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11TH

OLD TOWN BEER & CIDER FESTIVAL

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WELCOME TO OUR 11TH BEER & CIDER FESTIVAL



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Last year's 4 day festival with the introduction of live music and comedy was a huge success and we are delighted to run to the same format.

The event kicks off on Thursday 9th May with an evening of Comedy in partnership with the Swindon Old Town Comedy club. On Friday we have our standard beer festival, our flagship day on Saturday begins at 12noon with live bands from 5pm onwards. The event closes with an evening of songs from musicals performed by the fabulous SALOS.

This year you will find a classic tulip glass with our iconic Christ Church logo.

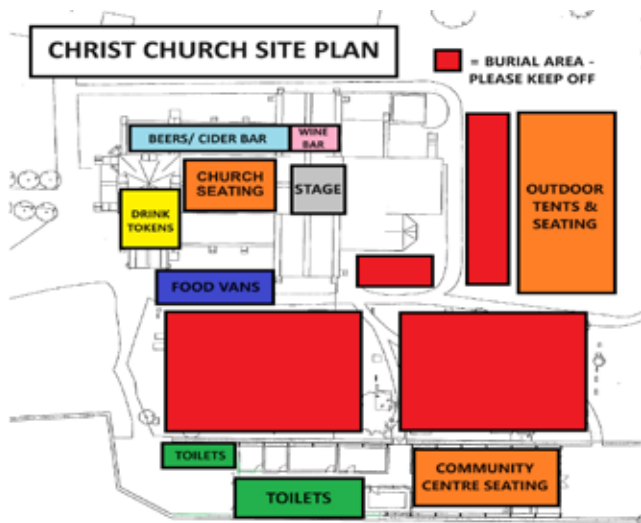
For the first time, we will be introducing a wine bar, as we know that not everyone drinks beer and cider. A glass of wine can be purchased in the same way as the beers & ciders via drinks tokens. 2 x tokens = 1 x glass of wine.

God is normally on our side bringing beautiful sunshine. When sitting outside please use the seating provided and keep off of the roped off graves. As well as respecting these areas we are also encouraging native wild flowers and providing habitat for insects and wildlife as part of our church eco strategy.

We hope that you have a great time at Christ Church and feel welcomed into our community!



INFORMATION



Drinks Vouchers - There is NO CASH on the bars. We do however exchange beer/cider, crisps, nuts and soft drinks for vouchers. These can be bought in £6 (3 drinks) or £12 (6 drinks) sheets from the welcome stall at the entrance. Cash or Card is fine 1 Token can be used for ½ pint, 1 soft drink or 2 snacks. 2 tokens for an alcohol free bottle of cider or glass of wine. We can also refund left over money on vouchers (unless you decide to donate it).

Food outlets - take payment by cash/ card. Drinks tokens cannot be redeemed from the food outlets.



Food for Thought - Food for thought will be here on Thursday 9th, Friday 10th & Saturday 11th May selling their Fish and Chip shop range plus their amazing half and Quarter pounder burgers as well as a vege/ vegan option.



Glamorose - They will be serving a selection of their wonderful cupcakes, tiffins and ice creams on Saturday 11th May.



Hjälpande Händer Catering - As one of our event charities, they will be raising funds by serving their speciality coffees, teas & cakes on Friday 10th & Saturday 11th May.

Toilets - There are men's porta loos at the end of the community centre by walking up the ramp to the right of the catering van. There are also men's, women's, disabled and gender neutral toilets to use inside the Community Centre.

Smoking - It is **illegal to smoke inside**, please refrain from doing so. Please also **refrain from using Vaporizers** inside the building. Smoking bins will be provided outside.

Take away your Favourite - Have you found a beer or Cider that you really liked? Why not take it home? Available to buy in bundles of 2, 3 or 4 pints.



LIVE COMEDY



Following the success from last year, we will be hosting a live comedy event.

Headliner: Fiona Allen

Twice Emmy-winning actor and comedian Fiona Allen has been a mainstay of our TV screens over the past two decades as well as an excellent stand-up comedian. She has starred in various sketch shows, including Goodness Gracious Me and The All Star Comedy Show, but most famously Smack the Pony. Fiona won a whole new generation of fans in the second series of the hit E4 teenage drama Skins, playing Maxxie's mum, Jackie Oliver (her on-screen hubby was Bill Bailey). She has also played the role of Georgia Stevenson in the BBC drama Waterloo Road, while often appearing as herself on comedy shows like Mock the Week and 8 Out Of 10 Cats.



