

# HOMEBREW BEER COMPETITION

OPEN NOW through June 26<sup>th</sup>

Registration and Information go to [www.brewangels.com](http://www.brewangels.com)

Close: Fairgrounds - Friday, June 5<sup>th</sup> at 4 pm

Judging: Saturday, June 26<sup>th</sup> at 9 am at Highwater Brewing Company in Lodi  
Continental Breakfast served at 8 AM

All other questions, please contact Bill Tarchala, Organizer  
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## BEST OF SHOW

Award sponsored *by* Frank A

### HOMEBREW RULES:

American Home Brewers' Association rules shall apply unless they are in conflict with State Rules. AHA/BJCP Rules & Style Guidelines are available through the Fair Office website. Enter according to BJCP Style: (ex. 9A or 9B). Commercially produced beers or those produced at a brewery on premises facility are not eligible, except for the Amador Invitational. **SEE BJCP GUIDELINES for 2015.** No changes.

All beer other than commercial beer. Each entry consists of three (3) Bottles, 12 oz., brown or green glass, free of commercial labels, raised marks of lettering, or other identifying markings that are not part of the official entry label. For Category **22** ONLY, three (3) 7oz. bottles will be accepted. Clear glass bottles will not be accepted. Please attach with a rubber band (no tape or glue) a properly completed official bottle I.D. label. BE SURE that each entry has an accompanying Entry Form, with payment attached. Special attention should be given to the category and style designations so that your brew will be entered and judged according to the proper style. First through Third Place Ribbons per category. Additional awards may give if sponsored. The competition organizer reserves the right to disqualify any entries not meeting the above guidelines or to consolidate classes, if warranted, due to low # of entries in a class.

Entries become the property of the Amador County Fair and will not be returned.

## DIVISION 128 – HOMEBREW LABEL

### HOMEBREW EXAMPLE LABEL FOR SAMPLE

Division \_\_\_\_ / Category & Sub Cat \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Brew \_\_\_\_\_

Style Description \_\_\_\_\_

Brew Maker's or Brewery Name \_\_\_\_\_

Home Brew Club or Brewer \_\_\_\_\_  
(Optional)

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ENTRY FEE: \$8.00 PER ENTRY PER CLASS

No Premiums Offered

LIMIT: UNLIMITED TOTAL ENTRIES

ONE (1) Entry per Sub Category

**Class: 1 Standard American Beer**

- 1A American Light Lager
- 1B American Lager
- 1C Cream Ale
- 1D American Wheat Beer

**Class: 2 International Lager**

- 2A International Pale Lager
- 2B International Amber Lager
- 2C International Dark Lager

**Class: 3 Czech Lager**

- 3A Czech Pale Lager
- 3B Czech Premium Pale Lager
- 3C Czech Amber Lager
- 3D Czech Dark Lager

**Class: 4 Pale Malty European Lager**

- 4A Munich Heller
- 4B Festbier
- 4C Helles Bock

**Class: 5 Pale Bitter European Beer**

- 5A German Leichtbier
- 5B Kölsch
- 5C German Helles Exportbier
- 5D German Pils

**Class: 6 Amber Malty European Lager**

- 6A Märzen
- 6B Rauchbier
- 6C Dunkles Bock

**Class: 7 Amber Bitter European Beer**

- 7A Vienna Lager
- 7B Altbier
- 7C Kellerbier
- Kellerbier: Pale Kellerbier
- Kellerbier: Amber Kellerbier

**Class: 8 Dark European Lager**

- 8A Munich Dunkel
- 8B Schwarzbier

**Class: 9 Strong European Beer**

- 9A Doppelbock
- 9B Eisbock
- 9C Baltic Porter

**Class: 10 German Wheat Beer**

- 10A Weissbier
- 10B Dunkles Weissbier
- 10C Weizenbock

**Class: 11 British Bitter**

- 11A Ordinary Bitter
- 11B Best Bitter
- 11C Strong Bitter

**Class: 12 Pale Commonwealth Beer**

- 12A British Golden Ale
- 12B Australian Sparkling Ale
- 12C English IPA

**Class: 13 Brown British Beer**

- 13A Dark Mild
- 13B British Brown Ale
- 13C English Porter

**Class: 14 Scottish Ale**

- 14A Scottish Light
- 14B Scottish Heavy
- 14C Scottish Export

**Class: 15 Irish Beer**

- 15A Irish Red Ale
- 15B Irish Stout
- 15C Irish Extra Stout

**Class: 16 Dark British Beer**

- 16A Sweet Stout
- 16B Oatmeal Stout
- 16C Tropical Stout
- 16D Foreign Extra Stout

