



Jolly Boys Visit to Canterbury

Thursday 13th May 2010



Culture :-

Last visited by the Jollys in 2004.

Loads of culture - but no time to see it. We will pass through the Westgate and see the cathedral and loads of other old buildings, also seeing the Kings School kids wearing their distinctive collars as they wander round the City from lesson to lesson.

A lot of pubs have closed (or been "converted") since 2004 so it is a struggle to find good ones. Assuming most people will use the West station the Phoenix has been left off the list, although a good pub, as it is 20 minutes walk from the West. Seven pubs are listed but our stay in each pub may be short depending on crowds and ambience and we don't HAVE to call at all of them.

Getting There & Back:-

A selection of Trains – check with timetable!

Victoria	dep	08.22				08.52			
St Pancras	dep		08.40				09.12		
Stratford	dep		08.47				09.19		
Charing Cross	dep			08.13				08.33	
Waterloo East	dep			08.16				08.36	
London Bridge	dep			08.21				08.41	
Ashford	arr			09.27			09.50	09.56	
Ashford	dep				09.33				10.03
Canterbury West	arr		09.40		09.54				10.22
Canterbury East	arr	09.59				10.29			

Canterbury East	dep		14.32			15.02			15.32	
Canterbury West	dep	14.25		14.35			15.04	15.25		15.35
Ashford	arr	14.41		14.58			15.16	15.41		15.58
Ashford	dep	14.43		15.02	15.13		15.22	15.43		16.02
London Bridge	arr			16.14			16.46			17.14
Cannon Street	arr									
Waterloo	arr			16.18			16.52			17.20
Charing Cross	arr			16.24			16.56			17.26
Stratford	arr	15.14			15.44			16.14		
St Pancras	arr	15.21			15.51			16.21		

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Victoria	arr	16.07		16.37		17.07	

Food :-

The Thomas Ingoldsby or the Parrot are probably best for food: the choice depends on your pocket.

Prices :-

People from “up North” beware – this is a southern tourist town – expect some pints to cost in excess of £3.20.

The Itinerary :-

<u>No on Map</u>	<u>Hostelry</u>	<u>Beers @ time of reconnoitre</u>	<u>Notes</u>	<u>Pub Opening Times</u>	<u>Approx Jolly Boy Times</u>
1.	Westgate Inn 1 - 3 Northgate	A Wetherspoons	Open at 10.00 for breakfast and earlies. 5 mins walk from West station.	09.00 -23.00	10.00 -11.05
2.	The Old Brewery Tavern Stour Street	Gadds Common Conspiracy Hopdaemon Incubus Wantsum Hengist Ringwood 49er	GBG 2010 5 mins from 1	11.00 – 23.00	11.10 – 11.40
3.	The Thomas Ingoldsby Burgate	The second Wetherspoons for cheap food.	GBG 2010 7 mins walk from 2.	09.00 – 23.00	11.50 – 12.30
4	Bell & Crown 10-11 Palace Street	Gadds Nos 3 & 5 Whitstable EIPA Hpodaemon Incubus	GBG 2010	12.00 – 23.00	12.40 – 13.00
5.	Parrots 1 – 9 Church Lane	A Youngs pub Youngs, Hopdaemon & Guests	Was Simple Simons on our last visit. Not visited but CAMRA use it.	Not Known	13.05 – 13.30

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6.	The Dolphin 17 St Radigunds	Landlord, Doombar & a local brew usually	Not visited but close to Parrots and en route to Unicorn	Not Known	13.35 – 13.50
7.	Unicorn 61 St Dunstons	SN Masterbrew Hopdaemon Incubus Whitstable Kent Pearl.	GBG 2010 10 mins walk from Westgate Inn or West station.	11.30 – 23.00	14.00 -

See map for approximate locations.