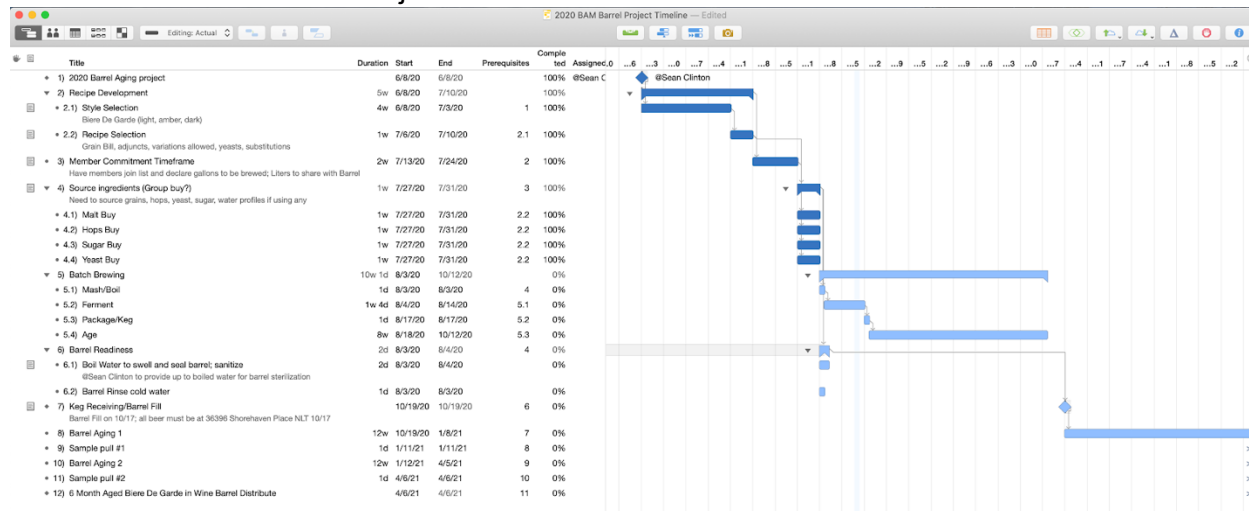


Agenda - Aug 2020

- [Adam] Welcome
 - What is BAM? Who am I? Who is new?
 - Why join BAM?
 - Attend meetings and share homebrew with others safely and remotely
 - Feedback and advice on your beer from members and BJCP ranked judges
 - Access to the club mailing list, Slack channel (email Nick or Ian for invite). **Actually, anyone can send and invite**
 - Group buys
 - **Omega sale at Adventures in Homebrewing still going on**
 - **Adam bought 150 4pack cardboard carriers, see email inbox to link selling in multiples of 10, 40 left**
 - <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/13lsUxVOWcM7f2KoYmKYOrcQsNI9w1bjhF-3fQ5eSe28/edit#gid=0>
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 - Barrel projects **see notes from Sean in Barrel section**
 - Beer events, most have been or will be cancelled for 2020: ~~Annual Multi-Club Picnic, World Cup of Beer, Oaktoberfest, Northern California Homebrewers Festival,~~ **pub crawls and outings**
 - Discounts : Ledgers Liquor 10%, Oak Barrel 10%, MoreBeer 5%
 - **Patronize your vendors. It helps us all out**
 - How to join and renew - Any new members?
 - Paul and Jason, Nate
 - **All expired memberships not renewed by Friday 8/14 will be purged. This may delay one week?**
 - ~~We have meeting minutes online (on the website) if you miss a meeting~~
 - **Secretary will provide meeting minutes and notes to EC; webmaster to publish**
 - Catchbox rules: Hit the "hands up" button in RingCentral chat.
 - **Please be respectful and do not talk over each other, politely interrupt if you must, but please refrain from interrupting a person or active conversation back and forth**
 - Think about homebrewing stories/experiences to share
 - **8/13 Notes: Sorry no notes, wasn't well discussed**
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 - [Adam] New Officers!
 - THANKS TO OUR PREVIOUS OFFICERS: Jon Sheehan, Neil Topcliffe, Star Woodward!
 - **How about a shout out for Gene Wood**
 - Pres - Adam Bradley-
 - VP - Ian Carswell
 - Sec't - Sean Clinton - **New**
 - EC - Nick Facciola
 - EC - Bob Davis - **New**
 - Treasurer - Bob Davis
 - Social Media - Paul Picazzo – **New**
 - **No Instagram or Twitter presence, they have been established for our club**
 - – **Tag BAM on Instagram: #BayAreaMasher (s)??? does it have an S**



















