

**Interim Review** 

## Today's agenda



Introduction ......Stephen Goodyear

Financial Review ...... Peter Whitehead

Managed Houses – Young's ...... Patrick Dardis

Managed Houses – Geronimo ...... Rupert Clevely

Tenancies ...... Stephen Goodyear

Outlook and Prospects ...... Stephen Goodyear

## **Highlights**



- Adjusted profit up 11.2%, reflects:
  - excellent trading from existing estate
  - extended periods of truly awful weather
  - extraordinary events in London this summer
  - flexibility of our team to adapt to a variety of circumstances
- Further £9.5m invested in estate
- Soundly financed and predominantly freehold backed estate
- Progressive dividend policy, 5.1% dividend increase (16th consecutive year of growth)



# A summer of contrasting managed house fortunes



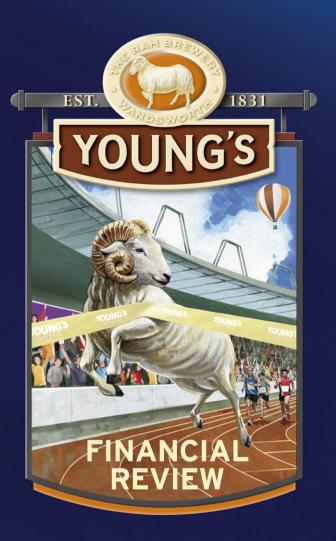
	Prelims Revenue increase 7 weeks to 21 May 2012	AGM Revenue increase 13 weeks to 9 July 2012	Interim Revenue increase 26 weeks to 1 October 2012
Like-for-like	-2.0%	+4.0%	+5.7%
Total revenue	+3.9%	+10.1%	+12.9%

## Strategy



- Pure play, differentiated pub company
  - Well invested, premium end of the market estate based in London and South East
- Active estate management
  - Investment in high returning projects
  - Acquisition of managed houses, either as bolt on packages or individual sites
  - Estate of fewer, but better quality, tenanted houses
  - Appointment of new Director of Property
- Driving...
  - Superior like-for-like revenue performance
  - Gross margin improvements
  - Operational efficiency and scale benefits





