



May 2022 Brewsletter

All the Breads that's Fit to Pint!



Big Brew!

Join us Saturday, May 7th, and celebrate [National Homebrew Day](#)! Come brew with us on the patio of Municipal Brew Works starting at 9am. Hot and cold water will be provided, and a limited number of electrical connections will be available. Who knows, there may even be some homebrew shared before MBW officially opens their doors at noon.

Can't brew? Stop by anyway to say hi!

Never Brewed? Perfect! Big Brew is a perfect event for the **brew-curious**. See the process in action and ask some questions!

May Membership Meeting

Sunday, 15 May @ 7pm

Due to the double whammy of Big Brew and Mothers' Day, our monthly membership meeting will be pushed back a week to the third Sunday. Join us on the 15th as our very own **Jeff "the Frech" Frechtling** talks about "**Gluten-Free Brewing**."

We'll also be discussing June's **Homebrew Con** plans and the **Fermentation Frenzy**!

The first portion of the meeting, covering business and education will be held in the lobby of the **Marriott** across from Municipal Brew Works, and we'll return to **MBW** after the taproom closes for the homebrew bottle share.

[Check out the Facebook Event!](#)

Can't make the Monthly Membership Meeting?

Check out one of the other [Events Throughout the Month](#), and don't forget about the **Virtual Bottle Share**. There is a cooler in the MBW walk-in to "Take One - Leave One" and share your homebrew with the Club!

Memberships

To join, renew, or inquire about your BCBS membership status, please contact Treasurer, **Matt Cutter**, or email brewers@butlercountybrewing.org. Memberships are \$30 per person and are good for 12 months from when you join/renew.

Also consider joining the [American Homebrewers Association](#). Joining AHA gets you access to their homebrewing magazine, Zymurgy, as well as recipe archives for award winning beers. It can also help us earn a discount on our club insurance if you specify BCBS as your homebrew club! If you are planning to attend **Homebrew Con** this summer, membership in the American Homebrewers Association is required.



19 May

BCBS On Tour: Third Eye Brewing

Join us as BCBS goes **On Tour** for another happy hour. This month we'll be visiting [Third Eye Brewing Company](#) in Sharonville, on **May 19th** starting around 5pm.

25 May

Commercial Calibration

Join us on **25 May** starting at 8pm for our monthly **Commercial Calibration**. For this month's tasting we'll be delving into **Category 9: Strong European Beers**.

As announced in the Facebook Group, we're excited to partner with Arrow Wine in Mason to offer a "Calibration Bundle." A mixed-six-pack covering this month's styles can be purchased for \$14.99 now through the 8th. Look on the end cap near their single bottle section. Stop in now and pick up yours!

Want to shop on your own? Here are the beers we'll be tasting:

- Category 9A – Spaten Optimater, Troeg's Troegenator, Kloster Andechs Doppelbock Dunkel, Paulaner Salvator



- Category 9B - [any you can find]
- Category 9C - Zywiec Porter, Baltika 6 Porter

Get to Arrow Wine now and make plans to join us!

BCBS Commercial Calibration

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8450...>

Meeting ID: [845 0880 6455](#)



Competitions of Interest

Indiana Brewers' Cup

- Registration Deadline: 22 June
- Delivery Deadline: 26 June
- Competition Date: 5-9 July
- Details: [Indiana Brewers' Cup](#)

Bluegrass Cup

- Registration Deadline: 9 July
- Delivery Deadline: 9 July
- Competition Date: 23 July
- Details: [Bluegrass Cup](#)

Fermentation Frenzy

- Registration Deadline: 8 July
- Drop-Off Deadline: 15 July
- Judging Date: 24 July
- Award Ceremony: 29 July
- Details: [Fermentation Frenzy!](#)

Honey Beer Competition

- Registration Deadline: 20 July
- Delivery Deadline: 31 July
- Competition Date: 13 August
- Details: [Honey Beer Competition](#)

Upcoming Events

- 5/7 @ 9am - **Big Brew!** - MBW
- 5/15 @ 7am - **Membership Meeting** - Marriott & MBW
- 5/19 @ 5pm - **BCBS On Tour Happy Hour** - Third Eye Brewing

- 5/25 @ 8pm - **Commercial Calibration** - Zoom
- 6/12 @ 7pm - **Membership Meeting** - Marriott & MBW
- 6/16 @ 5pm - **BCBS On Tour Happy Hour** - TBD
- 6/23-25 - **Homebrew Con** - Pittsburgh, PA
- 7/10 @ 7pm - **Membership Meeting** - Marriott & MBW



Club Protocols for Monthly Bottle Share

In order to comply with Marriott's & MBW's serving license - we ask all who attend club events to observe the following guidelines:

1. Club Members and Guests are expected to follow all applicable laws when participating in Club Activities.
2. Club Members and Guests are expected to comply with all reasonable requests made by host staff and owners.
3. Homebrew CANNOT be opened or consumed at the Marriott or during Municipal Brew Works business hours. This is a legal issue, so please respect our hosts.

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