



White Cliffs Festival of Winter Ales

Maison Dieu, Biggin Street, Dover, Kent, CT16 1DL

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Here are the draft tasting notes. These will be updated as we get more information and clarification about the real ales and ciders that we will be serving at the festival.

Beer from Kent			
Angels & Demons, Capelle-Ferne	A.D.H-Me	5.2%	An American Pale Ale containing a plethora of flavours, with a massive dry hop hit coupled together with multi-layered grain flavours.
Angels & Demons, Capelle-Ferne	Black Taxi to the Moon	5.4%	Impeccably balanced Smoked London Porter. The full bodied bitter chocolate and underlining sweetness adding to the complexity of this ebony vixen.
Angels & Demons, Capelle-Ferne	I Spy Dragonfly IPA	5.0%	Very Pale
Bexley, Erith	Black Prince Rum Porter	5.0%	A dark rich porter with a roasted, vanilla aroma and a sweet chocolate, coffee flavour.
Bexley, Erith	Crook Log Winter Ale	5.3%	Deep chestnut, combining darker malts & UK Goldings hops to produce a rich taste, hint of fruity spice.
Breakwater, Dover	Spring Tide	5.0%	Golden Bitter
Breakwater, Dover	Victorian Mild	5.5%	
Canterbury Ales, Chartham	Host's Ale	5.2%	Spiced Winter Warmer. This very limited-edition Christmas ale is spiced with ginger. It's rich, dark and fruity. It goes fabulously with plum pudding!
Canterbury Ales, Chartham	Kentish Rye Porter	5.4%	Rich dark, spicy porter. Both the East Kent Golding hops and the rye give this full-bodied porter gentle spicy notes.
Caveman, Swanscombe	Cavedweller	5.8%	<i>Brewed at Leatherbitches Brewery, Derbyshire</i> A rich porter with a full body and balanced hop bitterness, with chocolate and coffee notes and dark berry flavours.
Caveman, Swanscombe	Strong Premium Bitter	5.0%	<i>Brewed at Leatherbitches Brewery, Derbyshire</i> Flagship strong ale with fruity hints and a well balanced sweet finish. Mid-brown in colour.
Goachers, Maidstone	Gold Star	5.1%	A true draught pale ale made with floor-malted low-colour Maris Otter malted barley and hopped with the finest East Kent aroma hops.
Goachers, Maidstone	Old 1066 Ale	6.7%	A fruity rich barley wine that has been produced in small quantities every winter since 1983.
Hop Fuzz, Hythe	Bullion Bomb	5.0%	A Special American IPA. Sweet and light with a hop kick from the rare Kent Bullion hop.
Hopdaemon, Sittingbourne	Dominator	5.1%	Extreme light hoppy ale, amber in colour and with a hoppy aroma. The taste is hoppy and floral with hints of biscuit and fruit.
Hopdaemon, Sittingbourne	Green Daemon	5.0%	A golden Bavarian Helles lager-style beer with luscious tropical fruit aromas and a crisp, clean finish.
Iron Pier, Gravesend	Porter	6.0%	Rich and roasty with a smooth chocolate malt character. Roasted crystal malt and English hops provide a stone fruit and berry finish.
Kent, West Birling	Bounty Hunter	5.5%	A silky smooth coconut porter balancing flavours of dark malt and chocolate. A Taste of Paradise!
Kent West Birling	Brewers Reserve	5.0%	A strong hop flavour of citrus and resin
Kent, West Birling	Twelfth Night Barley Wine	7.4%	A luxurious, aged barley wine with a rich fruity body. A blend of dark malts and English hops give a complex layered flavour

