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Beer festival tasting notes September 2013



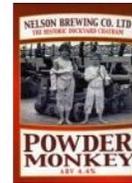
Faversham steam brewery – Whitstable pale ale. 3.9%

A full bodied, fruity ale with a subtle bitterness and glorious grapefruit / citrus aroma. Thirst quenching and refreshing



Pin up Beers - Red Head. 4.2

Ruby red ale with malty sweetness aroma and full, rich body. Malts drive the taste without becoming too fruity, with pine aromas and tasty hops. Pleasant aftertaste with a slightly bittersweet finish



Nelson Brewery – Powder Monkey. 4.4%

A dark golden ale with a smooth taste and produces a sweetness on the palate. Smokey, nutty and citrus flavour



Nelson Brewery – Friggin in the Riggins. 4.7%

A premium bitter that is mid brown in colour and has a nutty caramel malt flavour with a fruity bitter aftertaste.



Duddas Tun Kentish Cider. 7.5%

Produced at Pine Trees Farm, Doddington, located in the heart of the garden of England. The Farm comprises of 50 acres of orchards, from which the apples are used to produce a clean and crisp tasting Farm-made cider, produced from 100% pure apple juice.

All of the apples used to make Dudda's Tun Cider are grown at Pine Trees Farm.

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Westerham Brewery - Audit Ale. 6.2%



A strong ale, brewed to the 1938 strength and using the same ingredients as the original best selling bottled beer of the Black Eagle Brewery. We brewed this beer for the 2nd SIBA South East of England beer festival and the beer took the Gold Medal in the strong ales category. Since then Audit Ale has gone on to win a range of regional and national awards including Supreme Champion Cask Beer two years in a row.



Adnams - Light House. 3.4%

Based on our Champion Pale Ale, Lighthouse is a light 3.4% abv golden beer with a light fragrance, lovely malty flavours and a long hoppy finish. Brewed with Pale Ale and Crystal malt, it has a hint of caramel and toffee. It's hopped with a blend of Fuggles and Goldings hops.



Ringwood Brewery - Best Bitter. 3.8%

Our first brew and still our top seller, Ringwood Best accounts for over 70% of our production. It is the beer most closely associated with the brewery and is the market leader in our area.

Best is a well-rounded beer with a delicious malt flavour balanced by a tangy citrus hoppiness. Brewed with floor-malted barley, Goldings, Progress, Fuggles and Challenger hops.

Sambrook's - Wandle Ale. 3.8%

Wandle Ale was Sambrook's very first beer. First brewed on 26th November 2008. It was a beautiful golden sunshine colour; clean and fresh, its sweetness cut by a delicate lingering bitterness.

What's in a name? The River Wandle makes its way through Battersea and out into the Thames. It's just a minute's walk from the brewery and was our inspiration for the beer.

Portobello Brewery - Portobello Star. 4.3%

Brewed with marris otter, caramalt and crystal malts, Portobello Star is a balanced beer with hints of berry fruits and roasted coffee

Growler Brewery - Gladness. 4.2%

A light gold beer brewed with the ingredients of a lager but most definitely an ale. Highly refreshing with a lovely subtle hop flavour and aroma, reminiscent of a pilsner

It is "Beer with a touch of Madness" developed with the guys from Madness to create a truly English beer with a bit of a quirk.



Westerham Brewery - 1965. 4.8%

A premium ale to commemorate the year 1965 when the Black Eagle Brewery closed, Winston Churchill passed away and Robert Wicks was born. Brewed to a similar recipe that Bill Wickett used for his last brew at the old brewery on 3rd

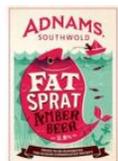
March 1965. Kent Northdown hops give a clean, refreshing full bodied flavour for which English ales are famous. Finished with Finchcocks' Kent Goldings for flavour and aroma



Westerham Brewery - Target. 4%

The final Ale in this years Single Hop Varietal range. Released in the 1970s as a wilt resistant, high alpha variety which is related to Northdown and Challenger. This much under-rated

hop has intense aromas of sage, citrus and a spicy undertone in flavour. Good for dry hopping due to its high geraniol content. Grown at National Trust's Scotney Castle hop garden in Lamberhurst, Kent. Quadruple hopped: first wort hopping in the copper, copper hopping for bitterness, late hopping in the Hop Rocket and then dry hopped in the maturation tank.



Adnams - Fat Sprat. 3.8%

Our 3.8% pale amber summer beer proudly supports the Marine Conservation Society. Fat Sprat is brewed with Pale Ale malted barley, Munich, Cara and Black malt, with Columbus, English Goldings, Cascade and Chinook hops. It has

a lovely citrus, grapefruit aroma with some spicy notes. On the palate, the citrus character of the hops shines through, balanced with a light biscuit flavour and a crisp, dry finish.