Ian Macdonald

Ian Macdonald has been gigging since he made 400 vicars laugh (at the same time!) and realised that Stand Up Comedy was the mid-life crisis he was searching for. Delivering his own brand of cheerful incredulity, he has been described as 'warm,' 'full of heart' and 'very very funny.'



Jonathan Elston

Jonathan has been a permanent fixture of the UK comedy circuit since beginning stand up at the age of 19. His adaptability either as a quick witted MC or delivering a set of packed fully relatable punchlines means he is at home performing in a wide range of venues. He was the youngest ever headliner of the prestigious Big Value Showcase and MC of AAA at the Edinburgh Festival.

His likability and sharp writing means he is sought after act at many of the UK's major clubs, alongside multiple shows in New Zealand, Norway and Spain.



Sam Michael

Our local MC living in Swindon, Sam Michael is a stand up comedian and award winning podcaster who has been described as "effortlessly able to win over a crowd" (We Are Cult Magazine) and "outright hilarious" (BBC Radio Wiltshire). He was a finalist in last year's Stand Up For Cider competition. He has written and performed comedy to audiences across the UK. You tube account with over 1,700 subscribers.



THIS YEAR'S CHARITIES



Did you know that only 6% of adults with Special Needs are paid for the work they perform. We think that's wrong. Hjälpande Händer (Helping Hands in Swedish) was setup in 2018 as a non-profit charity based in Swindon run by volunteers. It gives young adults with special needs the chance to get paid work operating a mobile catering trailer. We involve the young adults in all aspects of the business and at the same time hope they will have fun and enjoy the atmosphere of the various events. We also operate the kiosk at Stanton Country Park on weekends.



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What the Pluck

Returning for a 2nd year, What The Pluck are a highly entertaining Swindon based ukulele band playing a mix of songs that you will know and love from a variety of different musical genres across the decades. The guys will add their own unique twist to the songs and are not afraid to mash things together. What The Pluck had everyone at the festival on their feet last year and are extremely pleased to be included in this year's lineup.



Driftwood

John and Suzie formed Driftwood Country Duo, based in Swindon, after performing in bands for many years and having a love for country music. We bring together our unique sound, John with his love for the Banjo & guitar, Suzie with her diverse background in singing and love for the washboard, tambourine & shakers, performing songs that are reminiscent of June & Johnny Cash, Dolly Parton & Kenny Rogers and Emmylou Harris.



Lost Hills

The Lost Hills are a Swindon based band playing great songs that you will know and love. We are a five piece female fronted band and we enjoy playing some of the best songs and artists from the last fifty years including songs by Stereophonics, Lady Gaga, the Eagles, the Killers and some less expected!! We've been gigging around Swindon for the last eight years and love supporting festivals!




Sweet Nightingale

Sweet Nightingale are Tim and Nat, an acoustic duo based in sunny Swindon. They've been performing together for a number of years at a variety of functions, venues and events. Their repertoire covers the full range of styles suitable for all tastes and ages. From jazz standards, country classics, easy listening, modern pop, showtunes and even Disney. Just one guitar, two voices, beautiful harmonies and music for your inner songbird!

THE CIDERS

Brewery:	Tasting notes & ABV:	Comments:	Pump clips:
Barbourne Cider (Worcester)	Painted lady perry - 5% - Perry Medium sweet with some pleasant citrus notes.		
Broadoak (Somerset)	Bristol Port - 4.5% - Medium Dry Medium dry red apple cider with a slight cloud.		
Broadoak (Somerset)	Moonshine - 7.5% - Medium Medium crisp refreshing premium strong cider that defies ABV!		
	Moonshine is kindly sponsored by PPS Chartered Accountants.		
Broadoak (Somerset)	Chilli & Pear - 4% - Perry Sweet perry with a subtle chilli bite.		
Burrow Hill (Somerset)	Burrow Hill - 6% - Medium Medium champion cider.		
Chant's Cider (Somerset)	Badgers Spit - 7.5% - Dry Dry traditional natural cloudy hazy gold well-balanced with tart finish.		
Chant's Cider (Somerset)	Singing Cider - 7.5% - Medium Medium cloudy cider from a variety of apples giving full-bodied fruity taste.		

