	
At:	West Wellow	Hants	
Tour:	Red Rover Tour	Date:	19/11/08

Ex-Strongs/Whitbread, now GK pub sitting beside very busy A36. Has lots of olde worlde charm with low beams. Flag floor in old public bar for pool table. Darts in another area. Fire+sofa area. Plenty eating tables at rear leads to nice beer garden. 3 hand pulls: GK IPA, Ruddles County. Good pub menu: Bangers+mash, Lasagne, all day breakfast all at £5-95. Has the nooks + crannies, shame about 'Managed' feel. Pub sign was a Fox in Whitbread days. Reviewed 19/11/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 7.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Greene King		3.6	IPA £2-60	2.5
Greene King		4.3	Ruddles County	
			DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	Good pub menu		Eat here?	Y
Test:	Snax - steaks		Value Index	86
Games	Pool, Darts			
Stay?	n/a		All Day?	??

PUB:	Lamb Inn	No:	
At:	Nomansland	Wilts	
Tour:	Red Rover Tour	Date:	19/11/08

Ex-Strongs/Whitbread, now freehouse nestled in a pretty New Forest village with green opposite. Has lots of olde worlde charm of an old 2 bar pub tastefully knocked through but not open plan. Straddles Hants/Wilts border where there was a Wilts bar later closing time years ago! 4 hand pulls: Landlord, 49er, HSB, Triple fff Alton Pride on Guest at £2.50. Good pub menu: Bangers+mash £7.50, all day breakfast £5-95. Steak+Ale £8.95 Nice friendly old pub keeps Darts, Pool, dominoes, live music Sat eve. Patio beer gdn at rear Reviewed 19/11/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Timothy Taylor	4.3	Landlord	
Ringwood	4.9	49 er	
Gales	5.0	HSB	
Triple fff	3.8	Alton's Pride (Guest) £2-50	4.5
		DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	<i>Lunch+eve menu+mixgrill</i>		Eat here?
Test:	<i>Lunch Bolognese £6.50</i>		Value Index
Games	<i>Pool, Darts, Donimoes, Winter Quiz</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	<i>Fri/Sat/Sun</i>

PUB:	Green Dragon	No:	
At:	Brook, Nr Cadnam	Hants	
Tour:	Red Rover Tour	Date:	19/11/08

Ex-Strongs/Whitbread, now freehouse sits beside the fairly busy B3078 near Cadnam. 15th century New Forest thatched village pub has lots of olde worlde charm, low beams, log burners, 3 areas to bar keeps those interesting nooks+crannies with restaurant area to rear. 4 hand pulls: Ringwood Best & 49er, HopBack Summer Lightning (£3.10). Top end priced pub food: Bangers+mash £9.25, is expensive however you describe it! Friendly enough, this old pub keeps Dartboard in an alcove by fire, occasional live music. Nice beer garden at rear.
Reviewed 19/11/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Ringwood		3.8	Best Bitter	2.5	
Ringwood		4.9	49 er		
Hop Back		5.0	Summer Lightning		
Food:	Top end priced pub food			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Bangers+Mash £9-25			Value Index	116
Games	Darts in alcove				
Stay?	No. £200/3nghts		All Day?	??	

PUB:	The Green Man	No:	
At:	Wimborne	Dorset	
Tour:		Date:	27/11/08

Ex Hall & Woodhouse, now Wadworth, this is a fine example of an unspoilt 18th century market town pub which retains its character & charm despite having been enlarged slightly & brought into the 21st century. Low beams, log fires, cosy areas & small beer garden. 4 hand pulls offer: 6X, IPA, Bishops Tipple, & Westons Scrumpy. Dartboard for darts nights. Excellent bar snacks: Sausage+chips, All Day Breakfast £4-95, Lasagne+chips+roll+salad £6-25. Friendly and well worth a visit. Reviewed 22/12/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 7.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Wadworth	3.6	Henrys IPA	
Wadworth	4.3	6X	3
Wadworth	5.5	Bishops Tipple	
Westons	6.0	Scrumpy Cider	
		<i>DunnyMarque - 8</i>	
Food:	<i>Good Bar Snacks</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Lasagne etc £6-25</i>		Value Index 70
Games	<i>Darts on darts night.</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	<i>Fri/Sat/Sun</i>

PUB:	Cat & Fiddle Inn	No:	
At:	A537 Buxton Rd, Bosley	Cheshire	
Tour:		Date:	04/12/08

Isolated Robinson's pub built in 1830 by Macclesfield Banker John Ryle after new A357 completed. At 1690ft asl is 2nd highest pub in UK. Caters for all who venture over the pass with Carvery, Lounge Bar, & Walkers Bar with pool table. 3 Robbies beers in good condition and takes in-house guests. Good food especially the home made pies. Pie & Pint nights are great value at £8-95. Open all day, but closes earlier in winter. Friendly Landlord Accommodation at nearby Stanley Arms.

Reviewed 4/12/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Robinsons	4.1	Spellbound	3.5
Hartleys	4.0	XB	
Hartleys	4.1	Cumbrian Way	
		DunnyMarque - 9½	
Food:	<i>Carvery, Rest, Bar Snax</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Homemade Pie+Pint £8-95!</i>		Value Index 85
Games	<i>Pool</i>		
Stay?	N/A	All Day?	Yes (Winter EC)

PUB:	The Portcullis	No:	116
At:	Clifton, Bristol	Somerset	
Tour:	R.A.T.S. Tour	Date:	13/12/08

Mid 19th century Georgian terraced building with unusual 2 levels of pavement entrances. A pub for over 150 years and recently refurbished tastefully by Dawkins Taverns who change the face of The PubCo as we know it, Jim! 7 real ales from West Country micros all in excellent condition, great range of Malt Whisky and a warm friendly welcome from Landlord Ned. Excellent value meals: Chilli £4, Bangers+Mash or Pieminster Pie with mash £5. This is a great, not to be missed town pub. Today was their Beer Festival with 12 extra beers on upstairs. Well done Ned!

Reviewed 13/12/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 9.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Palmers	5.5	Tally Ho	3.5
Thwaites	4.9	Good 'Elf	3.5
Adnams	4.0	East Green	3.5
Newtons	4.4	Celtic Spice	3.5
Exmoor	5.0	Exmas	3.5
Cotleigh	3.8	Tawny	3.5
Dawkins	4.4	Santa's Little Blinder	4.5
Food:	<i>Excellent Pub Grub</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Bangers+Mash+Gravy £5</i>		Value Index 70
Games	<i>None, but it is a small pub!</i>		
Stay?	N/A	All Day?	<i>NO. Check hours</i>

PUB:	The Dolphin	No:	117
At:	42 East St., Blandford	Dorset	
Tour:	SADCATS XMAS PARTY	Date:	18/12/08

Built after great fire of 1731 as The White Hart. Refurbished to present layout by owners Gibbs Mew in 1995, & sold to present Landlord in 1996. This small one room High St pub with wood floor and low beams is warm and friendly. 6 hand pulls: Ringwood Best, 49er, Hop Back Entire Stout, + 3 guests all in good condition. Good pub snax, Gammon £7-50 is a good plateful. Too small for games & no garden or parking but easily the best pub in Blandford. SADCATS are 5 couples who enjoy a drink and we had our Xmas meal here Thur night and enjoyed the quiz afterwards. Reviewed 18/12/08 by SADCATS on Tour!
SCORE-8.