## **Strong results**

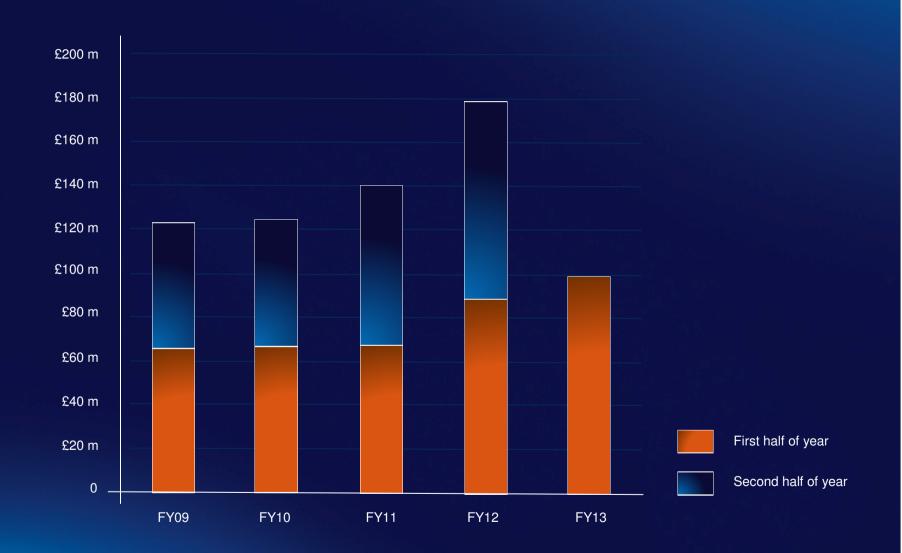


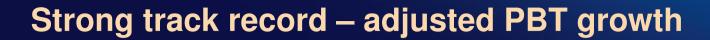


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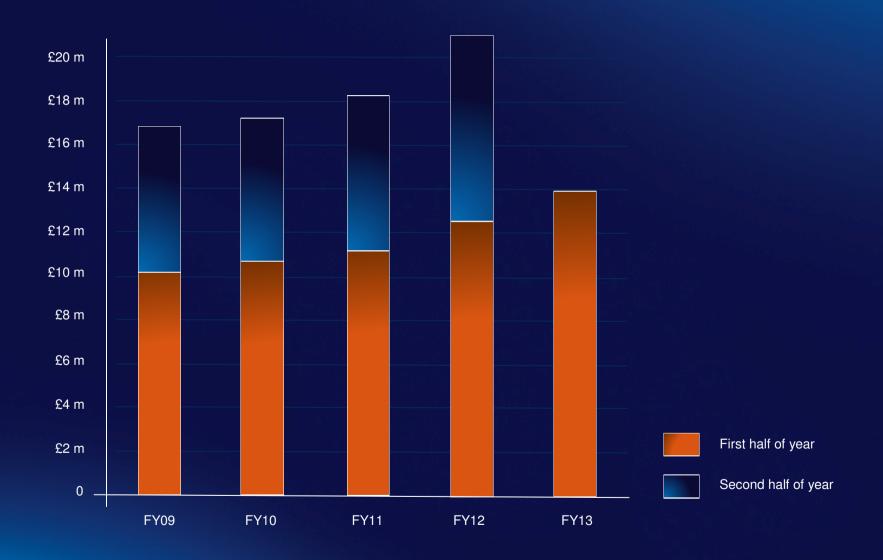












# Like-for-like revenue



	Number of sites	Revenue £m	Change %
Managed	146	86.8	+5.7
Tenanted	81	6.1	-0.4
Total	227	92.9	+5.3

# **Margin evolution**



Interim 2011 operating margin	16.59%	
Managed margin	+0.40%pts	
Tenanted margin	-0.13%pts	
Change revenue mix	-0.31%pts	
Corporate service cost	-0.29%pts	Ι,
Interim 2012 operating margin	16.26%	

# **Group results**



	2012 £m	2011 £m	Change %
Managed houses	21.60	18.78	+15.0
Tenanted houses	2.30	2.84	-19.0
Corporate services	(7.61)	(6.61)	+15.1
Finance costs (net)	(2.44)	(2.56)	-4.7
Adjusted profit before tax	13.85	12.45	+11.2
Discontinued item	-	(1.12)	N/A



# Operating performance at pub level (same outlet)

	2012	Change	2012 per pub
Revenue	£m	%	£k
Young's Managed	67.0	+6.1	563
Geronimo	19.8	+4.5	735
Tenanted	6.1	-0.4	75
Total	92.9	+5.3	409
EBITDA*			
Managed	20.8	+6.1	175
Geronimo	4.7	+8.9	175
Tenanted	2.8	-4.0	34
Total	28.3	+5.4	125

<sup>\*</sup>Earnings before interest, tax and depreciation



# Strong cash generation and investment

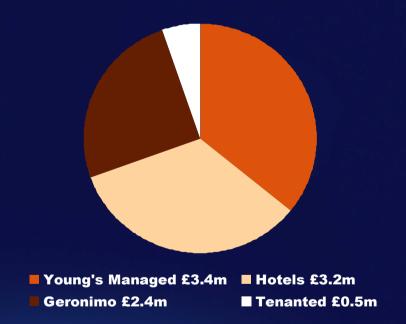
	2012 £m	2011 £m
Cash generated from operations	16.3	14.7
Interest and tax	(5.1)	(4.7)
Dividends	(3.5)	(3.3)
Free cash flow	7.7	6.7
Disposals	2.8	3.6
Capital expenditure	(9.5)	(12.2)
Decrease/(increase) in net debt	1.0	(1.9)

## **Investment in period**

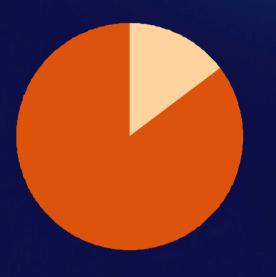


Total: £9.5m (2011: £ 12.2m)

By division



### By nature of spend



- Investment on recent acquisitions £1.4m
- Investment on existing estate £8.1m

# **Pub portfolio**



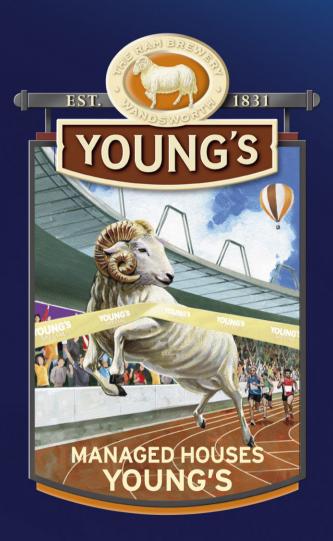
	April 2012	+	-	Transfers	Oct 2012
Young's Managed	121	-	-	-	121
Geronimo	33	1	<u>-</u>	1	35
Tenanted	88	-	(6)	(1)	81
Total	242	1	(6)	-	237

Out of the total of 237 pubs, there are 182 freeholds and 13 long leases with peppercorn rents (leases with > 40 years to run, with rents that are < £10K per annum)