Brewery:	Tasting notes & ABV:	Comments:	Pump clips:
Cockeyed cider (Devon)	Monkey Mango - 4% - Fruit Fermented mainly from dessert fruit blended with traditional mango.		
Cockeyed cider (Devon)	Cockbird - 5% - Sweet Sweet clear cider with a full apple flavour.		
	Cockbird is kindly sponsored by Moovahome.		
Dudda's Tun (Sittingbourne)	Salted Caramel - 4% - Fruit Sweet sumptuous blend of caramel with a hint of salt to soften the acidity.		
Farmer Jim's cider (Newton Abbot)	Grape Escape - 4% - Fruit Medium Devon cider blended with grape juice.		
Farmer Jim's cider (Newton Abbot)	Strawberry & Kiwi - 4% - Fruit Medium cider with sweet juicy strawberries blended with tart kiwi juice.		
Farmer Jim's cider (Newton Abbot)	Copper Top - 7.4% - Medium Dry Medium dry rich deep copper cider full of flavour.		
Hallets (Newport)	National Treasure - 5% - Sweet Sweet cider from traditional and natural keiving method.		
Hunts Cider (Devon)	Raspberry - 3.8% - Fruit Sweet raspberry flavoured cider 'mind - t'will give 'ee a red head'.		



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Hunts Cider (Devon)	Hazy Dazy - 4.5% - Sweet Sweet classic handcrafted cloudy - perfect after a day's work in the fields.		
Hunts Cider (Devon)	Barn Screecher - 6.2% - Dry Dry traditional farmhouse named after the noise of the hunting barn owls.		
Hunts Cider (Devon)	Wobbler - 6% - Medium Medium traditional farmhouse - 'Squire's bin on the Wobbler'.		
	Barn Screecher & Wobbler are kindly sponsored by Caroline & Rob Pean.		
Newton Court (Newton Court)	Panting Partridge Perry - 5.3% - Perry Medium with a juicy pear finish from Herefordshire perry pears.		
Newton Court (Newton Court)	First Press - 4.8% - Medium Sweet Medium sweet light tannin free made from dessert apples with crisp dry finish.		
Sandford Orchards (Devon)	The General - 8.4% - Dry Dry aged in 100 yr old oak vat - tribute to legendary Sir Revers Buller.		
Seacider (Brighton)	White peach - 4% - Fruit Medium cider blended with white peaches for a fruity and refreshing drink.		
Seacider (Brighton)	Blueberry - 4% - Fruit Medium cider blended with blueberries for a fruity and refreshing drink.		

Brewery:	Tasting notes & ABV:	Comments:	Pump clips:
Seacider (Brighton)	Bakewell tart - 4% - Fruit Sweet cider with notes of cherry and almonds (contains almonds).		
Seacider (Brighton)	Hardcore - 6.8% - Dry Full bodied dry cider with complex punchy apple aroma.		
Seacider (Brighton)	Medium Dry - 5.8% - Medium Dry Fruity flourish gives way to a dry but refreshing backbone.		
Sheppy's (Taunton)	Low Alcohol - 0.5% - Low alcohol beautifully light crisp low alcohol cider - plenty of refreshing apple flavour.		
Tricky cider (Langport)	Wizard - 6.5% - Medium Med/rich high tannin smooth blend of Michelin, Dabinet and Yarlington.		
Twisted Cider (Sherborne)	Bubblegum - 3.4% - Fruit Sweet retro cider really tasting of bubble gum!		
Twisted Cider (Sherborne)	Dandelion & Burdock - 3.4% - Fruit Sweet farmhouse - rich fruity full apple taste.		
Twisted Cider (Sherborne)	Observer - 4.5% - Medium Medium farmhouse light bodied fruity taste.		