Brewery	abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Ringwood	3.8	Bitter		
Ringwood	4.9	Forty Niner		
Hop Back	5.0	Summer Lightning	(G)	
Sharp's	4.0	Doom Bar	(G)	3.5
Timothy Taylor	4.3	Landlord	(G)	
Hop Back	4.2	Entire Stout		3.5
Food:	<i>Good pub food/snax</i>		Eat here?	Y
Test:	<i>Gammon £7-50</i>		Value Index	82
Games	<i>It was quiz night and the girls beat us men!</i>			
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	<i>Wed to Sun</i>	

PUB:	The Mitre	No:	
At:	Sandford Orcas	Dorset	
Tour:		Date:	31/12/08

Built in 1851 as a thatched Inn and in hands of present landlord Alan for last 16yrs. To his credit little has changed bar excavation of fire place in eating area. Lovely original flagstone floor & cosy bar area with log burners. 3 hand pulls and today the weak beer (Masterbrew) had gone, Otter Ale was not best, but Otter Claus 5% was in good condition. Menu a bit odd, but food is excellent, if a tad expensive – Bangers+Mash £9-95. Otherwise, a lovely unspoilt village pub.

Reviewed 31/12/08 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 9.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Shepherd Neame	3.7	Masterbrew	<i>gone</i>
Otter	4.5	Otter Ale	2
Otter	5.0	Otter Claus	3
Food:	<i>An odd, pub style menu</i>		Eat here?
Test:	<i>Bangers+Mash £9-95</i>		Value Index
Games	<i>None. Nice terraced Beer Garden</i>		
Stay?	Some B&B	All Day?	<i>No.</i>

PUB:	Milton Arms	No:	118
At:	Winterborne Whitechurch	Dorset	
Tour:		Date:	02/01/09

Last called here 12-Sep-07 when a banner proclaimed 'New Management, New Attitude'. Well not much has changed. 3 hand pulls, Ringwood Best, Summer Lightning, and now Jennings Cumberland instead of 6X. The carpet's seen better days, and at end of lunch session with half a dozen or so locals in, we were made as welcome as the last writer. The Lightning scored 1.5 on the CAMRA NBSS, neither 'Clear' nor at its best. There is a separate eating area where I am told the food is quite reasonable.

Reviewed 2/1/09 bySADCATS on Tour! Score-4



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Ringwood	3.8	Ringwood Best	
Jennings		Cumberland Bitter	
Hop Back	5.0	Summer Lightning	1.5
Food:			Eat here?
Test:			Value Index
Games	<i>Dart board for darts nights.</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	No.

PUB:	The Bell	No:	119
At:	Bowden Hill, Lacock	Wilts	
Tour:	La'Cock Tour	Date:	03/01/09

Built as canal cottages following inception of Wilts&Berks Canal in 1795 and let in 1877 following demise. By 1915 Kellys showed this as a beer retailer. Olde worlde country pub, small bar with sep Restaurant & nice large beer gdn. 6 hand pulls, give Bath GEM, Palmers IPA, 2 Guests +1 cider. NW Wilts Camra Pub o'Yr 2004-8. Barman Paul remembered us from the last trip and both he and Landlord Alan are friendly, helpful guys. Cheers!
Reviewed 12/06/10 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Bath Ales	4.1	GEM	3.5
Palmers	4.2	IPA	
Woodforde	3.8	Wherry G	3.5
Plain Ales	5.2	Indulgence G	
Bulmers	4.9	Cider	
		<i>DunnyMarque - 7</i>	
Food:	Bar & Restaurant		Eat here? Y
Test:	Turkey Curry £8-95		Value Index 119
Games	No games, nice garden		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	Red Lion Hotel	No:	120
At:	Lacock	Wilts	
Tour:	La'Cock Tour	Date:	03/01/09

Originally built around 1360 and rebuilt after fire with flagstone floors and full Georgian interior. Wadworth managed and mostly an eatery with lovely large open fire in restaurant and small log burner in bar. Bar area has an empty feel to it despite being steeped in over 200 yrs of history. Well kept beers, food a tad expensive. B&B available. Superb rear courtyard garden. Featured in many period dramas.

Reviewed 03/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 7.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Wadworth		3.6	Henry's IPA	
Wadworth		4.3	6X	3.5
Wadworth		5.8	Old Timer	3.5
			DunnyMarque - 8	
Food:	Top end pub/rest menu		Eat here?	Y
Test:	Lamb Curry £9-95		Value Index	132
Games	No Games, nice rear courtyard garden			
Stay?	Yes		All Day?	Yes

PUB:	George Inn	No:	122
At:	Lacock	Wilts	
Tour:	La'Cock Tour	Date:	03/01/09

Built in 1361 as 'The Inn' it's the oldest pub in Lacock. Exposed beams & fires give this real old pub a cosy atmosphere. A quirky feature of the interior is the "dog-wheel" by the huge fireplace - an iron tread wheel in which a specially bred dog called a 'Turnspit' was tethered to turn the spit as he "walked". A Wadworthshire pub where 2 banks of hand pulls produce just 3 of their beers, but well kept. Food is over priced – all mains over £11 except specials of which Bangers+Mash at £9-25 is still well over the top! Large and pleasant beer garden at rear. Well worth a visit.

Reviewed 03/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Wadworth		3.6	henry's IPA		
Wadworth		4.3	6X		
Wadworth		4.7	JCB	3	
Food:	Very high end pub meals			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Bangers+Mash £9-25			Value Index	142
Games	None				
Stay?	n/a		All Day?	Yes	

PUB:	Tom Brown's	No:	
At:	Dorchester	Dorset	
Tour:		Date:	06/01/09

47 High East St is listed in 1915 Kellys as J Porter Wine & Spirit Merchant. Alan started Goldfinch brewery upstairs in the pub on a 1 barrel plant in 1987. PubCo buyout following his death in 2006 and brewery moved to the old night club at the rear & inc to 4 barrel. Now managed by DBC, 5 hand pulls give 1 cider, 2 DBC + 2 Goldfinch beers. Regular live music. Nice beer garden down to stream – best in town. Darts area at rear. Snack menu.

Reviewed 06/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 6.

Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Goldfinch	4.0	Tom Brown's	3
Goldfinch	4.5	Flashman's Clout	
DBC	5.0	Durdle Door	
DBC	5.9	Silent Knight	
		<i>DunnyMarque - 6</i>	
Food:	<i>Small snack menu</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:			Value Index
Games	<i>Darts area at back, rear beer gdn to river</i>		
Stay?	N/A	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	The Cuckoo	No:	123
At:	Hamptworth	Wilts	
Tour:	New Forest Tour	Date:	23/01/09

18th Century thatched building originally a School and one time village shop has 4 rooms off bar area which has stood in time for a good 50 yrs. 3 good ales on Gravity, Scrumpy & extra guest ales at weekend. Excellent and tastefully added Loos. Nice smoking area/barn which hosts annual Beer Festival in Sept. We like the adults only quiet area for contemplating clouds & good view of golf course. Lovely garden. A quintessential English village pub which has to be on your PTVBYD list! (Pubs To Visit Before You Die). And we were made very welcome!

