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DRAUGHT BEERS

DROP

Pale Ale / Scotland / 4.6% / Pint / £5

An easy-drinking, pale ale with good bitterness and a full hop character. Brewed with care and consideration for your drinking pleasure. Being bottle

conditioned, there may be a slight sediment which can be left in the bottle with careful pouring if desired. Drop Ale is brewed in Scotland by Jaw Brew.

KOZEL

Lager / Czech / 4% / Pint / £4.50

This award winning, premium lager has a smooth, subtly bitter taste, a soft malt and hops scent and sparkles perfectly. This highly malted beer, with an alcohol volume content of 4%, is considered to be an excellent lager, both at home and abroad.

SURF SPECIALITY

Pale Ale / Scotland / 4.3% / Pint / £5

This speciality pale ale is brewed with German Hefeweizen wheat beer yeast for a distinctive taste and crisp, dry character (if you don't like wheat, don't worry, because this beer is completely wheat free!) Surf is a crisp and refreshing summer beer late hopped with Cascade for hints of fruit and a hoppy tang on the finish

WEST HEIDI

Weisse / Scotland / 5.2% / Pint / £5

2009 DLG German gold medal winner, brewed with 64% malted wheat. This Bavarian style wheat beer is bursting with flavours of banana and clove. WEST brewerv. Glaswegian heart with German head.

WEST OKTOBERFEST

Oktoberfest / Scotland / 5.9% / 2 Pints / £7

This year's Oktoberfest beer (5.3% ABV) revisits the popular 2014 brew, retaining an initial malty sweetness that is balanced by a moderate, hop bitterness. A deep amber colour, the beer is brewed with Tettnang and Tradition hops. and has strong notes of biscuit and toast. A varied grain bill that includes CaraMunich and Light Munich malts ensures the beer is rich and warming - well suited to the autumn season. WEST brewery, Glaswegian heart with German head.

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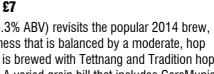












UROUELL

Pilsner / Czech / 4.4% / Pint / £4.50

Known as the "Model of Meter" among beers, all other pilsners are a better or worse attempt to copy the original - the first ever Pilsner Urguell. Its unparalleled exceptionality is guaranteed by the same recipe dating

from 1842. Pilsner Urguell is the world's most authentic pilsner blonde lager.

LAGER / PILSNER

10 SAINTS

Lager / Barbados / 4.8% / 330ml / £3.50

A hand crafted beer, brewed in Barbados, and aged for 90 days in Mount Gay 'Special Reserve' Rum casks. The barrels used in this process were originally used to age bourbon in Kentucky, before being shipped to Barbados for aging rum. A full flavoured premium beer with a smooth rum finish.

RIRRA MORETTI

Lager / Italy / 4.6% / 330ml / £3

The result of a production process that has remained almost unchanged since 1859. The best raw materials are used to make Birra Moretti, as well as a special blend of high quality hops that gives it a unique taste and fragrance, enhancing its perfectly balanced bitter taste. The beer of Italy.

BREWDOG BREWGOODER

Lager / Scotland / 4.5% / 330ml / £3.50

The barley and a touch of wheat in the grist round the beer out beautifully, with a crisp finish coupled with a hit of citrus. BrewDog are hugely pleased to support their BrewGooder Foundation, with their truly incredible ambition to provide access to clean water for one million people.

DEVASSA PREMIUM

Pilsner / Brazil / 6.2% / 355ml / £4

Devassa is an authentic, stylish, exciting Brazilian Pilsner. All Devassa is brewed, bottled and imported from Brazil, where it has achieved cult status. It has a little more body and bitterness than most South American lagers. Devassa is Brazil's #1 premium lager



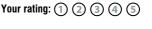






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DOS EQUIS

Lager / Mexico / 4.5% / 355ml / £3.50

A crisp, refreshing, light-bodied, malt-flavoured beer with a well-balanced finish. A Lager that drinks like a Pilsner... A beer with such good taste, it's chosen YOU to drink it. A beverage made from pure spring water and the choicest hops.

