★ CORBRIDGE

ANGEL OF CORBRIDGE Main Street. NE45 5LA 01434 632119 www.angelofcorbridge.co.uk Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-11. Over the river bridge from station, in village centre. 10 minutes walking time from station.

BLACK BULL Middle Street, NE45 5LE 01434 632261 Mon-Sun 11-11

Over the river bridge from station, in village centre. 10 minutes walking time from station

DYVELS Station Road, NE45 5AY 01434 633633 www.dyvelsinn.co.uk Mon-Sun 12-11.

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HIGH HOUSE FARM BREWERY Est. 2003 Matfen, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE20 0RG Tel. 01661 886192

e-mail: info@hiahhousefarmbrewerv.co.uk Website: www.highhousefarmbrewery.co.uk



₹ PRUDHOE (for OVINGHAM)

PRUDHOE

ADAM & EVE Low Prudhoe. NE42 6NP 01661 832323 Mon-Thu 12-12, Fri 12-1am, Sat 12-2am, Sun 12-11. On approach road to Prudhoe Station P & (not Sun)

OVINGHAM

BRIDGE END INN West Road, OVINGHAM, NE42 6BN 01661 832219 Mon -Fri 2-11, Sqt 12-11, Sun 12-3,30 & 7-10,30, Turn right out of station, cross the river by the footbridge then turn left at road junction. Pub is approx. 150 yards along, on left-hand side. 8 minutes walk from station. MQ \$ €P



WYLAM BREWERY Est. 2000

South Houghton, Heddon on the Wall, Northumberland NE15 OEZ

Tel. 01661 853377 or 01661 854635 e-mail: admin@wylambrewery.co.uk Website: www.wylambrewerv.co.uk



BIG LAMP BREWERS Est. 1982

Grange Road, Newburn, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE15 8NL Tel. 0191 267 1689 Fax. 0191 267 7387 e-mail: admin@biglampbrewers.co.uk Website: www.petersen-stainless.co.uk



HADRIAN & BORDER BREWERY Est. 1992

Alnwick Ales Ltd (t/a Hadrian Border Brewery), Unit 5 The Preserving Works, Newburn Industrial Estate, Shellev Road Newcastle upon Tyne, NE15 9RT Tel. 0191 264 9000 e-mail: hadrianborder@yahoo.co.uk

Website: www. hadrian-border-brewerv.co.uk



₩YLAM

BOATHOUSE Station Road. NE41 8HR

01661 853431 Mon-Fri 11-11, Sqt 11-12, Sun 12-10.30. Next to station, CAMRA North East Regional Pub of the Year 2009.

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BLAYDON Extremely Limited Train Service — frequent bus service from MetroCentre or Central Station

BLACK BULL Bridge Street. NE21 4JJ 0191 414 2846 Mon-Thu 2-11, Fri & Sat 12-12, Sun 12-11 Turn right out of station. Pub is on main road to Ryton approx 3 minutes walk.

Evening Meals

KEY TO SYMBOLS

Q Quiet Pub

Tamily Room Outdoor Drinking Area Traditional Pub Games

Public Bar Wheelchair Access P Car Park

Accomodation

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Every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of information contained in Whistle Stops, but no responsibility can be accepted for errors and it is inevitable that some pubs will make changes to their facilities during the currency of this guide. Anyone making a special journey to visit any of the pubs in the guide is advised to contact the pub on the telephone number

₹ NEWCASTLE (entral Station

- BACCHUS 42-48 High Bridge. NE1 6BX 0191 261 1008 www.sif.co.uk Mon-Thu 11.30-11, Fri & Sat 11.30-12, Sun 12-10.30 12 minutes walk from station. CAMRA Typeside Pub of the Year 2010
- BODEGA 125 Westgate Road, NE1 4AG 0191 221 1552 www.sif.co.uk Mon-Thu 11-11, Fri & Sat 11-12, Sun 12-10.30 10 minutes walk from station.
- BRIDGE HOTEL Castle Square. NE1 1RQ 0191 232 6400 www.sif.co.uk Mon-Thu 11.30-11, Fri & Sat 11.30-12, Sun 12-10.30 Pub is opposite the castle and next to the High Level Bridge, 7 minutes walk from station.
- CENTURION Central Station, Neville Street. NE1 5DG 0191 261 6611 www.centurion-newcastle.co.uk Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-10.30 Opposite the ticket office on main station concourse. 6 D 43
- CROWN POSADA 33 Side. NE1 3JE 0191 232 1269 www.sif.co.uk Mon-Thu 12-11, Fri 11-1am, Sat 12-11, Sun 7-10.30 Listed in CAMRA's National Inventory of Heritage Pubs. 10 minutes walk from station.



