

# REAL ALES

## AVAILABLE

### ALL YEAR ROUND

**Oakham JHB 3.8% ABV**  
 Oakham Ales, Cambridgeshire. Est. 1993  
 This light golden beer has an aroma dominated by citrus notes, while its hops and fruit on the palate are balanced by malty notes and a bitter base, leading to soft fruit flavours and a refreshing, dry, hoppy finish.  
**Hops: Challenger, Mount Hood**



**Wainwright Gold 4.1% ABV**  
 Banks's Brewery, West Midlands. Est. 1890  
 This straw-coloured beer has a subtle sweetness supplied by sweet honey notes, complemented by delicate citrus fruit overtones, resulting in a balanced, refreshing character.  
**Hops: Hersbrücker, Magnum, Styrian Goldings, Tradition**



**Brains SA 4.2% ABV**  
 Brains Brewery, Cardiff. Est. 1882  
 This copper-coloured beer has an inviting malty aroma, leading to a blend of nutty richness, with malty and intense fruit notes, balanced by a satisfying dryness in its lasting finish.  
**Hops: Challenger, Fuggles, Goldings**



**Oakham Citra 4.2% ABV**  
 Oakham Ales, Cambridgeshire. Est. 1993  
 This refreshing pale golden beer expertly showcases the single-hop variety used, with its pungent aromas of grapefruit, lychee and gooseberry leading to a dry, bitter finish.  
**Hops: Citra**



**Wychwood Hobgoblin Gold 4.2% ABV**  
 Banks's Brewery, West Midlands. Est. 1890  
 This golden beer delivers tropical citrus and passion fruit aromas, leading to biscuit malt flavours which are complemented by fresh lemon and lime zest, resulting in a refreshing character.  
**Hops: Citra, Nelson Sauvin, Pilgrim, Summit**



**Adnams Ghost Ship 4.5% ABV**  
 Adnams Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1872  
 This golden pale ale has aromatic elderflower notes, leading to bold citrus flavours of lemon and lime, supported by a subtle malt backbone and resulting in a refreshing hoppy finish.  
**Hops: Cascade, Chinook, Citra**



**Brains The Rev James Original 4.5% ABV**  
 Brains Brewery, Cardiff. Est. 1882  
 This mahogany-coloured beer has a spicy toffee aroma, followed by a rich, balanced character, with a mellow, malty flavour which gives way to a clean, refreshing finish.  
**Hops: Challenger, Fuggles, Goldings**



**Exmoor Gold 4.5% ABV**  
 Exmoor Ales, Somerset. Est. 1980  
 This classic golden beer has a soft malty aroma, with hints of citrus hops, while the subtle malt sweetness in its flavour leads to a refreshing, bittersweet finish of citrus, toffee and vanilla.  
**Hops: Celeia, Challenger, Fuggles, Goldings**



**Morland Old Speckled Hen 4.5% ABV**  
 Greene King Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1799  
 This copper-coloured beer has a superb fruity aroma, with its warming malt and toffee character balanced by fruity notes and hints of caramel, leading to a smooth finish.  
**Hops: Challenger, First Gold, Goldings**



**Wychwood Hobgoblin Ruby 4.5% ABV**  
 Marston's Brewery, Staffordshire. Est. 1834  
 This ruby-coloured ale has fruit and sweet caramel aromas, leading to a rich, full-bodied toffee flavour and a fruity finish, with notes of figs, raisins and dates.  
**Hops: Fuggles, Goldings, Styrian**



**Fire Island Buffalo 4.6% ABV**  
 Evan Evans Brewery, Carmarthenshire. Est. 2004  
 This deep amber beer is gluten free. Its inviting tropical fruit aroma is complemented by a rich, full-bodied malt flavour and balanced by hedgerow fruit notes.  
**Hops: Cascade, Chinook, Magnum, Progress**



**Hook Norton Old Hooky 4.6% ABV**  
 Hook Norton Brewery, Oxfordshire. Est. 1849  
 This popular tawny-red bitter has a strong, fruity, malty aroma and palate, with a balance of subtle hoppiness and hints of crystal malt, creating a well-rounded, slightly sweet character.  
**Hops: Challenger, Fuggles, Goldings**



