



# CASK Meeting Minutes

Sept. 12, 2009

## Seven Bridges Grille & Brewery

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05:00	<b>Registration for interclub European Amber Lagers competition starts.</b>
05:01	<b>Judges and stewards gather for judging assignments</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thank you for those who volunteered their judging skills.</li> </ul>
05:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Interclub comp judging begins: Style = European Amber Lagers</b></li> </ul>
06:00	<b>Club Social Hour Begins</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thanks to those who brought homebrew to share.</li> </ul>
07:00	<b>CASK meeting called to order</b> (Marshall Crews, CASK president) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Welcome and introductions</li> </ul>
	<b>Homebrew Competitions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1<sup>st</sup> place: Jack Griego, Oktoberfest</li> <li>• 2<sup>nd</sup> place: Garrick Solbert, Oktoberfest</li> <li>• No 3<sup>rd</sup> place awarded.</li> </ul> <p><b>Congratulations, Jack and Garrick!</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Upcoming CASK Interclub Competition Styles:           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>– October: Bold City Brew-off. Open to <u>all ale styles</u> (no lagers). <b>Judging will be conducted at our regular Oct. 10 meeting at Seven Bridges.</b> Winners from each category will be presented to Brian Miller and his crew at Bold City for judging sometime before our Nov. 14 meeting. The winning recipe will be brewed at Bold City. No charge for entries. <b>You will need to submit three bottles for each entry.</b> Keep in mind that recipes should not contain hard-to-find or very expensive ingredients.</li> <li>– November: <b>We will meet at Bold City Brewery</b> to recognize the winner of the Bold City Brew-off. In addition, we will be judging <b>Belgian Strong Ales</b> (BJCP category 18) for the AHA club-only competition.</li> <li>– December: Holiday ales</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- January 2010: <b>Awards banquet</b> and judging of <b>English Brown Ales</b> (BJCP category 11) for AHA club-only competition.</li> <li>• Remind Members of Upcoming Florida Homebrew Circuit Competitions       <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Commander Saaz- Cocoa Beach- Oct. 9-11. Entry window closes 9/19. Dropoffs were accepted at Just Brew It through Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup>.</li> <li>- Sunshine Challenge-Orlando-Nov. 13-14 (entries due by Nov. 2). <a href="http://www.cfhb.org/">http://www.cfhb.org/</a></li> </ul> </li> <li>• Remind Members of <b>Upcoming Regional/National Competitions</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 2009 Bay Street Bash – Savannah – Nov. 14. Entries due by Nov. 4. <a href="http://www.savannahbrewers.com/">http://www.savannahbrewers.com/</a></li> </ul> </li> <li>• Other upcoming events:       <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Beer-pairing at Silver Star Steakhouse in St. Marys, Ga., Oct. 22. Five courses &amp; five Beers. Call 912-882-1845 for reservations</li> <li>- Sierra Nevada beer pairing at Kickbacks Gastropub Oct. 5. 14 beers, including four that have never been bottled before. Free rides home (arrange in advance). Guest chef is Patrick Walley from Publix Aprons. \$54 plus tax and tip; \$49 if you make reservations early. 389-9551 for reservations.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<p><b>Bourbon oak barrel projects</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dave Lemaire is in the process of consolidating all the SSA and BDS kegs in his cold room. Once consolidated, we will set a date for the bottling/kegging.</li> <li>• If you are interested in joining the next barrel project, or if you have ideas, email <a href="mailto:president@thecask.org">president@thecask.org</a>.</li> </ul>
	<p><b>CASK Education</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Commercial calibration: Smuttynose IPA. Thanks, Jack Griego, for leading this tasting.</li> </ul>
	<p><b>News from Just Brew It</b></p>
	<p><b>Open Floor for Members to Offer New Ideas, Commentary, Suggestions and</b></p>



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	<b>Other Items of Interest for CASK</b>
	<b>CASK Social Activities Resume</b>