






## CAMRA 'Bus to the Pub' Social Trips

If you enjoy visiting different pubs with fine ales in friendly convivial company without the constraints of the car, then our programme of regular daytime 'Bus to the Pub' (BTTP) socials may just appeal !



As well as the programme of organised BTTP trips below, each of the CAMRA Branches within Sussex has embraced the use of public transport to get to the pub. The North Sussex branch website has a public transport page <http://www.northsussexcamra.org.uk/routes.html> where they detail all of the pubs accessible on each of the bus routes in their area. Other CAMRA branches organise socials using public transport, a good example being Western Sussex who regularly use bus routes in the Chichester area on Friday evenings to various GBG and other pubs, viz. Stagecoach 51 to the Seal Selsey, the 55 to the Anglesey Arms Hainaker & the Compass 99 to a variety of pubs around Petworth. More informal groups that use the bus network to travel further afield include one from the Selden Arms in Worthing.

-  **Saturday 8 January** : West Sussex 'BTTP' exploring some of the fine GBG pubs in Western Sussex.  
Meet outside of Chichester Bus Stn for the 11.10 Countryliner 54 to Compton, South Harting and onwards
-  **Friday 14 January** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Byworth, Duncton & Stopham (all GBG pubs)  
11.00 Stagecoach 1 from South Street Worthing to the Black Horse and then by Compass 99 onwards
-  **Tuesday 18 January** : East Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' for a Stroll around the Seaford area  
Meet Churchill Square Brighton for the 11.10 B & H 12 to the Bay Tree Inn
-  **Friday 28 January** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Shoreham then back to Selden Arms Festival  
12 noon Stagecoach 9 from Worthing Pier to Red Lion (GBG), then Lazy Toad and back to Worthing.
-  **Tuesday 8 February** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Amberley & Steyning  
10.28 Metrobus 23 from Worthing Pier to Washington then Compass 100 & 73 to Amberley
-  **Tuesday 15 February** : Brighton Explorer 'BTTP' for another of Mike Jacomb's explorations, this time around the Queens Park & Hanover area  
Meet Churchill Square for the 11.35 B & H 81 to the Hanover Queens Park Road
-  **Friday 25 February** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to West Hoathly & Lindfield  
Either meet Old Steine Brighton (Stop D) for the 11.10 Countryliner 40 x to Hay Heath PRH, or at Perrymount Road stop adj. Hay. Heath Stn. for the 12.24 Metrobus 81 to the Intrepid Fox & Cat West Hoathly then on to the Stand-Up Lindfield (GBG)
-   **Wednesday 2 March** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Eastergate & Arundel  
12.30 Compass 84 from Worthing Pier to Wilkes Head Eastergate (GBG) then return via Arundel
-  **Friday 18 March** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Thakeham then either Coolham or Barns Green  
10.28 Metrobus 23 from Worthing Pier to Ashington then either a pleasant 30 min lane & footpath stroll or take the Compass 74 to the White Lion Thakeham (GBG). The 2<sup>nd</sup> pub can be decided on the day
-  **Tuesday 22 March** : Mid Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' for a stroll around the Burgess Hill area  
Meet Churchill Square for the 11.35 Countryliner 40 to the Watermill (GBG)
-  **Friday 8 April** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Chichester & Selsey  
10.23 Compass 84 from Worthing Pier to meet at 11.45 at the Bull Eastgate Square then Stagecoach 51 to Seal Selsey (GBG)
-  **Friday 15 April** : Mid Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Forest Row & Lindfield  
Either meet Old Steine Brighton (Stop D) for the 10.10 Countryliner 40 x to Hay Heath PRH,, or at Perrymount Road stop adj. Hay. Heath Stn. For the 11.12 Metrobus 270 to Forest Row
-  **Wednesday 27 April (note date change)**: West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' details to be confirmed but likely to be a trip to one of the pubs nominated for the CAMRA Sussex Pub of the Year (POTY).  
Ring Stuart or check [www.aaa-camra.org.uk](http://www.aaa-camra.org.uk)
-  **Friday 6 May** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' TBC but hopefully to Tillington, Selham & Halfway Bridge area. This trip is subject to survey for suitability as it would involve some walking nearby to the old Petworth canal. 11.00 Stagecoach 1 from South Street Worthing to the Halfway Bridge or Horseguard's
-   **Tuesday 10 May** : Mid Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Eastbourne for the South Street Shuffle  
10.40 B & H 12 from Churchill Square or meet at Eastbourne Station at noon
-  **Friday 20 May** : West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to remote Wineham and the charming rustic Royal Oak  
Either 10.28 Metrobus 23 from Worthing Pier to Southwater then pick up Metrobus 86 (11.12 from Horsham bus stn.) to Wineham Lane for short walk to pub, or 10.45 Metrobus 273 from Churchill Sq. to Hickstead and then 3.5 km lane & footpath walk with Mike Jacomb to pub

-  **Sunday 22 May** : Mid Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' with a difference to Lewes Preserved Bus Rally with a choice of routes and pubs  
10.05 B & H 28 from Churchill Square to Lewes
-  **Friday 3 June**: West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' details to be confirmed but likely to be a trip to one of the pubs nominated for the Sussex POTY
-  **Friday 10 June**: West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' TBC but hopefully will be to Faygate and Crawley  
Either 10.28 Metrobus 23 from Worthing Pier, or 11.35 from Crawley bus stn, to Wimland Lane ( or 10.00 Stagecoach 17 from Churchill Sq. to Horsham rail stn. to connect with 23) for the rustic Frog & Nightgown then onto Swan Crawley (GBG)
-  **Tuesday 14 June** : Mid Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to Isfield and Ringmer  
10.45 B & H 29 from Churchill Square (11.20 from Lewes bus stn.) to Laughing Fish, then Cock (GBG)
-  **Saturday 18 June**: West Sussex Explorer 'BTTP' to rural Graffham  
10.00 Stagecoach 1 from South Street Worthing to Petworth for 11.30 Compass 99 to Forrester's then short walk onto White Horse (GBG) beer festival
- For more info & customised BTTP Itineraries Email [stuartelms@ntlworld.com](mailto:stuartelms@ntlworld.com) or ring 07817 058 928

