

Ale

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SECOND EDITION OF 'REAL ALE IN CAMBRIDGESHIRE' TO BE PUBLISHED IN JUNE

The second annual edition of 'Real Ale in Cambridgeshire' will be published on Tuesday June 1.

This was decided by representatives of the Cambridge, Peterborough and St Neots branches at a meeting at Huntingdon last month.

Cambridge campaign manager, Allan Challis (right) is anxious to hear of amendments or additions to last year's guide.

Secretary Bill Noblett, who will edit the guide, said he hoped it would be published in time for the Riverside Festival at St Neots on Saturday June 5.

He predicted a bigger, more comprehensive guide this year, to include full facilities of every 'real ale' pub, including food, car-parking, and pub games.

The format will also be more conveniently 'pocket' size.

Members met at Huntingdon's only 'real ale' pub, the delightful Victoria Inn (Paine's EG and bitter).

Those present included Cambridge committee member, Steve Davies-King, St Neots chairman, George Cotton, John Curry, and Peterborough treasurer, Brendan Bowle.



TONY REYNOLDS' CHOICE OF BEERS FOR CAMRA'S CAMBRIDGE PUB ...

Cambridge CAMRA member, Tony Reynolds, of 8 Rookery Way, Fenstanton, would like to see Adnams' bitter served at the Salisbury Hotel, which should open in May.

Tony's choice also includes Greene King's Biggleswade light mild, Ruddle's County, and several other strong ales, including Greene King Abbot, Adnams' Old and perhaps Tally Ho, Charles Wells' Christmas Ale, Theakston's Old Peculier, and Paine's EG.

He'd also like to see Elgood's, of Wisbech, both the London real ales, Young's and Fuller's and 'anything else roving members can get a firkin of ...'

And: 'When are we going to brew the beer ourselves?'

ON DRAUGHT ... Next meeting, Hat and Feathers (Tolly) on Tuesday March 16 (8 p.m.) ... Fred Barker, who will become tenant of The Sun (Tolly), Waterbeach, on Friday March 26, pledges to retain handpumps ... Bob the boxer, a dog with a healthy thirst, drinks Greene King light mild from an ashtray at The Tree, Stapleford - he only drinks in 'real ale' pubs ... Is there a better pint anywhere than at the Granta (Greene King), in Newham?