Reviewed 23/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-.10



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Bowman	3.5	Cuckoorado (Eldorado)	4
Ringwood	3.8	Best Bitter	
Hop Back	5.0	Summer Lightning	3 ½
Frams	6.0	Scrumpy Cider	
		Weekend Guest Ales	
		DunnyMarque - 9	
Food:	<i>Occasional Curry Night</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Platefuls for £5-50</i>		Value Index 59
Games	<i>Darts, Backgammon, Pentanque</i>		
Stay?	N/a	All Day?	<i>Sat+Sun</i>

PUB:	Royal Oak	No:	124
At:	Fritham	Hants	
Tour:	New Forest Tour	Date:	23/01/09

Dating from early 1600s this tiny thatched pub is one of the oldest in the New Forest and mostly unspoilt. Front bar + 2 traditional rooms & log fires. 5+ Beers all on gravity stillage. Large rear garden hosts summer BBQs + Hog Roasts. Other times it's a small lunch snack menu - soup or ploughmans. Beer Fest in Sept. A lovely quiet remote spot where animals abound, this is a traditional country pub which in all respects should be idyllic, and yet there is an oddness about it which I can't quite put my finger on. New loos in adjacent block to high standard.

Reviewed 23/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 7.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Ringwood		3.8	Best Bitter	
Ringwood		4.9	49er	
Ringwood		4.7	XXXX Porter	
Bowman		4.0	Wallop (Rebadged R.Oak)	2.5
Suthwyk		4.6	Skew	
			DunnyMarque - 9	
Food:	Odd menu - plowman only		Eat here?	N
Test:	Ploughmans £6-50		Value Index	110
Games	No.			
Stay?	N/a		All Day?	No

PUB:	The Fighting Cocks	No:	125
At:	Godshill, Fordingbridge	Hants	
Tour:	New Forest Tour	Date:	23/01/09

Build by Strongs in 1927 alongside the old thatched inn which was demolished to build new road. The original 'cock pit' from which pub takes its name is across the road. Iconic 20's large New Forest building which has largely remained unaltered. A good bar area with darts, 5 hand pulls inc scrumpy and separate eating/restaurant area at Forest end of pub with good views. Good basic pub menu and well priced wines £10. Its 30 years since I last visited and this now Freehouse made us welcome. Reviewed 23/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Wells			Bombardier	
Ringwood		3.8	Best Bitter	
Timothy Taylor		4.3	Landlord	
St Austell		4.3	Tribute	3
Cheddar Valley			Scrumpy	
			DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	Good Pub Food Menu		Eat here?	Y
Test:	Chilli/Curry/Lasagne 8-25		Value Index	114
Games	Darts			
Stay?	n/a		All Day?	Yes

PUB:	The Alice Lisle	No:	126
At:	Rockford Green	Hants	
Tour:		Date:	30/01/09

18th cent former School became a pub in 1960s taking its name from local Dame Alice Lisle who was last woman beheaded in England in 1685 for harbouring 2 fugitives from Battle of Sedgemoor. Idyllic pub with large green out front + New Forest ponies. Large beer garden seats 450 & Rest/conservatory 180. Rt hand bar for drinkers has lost its basic character, 2 Fullers Beers + Butcombe. Lt hand eating bar is very cosy. Although in remote Forest area it's hugely popular with families and very busy in summer. Locals give it a miss at weekends. Reviewed 30/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! Score - 7.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Fullers	4.1	London Pride	
Fullers	4.8	Gales HSB	
Butcombe	4.0	Butcombe Bitter G	3.5
		DunnyMarque - 9	
Food:	<i>Food orientated pub</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Steak+Kidney Pie £9-45</i>		Value Index 120
Games	<i>Pool in Rt hand bar.</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	Red Shoot Inn & Brewery	No:	127
At:	Linwood	Hants	
Tour:		Date:	30/01/09

One time village store, PO, Petrol Station and a Pub since 1963. Has been tastefully extended & refurbished with farmhouse kitchen style furniture & settles. 2½ barrel Micobrewery est 1998 & although taken over by Wadworth it continues to brew for itself & other local pubs. 3 banks of 4 hand pumps give us 6X + 3 home brews. Beer Fests Apr+Oct with 20 beers on. Live music Sun eve. Great rural pub, superb home cooked food. Well priced wines £12. Has its own campsite so inclined to be very busy in season. Barmaid at lunchtime was very friendly. Reviewed 30/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-8.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Wadworth	4.3	6X	
Red Shoot	3.8	New Forest Gold	2
Red Shoot	4.2	Muddy Boot dark mild	
Red Shoot	4.8	Tom's Tipple	
		DunnyMarque - 9	
Food:	<i>Good Home cooked grub</i>		Eat here?
Test:	<i>Chilli small portion £5-50</i>		Value Index
Games	<i>None. Garden + Campsite</i>		
Stay?	Campsite	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	High Corner Inn	No:	128
At:	Linwood	Hants	
Tour:		Date:	30/01/09

An Inn since early 1700s. Large rambling building with many nooks & crannies gives it character, but apart from main bar it felt cold today. Set in lovely 7 acre grounds it is accessed by a narrow gravel lane. 4 Hand pulls give 6X, 2 Red Shoot beers + Westons Cider. Seems to have lost its charm since I was a regular 30+ yrs ago, no longer a freehouse – now Waddies managed. May have been a 4th beer if lower bar had been open. Carvery Sun, + bar food. A busy families pub in season. Reviewed 30/01/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 7.



Brewery		abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Wadworth		4.3	6X		3.5
Red Shoot		3.8	Forest Gold		
Red Shoot		4.8	Tom's Tipple		
Westons			Cider		
Food:	Sun Carvery+Bar Menu			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Lasagne £8-95			Value Index	125
Games	Games room gone, but Pool table out back				
Stay?	Yes - exp		All Day?	Sat+Sun	

PUB:	Drovers Inn	No:	129
At:	Gussage All Saints	Dorset	
Tour:		Date:	13/02/09

17th cent part thatched formerly known as Earl Haig and rescued from closure by Ringwood Brewery in 2005. Beers are well kept and legend says a Highwayman haunts the cellar. Flag floors huge inglenook, good beer garden. Good unspoilt country pub with a village shop counter too. 5 hand pulls give 4 Ringwood beers + guest mainly from Marstons – shame. Live music 4th Fri. Menu a bit odd & over expensive.

Reviewed 13/02/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 7.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Ringwood	3.8	Ringwood Best	3 ½
Ringwood	4.7	XXXX Porter	
Ringwood	4.9	49'er	3 ½
Ringwood	5.6	Old Thumper	
Wytchwood		G	
		DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	<i>Odd & expensive Pub menu</i>		Eat here?
Test:	<i>Soup £5, Stk&Kid £9</i>		Value Index
Games	<i>No</i>		
Stay?	<i>N/A</i>	All Day?	<i>No</i>

PUB:	Compasses Inn	No:	136
At:	Lower Chicksgrove, Tisbury	Wilts	
Tour:	Tarky's Birthday Tour	Date:	28/02/09

14th cent thatched former farmhouse with 4 b&b rooms and attached cottage. Low ceilings, tudor beams, flag floor & large log fire give this place character. It has nooks & crannies with ancient poaching traps around the walls. Steeped in history but none has reached it's web page! Apparently renowned for it's food which is over priced for small portions. Rear room has been brought into pub to give access to garden. Difficult to find, it could be on our PTVBYD list but with Madonna as an ex-cust seems to prefer to aim at the Hooray element. 4 hand pulls give 3 beers in reasonable condition



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Keystone		Bedrock	3
Hidden		Quest	
Bass	4.4	Bass	
Food:	<i>Expensive Pub menu</i>		Eat here? P
Test:	<i>Steak+Ale £11-50</i>		Value Index 135
Games	<i>No, piano in bar</i>		
Stay?	<i>AA 4* £85 exp</i>	All Day?	<i>No</i>

PUB:	The Horseshoe	No:	137
At:	Ebbesbourne Wake	Wilts	
Tour:	Tarky's Birthday Tour	Date:	28/02/09

Red Brick+tile village cottage, a pub for 100yrs+. Family run pub where Tony Bath was born 68yrs ago, Landlord for 23yrs and his Dad before him. Once tie of Matthews Brewery, Gillingham, then Hall & Woodhouse for 3 yrs before being sold into the Bath family. Dad, a farmer, collected the rustic farm tools that adorn the bar. Lovely old fireplace, low beams & Square bar serving two rooms plus hatch in hallway. Pretty beer garden. 5 real ales on gravity dispense are in rarely achieved 'Perfect Nectar' condition. Good value large portion pub food. Tony is a character & so is his pub – one of the few TO VISIT BEFORE YOU DIE or he retires!
Reviewed 28/02/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 10.