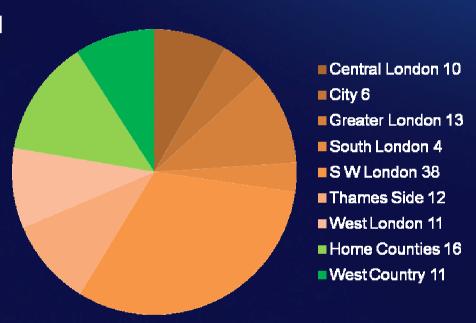
Longer dated committed facilities:  • £30m long term (March 2023)  • £20m medium term (March 2018)	£50.0m
Medium dated committed facilities:  • £50m RCF (Dec 2015)  • £50m term loan (Dec 2013 to 2015)	£100.0m
Net debt	£117.1m
% of debt fixed	85.4%
Interest cover	5.5 times
Net debt/EBITDA	3.0 times
Loan to value	23.2%



## Young's estate



- 121 prime located pubs and hotels
- Well invested estate and operational resource delivering results
  - Premium position strategy
  - Best in class service, culture and ambience
  - Widening differentiation from competitors
- Strong absolute and LFL performance
  - Revenue up 6.8% (LFL 6.1%)
  - Operating profit up 8.7% (LFL 7.6%)
  - Hotels' RevPAR up 2.6% at £54.14





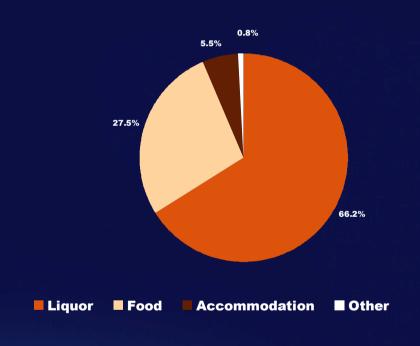
# Well invested estate

Last year's projects	Projects completed in first half	Projects completed in second half
Cock Tavern	Duke's Head (Wallington)	Foley
Coach & Horses	Thatched House	King's Head (Roehampton)
Hollywood Arms	Marquess of Anglesey	Grove Balham
Trinity Arms	Windmill (Clapham)	Smiths@Brook Green
Founder's Arms	Waterside	Albert
Home Cottage	Bulls Head Chislehurst	
Plough (Clapham Jnct.)		
Boathouse		
Leather Bottle		
Investment £3.0m	Investment £1.2m	Investment £3.3m

## Revenue mix

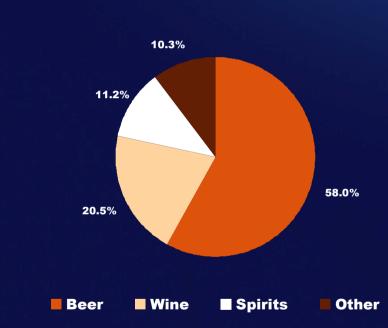


### **Revenue mix**



# Liquor Food Accom Other 2012 66.2% 27.5% 5.5% 0.8% 2013 67.2% 26.5% 5.6% 0.7%

### Liquor product mix



	Beer	Wine	Spirits	Other
2012	58.0%	20.5%	11.2%	10.3%
2011	59.1%	19.6%	11.2%	10.1%

## Liquor and food highlights



### Liquor

- Revenue up 5.3% (LFL 4.8%)
- Matching beer and cider portfolio with demand
  - Premium brand volume growth continues
  - London craft ales
  - American craft bottled beers
  - Beer and cider festivals
  - Draught cider 9.3% growth
  - Beer and cider 58.0% of wet product mix
- Wine and spirits growth is major trend
  - Wine up 9.8%, spirits up 5.4%

#### Food

- Revenue up 10.8% (LFL 9.5%)
- Top quality, locally sourced, prepared in-house with bespoke menus
- British provenance at core
- Academy kitchen and divisional chefs
- Best burger in the World Challenge
- British classics cook off competition
- Waterside Chef on MasterChef
- Experimenting with different concepts

# **Growing boutique hotel presence**





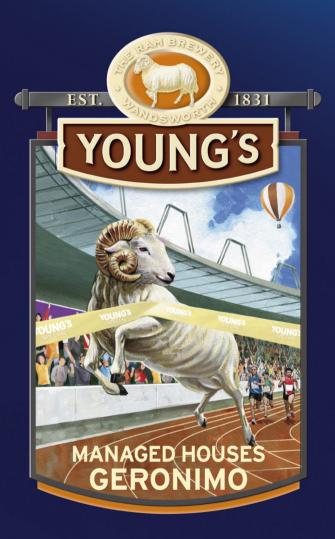
**Bull's Head 10 rooms added** 

Foley Arms 17 rooms added





	2010	2011	2012
Hotels	15	16	16
Rooms	347	370	380
Room rate	£64.40	£71.61	£73.10
Occupancy	71.7%	73.7%	74.1%
RevPAR	£46.16	£52.79	£54.14