- **DUKE OF WELLINGTON High Bridge. NE1 1EN** 0191 261 8852 www.dukeofwellingtonpub.co.uk Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-10.30 10 minutes walk from station.
- NEWCASTLE ARMS 57 St. Andrew's Street. NE1 5SE 0191 260 2490 www.newcastlearms.co.uk Mon-Sat 11-11. Sun 12-10.30 12 minutes walk from station. \$**⊈Q**
- 8 TILLEYS 105-109 Westgate Road. NE1 4AG 0191 232 0692 www.theheadofsteam.com Mon-Sat 12-11, Sun 12-10.30 10 minutes walk from station.



Northern

Northern Rail is the train operator providing the passenger service on the Hadrian's Wall Country Line. Trains operating between Newcastle, Hexham and Carlisle frequently commence their journeys from or continue on to Sunderland, Hartlepool, Middlesbrough and even further afield, such as Dumfries and Glasgow, making the line directly accessible from a wide area. There are a number of areat value ticketing options to help you make the best of your Whistle Stops day out.

Purchase a **Hadrian's Wall Country Line Day Ranger** ticket and hop on and off all day. This ticket is valid for one day for travel between Sunderland - Newcastle - Hexham - Carlisle — Whitehaven — Rayenalass, Available for travel by trains timed to depart from 0845 Monday to Friday and any time weekends and Bank Holidays. You can purchase your **Hadrian's Wall Day Ranger** ticket at any staffed station or from conductors on trains when starting vour journey from an unstaffed station or when the ticket office is closed. Prices (until 31st December 2010): Adult £18. Child £9.

For a day out to one particular location, travel with a friend and save money with a **Duo** ticket! The **Duo** gives you one return train ticket, plus a second for half the price when two adults travel together and return the same day. Duo tickets are available from all stations along the **Hadrian's Wall Country Line**. For more information on all tickets, visit www.northernrail.org

To find out train times & fares call National Rail Enquiries on 08457 48 49 50 For further information on **Northern Rail** products and services Call our Customer Helpline on 0845 00 00 125 E-mail: customer.relations@northernrail.org www.northernrail.org

WHISTLE STOPS

REAL ALE PUBS ALONG THE HADRIAN'S WALL COUNTRY LINE

WELCOME to the second updated and expanded edition of Whistle Stops, the guide highlighting selected real ale pubs situated close to the Hadrian's Wall Country Line. This guide is intended to encourage residents and visitors alike to use the train service to visit pubs along the line in order to "wet their whistles", enjoying a pint or two of real ale along the way. Directions are given to each pub from the nearest railway station together with contact details, opening hours and a brief list of facilities. Whistle Stops also features details of the real ale breweries situated close to the route of the line.

Since the first edition of Whistle Stops in 2003 there have been many changes, mainly for the better. On the pub front, CAMRA's "LocAle" campaign has seen more pubs selling locally brewed ales, with most of these bucking the national trend of pub closures, particularly in rural greas, **FOUR** new, local breweries have added to the variety of beers available along the line.

The train service has benefited from improved stopping patterns and the introduction of ticketing initiatives, including adding Prudhoe and Hexham to the **PLUSBUS** scheme where for a small add-on fare it allows train ticket holders to use the local bus services in each area. We believe **Whistle Stops** is the first pub guide in the country to feature **PLUSBUS** by including pubs on three of the bus services in the scheme. These can be caught at the Hexham Interchange at Hexham Station, one of two new train/bus interchanges (the other being at Prudhoe) opened since the first edition.