Brewery	abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Bowman	3.8	Swift One	£2-80 G	5
Bowman	4.0	Wallops Wood	G	5
Otter	3.7	Bitter		
Palmers	4.0	Copper Ale		
Yeovil	4.5	Ruby	G	
		<i>DunnyMarque - 7</i>		
Food:	<i>Good portion Pub menu</i>		Eat here?	Y
Test:	<i>Curry £10-75 big plateful</i>		Value Index	120
Games	<i>None. Pretty Beer Garden</i>			
Stay?	Yes, annexe		All Day?	No

PUB:	Red Lion	No:	139
At:	Swanage	Dorset	
Tour:	Purbeck Tour	Date:	20/03/09

Former Strong's house in the centre of Swanage dates from 17th century. 2 bars with separate entrances, eating area, Coach House B&B at back. Reputation for good value food & accom. Karen and her team run a very friendly house and were helpful with planning future trips to area inc accom deals + other pubs to visit + offer of minibus deal. Music nights also. A character pub worthy of further visits!



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Ringwood	3.8	Best	
Sharp's	4.0	Doom Bar	4
Tim Taylor	4.3	Landlord	
Palmers	3.8	Copper Ale (G)	
Food:	<i>Bar menu + steaks</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Steak+Kidney £8-95</i>		Value Index 110
Games	<i>Pool, Darts, Sove ha'penny</i>		
Stay?	Yes, annexe £38	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	The Square & Compass	No:	140
At:	Worth Matravers	Dorset	
Tour:		Date:	20/03/09

Legendary Pub, one of Tenacious 10 in every CAMRA Good Beer Guide since 1st Edn 1974. Run since 1907 by Newman family who published an excellent book on its history. 3 real ales on gravity dispense served from hatch in hall + 2 drinking rooms. Pasties are only food. Has own Museum. Idyllic seating in front has splendid view out to sea. Built circ 1750. Joseph Cox took 1st License in 1792 as The Sloop, name changed in 1833 & little else since! Strongs to 1969, bought from Whitbread 1994. Not quite the pub it was in Ray Newman's days (1973-93) but still up there in my list of PTVBYD. Review 20/03/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-.10



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Palmers		3.7	Copper Ale	
Hidden Brewery		4.1	Old Sarum	
RCH		4.3	Idle Coopers £2-90	3 ½
			<i>DunnyMarque - S</i>	
Food:	<i>Pie + Pasty only</i>			Eat here?
Test:	<i>Pasty £2-90 bit expensive</i>			Value Index
Games	<i>Dart Board in Rt room, is it for use?</i>			
Stay?	No		All Day?	No

PUB:	Scott Arms	No:	141
At:	Kingston	Dorset	
Tour:	Purbeck Tour	Date:	20/03/09

Former Devenish House, this pub has had the soul ripped out of it. On a sunny Fri lunchtime where others were busy the 2 front bars were empty, unstaffed and definitely 'Managed'. We used to drive out here of a Fri/Sat night in the 70's to a heaving pub with a 'Locals Only' rough cider!! Garden has the most superb view of Corfe Castle and for that alone this should be on the PTVBYD list, but then again.....



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Ringwood	3.8	Best	2 ½
Green King		IPA [NOT ON]	
Food:	<i>Small bar menu</i>		Eat here? P
Test:	<i>Pie of Day £9-50</i>		Value Index 120
Games	<i>Pool in front bar</i>		
Stay?	No	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	Duke of Wellington	No:	142
At:	Wareham	Dorset	
Tour:	Purbeck Tour	Date:	20/03/09

A former Strong's House known as the Three Tuns before their day. Back street market town pub with low beams and pleasant atmosphere. Unusual sign depicting The Duke taking off his boot, the other side is his back!



Brewery	abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Ringwood	3.8	Best	£2-70	
Purbeck		Fossil Fuel		
Greene King	4.2	St Edmunds Ale	G	
Brains	4.0	Bread of Heaven	G	
Taunton Brewing	4.3	Taunton Castle	G	4
Hopback	5.0	Summer Lightning		
Food:	<i>Extensive pub menu</i>		Eat here?	P
Test:	<i>Bangers+Mash £8-95</i>		Value Index	120
Games	<i>None, Darts nights only</i>		Dunny/ Marque - 6	
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	Yes

PUB:	Royal Oak	No:	146
At:	Langstone, Hayling Island	Hants	
Tour:		Date:	02/04/09

Built in 1555 as 3 cottages which became a pub in 1700. Outstanding waterfront location & views make it a legend - the most painted & photographed pub in the UK. Traditional fires, low oak beams, wood & stone floors, nice beer garden, no parking. A food pub but separate eating area. Live folk music 3rd Sun. One time P'mth & Brighton United Breweries, later Brickwoods, then Whitbread. In recent times sold a good pint of Gales HSB, but now sadly a GK Managed pub renovated in 2005. Such a shame, but today we were welcomed by pleasant efficient staff and enjoyed our good value food and well kept beer.

Reviewed 02/04/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 9.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Greene King	3.6	IPA	3
Greene King	5.0	Abbot	
Greene King	4.5	Old Speckled Hen	
Greene King	4.3	Ruddles County	
		<i>DunnyMarque - 8</i>	
Food:	<i>Pub food & restaurant</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Bangers+Mash £6-95</i>		Value Index 100
Games	<i>None</i>		
Stay?	N/A	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	Old Hill Inn	No:	160
At:	Chapel-le-Dale	N. Yorks	
Tour:	Islay	Date:	22/05/09

Part dates from 1615, rest from 1835 originally a farm then Drovers Inn. Stonework, exposed beams and wood panelling with log burner. Cosy with friendly welcome. Run by a family of chefs and food is over priced. Sugar sculpture exhibition is a sight to be seen. 5 hand pulls and a good collection of local ales.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Black Sheep		3.8	Bitter	
Theakston		3.8	Bitter	
Dent		4.0	Aviator	4
Dent		3.7	Golden Fleece	
Dent		3.8	Dent Porter	
			DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	<i>Over priced pub food</i>		Eat here?	Y
Test:	<i>Beef+Ale pie £13-50</i>		Value Index	190
Games	<i>None.</i>			
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	yes

