Welsh Flag indicates a flavour of Wales & Local produce used.

***The Welsh Flag** features the Red Dragon of Cadwallader, Prince of Gwynedd. The Dragon has been the symbol of Wales for over1000years. The white & green represents the colours of Prince Llewellyn the Great.*

ABBEY MILL – SURVIVING 860 YEARS OF CHANGE
OUR OLD FORGE & OLD SAW MILL, TINTERN

In Tintern in the year 1568 brass was first made by alloying copper with zinc. The original mill site of Tintern Abbey founded in 1131. Abbey Mill has adapted to the needs and demands of the area over the centuries. Formerly a corn mill and later probably a woollen mill until the Abbey and monastic life was suppressed in 1536.

From 1570 mill activities turned to iron-wire works until the early 1800's. Records from 1820 probably reverts the Mill back to a corn mill and at some point changed again to a wood turnery, sawmill and builder's store until the mid 1970's.

THE SAW MILL painted by Donald H Floyd

In March 2009 the Old Water Wheel was lovingly restored to its former glory with the help of 'Over Looking The Wye' and now proudly turns daily.

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OLD WATER WHEEL - '1927'
Photograph kindly donated by
Mr Cyril Reese, Bassaleg, Newport

Today Abbey Mill still stands proud for people to enjoy after surviving more than 860 years of change.

SPARE US A THOUGHT: We would be delighted to hear from you if you have any interesting information or photographs relating to the history of Abbey Mill. Please write to Wye Valley Centre, Abbey Mill, Tintern, Mon. or ask for our card.

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