**Adnams Broadside 4.7% ABV**  
 Adnams Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1872  
 This classic beer is a deep ruby colour, rich in fruit cake aromas, with hints of almond and fruit in the smooth, malty flavour, leading to a balanced, lasting finish.  
**Hops: Pilgrim**



**Ringwood Fortyniner 4.9% ABV**  
 Banks's Brewery, West Midlands. Est. 1890  
 This golden-brown beer has a light, fresh, floral aroma, with a rounded malt flavour, balanced by a moderate bitterness which leads to pleasing bittersweet notes in the finish.  
**Hops: Challenger, Fuggles, Goldings, Progress, Sovereign**



**Titanic Plum Porter 4.9% ABV**  
 Titanic Brewery, Staffordshire. Est. 1985  
 This multiaward-winning deep red ale has a well-rounded flavour, with its sweet fruity notes balanced by an underlying hoppiness, resulting in a surprisingly easy-drinking character.  
**Hops: Celeia, Goldings, Herkules, Pilgrim**



**Sharp's Sea Fury 5.0% ABV**  
 Sharp's Brewery, Cornwall. Est. 1994  
 This ruby-coloured special ale has inviting berry and roast notes in its aroma, leading to a balanced, sumptuous, full malt and fruit flavour, culminating in a pleasing, hoppy finish.  
**Hops: Aurora, Cascade, Chinook, Motueka**



**Theakston Old Peculier 5.6% ABV**  
 Theakston Brewery, North Yorkshire. Est. 1827  
 This dark ruby beer is one of the world's classic beers. It has a rich, full-bodied flavour, with subtle cherry and rich fruit overtones, plus a smooth, lasting finish.  
**Hops: Challenger, Fuggles, Target**



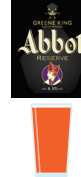
**Marston's Old Empire IPA 5.7% ABV**  
 Marston's Brewery, Staffordshire. Est. 1834  
 This golden beer is brewed in the style of a traditional IPA, with plenty of crisp citrus hop aromas, a subtle malt character and generous hop flavours emerging in the bittersweet finish.  
**Hops: Cascade, Fuggles, Goldings**



**Thornbridge Jaipur 5.9% ABV**  
 Thornbridge Brewery, Derbyshire. Est. 2005  
 This straw-coloured IPA delivers a citrus aroma, with its complex hoppiness building to a powerful citrus hop flavour burst, culminating in a balanced and remarkably smooth finish.  
**Hops: Ahtanum, Cascade, Centennial, Chinook, Columbus, Simcoe**



**Greene King Abbot Reserve 6.5% ABV**  
 Greene King Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1799  
 This occasionally brewed deep copper-coloured beer has a fruity aroma, leading to a smooth, full-bodied flavour, bursting with biscuit, toffee and rich fruit cake notes.  
**Hops: Admiral, First Gold, Fuggles, Pilgrim**



# REGULAR REAL ALES

Pubs will have three of the below ales available at all times.

**Greene King IPA 3.4% ABV**  
 Greene King Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1799  
 This easy-drinking amber ale has a fresh, dry, hoppy and herbal character, while its addition of crystal malt delivers satisfying toffee and caramel notes, resulting in a clean, dry finish.  
**Hops: Challenger, First Gold, Pilgrim**



**Ruddles Best 3.7% ABV**  
 Greene King Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1799  
 This chestnut-coloured beer's blend of hops delivers tropical and berry fruit flavours, with lemon citrus notes, balanced by a warming toffee and caramel character, leading to a crisp bitterness in the finish.  
**Hops: Bramling Cross, Challenger, Goldings, Target**



**Belhaven 80 Shilling 3.9% ABV (Scotland only)**  
 Belhaven Brewery, East Lothian. Est. 1719  
 This copper-coloured beer has a malty character and subtle sweetness, with its hop varieties delivering a balancing bitterness and underlying herbal hop notes, with emerging hints of orange peel.  
**Hops: Challenger, Goldings**



**Sharp's Doom Bar 4.0% ABV**  
 Sharp's Brewery, Cornwall. Est. 1994  
 This amber-coloured ale has an enticing aroma of resinous hops and sweet roasted malt, leading to a balanced flavour of dried fruit and lightly roasted malt, along with a moreish subtle bitterness in the finish.  
**Hops: Aurora, Perle**



