

At the Summit

the e-zine of Summits Wayside Tavern



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PINT NIGHTS

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Drink a pint of selected Winter Beers on draft and keep the glass!



7 - 9 pm (while supplies last)

Sandy Springs
Thursday Dec. 5

Snellville
Saturday Dec. 7

Cumming
Saturday Dec. 7

Special Pint Night!!!

All Locations!
Sweetwater GA Brown
FRIDAY!!! Dec. 6 - 7-9 pm

more promos on the web!

Menu Spotlight

You want the to order a salad, but are craving our chicken tenders? Then the Vera Cruz salad is a must for you!

Our handbreaded then fried chicken tenders sit atop a bed of greens. The salad is topped with cheddar cheese, tomato, Vidalia onion, Applewood bacon, and our own Honey Mustard dressing.

Have the chicken tenders tossed in our own wing sauce for that extra kick!

For a full look at our menu, click on www.summits-online.com and let your food adventure begin. Remember, we offer our full menu for "carry-out."



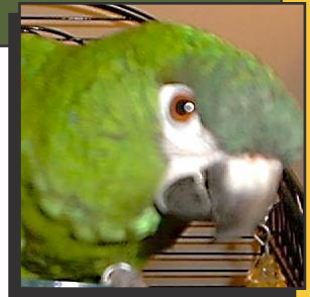
A View from the Summit...

"If We Could Talk To The Animals..."

Kathryn Phipps - Snellville Location

At our house we do talk to animals all the time, and some of them actually talk back. If you have never had the chance to have a discussion with one of your pets you are really missing out on one of natures awesome opportunities.

About 2 years ago we acquired a bird, A Red Lored Amazon. It was a birthday present for me. This particular bird was 10 years old when I got it. Grits is the bird's name. I was told that a young boy raised the bird. My son had no idea I was getting this bird and he was the one who first showed an interest in having a bird. Anyway, as I stood in the living room with Grits as my son Doug walked in the house. Doug began to scream at the top of his lungs in complete surprise, the bird began to scream just as loud. It was love at first sight, Grits loves children and the two of (continued on page 2)



Holiday Hours!

All 3 locations will be open until 6 pm on Dec 24, and will re-open for normal business hours on Dec 26. We're looking forward to sharing the holiday season with you!

Crunch Fitness!

Join Crunch Fitness at Summits! Experts from Crunch Fitness will be at each Summits location to answer fitness questions that you have. They'll also be giving away one 6-month membership per Summit location!

Cumming Sat, Dec 7, 7pm- 9pm

Sandy Springs Sun, Dec 8, 1pm - 3pm

Snellville Sat, Dec 7, 7pm- 9pm

Try Something New - Drafts!



Snellville

Dogwood Winter
Sam Adams Winter
Harpoon Winter
Carolina Pumpkin Ale
Rogue Half-A-Weizen
Rogue Mocha Porter
Rogue Dry Hopped Red
Rogue Honey Cream

Sandy Springs

Carolina Pumpkin Ale
Rogue Cask Brutal Bitter
Rogue Half-A-Weizen
Rogue Mocha Porter
Rogue Golden Ale
Rogue Irish Lager
Rogue Dry Hopped Red
Rogue Honey Cream

Cumming

Carolina Pumpkin Ale
Schneider Edelweiss
Rogue Half-A-Weizen
Rogue Mocha Porter
Rogue Golden Ale
Rogue Irish Lager
Rogue Dry Hopped Red
Rogue Honey Cream

Full list of new drafts at www.summits-online.com ▶

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"If We Could Talk To The Animals..."

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them have been inseparable. Grits' vocabulary is very small. We still have a wonderful time with him.

Then came the second bird, Hurley the African Grey. This bird was 4 months old when we acquired it. We hand fed Hurley until the age of 6 months. Gradually I noticed Hurley was making some very interesting noises and it dawned on me that Hurley was practicing with sounds and maybe Hurley was going to begin talking. I was so excited. I began saying simple things to Hurley such as hello, Hurley is the baby, Girly Hurley, to name a few. The African Grey has the largest vocabulary of all the birds. I can attest to that. Hurley talks all the time, from imitating me answering the phone to me talking on the phone. He calls my son, and the cats "Here Kitty Kitty". Hurley yells at my dogs for me, many times Hurley can be heard saying "No No No". Hurley also sings, Hurley can sing Barbara Ann, Tomorrow and Crazy. Whenever Hurley says something new it is just amazing to me. Hurley



Hurley

will initiate conversation with

you sometimes and you can actually go back and forth with him. Hurley is also very affectionate, how could you resist anything that says, "Love Me" and can give a kiss.