PUB:	Station Inn	No:	161
At:	Ribblehead	N. Yorks	
Tour:	Islay	Date:	22/05/09

The definitive watering hole for walkers & railway buffs. A loo with a view! Photos show as Youngers pub in 1968 when the Master Neverers Assn drowned their sorrows after the passing of the last Steam service on BR the 15gns Special. (1T57). Hasn't got the atmosphere of the Tan Hill but always worth a visit when you are passing. I'd like to know more of the history.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Black Sheep		3.8	Bitter	
Theakston		3.8	Bitter	3 ½
Tetley		3.7	Bitter	
Dent		3.8	Station Porter	
Dent		4.0	Aviator	
			<i>Dunny</i> Marque - 6	
Food:	<i>Good pub menu</i>		Eat here?	Y
Test:	<i>Lasagne £7-95</i>		Value Index	100
Games	<i>Darts, Pool, Jukebox</i>			
Stay?	B&B + Bunkhouse		All Day?	yes

PUB:	Kirkstone Pass Inn	No:	169
At:	Kirkstone Pass	Cumbria	
Tour:	Islay	Date:	30/05/09

Believed to be linked to an ancient 15th Century monastery, records for this building date back to 1496AD. At 1481ft asl the Inn is the highest inhabited building in Cumbria and the third highest Inn in England. In the early 1800's the tall stone building at the North end was built as a coach house, the extra height was needed to take the coaches of the day. Around the 1950's it was converted into a garage complete with petrol pump and forecourt. The building has now been converted to a cottage. 3 Hand pulls and some outside tables across road



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Thwaites		4.2	Wainright	4
Heskett Newma		3.0	Kirkstone Porter	
Arran		3.9	Red Squirrel	
			DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	<i>Reasonalable pub menu</i>		Eat here?	Y
Test:	<i>Chilli £8-50</i>		Value Index	110
Games	<i>No.</i>			
Stay?	B&B + Bunkhouse		All Day?	Yes summer

PUB:	Church House Inn	No:	171
At:	Torver	Cumbria	
Tour:	Islay	Date:	30/05/09

Building dates from 1387 but not always a pub. Low beams, flagstones large log fire and cosy snug. 5 Quirky B&B rooms are part of atmosphere. Beer garden and camping/caravan area. We stayed here 3yrs running and found it friendly & welcoming. Food a tad expensive in restaurant but a good plateful. Bar menu is odd with just 3 dishes, one being Musels at £20! Always worth a visit, and cheaper to stay than in Coniston. Wilson Arms across road worth a look.



Brewery	abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
		DunnyMarque - 6		
Food:	<i>Ltd & Exp Bar menu</i>		Eat here?	Y
Test:			Value Index	115
Games			DunnyMarque - 6	
Stay?	Yes - 5 rooms		All Day?	yes

PUB:	The Bell Inn	No:	172
At:	Wyle	Wilts	
Tour:	Hidden Brewery Visit	Date:	29/07/09

This Coaching Inn dates from 1373 built opposite the 13th Century Church which is said to have a secret tunnel linking it to Stonehenge! A set of 4 hand pulls in each of 2 bars, only 1 set used giving 3 beers. Not always all Hidden beers, Courage Best is next on. CAMRA Beer Score 3½. Nice beer garden at rear, the Food is a good plateful and reasonably priced. We all enjoyed our trip to the Hidden Brewery a mile up the road.

Reviewed 29/07/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 7.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Hidden		4.2	Quest		
Hidden		4.1	Old Sarum	3 ½	
Hidden		4.2	Potential		
			DunnyMarque - 6		
Food:	Good Pub menu			Eat here?	Y
Test:	10oz Gammon £8-25			Value Index	82
Games	None				
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	no	

PUB:	Crown Inn	No:	185
At:	Pewsey	Wilts	
Tour:	Voyage of The Mak'Tar	Date:	19/07/09

5 hand pulls in main lounge bar + 3 in side (public) bar where the pool table + darts are located and exit to nice rear beer garden. We don't know much about the pub except it was the present Landlords 1st anniversary and 6X was additionally available from a wooden keg on the bar at £1/pint! We were made very welcome and had Sunday lunch here. Pub has regular beer festivals and the locals were on a coach trip to Weymouth! There are always at least 5 beers on all from local breweries.

Reviewed 19/07/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Wadworth	4.3	6X - from wood on bar	4
Three Castles	4.3	Vale Ale	4
Three Castles	3.9	Barbury Castle	
Blindmans	4.5	Icarus	
Keystone	4.8	Cornerstone	
Rosies Cider			
Organic Cider		DunnyMarque - ?	
Food:	<i>Good Pub menu</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Lasagne & Chips £5</i>		Value Index 55
Games	<i>Pool & darts in side bar</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	<i>No</i>

PUB:	The Downgate	No:	186
At:	Hungerford	Wilts	
Tour:	Voyage of The Mak'Tar	Date:	21/07/09

1st recorded in 1841 census as The Spotted Cow but by 1871 it became The Royal Exchange and a 1936 photo shows little has changed in this classic, unspoilt, traditional pub on the edge of town. Dave & Jan Yates who've been in the trade 25yrs, and here for last 5, were most welcoming. Thank God someone in Hungerford knows how to run a pub! Not surprisingly the only GBG entry in the town. 3 hand pulls offer 3 Arkells beers in very good condition and the excellent menu leaves you spoilt for choice. Large collection of Aircraft kits on the ceiling.

Reviewed 21/07/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Arkells	3.2	2B	
Arkells	4.0	3B	4
Arkells	4.2	Summer Ale	4
		DunnyMarque - ?	
Food:	<i>Extensive pub menu</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Mixed Grill £14-95</i>		Value Index 85
Games	<i>Darts Thurs + Sun eve</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	<i>No</i>

PUB:	Kings Arms	No:	187
At:	All Cannings	Wilts	
Tour:	Voyage of The Mak'Tar	Date:	23/07/09

The small part of the building out of shot to left was built in 1793, the rest in 1880 after a fire. 10 mins walk from Bridge No.128 on Kennet & Avon Canal it also has a small Caravan Club site. A Waddys tied house where Landlord Richard Balula has won several awards for cellmanship. This is truly reflected in the quality of his beers, and he is allowed a Guest Ale! Richard was most welcoming and very attentive, coming out to the lovely garden to see if more beers were needed before he had his lunch! Sorry we didn't return for a meal in the evening.

Reviewed 23/07/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-.7



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Wadworth		3.6	Henrys IPA		
Wadworth		4.0	Horizon	4	
Wadworth		4.3	6X	4	
York		5.4	Centurions Ghost	4	
			DunnyMarque - ?		
Food:	Daily pub meus			Eat here?	Y
Test:	12oz Gammon £10-25			Value Index	90
Games	Pool room at rear				
Stay?	n/a		All Day?	No	

PUB:	Pilchard Inn	No:	189
At:	Burgh Island	Devon	
Tour:	Kernow II	Date:	22/10/09

Built into the stone wall of the island and dates from 1336 a stone building with 2 bars and 4 hand pulls offering 2 beers. With it's setting, views and 14th century character this little pub should be right up there on the PTVBYD list. Sadly though the whole place suffers from a strange social attitude problem since purchased in 2001 by the Orchard family, City of London business types. The nicer 'Top Bar' is Reserved for residents of their Poirot 1929 Art Deco Hotel & regulars. Sad for the 'Lovejoy' enthusiast in our group. It's a Public House Jim, but not as we know it! If this place was on fire, you wouldn't p*** on it!