ESTRELLA GALICIA

Lager / Spain / 4.7% / 330ml / £3.50

This premium lager is produced using Pilsen, roasted malts and hops of the Nugget and Perle Hallertau varieties, offering a traditional flavour of marked bitterness, and refreshing aftertaste with every sip. This is a light and refreshing beer which is easy to drink.

FIENSBURGER

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Pilsner / Germany / 4.8% / 330ml / £3.50

The pleasing aroma of this lager is that of grain and malts, with the flavour being mildly bitter with a crisp, hoppy taste on the palate. This easy drinking beer also has caramel notes with hints of lemongrass. Light citrus is apparent, with a long dry finish. A full bodied pilsner guaranteed to satisfy.

HOBO THREE HOP

Lager / Czech / 4.7% / 330ml / £3.50

A crisp and classic golden Bohemian Pilsner brewed with patience and principles. Laid on a bed of biscuity Moravian malt and spiced with citrusy Saaz hops, it's floral, brisk in bitterness, with a gentle rounded sweetness. Deftly balanced; characterful, yet quenching; it's kept in a can because, that way, it retains its freshness for longer.

LUCKY BUDDHA

Lager / China / 4.8% / 330ml / £3.50

Lucky beer has a clean, classic style with a crisp, fresh finish. A fusion of rice, malted barley and Czech Saaz hops, Lucky Beer is also fermented at a cool temperature to allow an aromatic, rich, yet curiously light style of beer. It's an Asian-influenced lager style that is, truly, an enlightened brew.

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PERONI RED Lager / Italy / 4.7% / 330ml / £3

Unlike the famous Peroni Nastro Azzuro, the red labelled Peroni offers a slightly darker colour with more pronounced malty and hoppy characteristics. The red edition has plenty of fruity and floral notes with clean and smooth finish.











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PISTONHEAD KUSTOM

Lager / Sweden / 4.5% / 330ml / £3.50



A smooth, no-nonsense brew. Straw golden in colour with a malty nose and a hint of dark loaf.

A full bodied malt flavour with a balanced and distinct bitterness. Dry hopped with Cascade and Amarillo hops to offer a spicy citrus edge. Supporting creativity, individuality and good times.

SIFTE VIDAS

Lager / Spain / 4.8% / 330ml / £4

A light-refreshing, Kolsch-style beer with lager malt and German hops. This beer name translates as 7 lives, as in Spain cats only have the 7 lives! So, with that in mind, the brewer donates 7% of the proceeds to a local animal shelter to help with the shortfall!

ALE / BEER / STOUT

13 GUNS

IPA / America / 5.5% / 330ml / £3.50

This intensely hoppy American IPA has a rich mouth feel, malty flavours and a soft tropical fruit aroma and taste. Centennial, Citra, Amarillo, Apollo, Chinook and Kohatu hops combine with Pale Ale, Munich, Caramalt and Rye malts in a salute to the original 13 States of America.

AMIGOS

Tequila Beer / Mexico / 5.1% / 330ml / £3.50

A golden, easy drinking, Teguila flavoured beer. As well as the flavour punch of tequila, it has the zing of South American limes and harnesses the Mexican party spirit. Tequila and lime are the quintessential flavours of Mexico:

essential at any party.

BACCHUS FRAMBOISE

Fruit Beer / Belgium / 5% / 375ml / £4.50

A typical Flemish beer with a pleasant wine-like taste and a rich past. This dark brown beer, which is matured in oak casks, has a slightly acid aftertaste. A premium fruit beer, for which, Belgium is well known, Hand wrapped and presented in half champagne bottles.

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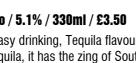














BANGLA Beer / India / 4.8% / 660ml / £4.50



It has a deep gold colour, reminiscent of the golden hue of the sun setting over the Bay of Bengal. It's Taste... Bangla beer is a specially created brew. designed to complement Bangladeshi and Indian Cuisine (check out our Bombay Corner for food!). It is stronger to provide a robust taste platform to soften the most

warming of spices but remain delicate enough to augment the sophisticated texture of curry dishes. It has a rich full flavoured smooth taste. This beer is brewed in the UK.