**Greene King Abbot Ale 5.0% ABV**  
 Greene King Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1799  
 Masses of fruit character, with a malty richness and superb hop balance.  
**Hops: Challenger, First Gold, Fuggles, Pilgrim**



## REAL-ALE TYPES

Pale; very light; blond; straw  
 Golden  
 Amber; mid brown  
 Dark brown; ruby  
 Black; deep ruby; very dark  
 for the facts [drinkaware.co.uk](http://drinkaware.co.uk) [jdwetherspoon.com](http://jdwetherspoon.com)

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# Real-ale Tasting Notes

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# SEASONAL GUEST ALES AVAILABLE DURING APR-JUN

## Mad Squirrel Unity 3.8% ABV

Mad Squirrel Brewery, Hertfordshire. Est. 2004  
This is a blond, gluten-free, vegan-friendly beer with a purpose, dedicated to bringing you the freshest hop character, with plenty of citrus and stone fruit notes and a long, clean finish.  
**Hops:** *Amarillo, Centennial, Citra*



## Reedley Hallows Beer O'Clock 3.8% ABV

Reedley Hallows Brewery, Lancashire. Est. 2012  
This refreshing, golden-coloured beer has a citrus, floral aroma, leading to a smooth flavour, with hints of tropical fruit and a pleasing bitterness in the finish.  
**Hops:** *Cascade, Chinook, Fuggles*



## Frome Funky Monkey 4.0% ABV

Frome Brewery, Somerset. Est. 1999  
This copper-coloured ale has a mango and grapefruit aroma, leading to more citrus and tropical fruit notes on the palate, balanced by a subtle bitterness and a lasting dryness in the finish.  
**Hops:** *Citra, Idaho 7, Mosaic*



## Orkney Red MacGregor 4.0% ABV

Orkney Brewery, Orkney. Est. 1988  
This ruby-coloured ale delivers aromas of fruit, spice and rich malts, with initial caramel and toasted flavours leading to a citrusy, fruity, refreshing hop bitterness.  
**Hops:** *Cascade, Challenger*



## Saltaire Blonde 4.0% ABV

Saltaire Brewery, West Yorkshire. Est. 2006  
This straw-coloured ale has a creamy, biscuity malt base, balanced by a mild, spicy bitterness, resulting in a refreshing and easy-drinking character.  
**Hops:** *Magnum, Saaz*



## Windsor & Eton Windsor Knot 4.0% ABV

Windsor & Eton Brewery, Berkshire. Est. 2010  
This straw-coloured pale ale has a passion fruit aroma, leading to a refreshing and hoppy flavour, with tropical fruit notes and a smooth finish.  
**Hops:** *Nelson Sauvin, Sovereign*



## Adnams Mosaic Pale Ale 4.1% ABV

Adnams Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1872  
This golden single-hopped ale has a bold hop-forward floral character, delivering assertive mango, peach, lemon, gooseberry and pine flavours, culminating in a dry, hoppy finish.  
**Hops:** *Mosaic*



## Daleside Old Legover 4.1% ABV

Daleside Brewery, North Yorkshire. Est. 1992  
This well-balanced bronze ale has fruity and floral aromas, leading to a nutty, predominantly malty flavour, with lingering hops and bitterness in the finish.  
**Hops:** *Bobek, Goldings, Northern Brewer*



## Evan Evans WPA 4.1% ABV

Evan Evans Brewery, Carmarthenshire. Est. 2004  
This classic golden Welsh pale ale has a fresh, crisp taste, with a generous blend of tropical fruit and hop flavours, balanced by subtle malt notes, resulting in a refreshing finish.  
**Hops:** *Jester, Magnum, Nugget*



## Inveralmond Ossian 4.1% ABV

Inveralmond Brewery, Perthshire. Est. 1997  
Winner of many awards, this golden-coloured beer has a hoppy, zesty, citrus aroma, complemented by a malty backbone and a refreshing, hoppy finish.  
**Hops:** *Cascade, Centennial, Citra, Goldings*



## Hogs Back TEA 4.2% ABV

Hogs Back Brewery, Surrey. Est. 1992  
This amber-coloured beer has a hoppy, fruity aroma, leading to a malty flavour, with balancing hop notes and a lingering malt sweetness in its satisfyingly clean finish.  
**Hops:** *Fuggles (grown in the brewery's own hop garden)*