Whistle Stops is a joint promotion between the Tyne Valley Line Rail Users' Group and CAMRA, the Campaign for Real Ale with the generous support of both ACORP, the Association of Community Rail Partnerships, the Tyne Valley Community Rail Partnership and train operators Northern Rail and East Coast Main Line.

www.whistlestops.co.uk

MAIL USENS GROUP

The Tyne Valley Line Rail Users' Group seeks to represent the TYPE VALLEY LINE views of passengers and to promote services on the line. Some members are regular rail commuters, some occasional leisure users, and others, such as Parish Councils, have an interest on behalf of their communities. The group lobbies the train operating company (currently Northern Rail), the

Department for Transport, passenger focus, Northumberland and Cumbria County Councils and others on public transport issues. Membership and further details about the group can be obtained by contacting: Tyne Valley Rail Users' Group: www.tvrug.org.uk

e-mail: malcolm.chainev@virain.net



With over 110,000 members CAMRA, the Campaign for Real Ale, is one of Britain's most successful consumer organisations. While it is synonymous with promoting real ale and consumer choice in our pubs, it also campaigns for better public transport provision to access pubs, particularly in rural areas, and encourages the use of public transport to visit pubs as the responsible alternative to drinking and driving.

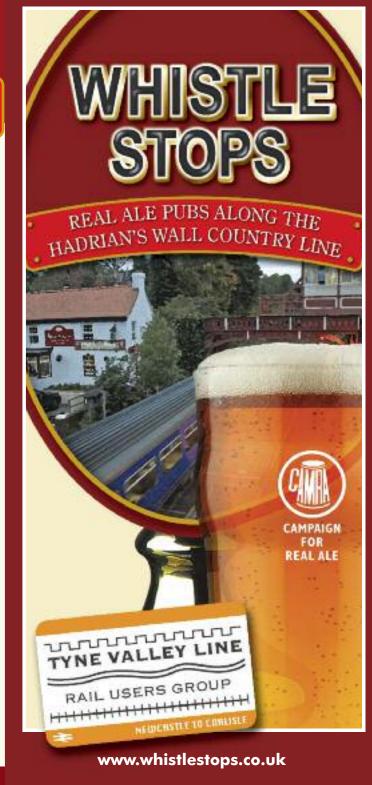
To find out more about CAMRA, phone 01727 867201 www.camra.org.uk or write to: CAMRA, 230 Hatfield Road, St. Albans, ALT 4LW

The pub information in the guide has been compiled by the Solway and the Tyneside & Northumberland Branches of the Campaian.

For details of CAMRA locally: Solway: www.solwaycamra.org.uk

Tyneside & Northumberland: www.cannybevvy.co.uk





BOARDROOM Paternoster Row, Castle Street. CA3 8TT 01228 527695 Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-2 & 7-10.30. Turn left at traffic lights from station and head into city centre to Town Hall. From Town Hall

follow signs to Cathedral, 10 minutes walk from station.

GRIFFIN Court Square, CA1 1QX 01228 598941 www.mvpubheaven.co.uk Mon-Sat 9-11. Sun 10-10.30. Exit station and pub is on right hand street corner.

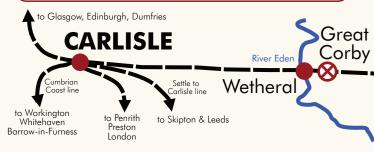
HOWARD ARMS Lowther Street. CA3 8ED 01228 532296 Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-10.30

Straight across at traffic lights from station, then follow road round to the left. Pub is approx. 500 yards on left hand side, 8 minutes walk from station.

KINGS HEAD Fisher Street. CA3 8RF (behind old Town Hall) 01228 533797 www.kingsheadcarlisle.co.uk Mon-Fri 10-11, Sat 11-11, Sun 12-11, Turn left at traffic lights from station and head into city centre to Town Hall. Take narrow street to the left for approx. 10yards. Pub is on right hand side. 8 minutes walk from station.

WILLIAM RUFUS 40 Botcheragte, CA1 1QS 01228 613310 www.jdwetherspoon.co.uk Mon-Thu 10-12, Fri-Sat 10-2am, Sun 10-12 Turn right at Griffin, 3 minutes walk from station.

WOODROW WILSON 48 Botchergate. CA1 1QS 01228 819942 www.idwetherspoon.co.uk Mon-Thu 9-12, Fri & Sat 10-2am, Sun 10-12. Turn right at Griffin, 3 minutes walk from station. **500**6P



★ WETHERAL (for GREAT CORBY) Limited Train Service Reays / Stagecoach in Cumbria bus service 75 provides later evening service to / from Carlisle.

