

The Hare and Hounds, Leavenheath

Summer Beer Festival - Thursday 3rd – Sunday 6th August 2017

Cask Beer

1. Rother Valley **Ruby Wheat Beer** 4.4% - ruby £3.50
A well balanced wheat beer brewed with First Gold and Cascade hops, which give this a unique chocolate-orange taste.
2. Trumans **Goldfinger** 3.8% - gold £3.30
With its low ABV at 3.8%, this is the perfect summer session ale. Goldfinger is infused with blossom honey and elderflower, and lightly hopped with East Kent Goldings to give delicious floral sweetness and a light herbal bitterness.
3. Tiny Rebel **Beatbox APA** 4.5% - gold £3.50
Big floral notes in this American inspired ale. A little bit of pithy fruit and a little bit of grass come through on the nose, with a lingering bitterness.
4. Crouch Vale **Amarillo** 5.0% - gold £3.70
A superb premium golden ale with wonderful aromas of Amarillo hops and a lasting spicy and orangy flavour. Cara malt provides a little burnished colour, but the light body belies its strength. Dangerously drinkable!
5. Adnams **Regatta** 4.3% - gold £3.50
This is a blonde ale, brewed with East Anglian Pale Ale malt and English hedgerow hops. Light and crisp with a lovely biscuit backbone, perfect for the summer. A distinctively different summer bitter delicious served cool.
6. Colchester Brewery **Pogonophobia** 4.5% - pale £3.50
Very pale ale packed with the full flavours of four hops from Washington State's Yakima Valley. Rather like garlic and vampires, it's believed by some (but not many) that this beer is just the trick for those wishing to ward off bearded men (or women).
7. Goffs **Jouster** 4.5% - tawny £3.50
A drinkable, tawny coloured ale, with a light hoppiness in the aroma. It has a good balance of malt and bitterness in the mouth, underscored by fruitiness, with a clean, hoppy aftertaste.
8. Dark Star **Not Into Yoga** 4.5% - hazy £3.50
This naturally hazy, tropical pale ale is dry hopped with Chinook & Columbus hops and flavoured with coconut pulp to give our take on a Pina Colada. No umbrella needed.
9. Crouch Vale **Blackwater Mild** 3.7% - mild £3.30
Smooth and malty dark mild for drinking in quantity! Fruity and full – the use of roast barley in the mash provides not only deep-ruby colour, but also a subtle, clean and dry flavour.
10. Crouch Vale **Ekuanot** 4.1% - gold £3.50
New pale beer, featuring the US hop Ekuanot (which we loved from the very first sniff!). All tropical fruits and soft bitterness – just great!

BOUNCY CASTLE ALL DAY ON SATURDAY

LIVE MUSIC ON SATURDAY FROM 9PM WITH 24 KARAT

BBQ FOOD AVAILABLE FROM 6PM FROM "MEAT THE BRUCE"

Bottles & Cans

Kona **Hanalei IPA** 4.5% abv - 355ml bottle £3.60

A superb session strength IPA from Kona Brewing in Hawaii. Hanalei is brewed with passion fruit, guava & oranges (all fruit found on the island) for a big tropical fruit hit, layered over all the hops you'd expect to find in an IPA.

Kona **Big Wave** 4.4% abv - 355ml bottle £3.60

Bursting with tropical fruit flavours, this golden ale from Hawaii will have your taste buds tingling. It has a soft fruit aroma that is reminiscent of pineapple and passion fruit, and the taste is fresh with very little dryness and a lot of papaya and pineapple without ever becoming sweet. It's quick, clean finish that makes you want to drink this beer again and again.

Wild Beer Co. **Witness** 5.8% abv - 500ml bottle £4.40

Witness is a Brett Belgian pale ale drawing inspiration from the Trappist Monasteries. Combining the classic Bastogne yeast (from Orval) and then both Brettanomyces Bruxellensis and Brettanomyces Clausenii to condition this beer will be hoppy and fragrant fresh but will also age gracefully like it's traditional predecessors, building complexity in the bottle.

Paulaner **Münchner Hell** 4.9% abv - 500ml bottle £3.80

No one makes lagers like the Germans, and Munich's historic Paulaner Brewery makes some of the best. This crisp helles starts malty sweet but dries out as the hoppy, biscuit finish takes over. It's made with all Bavarian ingredients, including hallertau, a noble German hop used in lagers all over the world.

Beavertown **Neck Oil** 4.3% abv - 330ml can £3.60

Beavertown's Session IPA Neck Oil packs a huge amount of flavour into a light, refreshing beer. It is crammed full of hops that are added at different times during the brew to bring out their individual flavours while reducing the bitterness. It starts out very dry to taste that is then quickly overtaken by the floral fruity notes of the hops before a dry, hoppy full-flavoured finish that makes a mockery of its low abv.

Brugse Zot **Blonde** 6% abv - 330ml bottle £3.60

The quintessential Belgian blonde ale against which all other blondes are compared. It is made in Bruges by the Halve Maan Brewery using 4 different malts to give it a distinctive big body and sweet malt character, while the unique yeast adds notes of banana and plum. The beer has a crisp, clean finish thanks to the hops that also bring a dried-fruit-like edge to the beer.

Hawkes **Alcoholic Ginger Beer** 4% abv - 500ml bottle £4.20

At 4% ABV, Hawkes Alcoholic Ginger Beer is made with a unique blend of natural gingers which give you just the right amount of ginger kick and its subtle mix of fruits provide the perfect level of sweetness. With its unique screw cap design it makes it by far the most social Alcoholic Ginger Beer on the market, definitely one to be shared with friend and family!