## Kirkby Lonsdale Radical 4.2% ABV

Kirkby Lonsdale Brewery, Cumbria. Est. 2009  
This ruby-red beer is predominantly malty in character, delivering a sweet flavour, balanced by subtle hop and fruit notes, leading to a smooth, pleasing finish.  
**Hops:** *Brewer's Gold, First Gold*



## Otter Bright 4.3% ABV

Otter Brewery, Devon. Est. 1990  
This straw-coloured beer is brewed using lager malt and the finest English hops, delivering a citrus aroma and refreshing fruity flavour and resulting in a subtle bittersweet finish.  
**Hops:** *Fuggles*



## Peerless Dark Arts 4.3% ABV

Peerless Brewery, Merseyside. Est. 2009  
This delicious dark mild's blend of malts delivers an overall biscuit malt character, with hints of toffee and a lasting fruity finish.  
**Hops:** *Jester, Olicana*



## Butcombe Gold 4.4% ABV

Butcombe Brewery, Somerset. Est. 1978  
This golden beer is mellow in character, with hoppy, citrus flavours and aromas throughout, balanced by a subtle maltiness, leading to a fine, rounded, bittersweet finish.  
**Hops:** *Fuggles*



## Salcombe Seahorse 4.4% ABV

Salcombe Brewery, Devon. Est. 2016  
This smooth amber ale has a gently spiced hop character, balanced by hints of burnt toffee and caramel, leading to a smoked malty finish.  
**Hops:** *Admiral, Bramling Cross, Spalter Select*



## Vale Black Beauty Porter 4.4% ABV

Vale Brewery, Buckinghamshire. Est. 1995  
This black porter has chocolate and toasted malt aromas, leading to rich chocolate and caramel flavours, balanced by subtle hops notes, resulting in a long, smooth finish.  
**Hops:** *East Kent Goldings, Northdown*



## Purity Pure UBU 4.5% ABV

Purity Brewery, Warwickshire. Est. 2005  
This distinctive, vegan-friendly amber beer has an inviting hop aroma, leading to a good balance of malt and hops in its full flavour, resulting in a very pleasurable, easy-drinking character.  
**Hops:** *Cascade, Chinook, Pilgrim*



## Sambrook's Junction 4.5% ABV

Sambrook's Brewery, Battersea. Est. 2008  
This amber-coloured vegan-friendly beer has welcoming aromas of dark fruit, caramel and toast, leading to a full, balanced flavour of gentle malt notes and a light bitterness.  
**Hops:** *Bramling Cross, Challenger, Goldings*



## Elgood's Golden Newt 4.6% ABV

Elgood's Brewery, Cambridgeshire. Est. 1795  
This golden beer has an inviting floral aroma, leading to spicy hop, peach and apricot notes in the flavour, balanced by a subtle sweetness, before the long, bitter finish.  
**Hops:** *Cascade, Fuggles, Goldings*



## Maxim Double Maxim 4.7% ABV

Maxim Brewery, County Durham. Est. 2007  
This beer was first brewed in 1901 - the oldest-surviving example of a traditional northeastern brown ale. Its full aroma leads to a balance of ripe grain and spicy hops in the flavour, resulting in a long, bittersweet finish.  
**Hops:** *Goldings*



## Batemans XXXB 4.8% ABV

Batemans Brewery, Lincolnshire. Est. 1874  
This classic tawny ale has a pleasing peppery and malt aroma, while its generous blend of malt and hops imparts spicy notes and a good balance of fruit and biscuit in the flavour.  
**Hops:** *Bobek, Challenger, Goldings*



## East London Cowcatcher 4.8% ABV

East London Brewery, Leyton. Est. 2011  
This generously hopped, vegan-friendly American-style pale ale is pale golden in colour, with its floral aroma leading to a fruity, hoppy flavour and a crisp, refreshing finish.  
**Hops:** *Cascade, Chinook, Citra*



## Stonehenge Great Bustard 4.8% ABV

Stonehenge Brewery, Wiltshire. Est. 1984  
This deep amber-coloured beer has a full-bodied character which is a complex blend of rich fruit, toffee and caramel malt flavours, balanced by spicy and citrusy notes.  
**Hops:** *Cascade, First Gold*



