



Reel Streets Spring 2018

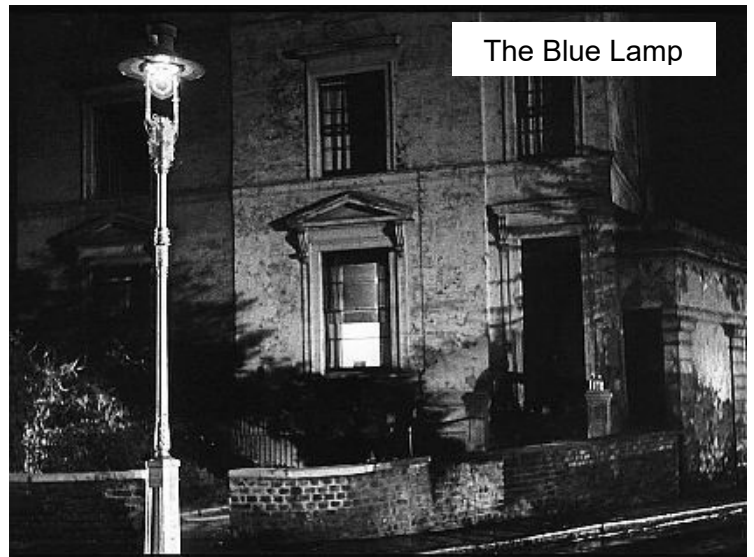
Little Venice and Maida Vale, London W9

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There are several public houses within easy walking distance of each other and we begin in the Warwick Castle on Warwick Place.



When leaving the Warwick Castle we turn right and walk to the corner of Blomfield Road and Warwick Place which is seen in **The Blue Lamp**



. . . . then, turning left, we head for the popular location of Westbourne Terrace Road Bridge, also seen in **The Blue Lamp**, as well as **Interlude** and **Blue Ice**, before reaching the Paddington Branch of the Grand Union Canal at Little Venice which features in **The Salvage Gang**. The bridge carrying Warwick Avenue appears in **You Will Meet a Tall Dark Stranger**, **My Lover My Son** and **Allez France**!



Making our way along Warwick Road, we pass the station from **Omen III, The Final Conflict**





Slayground

. and just a little further on brings us to our next port of call, The Prince Alfred on Formosa Street. The middle of Formosa Street was used in **Layer Cake** but this end is seen in **The World Ten Times Over** and **A Touch of Class** with the pub itself appearing in **Slayground**.



A Touch of Class

To the north-west, Warwick Avenue features in **Scandal** but we move onward along Warrington Crescent to make for the Warrington Hotel. The exterior of the establishment can be seen in **Horrors of the Black Museum** and **Adventures of a Plumber's Mate** whilst the inside plays a part in **Bunny Lake is Missing**.



Adventures of a Taxi Driver

Next we make the short walk via Sutherland Avenue, where the present Everyman Cinema once appeared as a restaurant in **About a Boy**, to the Windsor Castle on Lanark Place before ending the evening at The Eagle on Clifton Road which is visible in **Adventures of a Plumber's Mate**.



Of course, this tour of film locations isn't exhaustive. Here are some of the other sites featured in productions that have been shot in the area - Hamilton Terrace, Elgin Avenue, Blenheim Terrace, Springfield Road, Edinburgh House and Falkirk House on Maida Vale are seen in **Adventures of a Taxi Drive**; Westbourne Terrace Road, Delamere Terrace and Warwick Crescent appear in **Allez France!**; Hamilton Terrace, Grenville Road and Carlton Hill feature in **Assignment Redhead** and Douglas House back on Maida Vale stars in **Brannigan**. Elgin Avenue reappears for **The Black Windmill**, **Passport to Shame**, **The Diplomatic Corpse** and **Mr. Jolly Lives Next Door** while Blomfield Road has numerous scenes in **A Fish Called Wanda**, **Give My Regards to Broad Street**, **Scream ... and Die**, **The Monster of Highgate Ponds** and **11 Harrowhouse**



. There are **Playbirds** at Alexandra Court on Maida Vale and a **Man About the House** lodges in Alma Square. Kilburn High Road is glimpsed in **Never Let Go** and **Smashing Time** whilst Maida Avenue plays host to **Georgy Girl**, **Omen III: The Final Conflict** and **The IPCRESS File**. We see **Johnny on the Spot** in Abbey Road and a **Child in the House** lives in Rudolf Road but finally, it's **The End of the Affair** on Warwick Crescent.