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**64 Sinclair's Oyster Bar Manchester**

Sinclair's has survived being raised five metres to make way for the original Arndale Centre, and then, when an IRA bomb destroyed part of the city centre, it was moved, brick by brick, 300 metres away to allow for the new development. When the weather is nice, sitting outside enjoying beer and oysters (six for

£8, 12 for £15) gives you a feeling of continental chic. And, as it's a Sam Smith's pub, you will find an array of exciting beers to keep your shellfish going down smoothly. We recommend you try the Pure Brewed Lager (£2.40) with your crustaceans.



Open Mon-Sat 11am-11pm, Sun 12-10.30pm - Food 12-5pm - Children allowed if eating until 5pm - Samuel Smith - 2 Cathedral Gates, Deansgate, M3 1SW - 0161-834 0430

**65 The Duke of York Whitby, North Yorkshire**

You get some of the country's best fish and chips in Whitby - and up there with the best of them is The Duke of York's. The pub sits on the harbour, alongside what's left of Whitby's fishing fleet. Not many fishermen hang out in the pub now, but there are plenty of others enjoying beer-battered cod (£8.50), homemade steak pie (£7.50) and fresh Whitby crab salad (£8.95). Wash yours down with one of four cask ales, from £2.80. **FS**



Open Mon-Thu 11am-11pm, Fri 11am-11.30pm, Sat 11am-midnight - Food 12-9pm - Children welcome until 9pm - Enterprise Inns - Seven rooms from £60 - 124 Church Street, YO22 4DE - 01947 600324, dukeofyork.co.uk

**66 The Narrow Limehouse, London**

Perched slap bang on the Thames, this Gordon Ramsay pub offers glorious views of the river from its dining room and terrace. The modern, British cooking couldn't be more different from Ramsay's usual style and is pulled off with aplomb. Dishes range from bubble and squeak with poached egg (£5.75) to bangers with colcannon and gravy (all mains £10.50-£16.50). There are around three real ales (£3.10-£3.30) and six wines by the glass. **HH**



Open Mon-Sat 11.30am-11pm, Sun 12-11pm - Food Mon-Fri 11.30am-3pm, 6-11pm, Sat 12-4pm, 5-11pm, Sun 12-4pm, 5-10.30pm - No under-14s in the bar area - Gordon Ramsay Holdings - 44 Narrow Street, E14 8DP - 020-7592 7950, gordonramsay.com

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**9. Pub conversations**

The pub is the place where the world is put to rights. The world may not have changed significantly when you come out of a pub but you generally feel a lot better about it, which amounts to much the same thing. Having a conversation with mates in the pub generally starts with piss-taking and then continues without let up until closing time. However, it's important not to start a conversation with a stranger in a pub with piss-taking, especially if it's the first time you're in the pub and they are sitting at one end of the bar with five mates and an alsatian.