## Coach House Blueberry Classic Bitter 5.0% ABV

Coach House Brewery, Cheshire. Est. 1991  
This straw-coloured speciality beer has a light hoppy aroma, leading to a refreshing, delicate bitterness, complemented by the subtle aroma and distinctive flavour of blueberries.  
**Hops:** *Pilgrim*



## Hanlons Stormstay 5.0% ABV

Hanlons Brewery, Devon. Est. 1996  
This dark amber beer has an aroma of toffee and floral hops, leading to a flavour which combines citrus, malt, toffee and biscuit, culminating in a dry (yet mellow) finish.  
**Hops:** *Cascade, Celeia, Goldings, Phoenix*



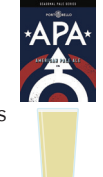
## Milestone Pacific Islander 5.0% ABV

Milestone Brewery, Nottinghamshire. Est. 2005  
This hazy golden vegan-friendly New World IPA has a predominant tropical fruit character, balanced by a full-bodied sweet malt backbone, leading to a refreshing, crisp finish.  
**Hops:** *Nectaron, Nelson Sauvin*



## Portobello American Pale Ale 5.0% ABV

Portobello Brewery, London. Est. 2012  
This pale golden beer has a rich English malt base, supplying an excellent balance to the hoppy aroma, generous fruity notes and balanced bitterness, resulting in a clean, crisp character.  
**Hops:** *Amarillo, Cascade, Citra, Summit*



## Rooster's Fort Smith 5.0% ABV

Rooster's Brewery, North Yorkshire. Est. 1993  
This golden vegan-friendly APA is big and bold in character, brewed using US hops to impart tropical and passion fruit aromas, leading to generous hop and fruity flavours and a lasting, bitter finish.  
**Hops:** *Chinook, Citra*



## Rudgate Valkyrie APA 5.0% ABV

Rudgate Brewery, North Yorkshire. Est. 1992  
This golden beer is brewed in the style of an American west coast pale ale, with subtle tropical fruit notes present in both its aroma and flavour, plus a full, hoppy finish.  
**Hops:** *Challenger, Chinook, Rakau, Styrian Cardinal*



## Salopian Golden Thread 5.0% ABV

Salopian Brewery, Shropshire. Est. 1995  
This bright golden ale is brewed using wheat and lager malts, plus an infusion of aroma hops, resulting in a clean, crisp palate, with hints of sweetness and a long, fruit-filled finish.  
**Hops:** *Centennial, Simcoe*



## Bishop Nick Divine 5.1% ABV

Bishop Nick Brewery, Essex. Est. 2011  
This amber-coloured traditional English premium ale has a light floral toffee aroma, leading to a nutty, fruity flavour, with gentle bitterness in the finish.  
**Hops:** *Aurora, Celeia, Fuggles, Goldings*



## Exeter Darkness 5.1% ABV

Exeter Brewery, Devon. Est. 2003  
This black stout has aromas and flavours of roasted coffee beans, chocolate and liquorice, resulting in a luxurious, smoky character, with a silky-smooth finish.  
**Hops:** *Goldings*



## Mauldons Black Adder 5.3% ABV

Mauldons Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1982  
This strong, dark, bitter stout has roast and nut aromas, a fruity balance of hops and dark malt, plus an excellent, lingering finish. It was a previous winner of CAMRA's Champion Beer of Britain award.  
**Hops:** *Fuggles*



## Nethergate Hop Weaver 5.4% ABV

Nethergate Brewery, Suffolk. Est. 1986  
This hazy golden vegan-friendly beer is brewed with a powerful blend of hops, delivering citrus notes and a moderate bitterness, balanced by a subtle sweetness, resulting in a long, refreshing, hoppy finish.  
**Hops:** *Amarillo, Bravo, Citra, Summit*



## Conwy Golden Gate 5.5% ABV

Conwy Brewery, Conwy. Est. 2003  
This golden beer is brewed in the style of an American IPA, packed with US hops to give an initial hop hit which is followed by biscuit malt flavours and a long, satisfying, bitter finish.  
**Hops:** *Hops: Cascade, Citra, Ekuant, Herkules*



## REAL-ALE TYPES



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