Kent, West Birling	Xmas Pudding	5.8%	A traditionally spiced winter warmer with all the flavour of a Christmas pudding.
Musket, Maidstone	Powder Burn	5.0%	A Kentish Porter that is dark and mysterious yet explodes with flavour.
Nelson, Chatham	Black Jack	5.4%	A traditional old ale brewed with Fuggles and Goldings hops to produce a rich and complex taste and aroma
Nelson, Chatham	Nelson's Blood	6.0%	A strong malty ale with mellow roast tones, slightly nutty & fruity with a warm aftertaste.
Northdown, Margate	Muggy Porter	5.0%	A dark-coloured, full-bodied, London-style oatmeal porter with hints of coconut.
Old Dairy, Tenterden	Dark Side of the Moo	7.0%	A full-bodied Imperial Porter with a bright fruity character and punchy aroma balanced with spicy chocolate flavours and smooth bitterness.
Old Dairy, Tenterden	Dark Snow	6.5%	A limited edition, combining Snow Top and Dark Side of the Moo, to create the perfect 'winter warmer' for those long cold nights.
Old Dairy, Tenterden	Snow Top	6.0%	A deeply satisfying ale with delicious fruitcake and marmalade flavours, topped off with spicy notes.
Pig & Porter, Tun. Wells	From an Antique Land	6.0%	A rich, full bodied Chai Stout with hints of chocolate and roasty notes. The subtle addition of some of the spices associated with Chai Tea (cinnamon, ginger, allspice and cloves) give a delicate warming spiciness that doesn't overpower the expected stout flavours.
Ramsgate, Broadstairs	Black Pearl	6.2%	Roasted barley, malted oats and Kent-grown Fuggles hops combine to create this luscious, bible-black stout. First brewed for the Eddie Gilbert seafood restaurant and now brewed in honour of its founder, our friend Jonny Dunhill.
Ramsgate, Broadstairs	Dogbolter	5.6%	A dark porter with a satisfying, rich, malty body full of roasty, chocolatey flavours, all balanced by a deep and lasting hop bitterness.
Ramsgate, Broadstairs	Uberhop	5.2%	Deeply hoppy traditional lagerale brewed with flashy continental malts and bucketfuls of grassy, spicy Noble hops.
Romney Marsh, New Romney	American Pale	5.0%	Burnt orange in colour. Vienna malt gives this stronger ale an orange hue and biscuity taste, combining with a strong fruit punch from all-American hops.
Tonbridge, Tonbridge	American Pale	5.0%	Classic, full-bodied American-style pale ale with a refreshing citrus finish.
Tonbridge, Tonbridge	Velvet Raven	5.2%	Fully flavoured English Stout with a complex mix of chocolate, coffee, liquorice and toffee notes. A real winter warmer.
Wantsum, St. Nicholas at Wade	Grim Reaper	5.5%	A Red Rye IPA. It has a rich base with a hoppy aroma and citrus flavours from the Amarillo hop.
Wantsum, St. Nicholas at Wade	Overlord	6.0%	New England IPA. Juicy, fruity and hoppy.
Wantsum, St. Nicholas at Wade	Ravening Wolf	5.9%	An amber-coloured New Zealand pale ale, toasted biscuit & rye malt flavours support a pine & lemon hop crispness and a hint of vanilla.
Westerham, Westerham	Audit Ale	6.2%	A tawny, brown strong ale with the aroma of port, raisins and molasses, and a complex fruit-smooth warming flavour.
Westerham, Westerham	Viceroy IPA	5.0%	A true English IPA with a citrus, nutty, hoppy taste. Brewed with National Trust Pale Ale Malt and Scotney Castle Hops. Gluten-free.
Whitstable, Maidstone	Kentish Reserve	5.0%	Reddish-amber-coloured premium bitter, malty notes with flavours of peaches & plums, ending on a note of rich ruby port.

Beer from Elsewhere			
Arbor, Bristol	I Speak to the Trees	5.0%	Refreshing and easy drinking american pale ale, brewed with amarillo, mosaic and simcoe. It has bold grapefruit, pine and tropical fruit flavours and a delicate citrus aroma.
Arbor, Bristol	Rocketman	6.0%	Full flavoured American IPA, brewed with a very simple malt bill and a few heavy-handed additions of mosaic and citra hops.
Arbor, Bristol	The Devil Made Me Brew it	5.5%	A velvety speciality beer in stout style. Floral and citrus hops in the aroma, coffee and slightly burnt toffee flavours – sweet but with a bitter finish.
Arbor, Bristol	Yakima Valley	7.0%	Our flagship premium strength beer, Yakima Valley is packed full of our favourite American hops. It's our own celebration of everything we love about IPAs.
Bad Seed, N. Yorks	Code of Silence	5.5%	West Coast IPA. A true showcase of US hops. Mosaic, Amarillo and Azacca hops combine to give zesty citrus fruit flavours and big notes of pine. A big, bold, beautiful beer!
Beatnikz Republic, Manchester	Beach Bum	5.0%	Beach Bum is for drinking in the sun - or if that's not possible - then reminiscing about drinking in the sun. Inspired by travelling up the coast of California and lazy days hanging around Venice Beach, we created this beer to bring sunshine to any glass, anytime, anywhere.
Beermats, Notts.	Matador	5.1%	A red IPA, highly aromatic, hoppy ale with intense tropical fruit notes.
East London, London	Mutiny	5.3%	Nutty, well-hopped premium dark bitter with a rum twist.
East London, London	Quadrant Oatmeal Stout	5.8%	Smooth, rich oatmeal stout with liquorice, mocha and caramelised fruit. Roasted coffee aroma. A dry, slightly roasty bitter finish lingers.
Great Heck, N. Yorks	Shanker	5.9%	A pale-coloured, hoppy, fruity beer with clean, zesty finish.
Harbour, Cornwall	Little Rock IPA	6.3%	A darker IPA using Best Pale, Wheat, Munich and Crystal Malts with Mosaic, Citra, Perle, Simcoe, Equinox and Amarillo for a punch boozy hop aroma that is warm, rich and citrusy with a bold, long finish.
Howling Hops, London	Pale XX	5.1%	American-style pale ale
Loddon, Oxon.	Forbury Lion	5.5%	A malty IPA with a strong, complex hop finish.
Oakham, Cambs	Dragon	5.0%	Showcasing one of the new wave of hops from Slovenia this golden beer is bursting with grapefruit, lemon, apple and rose characters.
Roosters, N. Yorks	Baby Faced Assassin	6.1%	Brewed with 100% Citra hops that create aromas of mango, apricot, grapefruit & mandarin orange, along with a lasting, juicy, tropical fruit bitterness, the Baby-Faced Assassin is a deceptively drinkable India Pale Ale that shouldn't be taken lightly. Be careful or it might sneak up on you!
Roosters, N. Yorks	High Tea	6.2%	High Team is a limited edition Jasmine Green Tea IPA that's back by popular demand. Pale malt provides a backdrop for a blend of four hops, jasmine flowers and Taylors of Harrogate Green Tea with Jasmine, creating a mixed-fruit and floral aroma, with a balanced bitterness and green tea finish. English Admiral hops have been used to provide a citrus backbone to the beer, whilst the addition of three New World hops (Cascade, Crystal and Galaxy) enhances the fruit and jasmine aromas.
Roosters, N. Yorks	Howl (Black Forest Gateau)	6.9%	Jet black, with a creamy head, this is the Black Forest Gateau edition of Howl, our annual imperial stout. The result is a delicious, decadent and complex beer, with deep chocolate and rich cherry flavours.

