

# At the Summit

the e-zine of Summits Wayside Tavern



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## PINT NIGHTS

Pint Nights are held from 7-9 pm at all locations. Drink a pint and keep the glass! (while supplies last!)

09/09 Labatt Blue  
09/16 Erdinger  
09/23 Fullers ESB  
09/30 Sam Smith

## RANDALL 9/11

Randall Monday!  
Don't miss next week's Randall: Rogue Brutal Bitter and Crystal Hops! Stay tuned for further information regarding our Cask ale Fridays! Our goal is to tap a firkin every Friday.... While we build relationships with the brewers and suppliers, please keep your eyes out for information on the next tapping! We'll give you a few days notice!

## Poker Nights

**Texas Hold 'Em Poker Nights:** Sandy Springs and Snellville host Texas Hold Em Poker night every Tuesday. It's free to play - prizes include house cash! Play time begins at 7:30 pm but if you sign up by 7 pm you'll receive extra chips! This is a lot of fun... play alone or with friends. Also - **Snellville Poker on Saturdays** - sign up is 10:00 pm. Don't miss it!

## A View from the Summit

### Burger Month is here!

- Summits Staff

Back again this year by popular demand Summits is pleased to announce Burger Month 2006! This year Summits will donate \$0.50 from each burger sold storewide to the Georgia Transplant Foundation. Hopefully you all read the interview with Ann Sechrist in last week's e-zine explaining how this worthy organization helps people every day!

We have set a goal for our stores this year that we want YOU to help us reach - - - we have a goal set to sell at least 1,600 burgers per store for a total of 4,800 burgers! This number is significant because there are 1,600 transplant candidates currently in Georgia. This is an ambitious number to reach but we feel that keeping that number in mind will help not only to sell burgers but to increase awareness of the Georgia Transplant Foundation. Look for the Green Ribbons that our servers will be wearing this month and visit the GTF website for more information [www.gatransplant.org](http://www.gatransplant.org).

This year we brought back a few burger favorites AND added a few delicious new ones! Last year the decadent Russian Czar burger with caviar was a best seller, along with the spicy Thai burger with shrimp and wasabi mayo and the Oh Canada chicken burger with (...continued on page 2)



## Summit's Beer Offerings



### Snellville

MAvery IPA  
Chimay Triple  
DAB Dark  
Sierra Nevada Celebr  
Sierra Nevada Bigfoot  
Terrapin Imperial Pilsner

### Sandy Springs

Great Div. Yeti Imp Stout  
Great Div Herc Dble Ipa  
Avery IPA  
Snow Cougar- bottle  
Piasp- bottle  
Zywiec- bottle

### Cumming

Left Hand Milk Stout  
Left Hand Sawtooth Ale  
Great Div Yeti Imp St  
Snow Cougar- bottle  
Piasp- bottle  
Effes- bottle



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## Burger Month!

Canadian bacon and a fried egg. These are all back this year. Some of our favorite new creations include our Parisian burger which has a Bordeaux truffle cream sauce and the Greek burger with fresh crumbled feta cheese and Tzatziki sauce. We also have to mention the "Absolut" Swedish "burger" which is a fresh salmon patty topped with a homemade dill sour cream.

Burger Month will begin Friday, September 1st and continue the entire month of September! Please join us for some great burgers and assist in helping out the Georgia Transplant Foundation.

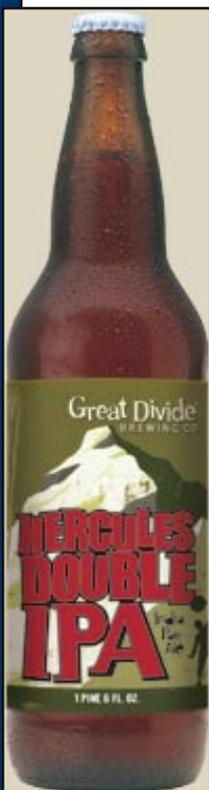
See You At The Summit!

