

News from our bars at Beer Corner USA...

Upcoming Events....

Holiday Beerfest is sold out! **The bars will be closed on Saturday Dec. 10th to ticket holders only. The bars will open at 5:30 for regular business.**

Mark your calendars for the Mug Club Christmas party on Dec. 28th in the Huber Haus.

Mark your calendars for the Belgian Beer Society Christmas party on Dec. 21st in Max and Joe's.

Our 6th Annual Extreme Beerfest is next on our calendar and is our biggest tasting each year. This year it will be on Saturday, Feb. 11th from 3-7pm at the Tip Top Ballroom at 15th and Cuming.

- Just like last year we will be selling **100 VIP tickets to Extreme Beerfest**. A \$41 VIP ticket gives you the opportunity to be there 1 hour early before the doors officially open, with only 100 other VIP's to sample with lots of elbow room and no lines. We will have 5 limited release beers available **ONLY** during this VIP hour to make it well worth it. **VIP tickets will go on sale Saturday, Dec 10th at Beertopia or by calling the store at 402-905-2603.** Mark this date! We only sell 100, and last year VIP ticket sold out in less than two days!

Highlights of Extreme Beerfest this year...

- **Regular tickets will also be on sale on Saturday, Dec 10th.** A \$31 ticket gets you a souvenir tasting glass, a program, and 4 hours of unlimited sampling of upwards of 300 of the most extreme beers the world has to offer. Lots of Double IPA's, Barrel Aged, Imperial Stouts, Belgian Sours, Tripels, Casks and Many more Rare and Unusual Beer Styles. Almost all above 7% ABV. Brewery and Distributor Reps will be onsite to answer you questions.
- **New this year, we will be including hourly Beercentric Seminars** to improve your beer knowledge. More details TBA.
- Also, **Live Music Provided by Blue House** for a little ambiance.
- Food will be available for purchase on site.
- **A free shuttle will run continuously between Beertopia and the Tip Top from 1pm to 9pm.**
- Hotel Information: **The Downtown Omaha Hampton Inn is the official hotel of Beertopia's Extreme Beerfest.** It is just one block from the Fest and is offering a **\$89 room rate for Friday or Saturday.** Make a reservation online by linking from our website or by calling the hotel directly at 402-345-5500 giving the **group code: Beerfest.**
- **Purchase Tickets** at Beertopia, Crescent Moon or online at www.etix.com starting on Saturday, Dec 10th. for just \$31.

We will host a **Beer Dinner with Lagunitas Brewing Co. from Petaluma, CA** on the Friday before the Beerfest on Feb. 10th from 7-9:30 at the Tip Top Ballroom.

- **Lagunitas is a new offering to the state of Nebraska however it won't be for sale anywhere until late in March.** They are shipping some beer out especially for our Beer Dinner. Don't miss your chance for this special sneak peak tasting and food pairing event.
- We will welcome **Don Chartier, the Northern Hemispherical Vice Captain for Supply Vectored Marketing Analysis of Lagunitas Brewing Co. as the key note speaker.** Enjoy a fabulous 4 course meal expertly prepared and paired with Lagunitas Extreme beer lineup.
- **Tickets are \$55 and include a beer reception and a four course dinner paired with beer.**

Keep in mind seating for this dinner is limited and will likely sell out. Purchase tickets at Beertopia or online through www.etix.com.

Also, we are in the planning stages for an **Omaha Craft Beer Week**. It will be the week leading up to Extreme; **Friday, Feb. 3rd to Sunday the 11th**. We are coordinating with lots of other Craft beer bars and Breweries all over Omaha to offer 10 beer packed days with many specials and new and exciting beery events all over town. Some of our events here at the Beer Corner will be a vintage beer tasting, movie night, a bottle exchange, and a beer swag garage sale plus more! Stay tuned for details. Also we are constructing a website of the who, what, and where details to keep you informed of all the events all over Omaha, www.omahabeerweek.com. coming soon.

Upcoming Tuesday Pint Night....

Dec. 13th is Blue Blood roll out pint night. Blue Blood is a new brewery out of Lincoln. You will be able to choose between their 834 American Pale Ale or 1327 ESB. The owner Brian Podwinski will also be here. If you haven't done our Pint night before, it's \$5.75 for the first beer you keep the logoed glass and get \$2 refills all night.

