

Jolly Boys – Newbury 15th February 2024

As Rod will be away on the high seas, have answered the SOS and come to the rescue.

All the venues are in the area around the market place and about 5 minutes walk from the station.

Have found it impossible to find anywhere reasonable that opens at 11:00 apart from the good old Wetherspoons, but on the day the 'Newbury' could open early for us, to be 'arranged'.

So:

Arriving at Newbury station exit on the "up" side and turn right up the road. Sharply left at top into Cheap street, continue towards the town centre and into the Market Place for the Hatchet, about 5 minutes walks, a regular Wetherspoons. Five or Six beers normally available with a selection of local brews plus their normal food list, including breakfast! (Till 11:30)

Don't forget your vouchers for the spoons also 2 pubs on the tour offer discounts for Camra members so bring yours cards as well!!!

From the Hatchet cross over the market square, through the Arcade and turn left about 100 yards on left is the Newbury (provisional). 3 ales which were Pride, Landlord and 6X.

If all is well leave 12:15 turn right and back towards town centre, cross bridge and left down alley to the Lock, Stock and Barrel. Fullers Pub with guest. Leave 12:45, back over the bridge and left into the market place and back towards station on the right is the Catherine Wheel.

Suggested food stop. 6 hand pumps. They do a good range of Pies!!!.

Give the Catherine Wheel an hour and then back towards the station, on the left is the King Charles, 6 changing beers and food is also available if required. Leave when ready, a few minutes to the station.

Enjoy.