*Editor's Note: Each week, we'll bring you a column featuring a thought, story, or even prose by your favorite people at Summits! And don't forget, you too can be published! Contact [snellville@summitsonline.com](mailto:snellville@summitsonline.com) for details!*

## Beer Connoisseur

### Hercules Double IPA

Hoppier, maltier and with more alcohol than a standard IPA, Hercules Double IPA definitely is not for the faint of heart. Hercules Double IPA is, however, an elixir fit for the gods. A brash but creamy wonder, Hercules pours a deep orange-coppery color, forming substantial lace in the glass. Hercules Double IPA delivers a huge amount of piney, floral, and citrusy hop aroma and flavor from start to finish. A hefty backbone of nutty, toffee-like malt character balances Hercules' aggressive, punchy hop profile. 85 International Bittering Units (IBUs). Alcohol by volume: 9.1% [www.greatdivide.com](http://www.greatdivide.com)  
Available at Summits in the bottle!



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## Sept. Summits Univ.

**JOIN US FOR SUMMITS UNIVERSITY!**

Mon - 9/11 - 7 pm - Cumming

Tues - 9/12 - 7 pm - Snellville

Wed - 9/13 - 7 pm - Sandy Springs

We will be serving...

Sam Adams Oktoberfest, Sam Adams Boston Ale, Brooklyn Pumpkin, Brooklyn Oktoberfest, Klaster, Klaster Dunkel, Tiger Lager and Harbin Lager .

We will also be serving dinner! **All for only \$10.99.** Sign up today. Seats go quickly!

## Stay Tuned - Rogue 15



A whole new experience awaits you on Rogue 15 - stay tuned for details... Next week!



## Where in the World Are YOU???

Jan – Hi. OK we (Stacey and I) sent in a picture couple of years ago from Jamaica and it ended up in news letter. I saw that Key West (southernmost point) made the rounds twice and I decided I needed to send another picture. Then I recently saw one from a fishing trip to Mexico. Well, that did it. We did a fly fishing trip for bone fish to Belize last month that involved some drinking and touring too. If memory serves the man in THAT newsletter photo is NOT drinking a delicious Belikin beer in the boat - The Beer of Belize. It might be green bottled import in his hand. Maybe it was because he was in Mexico. I just don't know. Anyway I have attached a picture from a trip we did to the ruins at Xunantunich <http://www.belizex.com/xunantunich.htm>

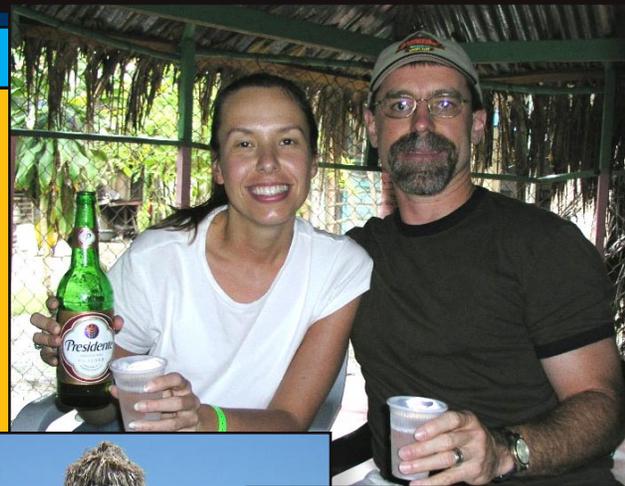
I am standing below the east-facing frieze of El Castillo. No beer shown but there were some in the van.

We visited the bar at the end of the earth (OK just Yucatan peninsula) and had beers with Stewart. His bar is attached too. We snorkeled, cave tubed (just what it sounds like) and swam with sharks and rays. Good times.

Finally, I found a photo from a previous trip through the jungles of the Dominican Republic in 2004. We braved rain-swollen rivers and traveled hours on horseback to a remote village where they showed us local hospitality including Presidente beer. We nearly died.

Actually, once we got to the village we saw a Toyota 4-runner and knew you could drive there. Not so harrowing after all. It did rain and they did lock us in the "bar" to keep the curious local kids out. Caged tourists on display.