- - Some new posts of recent web events
- Tech & Tasting Comm - Rory Bens, Louise Elsea, Greg Strom, Julian Borrill, (Adam B)
 - Guided tastings rolled into technical committee
 - 8/26 Fort Point, tasting 3 beers; Adam B. Leading
 - Try Shadow Puppet suggested
 - Feedback Survey on tasting events. Released 8/17
- FYI: Oakbarrel is being sold; BAM establishing all help items under Oakbarrel control including finance into standalone finance position led by Bob Davis
- New checking account for BAM- wow its difficult for a 501(c7)
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- [Adam] Membership expired **July 31**
 - We'll be removing folks on Friday from the club that haven't renewed
 - If you renewed online, Bernie should have mailed your new cards by now
 - Share that we're not going to be renewing insurance at this time with everything shut down. Can revisit in the late winter for reduced price.
- 8/13 Notes: No club insurance, to be revisited midway through year
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- [Lauren/Gene] Social Events
 - Upcoming events - not until we can congregate in public again
 - Ian hosting Wednesday happy hours, check for email invitation
 - Virtual tastings - Feedback survey coming out this weekend
 - Aug 26: Fort Point Brewing
 - Hop harvest this weekend - not a club sponsored event, please don't drink and drive.
- 8/13 Notes: No takers
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- [Nick] SOQ update
 - SOQ1 American Stouts & Porters, judging to start next week
 - Keefer delivered all 23. Ask is to judge 4 entries from BAM members, no ties
 - Nate and Ian tasting remotely
 - Must be done online
 - At least one is explosive name that beer
 - SOQ3 Pale Commonwealth Ale... will aim to judge
 - British Golden Ale / Summer Ale / British Blonde Ale
 - Australian Sparkling Ale
 - English IPA
 - Due Sept. 30 at OB and Ian's chest
- 8/13 Notes:
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 - As always, you can check our website for SOQ updates
- [Adam for Ian] BAM Bottle Share - if you take beer, please consider directly contacting the brewer to give feedback
- 8/13 Notes:
 - BAM bottle share ebbs and flows and is currently on a high participation rate, expected to continue through September
 - **SHARE YOUR BEER! GET FEEDBACK! BREW AGAIN!**
- [Adam] Support your local breweries, homebrew shops, and restaurants
 - Check hours online or on phone!
 - Most Breweries have online ordering, in-person pickup, and/or delivery (Faction, Almanac, Ocean View Brew works, Drakes, Fieldwork, Alameda Island BC, Ghost Town, Ale Industries, etc)

- Oak Barrel is open normal hours, MoreBeer stores all have curbside pickup, Hoptech has limited hours
 - MoreBeer SL will do walk up order, but be organized with what you want so they can walk back and grab your wares
- 8/13 Notes:
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- [Sean C] Barrel Project - Amber Biere de Garde aged in a wine barrel
 - 225L Wine Barrel with 2x previous batches of wine; sulfur stick maintained
 - Rehydration in September and getting ready for Oct fill
 - Brewing from 8/1-9/15ish to have finished un-carbed beer ready
 - Plan to fill Barrel on Oct, 17 (Saturday) time, conditions permitting
 - Recipe survey results: Amber Bier de Garde
 - [2020 BAM Barrel Project recipe survey](#)
 - Signup and Recipe development
 - Signups (still open for any takers 1-5 gallons); your beer may be used to top up
 - Recipe development; Amazingly, Biere de Garde is in This month's Zymurgy has a recipe in the google link.
 - https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/12fnCphxi94PaPyYABqd_7fgthUyF9-32829MjgsYc/edit#gid=0
 - Timeline for Barrel Project



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- 8/13 Notes:
 - 3 of 14 brewers brewed ~8/1
 - At least 3-4 more up to 8/17 also completed
 - Varied yeasts, sugars or lack thereof, hops, grain bills used. Remember, Amber Bier de Garde
- Homebrewing in place stories
- 8/13 Notes:
 - Faction Covid rules very well organized
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- (Break)
- 8/13 Notes:
- [Nick] Tech Talk for SOQ3 - Pale Commonwealth Beers

- 8/13 Notes Pre-meeting
 - Williams brewing, next day order delivery usually.
- Post meeting comment notes:
 - <https://www.homebrewersassociation.org/homebrew-recipe/black-is-beautiful-homebrew-recipe/>
 - <http://www.blackisbeautiful.beer/>
 - https://www.dropbox.com/sh/m98w7crn7ie8wox/AABx7BniOkXXaBju2AKLvvy7a/Weathered_Souls_Black_is_Beautiful_RECIPEDownload?dl=0&preview=Black-is-Beautiful-Homebrew-Recipe.pdf&subfolder_nav_tracking=1
 - Methods to raise funds and how can we give away beer.
 - Donations, tasting events, Oakland Outreach
 - Zoom Peak Attendance

-  Sean Clinton (me)
-  Nick Facciola (Host)
-  Adam Bradley
-  Bob Davis
-  Rory
-  Sean's 10sMax
-  Keefer
-  Matthew Youngblut
-  Nate and Jen
-  Chris Baumbauer
-  Doug Ashcraft
-  Greg & Louise
-  Jason Clark
-  Julian Borrill (he/him/his)
-  Kyle Oliveira
-  Paul Hsi
-  Paul Picazo
-  Simon

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