BEEHIVE BRAE

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Honey Beer / Scotland / 4.5% / 330ml / £4

Our artisan blonde ale has refreshing environmental credentials. reimagining ancient traditions and delivering a beer perfectly presented for 21st century palates with refreshing malty honey taste. Beehive Brae's Blonde Honey Beer has been nominated in the finals of the Scottish Beer Awards, which not only pits the ethical ale against other craft brewers, but also against some of the giants within the industry. Could not 'bee' more local: it's from Wishy.

BLACK BLOCK IMPERIAL RUSSIAN

Stout / Spain / 11.2% / 330ml / £4.50

Pours clear opaque black with a low tan head. There is an aroma of hazelnuts, burnt toast, dried figs, chocolate, sweet vanilla, chestnuts, malts and brown rum. The taste is sweet, mild roasty, with subtle and balanced chocolate notes, tones of liquorice, bitter hops and roasted coffee. Body is rich and creamy with a soft carbonation. A complex Imperial Stout beer from La Pirata.

CHIMAY BLUE

Beer / Belgium / 9% / 330Mml / £4.50

Whilst obviously strong, the alcohol is barely noticeable: giving way. instead, to the beautiful aromas of spicy Belgian yeast, bread dough and toffee - the mark of great craftsmanship. Rich and intense, with lovely caramel notes, its lovely dry finish allows the distinct Belgian flavours to linger well into the next sip. This is a top fermented Trappist beer.

ERDINGER

Dunkel / Germany / 5.6% / 500ml / £4.50

This elegant wheat beer has a lustrous, deep, dark-brown appearance. The first sip reveals a harmonious symphony of carefully selected wheat and barley malts, with exquisite Hallertau aroma hops. Taste buds usually detect hints of caramel, nuts and fresh bread. An unmistakable top-fermenting accent is provided by ERDINGER's traditional yeast. Dunkel is a Dunkelweizen style beer brewed by Erdinger Weissbräu in Erding.

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HOEGAARDEN

Beer / Belgium / 4.5% / 330ml / £4

Unfiltered Belgian White, flavoured with coriander and orange peel, creating a sweet and sour taste. Hoegaarden monks were the first to discover the unique recipe for wheat beer around 1445. Even in Belgium before the 1960s, you'd have struggled to find a witbier. That is, until Pierre Celis resurrected this style of wheat beer - once widely brewed - in the town of Hoegaarden. Celis revived the style by adding coriander seeds.

LAGANITUS

IPA / America / 6.2% / 330ml / £4

Made with 43 different hops and 65 various malts, this redolent ale will likely float your boat. This is our unique version of an ancient style. A style as old as the ocean trade routes of the last centuries of Great Ships. Pours a medium copper color with a small head. Smells pleasantly hoppy with alcohol detectable in the smell. The taste is dense, notably of bitter hops and a solid IPA taste overall. Refreshing and clean on the palate. Medium body and feel.

LEFFE BRUNE

Beer / Belgium / 6.5% / 330ml / £4

A traditional Belgian abbey beer with a deep brown colour and a full, sweet and fruity aroma. Leffe Brown is an authentic abbey beer. Aroma hits you with banana first, then brown sugar, lightly toasted malt, dried fruit and caramel. Medium body, lively and foamy. Tastes of brown bread, banana, cola and raisins.

OUR SCOTTISH HEROES

Ales / Scotland / 4.5% / 500ml / £4

Golden in colour with good head retention and soft fruits aroma. Malty caramel biscuit with a spicy citrus hop and a lingering crisp apple aftertaste. Comes from our local breweries in Coatbridge and supports, raises money and increases awareness for all veterans living in Scotland.