### **Geronimo estate**



- 35 well located and invested pubs
  - 31 London pubs
  - Three Heathrow concessions
  - One in Surrey
- Pub Company of the Year Restaurant
   R200 winner "the pub group to beat"
- Growth from like-for-like business and recent developments
- Focus on maximising the offer
  - Targeted investment
  - Club rooms and events market
  - Restaurant quality food at pub prices
  - Great delivery, service and people



### **Recent investments**



### Last year's four new sites

- Lion & Unicorn (Kentish Town) UK's 7th best
   Gastro pub voted by the readers of the short list
- Oyster Shed, embankment near Cannon Street
- Cow, Westfield (Stratford City) had a fantastic Olympics, peak trading beating all the group's previous bests
- Calf, our first pop-up pub, helped increase our Olympic presence

### Last year's transfers

- King's Arms (Chelsea) from Young's Managed
- Half Moon, the iconic Putney music pub and the Chelsea Ram from Young's Tenanted

### This year's transfer

Princess of Wales (Clapton)







- Revenue up 32.7% (LFL 4.5%)
  - Liquor revenue up 37.6% (LFL 4.5%)
  - Food revenue up 21.6% (LFL 4.1%)
- Operating profit up 50.6% driven by like-for-like and new businesses
- Invested £2.4m in estate, major work at:
  - Five Tuns (Terminal 5)
  - Builder's Arms (Chelsea)
  - Phoenix (Victoria)
- Food accounts for 32.2% of revenue
- Wine revenue accounts for 25.6% of the liquor mix



# **Geronimo style**











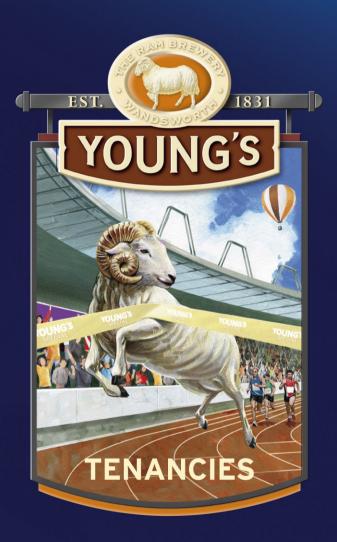












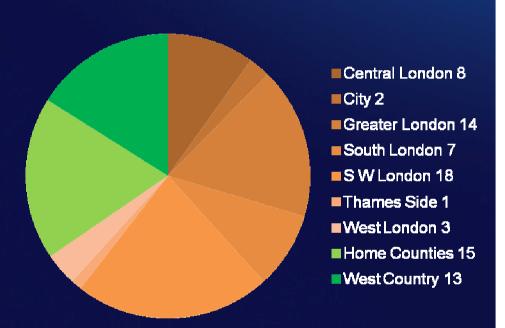
### **Tenanted estate**



- Refocusing on a smaller better quality estate capable of profitable growth
- 81 pubs (Sept 2011 93) generating:
  - 6.2% (Sept 2011 8.0%) of group revenue
  - 9.6% (Sept 2011 13.1%) of the outlet level operating profit
  - Strong cash flow



 London bias provides some protection from challenging market

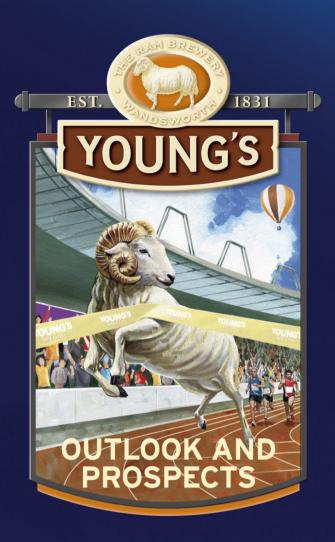






- In the last 18 months we have disposed of:
  - 13 pubs for £9.8m, £1.7m over book value
  - Transferred one pub to our Young's managed operations and three to Geronimo
- Total revenue and operating profit down
   14.2% and 19.0% respectively
- Like-for-like revenue flat
- Average EBITDA of remaining pubs £34.0k over last six months





## **Current trading and outlook**



- Managed house revenue for the first seven weeks
  - Revenue up 9.4%
  - Like-for-like revenue up 6.0%
- H2 trading will benefit from new pubs and recent investments
  - Wheatsheaf (Borough Market) and King's Head (Roehampton)
  - Hotel developments at Foley Arms
     (Claygate) and Bull's Head (Chislehurst)
  - Cutty Sark (Greenwich) and The Narrowboat (Islington)
  - Profit conversion continuing to build
- Strong balance sheet provides opportunity to grow both through selective acquisitions and packages
- Focus remains on expanding managed pub operation

