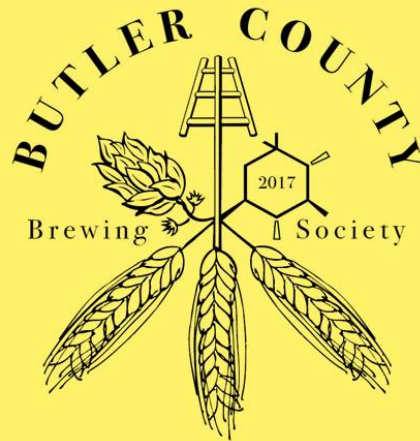




## March 2023 Brewsletter

Ale the Brews that's Fit to Pint!



### March Means Madness!

Oh, boy! I love when March rolls around. Cincinnati is getting beautiful, and it's got nothing to do with basketball. [Bockfest](#). Irish beer. The Opening Rounds of [National Homebrew Competition](#). And this year, March means just a little bit more... and I'm not just talking Girl Scout Cookies!

For your **March Membership Meeting** we are incredibly excited to present a **Beerside chat with American Homebrewers Association's Executive Director Julia Herz (and some pairings too)**. That's right, AHA Executive Director [Julia Herz](#) will be joining us via Zoom to share the latest news on the AHA and talk **pairing beer and food**.

Pairings you say? Well yes! In addition to being the Executive Director of the AHA, Julia is co-author of [Beer Pairing: The Essential Guide from the Pairing Pros](#) (Voyager Press, 2015). As part of her talk, **Julia** is partnering with our own **Jen Aldrich** to share beer and food pairing tips, wonderfully illustrated with a couple of **beer and Girl Scout Cookie pairings**.

The **March Monthly Membership Meeting** will be this Sunday **March 12th** starting at **7pm**. We will again be at **MBW Champion Mill**, located inside the **Warehouse Hotel** on the east side of North B Street. In order to share this opportunity to hear Julia with as many folks as possible, we'll be hosting a **virtual option via Zoom**; see the link embedded into the **Facebook Event**. Unfortunately, Girl Scout Cookies are not yet USB-C compatible, so you must attend in person to share in the beer and cookie pairings.

[Check out the Facebook Event!](#)

Can't make the Monthly Membership Meeting?

Check out one of our other [Events Throughout the Month](#). And don't forget about the [Virtual Bottle Share](#)! There is a cooler in the MBW High Street 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](mailto: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 a subscription to their homebrewing magazine, Zymurgy, access to past Homebrew Con presentations, as well as recipe archives for award winning beers. It can also help us earn a discount on our club insurance if you specify **Butler County Brewing Society** as your homebrew club!



16 March

### **BCBS On Tour: Warped Wing**

Join us as BCBS goes **On Tour** to [Warped Wing](#) in Mason, on **March 16th**, starting around 5pm. NOTE: Food is available on site.

22 March

### **Zoom Commercial Calibration**

As the weather turns warmer, we pivot to some lighter beers. That's right: it's time to pack away the stouts for another season and taste some **Light Euro Lagers**. These quenchable beers are just the thing to ready for pool season!

Once again, we're partnering with [Arrow Wine](#) in Mason to offer our monthly **Calibration Bundle**. Look for the 6-pack Bundle on the rotating seasonal shelves in the next week or so.



**BCBS Commercial Calibration**

**8pm on March 22nd**



## Competitions of Interest

### Star City Open

- Registration Deadline: 26 March
- Delivery Deadline: 26 March
- Competition Date: 1 April
- Details: [Star City Open](#)

### SODZ British Beer Fest

- Registration Deadline: 18 April
- Delivery Deadline: 20 April
- Competition Date: 22 April
- Details: [SODZ British Beer Fest](#)
- NOTE: Competition limited to British styles, ciders, and meads

### Fermentation Frenzy

- Registration Deadline: 9 July
- Delivery Deadline: 9 July
- Competition Date: 29 July
- Details: [Fermentation Frenzy](#)

## Upcoming Events

- 3/12 @ 7pm - **Membership Meeting** - MBW Champions Mill
- 3/16 @ 5pm - **BCBS On Tour Happy Hour** - Warped Wing
- 3/22 @ 8pm - **Commercial Calibration** - via Zoom
- 4/16 @ 7pm - **Membership Meeting** - MBW Champions Mill
- 4/20 @ 5pm - **BCBS On Tour Happy Hour** - [Fibonacci Brewing](#)
- 4/26 @ 8pm - **Commercial Calibration** - via Zoom
- 5/6 - **Big Brew Day!**



### **Club Protocols for Monthly Meetings**

In order to comply with MBW's serving license and show respect to our presenters – 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. Please respect presenters and guests by waiting until after the Business and KART portion of Meetings to open and share homebrew.
4. Homebrew MUST BE LIMITED to the designated area provided by Municipal Brew Works, and commercial beer cannot be served within this area. This is a legal issue, so please respect our hosts.

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