Salopian, Shrop.	Luminesence	5.2%	A misty gold with a fresh and fruity aroma of mango, fresh grass and pine resin. A creamy palate of peach and pineapple twist across a burst of semi-sweet mango.
Salopian, Shrop.	Minds Eye	5.8%	Golden with a medium body, light on malt, high on piney, citric hops and boasting lingering, resinous bitterness. Assertive with a candied tropical finale.
Salopian, Shrop.	Polygraph	7.4%	Polygraph is a full flavoured stout with toast, liquorice, hints of dark fruit, chocolate and mocha that are tempered by crisp tart bitterness and a smooth velvety texture.
Shiny, Derbys.	Disco Balls	5.3%	A big-hitting hop-loaded IPA.
Shiny, Derbys.	Underdog	6.0%	A hazy light amber colour. Fresh hop flower nose - delightful. Rich hoppy sweet taste with bitter finish.
St Peter's, Suffolk	Christmas Ale	7.0%	A copper coloured, smooth, fruity, and full-bodied ale. Aromas of toffee and caramel leading to rich and smooth flavours of Christmas fruits and spices.
St Peter's, Suffolk	IPA	5.5%	A full-bodied, highly hopped pale ale with a zesty character.
Tapstone, Somerset	Opium Wars	5.6%	Unfinned, silky black IPA. Dark brown, grassy and roasted chocolate aromas with light citrus, cherries and bitter chocolate on the palate
Tintagel, Cornwall	Excalibur	5.8%	Black-coloured old ale, smooth, rich winter warmer. Steeped in chocolate with heavy roast, creamy maltiness, but silky, roast, sweet aftertaste.
Tintagel, Cornwall	Merlin's Muddle	5.2%	Copper-coloured, smooth strong bitter. Malt dominates the taste throughout with hop bitterness and a complex mixture of fruit flavours.
Tiny Rebel, S. Wales	Stay Puft	5.2%	A marshmallow porter with classic roasty qualities of a dark-coloured ale and a smooth sweetness.
Titanic, Staffs.	Plum Porter Grand Reserve	6.5%	A sumptuous fruit-laden beer, gently combining the first of the harvest of both English Malts and ripest plums.
Tring, Herts.	Colley's Dog	5.2%	A dark-coloured ale with a long, dry finish and overtones of malt and walnuts.

Kent Ciders

Note: We have made every effort to ensure that the cider/perry being served at this festival meets CAMRA's definition of a real cider/perry.

Cloud 10 Cider Kent Cider Co.	4.5%	Made with miniature sweet apples grown in Kent. This medium-sweet apple cider packs a fruity punch all whilst appealing to cloudy cider drinkers. The name is a nod to our upcoming 10th anniversary!
Pear & Nettle Cider Kent Cider Co.	5.0%	A delicious medium cider. Doyenne Du Cornice pear cider infused with wild nettle. CAMRA award winner.
Cherry Cider Wise Owl Cider	5.5%	An easy-drinking, well-balanced medium cider with a hint of cherry.
Craftsman Cider Kentish Pip	5.6%	Blend of Kentish dessert apples and specifically grown cider apples. The result is a sublime balance of fresh apple flavour, medium dry, with complex notes and subtle bitter tannins.
Firespice Ginger Cider Kentish Pip	4.0%	Ginger-infused cider, gently spiced with a little hint of chilli heat.
Chilli Cider East Stour Cider	6.0%	A cool refreshing cider with a warming hint of chilli.
Strawberry & Thyme Cider East Stour Cider	6.0%	A fruity strawberry cider with the deep flavour of thyme
Lemon Moon Cider Merry Moon Cider	6.0%	Hazy yellow colour, with lemon and apples, really thirst quenching and deliciously fruity.
Apple Pie Cider Turners	4.0%	Flavoured with warming spices and sweetened with fresh-pressed apple juice, Apple Pie is the perfect cider to add some cheer as the nights draw in. It's equally delicious cold or warmed up.
Salted Caramel Cider Duddas Tun	4.0%	Bang on trend! A perfect marriage of fresh apples and caramel, with just a hint of salt to soften the acidity.