We also have Gidget. Gidget is a Hahns Macaw. The smallest of all the macaws. Gidget has a fiery personality. One minute she will say "Come Here" in the sweetest little voice, and the next minute she is latched on to your finger. Ouch. Gidget can ask you if you want some breakfast and tell you it is time to go night, night. By the way Gidget says these phrases at the correct time of day and night. Gidget has a smaller vocabulary than Hurley, but sure can chat up a storm.

You cannot ever completely appreciate these amazing creatures unless you actually experience one.

Editor's Note: Each week, we'll bring you a column featuring a thought, a story, or even prose by your favorite people at Summits! So, don't miss a week- you'll miss a lot!



Grits

Beer Spotlight of the Week

This week we shine on **Rogue Half-A-Weizen**. Try one at your favorite Summits today!

Region: Oregon Style: Hefeweizen

Half-A-Weizen (formerly Mo Ale), was inspired by, and dedicated to, Mo and Dutch Niemi, real people inspiring a real product-Mo, a restaurateur and raconteur whose clam chowder is world-famous; Dutch, a leader by example for coastal fisherman. Together their spirit indelibly shapes the daily lives of the Newport, OR waterfront. Mo Ale is now packaged as Half-A-Weizen.

Half-A-Weizen is a refreshing, unfiltered fusion of wheat and Northwest Harrington malts, coriander, ginger, and Saaz hops in the Belgium style.

www.rogue.com

Cooking With Beer

Midwestern Beer Cheese Soup

- 4 Tbsp butter
- 1/4 cup carrots, finely chopped
- 1/4 celery, finely chopped
- 1/2 cup onions, finely chopped
- 5 Tbsp flour
- 1 tsp paprika
- 1 tsp dry mustard
- 1 Tbsp Worcestershire sauce
- 12 oz beer (try a porter or a bock for deep-bodied flavor)
- 1 cup chicken broth
- 1 lb cheddar cheese, grated
- 1 cup whipped cream
- Tabasco
- Popcorn



Saute carrots, celery and onions in butter until tender. Stir in flour. Cook on low heat for 3 mins, taking care not to brown vegetables. Stir in paprika, mustard, Worcestershire sauce, beer and chicken broth. Whisk until smooth. Add grated cheese. Increase heat and bring to a boil. Reduce heat to medium-low and simmer for 5-10 mins., scraping the bottom of the pan periodically. Remove from heat and fold in whipped cream. Add Tabasco sauce to taste. For that authentic Wisconsin flare, serve with several kernels of popcorn floating in each bowl.

Beer Lover's Companion by Josh Leventhal

Summits Logo Gear...

Great Gifts for the Holiday Season- buy two- one as a gift, and one to keep for yourself!

Shortsleeve T-shirt	black	\$14.99	Polo shirts long	black	\$29.99
	gray	\$14.99		green	\$29.99
Longsleeve T-shirt	black	\$16.99	Hats	khaki	\$14.99
	gray	\$16.99			
Polo Shirts short	black	\$26.99	Denim shirts	denim	\$33.99
	green	\$26.99	Fleece Pullovers	black	\$39.99
	burgundy	\$26.99	Jackets		\$200.00

Harpoon Brewery Doubles Brewing Capacity

Harpoon Brewery Doubles Brewing Capacity With \$1.5 Million Investment

Brewery to Install New Equipment at Boston Facility

Boston, MA —The Harpoon Brewery, New England's largest craft brewer, has begun installation of over \$1.5 million worth of new brewing equipment at its Boston-based facility, taking the first steps toward doubling its production capacity. The brewery installation will take approximately ten weeks to complete.