Exciting News, we have added 5 new taps to Max and Joe's Belgian Beer Tavern bringing the total number of Belgian Beers on tap to 15! Come in and check out the new Gulden Draak tower, it's a dragon with glowing red eyes and you pull his tail when you fill a beer, pretty unique. We have also added a Stella tower so you can get a perfect pour every time and Stella is only \$3 a glass every Tuesday. Lastly there is a Delirium Tremens tower with a very cute pink elephant. Having dedicated taps for these staples in Max and Joe's will open up room for more unique Belgian offerings on the remaining taps.

Beers on tap in Max and Joe's Belgian Beer Tavern...

- St. Bernardus Abt 12
- St. Bernardus Christmas
- Delirium Tremens
- Delirium Noel
- Gouden Carolus Christmas
- Gouden Carolus Hopsinjoor
- Lucifer
- Fruli Strawberry
- Petrus Oud Bruin Ale
- Duchesse De Bourgogne
- Monk's Cafe Flemish Sour Ale
- Piraat Ale
- Gulden Draak
- Stella Artois
- Hoegaarden

New beers on tap in The Crescent Moon....

- **Odell's Isolation Ale** is a sweet caramel malty ale that is balanced by a subtle crisp hop finish. 6%
- **Leinenkugles Big Eddy Russian Imperial Stout** boasts a selection of 11 malts and grains balanced by three different and distinct hops, dark and complex with chocolate tones and notes

of dark fruits. 9.5%

- **Anchor Christmas Ale** is a dark rich spiced ale. Anchor has been making their Christmas Ale since 1975 with changing-yet secret-recipes from year to year. 5.5%
- **Goose Island Matilda** has returned to our line up. It is wild in character with a slightly fruity aroma and a spicy yeast flavor. Very unique and satisfying. 7%
- **North Coast Old #38 Stout** is a smooth, firm-bodied stout with the toasted character and coffee notes of dark malts and roasted barley. 5.5%

News from the Beertopia side of the tracks...

This week has been another daunting one! Several highly anticipated beers will show up on Thursday afternoon.

- **Goose Island Bourbon County Stout** is going to be in extremely short supply this year. This beer is known as one of the best bourbon barrel aged stouts know to man. With a limited supply, we can only sell a four pack per customer. Sorry for any inconvenience. I was also told by my rep that there will be another shipment of BCS in February!
- **Goose Island** has also sent us a new beer! **King Henry Barleywine** will also be here Thursday! (And in limited supply) This barleywine is somewhat of a hybrid between an American and English style. At 13.4% ABV, this bomb of a beer was aged in Bourbon County whisky barrels just after the stout was released. I can not wait for this one...
- **Schell's Snowstorm** has arrived. This year, the brewery decided to make a Wee Heavy (big scotch ale). This one is quite good. Giant malty presence, full chewy palate and warmth from the 7% ABV. Get this while it lasts!
- **Wittekerke Winter Wit** ale is new to the store this year. This Belgian white ale is loaded with spices and goodness. Wheat plays the major role on the palate with cinnamon and lemon playing there part. At 7.5% ABV, this wit ain't no joke.
- **Summit Brewing Winter Ale** is a chocolate, hoppy and malty beer. Pours with a vigorous tan head and leaves a lace that lasts to the end. Caramel and chocolate play the field here. The hops are present, but not overwhelming.
- **Point's St. Benedict's** is produced as an abbey style ale. Rich plum, fig and faint brown sugar are represented, As the beer warms to room temp, the beers really starts to develop. So give it a chance with more than 20 minutes.

We are running several sales this week!

Schmaltz Brewing 12 packs of **Coney Island Lagers** are only \$7.99! We need the room in the store so we are blowing these out. Also, there is a few **Freaktoberfest** 4 packs available as well. These are just \$5.99!

There also is a few kegs on deal this week

Anchor Summer Ale - \$70 (13.2 gall)

Sierra Nevada Summerfest - \$50 (15.5 gall)

Dundee Oktoberfest – \$50 (15.5 gall)

Shiner Oktoberfest - \$50 (15.5 gall)

Have a great week and we will see you at the Holiday Beer Fest (if you got your ticket!!)

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