Reviewed 22/10/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-.4



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
St Austell	3.6	Pilchard Bitter (rebadge)	3 ½
Soth Hams	4.2	XSB	
		DunnyMarque - ?	
Food:	<i>they do food</i>		Eat here? N
Test:	<i>we didn't bother to look</i>		Value Index 110
Games			
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	possibly

PUB:	Dolphin	No:	190
At:	Kingston	Devon	
Tour:	Kernow II	Date:	22/10/09

16th century village pub with buildings both sides of narrow road + car park, & beer garden. Low beam ceiling, log fire give this pub a warm atmosphere. It's a good village pub, which has to look after its locals in very busy holiday periods. This is a GBG pub where we were made very welcome by Liza. 4 hand pulls gave us 3 good quality beers. Loos are opposite and there is B&B accommodation.

Reviewed 22/10/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Courage	3.8	Best	
Sharp's	4.0	Doom Bar	4
Skinners	4.3	Betty Stoggs (G)	
		DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	<i>Good Pub menu</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Cottage pie £7-95</i>		Value Index 85
Games	<i>Dartboard for darts nights</i>		
Stay?	Yes	All Day?	No

PUB:	Blisland Inn	No:	191
At:	Blisland	Cornwall	
Tour:	Kernow I & II	Date:	22/10/09

Brilliant GBG pub which Gary Marshall has run for 15 years since leaving the Navy. Tucked away down narrow lanes in a small village 8 hand pulls offer 2 House ales, 5 guests + 1 cider. All beers are in excellent condition, max price £2-50/pint and 1 always at £1-80. Meals are great value: 2 sausage, 2 eggs + chips £6-25. Pork pies & Scotch eggs 60p. Multi CAMRA award winners and Telegraph Pint to Pint on our visit 2008. Gary works hard to make this a fantastic pub and definitely a PTVBYD.

Reviewed 25/10/08 & 24/10/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 9



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Penpont		Blisland Bitter	4
Penpont		Blisland Special	4
Sharp's	5.0	Blisland Bulldog	
Bass	4.4	Bass	
Coastal	4.3	Winnie's Honey Haven	
Skinner's	4.0	Betty Stoggs	
Exmoor	3.8	Exmoor Ale	
Food:	<i>Good Pub menu</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>2 saus, 2 egg + chips £6-25</i>		Value Index 73
Games	<i>Pool in rear family room</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	yes

PUB:	Warren House Inn	No:	192
At:	Postbridge, Dartmoor	Devon	
Tour:	Kernow II	Date:	22/10/09

Sat all on its own in the middle of nowhere, this is the 4th highest pub in England at 1,420 ft a.s.l. Originally built as The New House Inn in 1760 on the opposite side of the road The slate plaque on the gable records the opening of the present building (still called the New House Inn) on 18-Sep-1845 and the fire in the main bar has reputedly not gone out since! 4 hand pulls give us 3 fairly regular beers in good condition. It's a friendly welcoming pub, but too remote for 'regulars'. Food is reasonable if a tad expensive, but this is the middle of Dartmoor! Nice Jag!

Reviewed 24/10/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-.9



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Sharp's	4.0	Doom Bar	3 ½
Otter	4.5	Otter Ale	
Teignworthy	4.5	Beachcomber	
		DunnyMarque - ?	
Food:	<i>Good pub menu</i>		Eat here?
Test:	<i>Steak + Ale pie £10-50</i>		Value Index
Games	<i>Unbelievably there is a separate pool/darts rm</i>		
Stay?	n/a	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	Dartmoor Inn	No:	193
At:	Merrivale Bridge	Devon	
Tour:	Kernow II	Date:	22/10/09

Sat all on its own in the middle of nowhere next to the old bridge built in 1770. Converted from 3 cottages around 1840 as Merrivale Inn. Too remote for 'regulars' so it really lacks atmosphere, although our barmaid was friendly enough, at 9pm (Sat) we were only people here. 4 hand pulls give us 4 beers in good condition. Ate here as we were staying and food is reasonable. £65/room ensuite. 1st time I've been asked to pay before sleeping which annoyed us a lot! In the morning it was like the Mary Celeste so no wonder. We waited for breakfast but I don't think we'll be back!

Reviewed 22/10/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-.7



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Palmers		4.2	IPA	
Skinners		4.2	Green Hop	
Skinners		4.0	Heligan Honey	
Blackawton		4.7	Exhibition Ale	3
			DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	<i>Bar snacks or Restaurant</i>		Eat here?	Y
Test:	<i>Mixed Grill £15-95</i>		Value Index	95
Games	<i>Darts in back room - cold & lifeless</i>			
Stay?	£55-£65/room		All Day?	No

PUB:	Hunter's Moon	No:	194
At:	Middlemarsh, Sherborne	Dorset	
Tour:	Kernow II	Date:	25/10/09

This mid 18th century Coaching Inn, formerly The White Horse, was very tastefully renovated in June'07. Wood floor at the ornate stone bar, log fires, and a friendly Landlord make a very cosy and welcoming atmosphere. Food is excellent and the stack of real ham+2eggs+chips great value at £6-95. Sunday carvery excellent value £8-95. Waiting staff very attentive. B&B is very high std and well priced from £55 per double. Butcombe+Guest+Real cider, with extra guest in summer. Large beer gdn, A352 can be busy but not noticeable.

Reviewed 18/12/08 & 25/10/09 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Butcombe		4.0	Butcombe Bitter	4
Adnams		4.3	Explorer G	
Ringwood		3.8	Best G	
Addlestones			Cloudy Cider	
			DunnyMarque - 7	
Food:	Pub/Rest menu some exp		Eat here?	Y
Test:	Ham,2eggs+chips £6-95		Value Index	90
Games	Crib + some board games			
Stay?	£55dble	All Day?	Sat+Sun. closes 2.30-5 in wk	

PUB:	The Bear Inn	No:	195
At:	Wincanton		
Tour:	Midland Bank Re-union	Date:	12/02/10

Clean, warm & welcoming this lunchtime. 4 hand pulls offering 3 ales - Ringwood rated CAMRA 4. Pub grub menu very reasonable prices. Landlady has been there 13 years, since old Joe retired. Pub unaltered for many years (Grade II listed) and hasn't changed since I was a regular in the early 1990s. Pool table in back room. Half way between London & Plymouth, Wincanton was important in the 18th cent for its Coaching Inns, of which this is one. Entrance to old stable yard hasn't changed either. Don't know about getting a stagecoach in, but my Jag fitted without any bother!
Reviewed 12/02/10 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 7.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Ringwood		3.8	Best	4
Green King		5.0	Abbot Ale	
Sharp's		4.0	Doom Bar	
			DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	Pub menu		Eat here?	Y
Test:	Lasagne + Chips £5-85		Value Index	73
Games	Pool room at back + skittle alley			
Stay?	Rooms available	All Day?	Yes	

PUB:	Crown Inn	No:	196
At:	Alvediston		
Tour:	Pre-Birthday Tour	Date:	15/02/10

15th century thatched building with low beams was 1st recorded as a pub in 1867 and the name has remained. Tucked away from the main street it has a large car park and larger beer garden/terrace to rear. Bar & eating area lead to another eating room and rear dining room. 3 B&B rooms. David & Linda Stone have been in situ for 3 months and made us very welcome. 3 hand pulls (4th due soon) provide Ringwood Best + 2 guests – Keystone & Sixpenny today. Beers in excellent condition (CAMRA 4). Good pub menu, Chilli £8-95. Bands last Friday of month. Watch for coming Beer Festivals!

