

Art of Tamworth

Congratulations to all involved in the awesome Art of Tamworth event that took place last month, especially the man behind it all, Vic Brown, who made it happen. We loved our private performance from Dubafrique. Unsuspecting customers were treated to juggling,



drumming and acrobatics from these talented guys. We are proud to sponsor this event, which showcases and encourages so much talent and creativity in the town.



WHY SHOULD SCORE MY BEER

- ✓ Guide fellow beer lovers
- ✓ Play a part in the Good Beer Guide selection process
- ✓ Help power CAMRA's beer and pub data



Score your beer here

CAMRA's beer scoring system has had a makeover, making it simpler to score beers during your pubgoing. Check out the new-look beer scoring system and give it a go. You'll be helping to guide fellow beer lovers, and you'll also be playing a part in the Good Beer Guide selection process. It's a quick and easy way to get involved! Go to camra.org.uk/beer-scoring

Tamworth Beer Festival

It's nearly here! Tamworth's 32nd Beer Festival takes place this month, organised by the local CAMRA branch, and we will be supporting as always. This year, the fest is celebrating 60 years since Batman first appeared on TV. We've been doing our bit behind the scenes in the run up and will be around during the fest.

The event runs from Thursday 10th to Saturday 12th, opening at 11am each day. Entry is free to CAMRA members, and if you're not a member, why not join there and have your entrance fee refunded?



You will be able to taste one of our beers 'Holy Hops Batman' at the fest. And once again this year, as well as sponsoring the glasses and programme, we are also proud sponsors of the souvenir T-shirts too! The T-shirts cost £10 and are available to buy from Tamworth Assembly Rooms throughout the festival, until they sell-out. Unleash your inner caped crusader!



West Midlands Pub of the Year

We've done it Tappers! We're incredibly proud to announce that the Tamworth Tap has been crowned CAMRA West Midlands Regional Pub of the Year! We are once again down to the final 16 pubs stage and are now competing against 15 other fine establishments for the super regional title.

We are absolutely over the moon and want to say a huge and sincere thank you to our totally terrific team, amazing loyal customers, and everyone who supports what we do. This award celebrates all we strive for at the Tap – great beer, a welcoming atmosphere, high standards, and true community spirit. We are being presented with our award on Wednesday evening (2nd) at around 7:30pm, so please come and raise a glass with us. After all, we do what we do for you!



WHAT'S ON Our September line-up ...

- 🎤 CRAFTy Tappers Club ~ [Tuesday 1st, 6:30pm](#), 1st Floor
- 🎤 Barrel of Laughs ~ [Tuesday 1st, 7:30pm](#) (SOLD OUT)
- 🎨 Paint & Sip ~ [Wednesday 2nd, 7pm](#), Top Tap
- 🏆 CAMRA Presentation ~ [Wednesday 2nd, 7:30pm](#)
- 🎵 Tamworth Folk Group ~ [Friday 4th, 7:30pm](#), Top Tap
- 🎤 Friday Night Live with the Thunderboiz ~ [Friday 4th, 7:30pm](#), Hop Yard
- 🎤 Sunday Session with Faye Bagley ~ [Sunday 6th, 4pm](#)
- 📖 Faith on Tap ~ [Tuesday 8th, 15th and 22nd, 7pm](#), Top Tap (all TBC)
- ✍️ Creative Writing Group ~ [Wednesday 9th, 7pm](#), Top Tap
- 🐉 Dungeons & Dragons ~ [Thursday 10th, 7pm](#), Green Room
- 🍺 Tamworth Beer Festival ~ [Thursday 10th - Saturday 12th](#)
- 🎤 Sunday Session with Loz Rabone ~ [Sunday 13th, 4pm](#)
- 🎨 Paint & Sip ~ [Wednesday 16th, 7pm](#), Top Tap
- 📖 Story Telling with Maria Credali ~ [Thursday 17th, 7:30pm](#), Top Tap
- 🍺 Cask Ale Week ~ [Thursday 17th - Sunday 27th](#)
- 🎵 Tamworth Folk Group ~ [Friday 18th, 7:30pm](#), Top Tap
- 🎤 Sunday Session with Ben Hemmings ~ [Sunday 20th, 4pm](#)
- 🐉 Dungeons & Dragons ~ [Thursday 24th, 7pm](#), Green Room
- 📖 Silent Book Club ~ [Thursday 24th, 7:30pm](#), Top Tap
- 🎤 Sunday Session with Sheena & Tom ~ [Sunday 27th, 4pm](#)

Britain's Best Boozers



We were delighted to find out that we have made it into the Mirror's Best Boozers in the UK list. The article featured the Tap pretty heavily with our beaming faces spanning the two page spread. It was lovely to see!

Pop It on a Postcard

You keep admiring our vintage poster, so we decided to do something with it. You can now buy this image in the keepsake form of a postcard. Use it as a bookmark, pop it in a frame or even send it to someone! They're available at the bar.



Have a Heart

We are proud and delighted to say that we now have a defibrillator on site at the Tap. A huge HEARTfelt thanks to Keith at Tamworth Have a Heart for making this possible and to top Tapper Ollie for suggesting us in the first place.



at the same time. It makes sausage sense!

Beer Bangers

Our beer sausages - pork sausages infused with Tamworth Ale - were so popular at our recent Sausage & Cider Fest that Coates Butchers have decided to make them a regular thing. You can now buy them over the counter and take them home for tea! Not only do you get a tasty treat, but you're also supporting two local independent businesses

Cask Ale Week

Cask Ale Week is taking place from 17th to 27th September. We will of course be marking the week. Keep an eye on our page and follow Real Ale Finder to see what's on at the Tap.



Brewmaster Burgers

National Burger Day took place on 27th August. We've recently introduced a burger menu to the Tap for those joining us on a Saturday evening, so we used National Burger Day to showcase our brand new Brewmaster Burger Menu and give you another taste of what's on offer at the Tamworth Tap. The night was a great success and the burgers were burger-illiant. Try them out on a Saturday evening.



Hoptastic!

It was new hops day recently at the Tap. It's a mega job for George and Nick who were in early stripping down the old ones, unpicking fairy lights and cleaning up the aftermath. It took two days, but I'm sure you'll agree that the end result was worth it. They look and smell incredible.



Bat Watch

A huge thanks to everyone who joined us for our annual Bat Watch evening. This is such a great event - in fact, one of our favourites all year. It was great to see so many of you there. Special mention to the lovely Chris for imparting his expertise and captivating the crowd as always.



Sausage & Cider Fest Success

We had an incredible weekend for our sausage and cider fest. You ate, you drank and you made merry with 16 flavours of succulent sausages, all locally sourced from Coates Butchers, and 30+ scrumptious ciders and perries in our outside fest bar, as well as 50ish ciders and perries from our usual superb selection!

Thanks to Ellen & Zach and Mike Cass for providing our musical entertainment over the weekend and a special shout-out has to go to both Three Spires and Pennyroyal Garland Morris Dancers for bringing such fun to the occasion on Sunday.



Street Food Sunday

We're always looking to up our offering at the Tap and we're doing this on Sundays with our new Sunday Street Food Menu. Savour the taste of a roast, street food style, or sample one of our many small portions or sides. Sunday service just stepped up! Look out for a menu



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