**Class: 17 Strong British Ale**

- 17A British Strong Ale
- 17B Old Ale
- 17C Wee Heavy
- 17D English Barleywine

**Class: 18 Pale American Ale**

- 18A Blonde Ale
- 18B American Pale Ale

**Class: 19 Amber and Brown American Beer**

- 19A American Amber Ale
- 19B California Common
- 19C American Brown Ale

**Class: 20 American Porter and Stout**

- 20A American Porter
- 20B American Stout
- 20C Imperial Stout

**Class: 21 IPA**

- 21A American IPA
- 21B Specialty IPA
- Specialty IPA: Belgian IPA
- Specialty IPA: Black IPA
- Specialty IPA: Brown IPA
- Specialty IPA: Red IPA
- Specialty IPA: Rye IPA
- Specialty IPA: White IPA

**Class: 22 Strong American Ale**

- 22A Double IPA
- 22B American Strong Ale
- 22C American Barleywine
- 22D Wheatwine

**Class: 23 European Sour Ale**

- 23A Berliner Weisse
- 23B Flanders Red Ale
- 23C Oud Bruin
- 23D Lambic
- 23E Gueuze
- 23F Fruit Lambic

**Class: 24 Belgian Ale**

- 24A Witbier
- 24B Belgian Pale Ale
- 24C Bière de Garde

**Class: 25 Strong Belgian Ale**

- 25A Belgian Blond Ale
- 25B Saison
- 25C Belgian Golden Strong Ale

**Class: 26 Trappist Ale**

- 26A Trappist Single
- 26B Belgian Dubbel
- 26C Belgian Tripel
- 26D Belgian Dark Strong Ale

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## **Class: 27 Historical Beer**

Historical Beer: Gose  
Historical Beer: Kentucky  
Common  
Historical Beer: Lichtenhainer  
Historical Beer: London Brown  
Ale  
Historical Beer: Piwo Grodziskie  
Historical Beer: Pre-Prohibition  
Lager  
Historical Beer: Pre-Prohibition  
Porter  
Historical Beer: Roggenbier  
Historical Beer: Sahti

## **Class: 28 American Wild Ale**

28A Brett Beer  
28B Mixed-Fermentation Sour  
Beer  
28C Wild Specialty Beer

## **Class: 29 Fruit Beer**

29A Fruit Beer  
29B Fruit and Spice Beer  
29C Specialty Fruit Beer

## **Class: 30 Spiced Beer**

30A Spice, Herb, or Vegetable  
Beer  
30B Autumn Seasonal Beer  
30C Winter Seasonal Beer

## **Class: 31 Alternative Fermentables Beer**

31A Alternative Grain Beer  
31B Alternative Sugar Beer  
32 Smoked Beer  
32A Classic Style Smoked Beer  
32B Specialty Smoked Beer

## **Class: 33 Wood Beer**

33A Wood-Aged Beer  
33B Specialty Wood-Aged Beer

## **Class: 34 Specialty Beer**

34A Clone Beer  
34B Mixed-Style Beer  
34C Experimental Beer

## ***Mead Styles and Categories***

## **Class: M1 Traditional Mead**

M1A Dry Mead  
M1B Semi-Sweet Mead  
M1C Sweet Mead

## **Class: M2 Fruit Mead**

M2A Cyser  
M2B Pyment  
M2C Berry Mead  
M2D Stone Fruit Mead  
M2E Melomel

## **Class: M3 Spiced Mead**

M3A Fruit and Spice Mead  
M3B Spice, Herb or Vegetable  
Mead

## **Class: M4 Specialty Mead**

M4A Braggot  
M4B Historical Mead  
M4C Experimental Mead

## ***Cider Styles and Categories***

## **Class: C1 Standard Cider and Perry**

C1A New World Cider  
C1B English Cider  
C1C French Cider  
C1D New World Perry  
C1E Traditional Perry

## **Class: C2 Specialty Cider and Perry**

C2A New England Cider  
C2B Cider with Other Fruit  
C2C Applewine  
C2D Ice Cider  
C2E Cider with Herbs / Spices  
C2F Specialty Cider / Perry