Reviewed 15/02/10 by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE- 8.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Ringwood	3.8	Best Bitter	
Keystone	3.6	Bedrock Bitter G	4
Sixpenny	4.8	Special FX G	4
		4th pump due soon	
		DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	<i>Good pub menu</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Chilli, Bangers+Mash, £8-95</i>		Value Index 110
Games	<i>Darts, Bands last Fri month</i>		
Stay?	3 Rooms £65pn	All Day?	Fri/Sat/Sun

PUB:	Three Crowns	No:	197
At:	Chippenham	Wilts	
Tour:	Chippenham Crawl	Date:	04/03/11

Waggoners pub built pre-1784 when it belonged to Kingsfords Brewery in Lacock. By 1910 owned by Blake's of Trowbridge & front extension added. Absorbed by Ushers in 1922. Once Enterprise Inn, now Freehouse bought by Steve Jenner May'10 & run by son Tom. Still a basic public bar boozer, less frequented Lounge, and great friendly atmosphere. Without doubt The Best Pub in Chippenham! 6 hand pulls in main bar offer 6 changing well kept beers inc 1 dark. 3 hand pulls in lounge used for regular Beer Festivals with 9 on! CAMRA Beer Score 4. 3 Ciders from polypins CAMRA member discount 30p/pint! Rear parking 5 cars. No beer garden, the walls are it's footprint. Thanks guys for saving this little gem of a pub! And in our list of PTVBYD. SCORE- 9.



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Purple Moose	3.6	Snowdonia G	4
Breconshire	4.2	Golden Valley G	4
West Berks	3.8	Maggs Mild G	
Otley	4.1	Dark - O G	4
Wickwar	5.0	Penny Black G	4
West Berks	4.1	Dr Hexters Wedding Ale	
Food:	<i>Rolls, pasties £1-50</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Both - great!</i>		Value Index 50
Games	<i>Dart team Tues .</i>		Dunny/Marque - 7
Stay?	N/A	All Day?	weekends

PUB:	Tigh an Truish Inn	No:	208
At:	Isle of Seil	Argyll	
Tour:	Islay Tour 2010	Date:	27/05/10

Early 18th Century, Tigh an Truish means 'House of the Trousers' and comes from the period after the 1745 Jacobite rebellion when kilts were banned. Islanders heading for the mainland (then without the benefit of the bridge) are supposed to have stopped here to swap their kilts for trousers. An idyllic setting next to the famous Atlantic Bridge with lovely beer garden and superb views of the Sound. Freehouse with 2 hand pulls offering varying local ales. CAMRA 3. Unique corner seat around end of bar. Certainly a PTVBYD. SCORE-9.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Kimelford		3.8	Golden Ale	3	
Fyne Ales		4.1	Crannog	3 ½	
			DunnyMarque -		
Food:	Fish specials, cream Tea £2-25			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Chicken pie £7-25			Value Index	80
Games	Darts - short mat.				
Stay?	£60 but 2 night min	All Day?	in summer		

PUB:	Bank Tavern	No:	246
At:	8 John St, BRISTOL	Bristol	
Tour:	Bristol Crawl	Date:	26/09/11

On 1st August 1750, the first bank in Bristol opened in a house at the corner of Broad St & John St. There were no other Banks outside of London except for one at Derby, so the event caused quite a stir. The Bank Tavern has been firmly fixed in a corner of John Street since the 1750's and we really like this tiny well hidden pub. On a Monday afternoon we were the only customers and we enjoyed the atmosphere. 6 hand pulls gave us 4 good beers (**CAMRA 4**) and 2 ciders. CAMRA Discount. There's plenty of decent priced food on the menu – Chilli £5-95, with Loyalty Card scheme and a Take-Away service! A regular GBG entry, this pub is popular and can get busy. It has a reputation for it's humour too! See 'House Rules' and definitely visit their website: www.banktavern.com



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
GWB		4.0	HPA	4	
GWB		4.2	Bees Knees	4	
Moor Beer Co		7.3	Old Freddie Walker		
Forge		4.3	Litehouse		
2 Ciders					
Food:	Decent price snack menu			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Chilli £5-95			Value Index	85
Games	None		DunnyMarque - 7		
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	Yes	

PUB:	White Lion	No:	247
At:	Colston Ave, BRISTOL	Bristol	
Tour:	Bristol Crawl	Date:	26/09/11

Once part of a hotel, the White Lion has been a pub since at least 1806 when the landlord was one Abraham Whitlaw. Currently owned by the Wickwar Brewing Co. J & T Usher of Bristol, bought a 75-year lease in 1887 and the following year rebuilt the pub which stands today. According to the barman it was build along the edge of the old town wall which is still visible behind some of the fridges, and he says the cast iron spiral staircase which descends to the Gents was rescued from a local jail. Friendly local with good atmosphere. One of the best pubs in Bristol. 5 hand pulls - 5 house beers: **CAMRA 3½**



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Wickwar		3.5	Coopers	
Wickwar		4.0	BOB	3 ½
Wickwar		4.0	Bankers Draft	
Wickwar		4.2	Sunny Daze	
Wickwar		4.5	IKB	
			DunnyMarque - 6	
Food:	Ploughmans, snax etc		Eat here?	N
Test:	Not tested		Value Index	-
Games	None			
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	Yes

PUB:	Seven Stars	No:	248
At:	1 Thomas Lane, BRISTOL	Bristol	
Tour:	Bristol Crawl	Date:	26/09/11

The 1st record of this Grade-II listed building is in 1694 when Sir John Hawkins who, whilst buying what was to become the Georges Brewery, acquired the lease from the Saunders family brewing dynasty. The Seven Stars is well known for its links to the abolition of slavery. The Reverend Thomas Clarkson came to the pub in 1787 to collect evidence to support the abolition of slavery which was supplied to William Wilberforce and used to pass the Act for the Abolition of Slavery. Local CAMRA POTY 2010+11, pool, rock juke box, silent TV, live acoustic music Thur eve & w/end afternoons. 8 hand pulls with ever changing beers, and themed 'Beeriodical' beer fests 1st Mon-Wed of the month. CAMRA Discount. Side of the pub still carries the crest of the now defunct Ushers Brewery of Trowbridge. **CAMRA 3½**



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Dark Star	4.2	Hylder Blonde	
Dawkins	4.6	Gruit Lush	
Devil Fish	4.2	That Gold Devil	3 ½
RCH	6.0	Firebox	
Triple fff	4.2	Moondance	
3 more			
Food:	<i>None</i>		Eat here? N
Test:	<i>N/A</i>		Value Index -
Games	<i>Pool</i>		DunnyMarque - 6
Stay?	<i>N/A</i>		All Day? Yes

PUB:	Cornubia	No:	249
At:	142 Temple St, BRISTOL	Bristol	
Tour:	Bristol Crawl	Date:	26/09/11

Built for wig maker Charles Cox c1775 this Grade-II listed building has been a pub since 1860. Known as the Rabbit Warren between 1853-54 when Simeon Pearce ran the pub and was a rabbit & game dealer, and beer retailer. The Cornubia (the Latin name for Cornwall) was probably named after the S.S. Cornubia, a paddle steamer which plied its trade between Hayle in Cornwall and Bristol in the late 1850's. A one time Georges Brewery pub, it became the hospitality suite for the now defunct Courage Bristol Brewery. As part of the Smiles estate of 17 pubs it suffered the same fate as The Brewery Tap – Receivership in 2004, closure in July'06. Saved & re-opened by Hidden Brewery which closed in 2010. Now a Freehouse, Thursday nights Blues jam session! 7 hand pulls giving a changing range of beers: **CAMRA 4**