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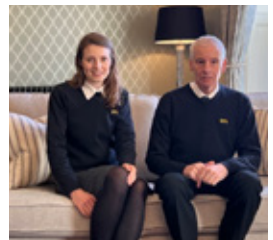
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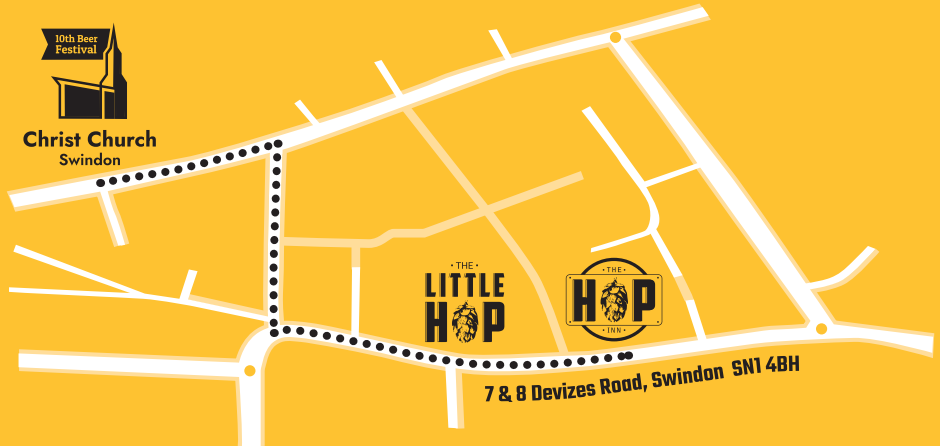
THE BEERS

Brewery:	Tasting notes & ABV:	Comments:	Pump clips:
Abbeydale (Sheffield)	<p>Deception - 4.1% - Pale Delicious citrus flavours with hints of gooseberry and white grape. Primarily hopped with Nelson, balanced by the addition of other hops including Amarillo, Chinook, Galaxy and Columbus giving a crisp bitter finish - GLUTEN FREE</p>		
Abbeydale (Sheffield)	<p>Serenity - 3.8% - Pale A drinkable, hoppy pale ale, lower in alcohol but full on in flavour. Hopped with Cascade and Galaxy, for floral and fruity notes, with a refreshing pine finish - GLUTEN FREE</p>		
Abbeydale (Sheffield)	<p>Voyager IPA - 5.6% - IPA Oozing juicy citrus and tropical fruit flavours with a vibrant finish. West Coast bitterness meets East Coast fruitiness - GLUTEN FREE</p>		
	<p>Voyager IPA is kindly sponsored by the Hop Inn.</p>		
Acorn (Barnsley)	<p>Barnsley Bitter - 3.8% - Amber Brewed using the finest quality Maris Otter malt and English hops. Chestnut in colour, having a well rounded rich flavour, it retains a lasting bitter finish.</p>		
Acorn (Barnsley)	<p>The Breakfast Club - 4.1% - Stout Oatmeal Breakfast Stout is rich and filling with aromas of coffee and liquorice.</p>		

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Acorn (Barnsley)	Gorlovka - 6% - Stout A deep malt and hoppy aroma with liquorice throughout. Roast malt, fruit and hops also carry through this full bodied stout.		
Arkells (Swindon)	Voyager - 5% - APA Voyager is a tribute to the adventurous spirit of our founder John Arkell. We've used American hops to recognise his time across the Atlantic, giving the pale ale a fruity kick.		
 Voyager is kindly donated by Arkells Brewery. 			
Bowland (Clitheroe)	Deer Stalker - 4.5% - Stout A superbly rich stout, strong in dark fruit flavours with a wonderful chocolaty finish. An excellent choice for drinking on its own or as a companion for spicy meat dishes.		
Bowland (Clitheroe)	Bowland Bumble - 4% - Honey Pale Blonde Ale lightly hopped with double addition of honey.		
Cotleigh (Wiveliscombe)	Barn Owl - 4.5% - Chestnut Traditionally brewed with pale, crystal and chocolate malted barley and selected whole British hops. Barn Owl is a mahogany ale with hints of toffee and a malty, nutty finish with a touch of sweetness.		
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Cotleigh (Wiveliscombe)	Golden Seahawk - 4.5% - Golden Brewed with Pale, Gold, Vienna & Crystal malts giving its bright gold colour. Hops provide a honey flavour & a fruit filled smooth finish.		
	Golden Seahawk is kindly sponsored by the Hop Inn.		
Drink Valley (Swindon)	Honeycomb Caramel - 4.9% - Stout Stout with Honeycomb,caramel and creamy deep malt base.		
Drink Valley (Swindon)	Love for Nelson Sauvín - 4.7% - Pale Ale Pale ale from our Love for series with Nelson Sauvín hops which is packed with Passion fruit, gooseberry, peach, and lime flavours.		
Drink Valley (Swindon)	Yellowstone American - 4.5% - Amber Amber ale brewed with American hops which gives citrus, passion fruit flavour backed with dark malt flavour.		
	Honeycomb Caramel, Love for Nelson Sauvín and Yellowstone American are kindly donated by the Drink Valley.		
Elephant School Brewing Co (Brentwood)	Aussie Blonde - 4% - Blonde Australian hopped blonde beer.		
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Hopback
(Salisbury)

Hop Jam - 4.3% - Golden
Back for an encore and still jammed full to the brim with hops this golden ale has got soul! New English hops sing out the high notes while Maris Otter and a dash of Amber malt on the bass underneath keep the groove going. Towards the end the melody falls away leaving an echoing bitterness on your tongue.