WETHERAL

CROWN HOTEL Station Road. CA4 8ES 01228 561888 www.crownhotelwetheral.co.uk Mon-Fri 12-3 & 5.30-11, Sat 12-11.30, Sun 12-10.30. 50 yards from station on road into village. #**5** \$ ● **1 4 5 8 P**

WHEATSHEAF CA4 8HD

01228 560686 Mon-Fri 4-11, Sat 12-11, Sun12-11. Follow road into village and bear left at areen, follow main road ground to the right up a slight hill and pub is on left-hand side. Approx. 300 yards.

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GREAT CORBY



CUMBERLAND BREWERIES Est. 2008 The Forge, Great Corby, Carlisle. CA4 8LR

Tel. 01228 560899 e-mail: enquiries@cumberlandbreweries.co.uk

Website: www.cumberlandbreweries.co.uk

CORBY BRIDGE INN CA4 8LL

01228 560221 www.corbybridgeinn.org.uk Mon-Fri 12-11, Sat 12-12, Sun 12-10.30. On the north side of the line take footnath across the vinduct. Pub is at the opposite end next to

the level crossing. Approx. 7 minutes walk from station. MQ@OP S

QUEEN INN CA4 8BT. 01228 562088

www.thequeeninngreatcorby.co.uk Mon,Wed & Thu 5.30-11, Fri & Sat 12-11, Sun 12-10.30

Follow directions as for Corby Bridge Inn then turn right over level crossing into village centre. Approx. 12 minutes walk from station.

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₹ BRAMPTON Limited Train Service

Bus services 85/185/685 to/from Carlisle and Haltwhistle provide regular service.

BRAMPTON

signposted from station — approx 2 miles. Pubs located in compact town centre.

HOWARD ARMS Front Street. CA8 1NG 016977 2357 Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-10.30. M& COP

Brampton



GELTSDALE BREWERY Est. 2006

Old Brewery Yard, Crawhall, Brampton, CA8 1TR Tel: 016977 41541 e-mail: info@geltsdalebrewery.com

Website: www.aeltsdalebrewerv.com

NAGS HEAD Market Place. CA8 1RW 016977 2284 Mon-Fri 11-11, Sat 11-12, Sun 12-10.30. M@ \$• O is P

SHOULDER OF MUTTON Front Street, CA8 1NG 016977 2622 Mon-Sat 10-11, Sun 11-11.

WHITE LION High Cross Street. CA8 1RP 016977 2338 Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-10.30. M 5 O S P

TALKIN VILLAGE signposted from Brampton station — approx 2 miles.

BLACKSMITHS ARMS CA8 1LE

016977 3452 www.blacksmithsarmstalkin.co.uk Mon-Sat 12-3 & 6-11, Sun 12-3 & 7-11.

LOW ROW Station Closed

RAILWAY INN CA8 2LE 016977 46222

Mon 6 -11, Tue-Fri 12-3 & 6-11 Sat & Sun 12-11.

Although situated next to the railway line the nearest station is 3 miles away at Brampton. Bus service 185 (or service 685 to Low Row road junction, 1/4 mile from village) from either Brampton or Haltwhistle.

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RAILWAY HOTEL Church Street, NE47 6JG 01434 684254 Mon-Sat 11-12, Sun 12-10.30. Turn left out of station. Pub is on right hand corner at end of street. Approx 200 yards from station. ₩ 🌣 👫

★ HEXHAM

FORUM Market Place. NE46 3PB 01434 609190 www.jdwetherspoon.co.uk Mon-Thu 9-12. Fri & Sat 9-1am. Sun 12-10.30. Follow pedestrian directions to Town Centre/Market Place from station, Approx. 10 minutes walk. 0506

TAP & SPILE 1 Eastgate. NE46 1BA 01434 602039 Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-10.30. Follow Town Centre signs from station. Pub is about 10 minutes walk away, just past Hexham Bus Station. Q(not sun)**⊈**



HEXHAMSHIRE BREWERY Est. 1992

Leafields, Ordlev, Hexham, Northumberland, NE46 1SX Tel. 01434 606577.

Website: www.hexhamshire.co.uk

BELLINGHAM - Bus 880 from Hexham Station - PLUSBUS valid.

01434 220254 www.riverdalehallhotel.co.uk Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-10.30

Allen Valley

Bardon

Mill

Haltwhistle

SLow Row **★ HALTWHISTLE**

> BLACK BULL Market Square. NE49 0BL. 01434 320463. Mon-Fri 12-11 Sat 12-12 Sun 12-10.30

Follow signs for Town Centre, Approx. 5 minutes walk from station. APQ∰.