WEIHENSTEPHAN

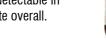
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Kristall / Germany / 5.4% / 500ml / £4.50

Weihenstephan is a golden-yellow crystal-clear, wheat beer. The fresh 📶 citrus flavour harmonises very well with spicy banana notes. The fine sparkling gives it a tangy and animated appearance and brewed according to our centuries-old brewing tradition on the Weihenstephan Hill.

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CIDERS

BLIND PIG

Cider / England / 4% / 355ml / £4

Heineken launches new speakeasy-inspired cider range. Blended with notes of Bourbon and Blueberry flavour. Rich and full bodied with dark bourbon notes which contrast with a crisp berry flavour. Strictly forbidden after dark.

PEACOCK

Cider / Indian / 4.8% / 500ml / £4.50

It has a gentle sweetness to balance the natural tartness of culinary apples. Designed to pair with Indian cuisine so try our Bombay Corner snacks

along with it!

JACK DANIEL'S TENNESSEE CIDER

Cider / America / 5.5% / 330ml / £4.50

By combining crisp, apple cider with smooth Jack Daniel's Tennessee Whiskey, we've expertly blended something that's not only distinctly refreshing, but also unmistakably Jack to the core. Best served and shared with friends, Jack Daniel's Tennessee Cider's bold, and one-of-a-kind, flavour stays true to the pioneering spirit of Mr. Jack. Straight to the UK before anywhere else in the world!

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Hank Marvin? HERE'S THE MENU

The Festival Counter

THE FESTIVAL BURGER £4

Served in a brioche bun with lettuce, mayonnaise and sliced tomato Add cheese **Free** Add bacon **50p**

THE CHILLI BURGER £4

Our beef burger with lettuce, mayo and tomato topped with our smoky Texan chilli sauce

FIRECRACKER CHICKEN BUN £4

Spicy chicken goujons, fiery hot sauce served on a bun

CHICKEN BURGER £4

Spiced chicken breast topped with cheese on lettuce, mayo and tomato

MAC 'N' CHEESE (V) £4

Creamy cheese sauce with macaroni baked till golden and THEN topped with crispy onions

SMOKY PULLED PORK £4

Smoky, slow cooked shoulder, served in our toasted brioche bun with lettuce, mayo and sliced tomato

MEATBALL MARINARA £4

Meatballs in a lightly spiced tomato sauce, served on the big bun

FALAFEL BURGER (V) £3.50

With harissa, mayo, cucumber and red onion served on a toasted bun with lettuce

SIDES

Garlic Bread **£1** Chips **£2**





The Dog House

CLASSIC FESTIVAL DOG £4

The finest smoked pork dog on a lightly toasted roll.

FIRE DOG £4

Fire things up with our spicy cheese and bacon sauce on our fantastic smoked dog.

CHILLI CHEESE DOG £4

Our classic dog topped with our smoky Texan chilli and cheese.

BRATWURST CLASSIC £4

Traditional smoked, German style sausage; try with onions and sauerkraut for a proper Berlin style experience. Perfect with a nice beer.

FESTIVAL NACHOS £3.50

Tortilla chips topped with our own herbs and spices loaded with a cheesy jalapeno sauce or a soothing salsa.

CHILLI CHEESE NACHOS £3.50

Our nachos topped with a half portion of chilli and cheese.



Bombay Corner

VEGETABLE (V) £3.50 / CHICKEN £4

Pakoras with a tomato and mint sauce

ONION BHAJIS (V) £3

Mixed onions, fried in a light chickpea batter with our spicy green chilli sauce.

GOLGAPPA (V) £3

Popular Chaat Puri snack from Mumbai with potatoes, chickpeas, coriander and tamarind; served on a fried poppadum.

TARKA DHAL (V) (GF) £3

Yellow lentil curry served with naan bread.