Hopback
(Salisbury)

Dragonfly - 4.8% - Pale
An evolution of last years most popular beer, Mayfly, Dragonfly contains the same powerful blend of three heritage english hops on a backdrop of the best Maris Otter malt. Pale gold in colour this ale has hints of fruit, with a zesty finish.



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Hop Kettle
(Swindon)

NZ Session - 3.4% - Pale
Pale straw yellow in colour with a slight haze. Flavors of Citrus, soft fruits, spice and pine. Citrus, floral & woody aromatics with a subtle bitterness.



Brewery:

Tasting notes & ABV:

Comments:

Pump clips:

Hop Kettle
(Swindon)

Did Somebody Say Citra - 4.9% - Pale
Vibrant citrus and tropical aromas lead to a punchy bitter start of lemon peel, grapefruit and zesty lime followed by tropical fruit flavours with hints of biscuity malt to soften the blow.



NZ Session & Did Somebody Say Citra are kindly donated by Hop Kettle Brewery.



Innformal
(Hungerford)

Inn Deep - 5% - Stout
Full-bodied and rich Stout brewed with roasted barley and Chocolate malt and Hopped with East Kent Goldings before being matured to create a complex Robust Stout with hints of coffee and Chocolate.



Innformal
(Hungerford)

Inn House - 4.1% - Amber
Challenger and Fuggles hopped nutty bitter with a nice biscuits flavour from the Crystal and Amber malts.



Los Gatos

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Listers
(Worthing)

Seadog - 4.2% - Amber
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Listers (Worthing)	<p>Golden Retriever - 4% - Blonde</p> <p>This golden ale has a medium-light body with extra hops, resulting in a crisp and refreshing mouthfeel. The bitterness is firm but not overpowering, making it highly drinkable.</p>		
<p style="text-align: center;">Golden Retriever is kindly sponsored by Hilliers Funeral Service.</p>			
 Nailmaker (Barnsley)	<p>Wapentake - 3.8% - Pale</p> <p>Named after the historic Yorkshire subdivisions, Wapentake is a 3.9% Pale Ale. Brewed with American Cascade and Chinook hops; giving a light, citrusy flavour, making it an ideal session pale ale.</p>		
<p style="text-align: center;">Wapentake is kindly sponsored by Charles Harding.</p>			
 Nailmaker (Barnsley)	<p>Yorkshire Bitter - 3.6% - Amber</p> <p>A traditional session bitter. Just as you would expect a Yorkshire Bitter to be, deliciously quaffable.</p>		
 Neepsend (Sheffield)	<p>Manuriki - 4.5% - Pale</p> <p>Pale and punchy with Tropical note from US HOPS Centinneeel and Azacca with sweet manadarin and zest citrus from Australian eclipse.</p>		
 Neepsend (Sheffield)	<p>Blonde - 4% - Blonde</p> <p>Our flagship session ale, mellow and easy drinking with a dry finish. Hopped with Brewers Gold, Chinook and Cascade.</p>		

