



## Tasting Notes 2016/2017

A delectable array of 16 delicious artisan ales for every palate! 7 regular beers, exciting limited editions.

### REGULAR ALES

**Halfway to Heaven 3.5%** Full flavoured chestnut coloured with biscuit maltiness. Citrus and fruit hop character with a hint of spice. Great session bitter! SIBA SE Silver medal.

**Saison 3.9%** ABV Belgian saison yeast gives an amazing banana/ clove nose, "super" hopped with blend of German malts for fabulous dry finish...plus a lovely creamy head. Unfined vegan friendly. *Locale winner SW Sussex CAMRA May 2014*

**Hip Hop 4%** -our bestselling blonde, clean and crisp, loaded with floral hop aroma. The pale malt aroma is overtaken by a pleasing dry finish. *4 x award winner. SE SIBA, Western Sussex and Haslemere. Also available in bottles.*

**Sundowner 4.2%** - deep golden smooth and malty beer with pleasantly dry and delicately floral finish. Waitrose selected it as their preferred bottled beer! *Also available in bottles.*

**Best 4.5%** - tawny coloured Classic Sussex Best with well balanced malt flavours finished with a hint of blackcurrant and a slightly spicy sweet aroma. *Also available in bottles.*

**Arapaho 4.9%** - Full flavoured citrus and passion fruit super-hopped deep gold **American Pale Ale** with a creamy, foamy head and satisfying finish. Winner Haslemere Beer fest Sept 2013; Guest at GBBF 2014.

**LSD 5.2%** - auburn beer with rich complex flavours and a deep red glow; Sweet maltiness is balanced by spicy hoppy aromas and a gently dry finish. SE SIBA 3 x awards. Silver and Gold. *Also available in bottles.*

### LIMITED EDITION ALES

**SEPT-???** NEW!!! **Decennium 4.0%** - To celebrate 50 years of Maris Otter brewing barley and our 10<sup>th</sup> year in the brewery! Representing W Sussex in the national MO 50 September fest in Norwich, Decennium is a beautiful blonde ale, with robust hopping, a fabulous aroma and delicious mouthfeel and after taste!

**SEPT-NOV Autumn-ale 4.4%** - a deep golden beer made with local Sussex hops which give a unique spiced fruity hop aroma. Smooth with a subtle honied finish

**DECEMBER Christmas Cracker ABV 4.5%** - Xmas mystery beer. *A different recipe every year with a seasonal twist for extra yuletide cheer.*

**MAY-AUGUST Jester EPA ABV 3.8%** Golden Ale with sweet malt complexity leading to a punchy hop aroma of new world proportions, with flavour notes of grapefruit and tropical fruits. This beer has an intense, complex bitterness with fruity and herbal flavour. **WINNER WESTERN SUSSEX LOCALE OF THE FEST MAY 2016 !!!!!**

**AUG-SEPT Easy Ryeder 4.1%**. New RYE.P.A. , Born to be wild! Delicious dry rye finish, refreshing hopping and a beautiful subtle reddish glow.

### THE DARK ONES

**OCT-MAR AEGIR 7.5%** Dark, smooth, rich malty sweet, smouldering **smoked Baltic Porter!!** Delicious with a tan head, and well balanced hop and caramel and liquorice malt flavours. *Winner Alton beer Fest Feb 2015 and June 2015*

**OCT-MAR Black Swallow 6%**. generously hopped Black IPA with pine and herb notes, leading to deep and complex malt flavours with hints of liquorice and toffee undertones. *Winner Redhill CAMRA Beer festival November 2013 and SIBA SE GOLD July 2015*

**DEC-MAR Triple XXX ABV 4.4%** - dark, smooth chocolate malty winter mild ale, gently hopped for a slightly sweeter taste.