

HISTORY OF THE STREAM

THE BLOODY STREAM GETS ITS NAME FROM A 1177 BATTLE DURING THE SECOND NORMAN INVASION. SIR ALMERIC TRISTRAM, SAID TO BE DESCENDED FROM A KNIGHT OF KING ARTHUR'S ROUND TABLE, LED NORMAN FORCES AGAINST THE DANES AT EVORA BRIDGE. **BLOOD FROM THE CLASH SEEPED INTO A NEARBY STREAM**, WHICH BECAME KNOWN AS "THE BLOODY STREAM." CENTURIES LATER, WHEN THIS PUB WAS BUILT, WE DISCOVERED THE STREAM RUNS DIRECTLY BENEATH IT. AFTER YEARS OF BATTLING FLOODS, WE MADE PEACE WITH IT—HENCE THE NAME.