Friday

7.30 - 8.20pm 8.40 - 9.20pm 9.40 - 10.40pm 11 - 12 midnight

Saturday

4 - 4.45pm 5.05 - 5.50pm 6.10 - 6.55pm 7.15 - 8.00pm 8.20 - 9.05pm 9.25 - 10.10pm 10.30 - 12 midnight King of Birds Junkman's Choir Party Fears Three The Kicks

Lisa Kowalski Sean Kennedy The Kinks Experience Gilchrist Deep River Blues Band Bombskare Grand Central



KING OF BIRDS

The guys in King Of Birds are songwriting brothers, Charlie and Stirling Gorman, from the village of Elderslie, 14 miles west of Glasgow in Scotland. Formed in 2014,

they began writing songs which would form the foundations for their first, as yet untitled album, which is in the latter stages of completion and also the 4 song 'HarvestTime' E.P' due for release very soon. The brothers have featured on various radio stations here in Scotland and in the states. They have played shows all over Scotland, and recently supported some of Scotland's top artists including James Grant, JJ Gilmour, Roddy Hart and The Lonesome Fire.

JUNKMAN'S CHOIR

Hailing from the dark heart of Scotland's West Coast, Junkman's Choir evolved from the rootsy zydeco/cajun band Johnny Gator and the Bourtréhillbillies and the Nyah Fearties; pioneers of the industrial folk punk scene in the late '80s.



The band has recorded three albums and three EPs since its formation in 2003, using a variety of sounds and instruments, alongside the core of guitar, accordion and trumpet. They have distilled their songwriting under the influence of Tom Waits, Joe Strummer, Manu Chao, Robert Burns and a host of other wandering souls. Open to a rich diversity, their music overflows with infectious stormers, shuffling rhythmic drivers and gritty ballads. They have supported acts such as Ocean Colour Scene, The Soweto Gospel Choir, Onthank Gaelic Choir and The Pogues.

PARTY FEARS THREE

"Re-engineering the Eighties for the 21st Century"

Now firmly established as one of the leading eighties cover/tribute bands in the UK, Party Fears Three bring you a show packed full of classic songs from the decade still regarded by many as one the most innovative and enduring periods in music ever. Using a combination of



modern technology and vintage instrumentation, the band faithfully deliver sounds and visuals that strongly

evoke the bands of the time yet at the same time updated for a modern audience and stamped with their own identity, making it an interesting and appealing night out for anyone that has an affinity for the great music of this era and something a little different from what you might expect from conventional tribute bands. Expect classic hits from the likes of The Human League, Duran Duran, Depeche Mode, Yazoo, Pet Shop Boys, Ultravox, Simple Minds, Tears For Fears, Erasure and many more in a fast paced show that will appeal to anyone who loves the irresistible music of this much-loved decade.

THE KICKS



Meet THE KICKS - one of the best wedding and function bands Scotland has to offer. A definitive power trio that includes the charismatic front man, the world class vocal and guitar

playing John McIntyre, and one of the country's tightest rhythm sections - Neil MacDougall on drums and Steven Adamson on bass. THE

KICKS cover a wide range of genres and styles with ease, and combine it with a live stage show that raises them above the competition.

LISA KOWALSKI

Young singer-songwriter Lisa Kowalski, from Paisley, has been gigging in venues, large and small, festivals, and even football stadiums for



several years. Since she released her debut EP this year, interest has really stepped up a gear. She has won music

competitions, grant funding and been played all over the radio. Lisa has formed a band of talented young musicians in order to recreate her songs as they sound on the critically acclaimed EP. Her set will also include brand new songs and some pop/Americana covers.

SEAN C KENNEDY

Sean C Kennedy is a Singer-Songwriter and guitarist from Ayrshire, Scotland. As well as



being voted Best Acoustic Act at the Scottish Alternative Music Awards, Sean has worked with established artists and producers, such as Andy Taylor (Duran Duran), and co-written Watercolour Dreams and Still Hanging On with Nik Kershaw.

Influenced by the likes of Bonnie Raitt, Bryan Adams, Prince, Amos Lee, his parents would play music like this growing up as a kid. Sean began his musical career later at the age of 19 after a leg injury ended his football career. Sean has found a way to brilliantly blend these influences with his own pop, rock, blues, progressive style in order to create something unique. Spending most of his time in Nashville writing and performing Sean will be performing in the UK before his return to the States summer 2017.



