

BAM Meeting Minutes
Tuesday January 13, 2022

Upcoming Beer -y Events

AHA ' s saying that NHC is still going forward.
Use that to inform how we handle WCOB

Paul Hsi:
Martinez Commercial Beer

DOZE mead judging class
BAM BJCP class

Julian: Uncommon Law

Black Lives (still) Matter
BAM members can now contribute to Uncommon Law per dedicated BAM
donation page on their website. uncommonlaw.org/bam.

SOQ 4 winners to receive T-shirts from Uncommon Law ! (the winners
have donated their cash prizes to Uncommon Law.)

Sean Clinton- leads - informal Happy Hours Wednesdays 7 pm till
whenever

BAM's 27th Annual World Cup of Beer Competition:
happens on Sat. Apr. 2nd, 2022

-Calls for judges/stewards ! See World Cup of Beer Competition
website:
www.worldcupofbeer.com

-Registration windows opens Feb. 1st ! (on website) name/info/make
payment
Registration window closes Wed. March 9th @ noon.

-SOQ 1 2022 entries will double as WCOB entries ! no payment required

for beer entries conforming to SOQ !

- Call for help ! Soliciting sponsors - we have list of 80 .sponsors to be contacted individually and soliciting cash donations, SWAG, beer gift baskets etc (we typically have a raffle for gifts / purchase raffle tix to win prizes)

If want to volunteer, email Nick Facciola (facciola@gmail.com) or Club Officers (officers@bayareamashers.org)

BAM - led BJCP Certification Class - led by Robert Ayasse

Registration for class is now CLOSED.

First BJCP Certification class via Zoom on Jan. 23rd; Robert Ayasse sending out details soon.

Louise: Website Update

BAM member Thomas ____ has graciously agreed to put in some effort to re-design BAM's website, (working with webmaster Gene Wood) to bring us new improved website.!!

Julian Borrill: Guided Tastings

1. Crooked Lane Brewing (Auburn, CA) : Feb. 22nd 6-8 pm
Beers TBD
Gene Wood to provide sign-up details in near future.

2. Douglas Smith: The Bruery

3. Louise: Ghosttown Brewing (definite maybe)

Winners of SOQ 4 2021 - Clones of Commercial Beers (brew/re-brew/re-

brew again)

1st prize: Julian Borrill- Penske File (Hoppy Pale Ale) (Faction Brewing) Version 5 attempt by Julian ! (used Drake's American Ale 001 House yeast).

2nd place: Adam - Bell's Two Hearted Ale clone

3rd place: Robert Ayasse - ??

4th place: Paul Keefer - Chimay Blue clone

5th place: Nick Facciola - Sierra Nevada Pale Ale

Nick: SOQ - Q1 2022

BJCP Category 13 - British Brown Beers (Dark Mild, Brown British Ale, English Porters)

This will be based on 2015 BJCP guidelines, as will WCOB competition

Sean Clinton- Barrel Project Update

Round 3 - Solera - 55 gallons

Saison is in there now; final top-off between now and end of February/ first week of March

Likely do a barrel dump/full recondition/rinse - bisulfite/citric acid/ re-start maybe in June (people will have a chance to brew some beer)

Ian Carswell hosts a bottle share box - get address by emailing a fellow member

Support your local breweries ! Many have online ordering, in-person

pick up,

Oak Barrel remains open

Brewery scuttlebutt:

The Trappist is being taken over by St. Adarius Rustic Ales – March 2022

Marin Brewing being evicted –

Monster Energy Drinks is buying Cigar City, Oskar Blues,

Mead Judging Certification Class – being run by DOZE

Kyle Oliveira taking it – hit him with questions.