

## Beer Tours UK

Schedule for four days (three nights) **tour** of craft cask breweries and outstanding pubs in Cheshire, Derbyshire and Manchester.

Proposed Tour Dates: **Tuesday 27th August - Friday 30th August 2019**

**Day 1 (Tuesday):** 12noon-12.30pm collection from Chester Railway Station or Liverpool/Manchester Airports followed by welcome beer sampling and light lunch (**included**) at a city centre pub - a brewery tap in a former Jacobean Banqueting Hall. Lunch will be followed by a short walk along the Roman walls. We then travel to rural hotel for check-in.

**4.45pm:** Depart for a visit the award winning Weetwood Brewery (subject to availability) in the heart of the Cheshire countryside for tour and talk with complimentary beer sampling. Approx 6.15pm: Travel on to visit excellent country hostelrys and enjoy an evening meal (**not included**).

**Day 2 (Wednesday):** *This will be a long day.* 9-15am: Depart hotel for a trip to Derbyshire. Visit the picturesque spa town of Buxton where there will be time for a short sightseeing walk around the Victorian Pavilion and Dome. We will then visit a village pub for a light lunch (**included**)

**2-00pm:** We visit the innovative and much acclaimed Thornbridge Brewery for a brewery tour with beer tasting and light lunch (**included**). Only ten years old - brewing started off in a small shed in the grounds of an historic manor house. Since then they have expanded to a new plant at Bakewell and won an amazing number of awards for their beers, including the famous Jaipur IPA. We will also see the impressive grounds of the stately manor house and the original 'shed' brewery (subject to availability).

**Approx 4-30pm** we will leave the brewery to visit a Derbyshire 18<sup>th</sup> century stone-built inn for traditional British style pub meal (**not included**). We then take a leisurely return trip through the Derbyshire/Cheshire countryside, calling at isolated moorland pubs and village inns. Return to hotel for approximately 10.30pm.

### Day 3 (Thursday)

**9-45am:** Leave for Manchester. Visit the much praised Marble Brewery (or alternative) for a tour and complimentary beer tasting (**included**). Enjoy a traditional fish & chips or pie lunch matched with beer in the outstanding Victorian era Marble Arch pub (**not included**). This is followed by a walking tour of Manchester city centre's finest hostelrys.

**6-30pm:** Return to Cheshire. Opportunity for an evening meal (**not included**) at the Carden Arms Inn, in the picturesque village of Tilston

**Day 4 (Friday):** Travel to Chester Railway Station or Manchester Airport to suit departure times.

*Notes: The tour fee includes transfers from Chester Railway Station or Liverpool/ Manchester airports and return, a welcome beer with a light lunch, one pub lunch, three nights' accommodation in a double room with breakfast, all daily transport by mini-bus, visits to three brewers with complimentary tastings. Single supplements may apply. Please note: a Guide Price will be quoted on enquiry but the Final Price may vary from this depending on the number in the party.*

**Terms:** As per our terms and conditions, tour schedules are subject to change due to circumstances beyond the control of Beer Tours UK. Timings are for guidance only and can change.

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