THE KINKS EXPERIENCE Re-creating the authentic live sound of The Kinks. Founding

member, bass player and

life-long Kinks fan Alan Drover (ex Skelter) and guitarist Peter McClurg (ex The Rhymes and Skelter) had considered the idea for years but the right line-up was illusive. Peter met Rikki McKay (ex Blackberry Jack and Kinks fan) and a plan was hatched to rehearse 3 songs, and what was originally an 'experiment' turned into something very special. Drummer Tommy Clark (The Seventh Sons, The Standards) and keyboard player Arnie Burgovne (Echo and the Bunnymen) completed the line-up and the band have gone on to become one of the most musically and visually accurate Kinks tribute acts in the country. Playing authentic guitars, keys and amps to carefully keep the sound vintage, the band have worked hard on all the original arrangements of the songs - and they are all there from You Really got Me and Dead End Street to Waterloo Sunset and Lola.

GILCHRIST

GILCHRIST are an eight piece band of musicians and songwriters who love playing up-beat, funky rock songs with a little soul thrown in. They released the debut album 'Funky Philosophy' in November 2014, and played gigs all over Scotland, as well as the odd trip down to London. The feedback they received from was great and resulted in the band signing a publishing deal with Long Lunch Music, as well as appearing on STV's 'Live at Five' show in February 2016. They worked with award winning producer Steve Power, who mixed some new tracks for the band in Oct 2016. They have since released two EPs featuring some of these tracks.





DEEP RIVER BLUES BAND

High Energy 5 piece band covering classic country,

americana, rock 'n' roll and any other good stuff that takes our fancy.

BOMBSKARE

Introducing the bishops of bounce, the sorcerers of skank, the undisputed masters of Scottish death reggae, the one and only Bombskare - the closest thing you'll see to an actual northern powerhouse. This nine headed, ska demon has been tearing up stages the length and breadth of the British Isles since before The Crusades. Reaching zero to sixty skanking miles from a standing start, they combine top quality,



GIN BAR MENU



Bathtub Gin £4

An extraordinary award-winning gin from Ableforth's, infused with ingredients including juniper, orange peel, coriander, cassia, cloves and cardamom.



Drumshanbo Gunpowder Irish Gin £4 Infused with oriental lemon and lime, grapefruit and gunpowder tea.



Jawhox Classic Gin £3 From Belfast, this is Ireland's first single estate cut, classic dry gin.



Larios Rose Premium Gin £3 This Rose Edition of Larios gin uses fresh Strawberries to give a fruity, intense flavour to complement the juniper and citrus notes. dancealong songs with incredible punctuality, leaving every stage like Tokyo following a visit from Godzilla. Renowned for their technical prowess, as much as their infectious ska anthems, they combine lush, three-part harmonies with choppy guitar attacks and an explosive horn section to truly blow the audience away. These guys know about getting a crowd to dance!

GRAND CENTRAL

One of the hardest working wedding and function bands in Scotland, Grand Central have caused quite a stir since taking the Glasgow Wedding Band scene by storm a few short years ago. The perfect way to finish the Beer Festival with a set list of popular songs!





Makar Glasgow Gin £4

The first Gin to be distilled in Glasgow, Makar, is a vibrant, Juniper based, handcrafted gin that derives its name from the ancient Scots word for Poet.



Malfy Gin £3

With the aroma of Italian lemons grown on the coast which gives Malfy its distinctive taste.



WITTER

Silent Pool Gin £4

Fresh floral and clarifying citrus notes are grounded by earthy and spicy cassia bark and cubeb.

Whitley Elderflower Gin £3

This elderflower gin has soft scents of juniper, coriander and cinnamon to create a sweet velvety sensation and a fresh, floral bouquet.

CHECK OUT WINES, SPIRITS AND COCKTAILS BAR