Brewery:	Tasting notes & ABV:	Comments:	Pump clips:
Neepsend (Sheffield)	Igopoko - 7% - Neipa Silky smooth foundation of wheat and oats, layered on top are waves of dank resin and pine with a concentrated dry hop addition of Azacca bringing juicy Pineapple and Mango.		
Neepsend (Sheffield)	Alphito DDH - 4.7% - Pale A double dry hopped hazy pale ale bursting with juicy pineapple and fruit salad notes.		
Nutty-combe (Wiveliscombe)	Doonicans - 4.5% - Golden Doonicans named after the band "Bar-Steward Son of Val Doonican". A light, clean and refreshing lager malt taste. Doonican has a fresh floral yet grassy and herbal flavour with hints of melon and apple.		
Nutty-combe (Wiveliscombe)	Snow Leopard - 4.9% - White mild Snow Leopard is a truly remarkable Ale just like the majestic animal. It is exceptionally smooth, very light in colour and full-bodied with a creamy head.		
RCH (Wiveliscombe)	PG Steam - 4% - Bitter This complex multi layered ale has a floral hop aroma with medium bodied hop, bitter taste with some fruit and sweetness.		
RCH (Wiveliscombe)	East St Cream - 5% - Chestnut This premium chestnut-coloured ale showcases a harmonious interplay between malty, hoppy, fruity, and bitter notes, all competing for dominance in a well-crafted and balanced brew. Its rich, sweet undertones add depth to the overall taste experience.		
Rusty Garage (Swindon)	Noisy Engine - 4.4% - Best Bitter A super refreshing well balance of malt and Fuggles hops giving a full bodied bitter with distinctive malt flavour.		

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Rusty Garage (Swindon)	Stick Shift - 5.3% - IPA An IPA packed with a full malty flavour and strong hop finish impacted by East Kent Golding hops.		 Rusty Garage Brewery <i>Stick Shift 5.3% ABV</i> IPA
Noisy Engine & Stick Shift are kindly donated by Rusty Garage Brewery.			
Stealth (Melksham)	Huggermuggery - 5.9% - Mocha Porter Fairtrade arabica coffee (heaps of it), peruvian cacao nibs and lactose blended with chocolate and crystal malts along with flaked oats producing a silky mouthfeel and a smooth mocha hit. Unctuous!		
Stealth (Melksham)	Tiptoe - 4.1% - Bitter A traditional amber coloured ale, using UK Chinook hops giving a satisfying flavour with a long, dry finish.		
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Welbeck Abbey (Worksop)	Cavendish - 5% - Blonde Cavendish is a beautifully balanced blonde with subtly grapefruit aromas complimenting a biscuit-sweet malt backbone.		
Welbeck Abbey (Worksop)	Rapunzel - 4.5% - Pale Our Rapunzel is a very pale blonde, brewed with a blend of New World Nelson Sauvín and continental lager hops. Subtle hints of summer gooseberries and floral overtones are present throughout.		
Rapunzel is kindly sponsored by Caroline & Rob Pean.			

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Welbeck Abbey (Worksop)	<p>Porter Oak - 5% - Porter</p> <p>A strong, spiced bonfire beer- brewed at 5.0%. It's a dark libation with caramels, liquorice and a hint of smoke; perfect to warm the cockles of your heart on a cold November evening.</p>		
Welbeck Abbey (Worksop)	<p>Harley - 4.3% - Pale</p> <p>Harley uses a blend of American and German hops to give an opulently floral honey-colour ale. Orange blossom and fresh zest are at the forefront with subtle sweetness behind.</p>		
Welbeck Abbey (Worksop)	<p>Skylight - 4.1% - Pale</p> <p>Our Skylight is the palest of beers, brewed with crisp British-grown lager malt. The continental hops used make this a bright and fresh lager-style beer with light floral and grassy tones.</p>		
Welbeck Abbey (Worksop)	<p>Red Feather - 3.9% - Auburn</p> <p>Our Red Feather is a robust auburn ale. Plenty of crystal malt gives this beer a rich colour and combination of bold walnut and bitter-sweet caramel flavours.</p>		
Wickham Ales (Wickham)	<p>Bellringer - 3.8% - Amber</p> <p>A bold and assertive bitter with a toasted caramel base, finished with a slight hint of citrus courtesy of the hops, Target and Willamette. A combination of darker malts used in the brew have resulted in a bitter with a beautiful deep red tint.</p>		

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Tasting notes & ABV:

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Pump clips:

**Wickham
Ales**
(Wickham)

BBB - 3.3% - Amber
A low ABV, session amber. A combination of the classic hops, Fuggles and WGV, give it a mild, earthy bitterness. Crystal Malts, used in the brewing, give a dark amber colour and a lightly toasted base.



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- All of our other sponsors (too many to mention individually) who we are so lucky to be associated with. There is a fantastic amount of community mindedness in our local groups.
- Christ Church PCC – This brave bunch of people agreed to not only finance but also host this event and so without them none of this would have been possible. They deserve a pat on the back, three cheers and a hearty toast, so please do raise your glasses to them.



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