

# The Wainwrights

Summer 2016

Manager Sinead, the owners and the entire team would like to welcome you to The Wainwright this Summer.

We passed our first anniversary in late April and are heading into our second year

What has been happening since the last Wainwrites?

## West Cumbria CAMRA Pub Of The Year 2016 Runner Up

As we revealed in the Spring Wainwrites, we have been judged runner up in the **West Cumbria CAMRA Pub Of The Year award 2016**. We received the award at a small ceremony on 23<sup>rd</sup> April, attended by a good contingent of the branch, where Sinead received a certificate from Steve Walker that now hangs in pride of place over the bar.



We would like to repeat our thanks to CAMRA members who scored our beers and the brewers who provide the fine Cumbrian ales that we bring to you.

## A591 Grasmere To Keswick Road Re-opens

While not really related to The Wainwright, the closure of the A591 after a section was washed away in the floods of December 2015, was possibly the biggest thing to happen to the region in some years. The destruction wreaked by the storms, on homes, farms and roads, left a gloom that lasted all Winter. Tourism to the area was the worst in living memory and the news that the road is open again is a fantastic boost for Keswick's many businesses.

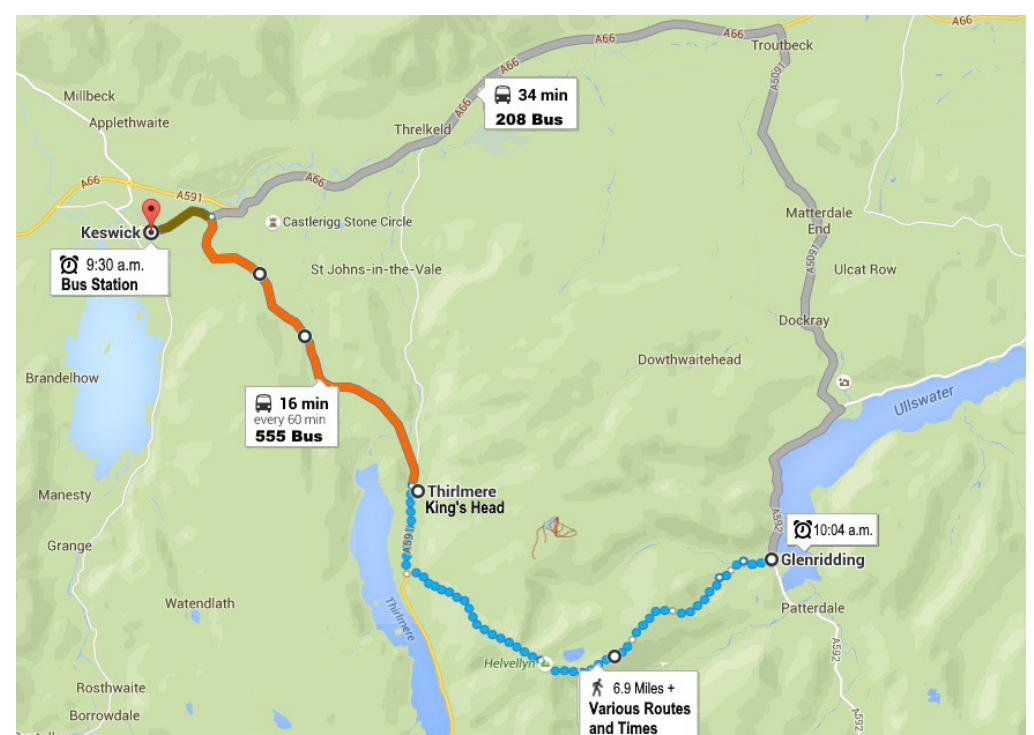


## 'Point To Pint' Let The Bus Take The Strain

A number of our bus services run only during the tourist season, including the 73/73a Caldbeck Rambler, 208 Patterdale service and the 77/77a Honister Rambler (which takes in Whinlatter Forest, Crummock Water, Buttermere, the Honister pass, Borrowdale and Cat Bells), and is among the prettiest routes in the country.

Alfred Wainwright used public transport when walking the fells and we'd like you to consider the bus during your stay. The bus allows you to plan walks that are not circular and also, if you pick your route carefully, you can finish your walk at a bus stop outside one of Cumbria's many fine pubs or hotels and enjoy a refreshing pint with your lunch without worrying about the car.

As an example take the route shown below. The 9:30 am 208 Patterdale service goes to Glenridding or Patterdale. From there you can enjoy your favourite walking route over Helvelyn and finish at the King's Head on Thirlmere where you can wait for the hourly 555 service back to Keswick (please check routes and times before travelling).



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