On Friday, October 25 at 10:00 am, the brewery will celebrate the arrival of the new

equipment with a dedication ceremony presided over by Mayor Thomas Menino. The ceremony will take place amidst the construction at the South Boston brewery.

The new equipment includes four brewing vessels ranging in size from 8.6 feet in diameter to 16.1 feet in diameter. The largest tank, the Lauter Tun, boasts a capacity of over 10,000 gallons. The tanks were built by a German manufacturing company, Huppmann, and shipped to the US assembled in crates. Huppmann employees will be on sight to oversee the installation.

Calendar

Sandy Springs

- Dec. 3 Team Trivia
Tues. 8-10 pm
- Dec. 5 Winter Beers
Thu. Pint Night 7-9
- Dec. 6 Sweetwater GA Brown
Fri. Pint Night 7-9
- Dec. 6 Team Trivia
Fri. 10-12 pm
- Dec. 10 Team Trivia
Tues. 8-10 pm
- Dec. 12 Killians' Red
Thu. Pint Night 7-9

Snellville

- Dec. 2 Team Trivia
Mon. 7:30 - 9:30 pm
- Dec. 6 Sweetwater GA Brown
Fri. Pint Night 7-9
- Dec. 7 Winter Beers
Sat. Pint Night 7-9
- Dec. 9 Team Trivia
Mon. 7:30 - 9:30 pm
- Dec. 14 Killians' Red
Sat. Pint Night 7-9

Cumming

- Dec. 4 Team Trivia
Wed. 8-10 pm
- Dec. 6 Sweetwater GA Brown
Fri. Pint Night 7-9
- Dec. 7 Winter Beers
Sat. Pint Night 7-9
- Dec. 11 Team Trivia
Wed. 7:30 - 9:30 pm
- Dec. 14 Killians' Red
Sat. Pint Night 7-9

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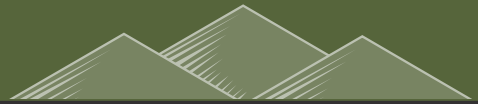
Football Contest!

sponsored by Coors Light
Sandy Springs, Cumming, Snellville

Pick the winning Football teams

First place \$50 house cash

Ask your friendly server for full details



Did You Know?

The story goes that Brian Boru, the first king of Ireland, was out riding one day, when he was suddenly enveloped in a magic cloud. Therein he encountered a Celtic god, accompanied by a beautiful maiden. The girl handed the king a glass of foaming red beer. Some say that was the beginning of Irish red ale.

Beer was virtually unknown to the Chinese until the middle of the 19th century. The city of Tsingtao, which means "green island," was the site of China's first commercial lager brewing operation, started by Germans in 1879.

The red triangle on the Bass label is England's first registered trademark (1876). Bass is the largest brewery in England.

On the label, "X" traditionally denotes the relative amount of alcohol: "XXX" means there is more alcohol in this bottle than in an "X" or "XX" bottle.

The Beer Lover's Rating Guide by Bob Klein

Drinks!

Irish Coffee

1 1/4 oz Irish Whiskey
Hot coffee
Sugar and cream

Pour Irish Whiskey in a coffee cup. Fill with coffee. Add sugar and cream to taste.
(For a sweeter taste, add Bailey's Irish Cream)

International Coffee

1/2 oz Devonshire Irish Cream
1/2 Chambord
Hot coffee

Pour Devonshire Irish Cream and Chambord in a coffee cup. Fill with coffee. Add sugar and cream to taste.

Galliano Hot Shot

1 oz Galliano
1 oz Hot Coffee
dash whipped cream

Combine in a shot glass. Top with whipped cream.

Bartending for Dummies by Ray Foley

Summits for Your Holiday Party!

Plan your holiday parties at The Summit. No need to worry about getting the house cleaned up before all the guests arrive. Who needs people staining your carpet and terrorizing your pets? Have your party at Summits, let us do all of the work for you! Sit back, relax, and enjoy the Holidays!



Quote of the Week

"You foam within our glasses, you lusty golden brew,
Whoever imbibes takes fire from you.
The young and old sing your praises,
Here's to beer, here's to cheer, here's to beer."

- Lyrics from the opera "The Bartered Bride," by Smetana, 1866



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Great Drinks

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