My Summits hat went to Alice Springs Australia without me in April but there were no pics to be shared from that trip apparently. Thanks, Ted Hendrickx, Tier 1 mug holder



## Cooking With Beer

### Clam Beer Appetizers Recipe

- 1 stick (1/4 pound or 8 Tablespoons) butter, at room temperature
- 1/2 cup fine bread crumbs
- 1/4 cup beer (clam juice may be substituted)
- 1 small sweet onion, minced
- 4 garlic cloves, minced
- 2 tablespoons minced fresh parsley
- 1 teaspoon basil
- 1/2 teaspoon dried oregano
- 1/2 teaspoon rosemary
- 1/8 teaspoon ground red pepper
- Salt and freshly ground pepper to taste
- 4 small (6-1/2 ounces) cans minced clams, drained (juice reserved)
- 36 toasted baguette slices
- 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese

### PREPARATION:

Preheat oven to 375 F. Line baking sheets with Silpats or lightly grease.

Combine butter, bread crumbs, beer, sweet onion, garlic, parsley, basil, oregano, and rosemary.

Add salt and pepper to taste, and mix thoroughly. Stir in clams. Add additional clam juice if mixture appears too dry.

Spread clam mixture on toasted baguette slices. Bake for 10 minutes. Remove from oven and sprinkle with Parmesan cheese. Increase oven heat to broil. Return clam rounds to oven and broil until golden. Serve hot.

Yield: 36 appetizers

<http://homecooking.about.com/od/appetizerrecipes/r/blapp51.htm>

## Spotlight On Food...

The Greek Burger An 8 oz 100% ground sirloin patty topped with feta cheese and sliced green olives with a side of "Tsatziki" sauce. Served on a freshly baked egg roll with a side of homemade potato chips and a pickle.



For a full look at our menu, click on [www.summits-online.com](http://www.summits-online.com) and let your food adventure begin.

## Did You Know?

In the mid-1800s, Eberhard Anheuser was a successful manufacturer of soap and candles in St. Louis, Missouri, USA. In 1859, he financed a loan to a struggling neighbourhood brewery called The Bavarian Brewery, which was started by George Schneider in 1852. When the brewery faltered again in 1860, Anheuser and a partner, William O'Dench, bought the interests of minority creditors rather than see the brewery go under. They reorganised the company and resumed production under the name E. Anheuser & Company.

[www.didyounow.org/anheuser](http://www.didyounow.org/anheuser)



## Quote of the Week

*Always do sober what you said you'd do drunk. That will teach you to keep your mouth shut.*

--Ernest Hemmingway

## Your Weekly Summits Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3	4	5	6	7	8	7-9p 9 LaBatt Blue
	<b>RANDALL!</b> Pilsner Ur + Saaz	SN Poker!! 7:30 p SS Poker!! 8p	All You Can Eat CRAB!! double!		C Trivia 9p SN Trivia 10p SS Trivia 10p	SS - All You Can Eat CRAB!!
10	11 Summits Univ. Cumming <b>RANDALL!</b> Rogue Brutal + Crystal	12 Summits Univ. Snellville SN Poker!! 7:30 p SS Poker!! 8p	13 Summits Univ. Sandy Springs All You Can Eat CRAB!! double!	14	15 <b>ROGUE 15!!!</b> C Trivia 9p SN Trivia 10p SS Trivia 10p	7-9p 16 Erdinger SS - All You Can Eat CRAB!!
17	18 <b>RANDALL!</b> Br. Lager + Hallertauer	19 SN Poker!! 7:30 p SS Poker!! 8p	20 All You Can Eat CRAB!! double!	21	22 C Trivia 9p SN Trivia 10p SS Trivia 10p	7-9p 23 Fullers ESB SS - All You Can Eat CRAB!!
24	25 <b>RANDALL!</b> TBA	26 SN Poker!! 7:30 p SS Poker!! 8p	27 All You Can Eat CRAB!! double!	28	29 C Trivia 9p SN Trivia 10p SS Trivia 10p	7-9p 30 Sam Smith SS - All You Can Eat CRAB!!