BARDON MILL Limited Train Service

Arriva/Stagecoach bus 685 Carlisle-Newcastle provides regular service to/from Haltwhistle.

BOWES HOTEL Bardon Mill. NE47 7HU. 01434 344237 Summer Mon-Thu 12-12: Fri & Sat 12-1am: Sun 12-10.30. For winter hours please phone. Pub is 100 vards from station. \$0M3

HAYDON BRIDGE Limited Train Service

Arriva/Stagecoach bus 685 Carlisle-Newcastle provides regular service to/from Hexham.

GENERAL HAVELOCK 9 Ratcliff Road, NE47 7HU 01434 684376 Mon-Sat 12-3 & 7-12.

Turn left out of station to main road through village. Turn right at junction. Approx. 300 vards from station. MQ500+

PLUSBUS Zone Pubs

South Tyne Valley

FOURSTONES Station Closed - Bus 804 from Hexham Station - PLUSBUS valid.

RAILWAY INN Fourstones, NE47 5DG 01434 674711 Mon-Sat 12-11, Sun 12-11. Situated next to a closed station on the line **₩\$04**8*****P

WARDEN - Bus 804 from Hexham Station - PLUSBUS valid.

BOATSIDE INN Warden. NE46 4SQ 01434 662233 www.boatsideinn.com Mon-Sun 11-11. \$**0**6**P\$♣5**₩

North Tyne Valley

ACOMB - Rus 880 from Hexham Station - PHISRUS valid

MINER'S ARMS Main Street, NE46 4PW, 01434 603909 www.theminersacomb.com Mon-Fri 5-12. Sat & Sun 12-12 \$ \$ \$ (weekends) A A B

SUN INN Dene View. NE47 4PW 01434 602934 Mon-Thu 12-11, Fri & Sat 12-1am, Sun 12-11 でなりまべる

WARK - Bus 880 from Hexham Station - PLUSBUS valid.

BATTLESTEADS HOTEL Wark. NE48 3LS 01434 230209 www.battlesteadshotel.co.uk Mon-Sat 11-11, Sun 12-10.30 POBPOM5

RIVERDALE HALL HOTEL Bellingham. NE48 2JT PQ5

Hadrian's Wall Haydon

Bridge

CATTON - Bus 688 from Hexham Station - PLUSBUS valid.

CROWN INN Catton. NE47 9QS 01434 683447 Tue-Sat 12-12, Sun 12-6. Closed Mondays. P&DQMS

ALLENDALE TOWN - Bus 688 from Hexham Station - PLUSBUS valid.

GOLDEN LION Market Place, NE47 9BD 01434 683225 Mon-Thu 12-1.30am, Fri-Sun 12-2.30am



ALLENDALE BREWERY Est. 2006 Allen Mill, Allendale, Hexham, Northumberland, NE47 9EQ

Tel. 01434 618686 e-mail: info@allendalebrewerv.co.uk

Website: www.allendalebrewery.co.uk

KING'S HEAD Market Place, NE47 9BD 01434 683681 Mon-Sun 12-12 $\sim 0^{M}$



PLUSBUS is a discount price bus ticket that you buy with your train ticket. In the Hexham **PLUSBUS** zone featured on this page it gives unlimited bus travel on participating operator's services.

Buy PLUSBUS with your train ticket at the station ticket office. by 'phone or online. Within this WHISTLE STOPS guide, PLUSBUS is also available to pay for unlimited bus travel within Prudhoe, Carlisle and

WHISTLE STOPS features selected real ale pubs to visit in the Hexham **PLUSBUS** zone by bus using the following bus services from Hexham Interchange at Hexham Rail Station.

688 Hexham - Allendale Town

804 Hexham — Newbrough 880 Hexham — Bellingham

Bellingham

From this point, the

to a separate scale.

For more information: www.plusbus.info PLUSBUS is brought to you by Journey Solutions, a partnership of Britain's bus and train operators.

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For train times: www.nationalrail.co.uk. 08457 48 49 50 National Rail Enquiries



Fourstones

Sinderhope

To Allenheads (Allenheads Inn)

Warden Hexham Bus 688 Catton Allendale Town