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Everards	3.8	Beacon	4
Everards	4.2	Tiger	4
Milk St	4.4	Amarillo	
Quantock	4.2	Sunraker	
BBF	5.0	Chocolate Stout	4
BBF	6.5	Southville Hop	
Food:	<i>Classic Pub Menu</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Ham Egg & Chips £5-50</i>		Value Index 83
Games	<i>None</i>		DunnyMarque - 7
Stay?	<i>N/A</i>	All Day?	Yes

PUB:	Kings Head	No:	250
At:	60 Victoria St, BRISTOL	Bristol	
Tour:	Bristol Crawl	Date:	26/09/11

Only pub in Bristol to be featured on [CAMRA's Historic Pub Interiors list](#). Dropped from 2012 GBG! Building is pre-1660, interior refurbished around 1865 and again at the turn of the 19th century but the bar is very recent, dating from 1998. One long narrow room with the bar running along most of one side. At the rear of the pub is the only seating area ~The Tramcar Bar, which originally would have been part of the bar. Before this was installed the pub would have been pretty much standing room only as is often the case Fri & Sat nights! Limited food lunchtimes. A real tribute to a bygone age. George's pub taken over by Courage, now Enterprise Inns with expensive Scottish & Newcastle tie – Beer £3-50/pt. 4 hand pulls, beer in good condition: **CAMRA 3½**



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Black Sheep		3.8	Best	
Sharps		4.0	Doombar	
Hogsback		4.2	TEA	
Butcombe		4.4	Gold	3 ½
Food:	Ltd food lunchtimes		Eat here?	N
Test:			Value Index	-
Games	None		DunnyMarque - 7	
Stay?	N/A		All Day?	Yes

PUB:	The Front	No:	251
At:	Falmouth	Cornwall	
Tour:	Falmouth Beer Festival	Date:	20/10/11

Tucked away in a corner of Custom House Quay at the rear of and underneath the HarbourLights Chip Shop. Being a stone's throw from The Quayside, and Chain Locker I simply can't explain how we managed to miss this pub on previous visits. Doesn't look much from the outside but this small cellar-style pub with a low vaulted ceiling had 12 beers and 5 ciders racked up! Regular live music and bring your own take-away it supplies a great atmosphere and non-stop Beer Festival - **CAMRA 4** and Local branch POTY 2011



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Tintagel	4.8	Harbour Special	4
Hunters	6.0	Black Jack	
Bays	5.1	Dreckly Dumpling	
Skinners	4.5	Penny Come Quick	
Rebel	4.4	Autumn Ale	4
<i>and 7 more!!!</i>			
Food:	<i>Bring your own Take-Away!</i>		Eat here?
Test:	<i>Great idea.</i>		Value Index
Games	<i>None</i>		DunnyMarque - 7
Stay?	<i>N/A</i>		Yes

PUB:	Crooked Inn	No:	252
At:	Stoketon Cottage, Saltash	Cornwall	
Tour:	Falmouth Beer Festival	Date:	22/10/11

18th century cottages belonging to local manor & accessed by a very long drive. Turned into a pub 25 years ago by current family owners. 4 Hand pulls offered: Jail Ale, HSD, a Cider, and Tintagel Cornwall's Pride 4% which was in good CAMRA 3½ condition. Nice log fire in L-shaped room which leads to conservatory. Accommodation in adjoining new buildings. Sunday Carvery £8-95. Not an easy find, but worth the effort.



Brewery		abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S	
Tintagel		4.0	Cornwall's Pride	3 ½	
Princetown		4.8	Jail Ale		
St. Austell		5.0	HSD		
Cider					
Food:	Up market pub food			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Sun Carvery £8-95			Value Index	110
Games	None		DunnyMarque - 7		
Stay?	Yes.		All Day?	Yes	

PUB:	Wanted Inn	No:	253
At:	Sparrowpit, A623	Peak Forrest	
Tour:		Date:	16/12/11

Built in 1618 as a Farmstead, became 3 Tuns in 1700 and In 1839 the name was changed to The Devonshire Arms by the Duke, who was Lord of the Manor. When the 10th Duke died in 1950, massive death duties put the Inn up for auction but it did not get a bid and remained "unwanted". In 1956 it was purchased by Jack Buswell redesigned restored and after much thought renamed at a Formal ceremony by local MP. The Buswells left the pub in 1969 and sometime after it passed into the Robinsons estate. 4 hand pulls provide 2 Robbies beers and food is excellent value



Brewery		abv	ALE	(G - Guest)	S
Robinsons		4.2	Unicorn		
Robinsons		5.0	Double Hop		
Food:	Classic pub menu £7-95			Eat here?	Y
Test:	Yorkie,Bangers,Mash, Veg			Value Index	85
Games	None		DunnyMarque - 7		
Stay?	B&B		All Day?	No.	

PUB:	Printers Elbow II	No:	255
At:	Torre, Torquay	Devon	
Tour:		Date:	01/02/12

In the mid 1980's Eddie Thomas, Landlord of The Printers Elbow in the centre of town (pub lost to re-development some years ago) moved out to Torre to take over The Globe, a Courage house, and promptly renamed it **The Printers Elbow II**. Present Landlord Barry Owen and his wife took over the lease in 1987 and for the last 25 years have kept the pub in the original condition it is in today. It's a classic boozer with Darts & Pool in a large bar where the old 2 room split is still part of the atmosphere. A walled rear area doubles as outside drinking in the summer and smoking area. 5 hand pulls offer: Courage Best, Directors, John Smiths, and a guest which they choose to take from local Teignworthy Brewery subject to suiting the taste buds of their regulars.



Brewery				abv	ALE (G - Guest)		S
Courage				4.0	Best		4
Courage				5.0	Directors		
John Smiths				3.8	Bitter		
Teignworthy				5.4	Winter Daze		4
Food:	No food					Eat here?	N
Test:	N/A					Value Index	-
Games	Darts, Pool				DunnyMarque - 6		
Stay?	N/A				All Day?	Yes	

PUB:	The Gatehouse	No:	
At:	Lake		
Tour:	SADCATS on Tour	Date:	13/12/08

A purpose built folly in remote setting with its own lake. Car park is well hidden and pub is reached by small boat. Beer garden decked into moat is most peaceful. Patio terrace above The Keep is also very popular. Beer condition cannot be beaten. The cellar is a bit damp but the pipes are ritually and rigorously cleaned by our Landlord. The Tudor room has a massive log fire and the games are played discreetly. This pub is to die for! Those who know are sworn to secrecy – No cards, no advertising, no beer guide entries, no mobiles, no TomTom and no map! This really is heaven. Reviewed by SADCATS on Tour! SCORE-.10



Brewery	abv	ALE (G - Guest)	S
Butcombe	4.0	Bitter	4.5
Sharp's	4.0	Doom Bar	4.5
Wadworth	4.3	6X	4.5
Hop Back	5.0	Summer Lightning	5
<i>Guest Ale</i>		<i>As requested by Regulars</i>	
Food:	<i>Ex value pub 'Plate O'grub'</i>		Eat here? Y
Test:	<i>Help self Chilli Bucket £5</i>		Value Index 49
Games	<i>Darts, Dominoes, Crokinole, Bar Billiards, Gdn</i>		
Stay?	Yes!!!	All Day?	To suit you!