

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!)

10/03	Sam Adams Oktober
10/04	Brooklyn
10/05	North Coast
10/06	Smithwicks
10/07	Miller Lite
10/08	Oskar Blues
10/09	Hardcore Cider
10/10	Redhook
10/11	PBR
10/12	Woodpecker Cider
10/13	Abita Turbo Dog
10/14	Fosters
10/15	Widmer Hefe
10/16	Dab Lager
10/17	Warsteiner Pils
10/18	Warst'r Dunk/Konig
10/19	Pilsner Urquell
10/20	Beck's
10/21	Newcastle
10/22	Flying Dog Ales
10/23	Dundeas Pale Ale
10/24	Woodchuck Cider

AYCE CRABS!!



Have you heard? "All You Can Eat Crab Legs" every Wednesday from 4 to 10 pm. And it's not just crab - the fries, the chowder, the delight of the plate that is never empty...

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Industry Events:

- * **WORLD BEER FESTIVAL:** The World Beer Festival (Durham) will take place on October 6, 2007 in the historic Durham Athletic Park, Durham, NC. Over 150 world-class breweries will participate in All About Beer Magazine's renowned beer event -- serving up some of the world's best brews! <http://www.allaboutbeer.com/wbf/>
- October 7, **Single Malt Scotch Tasting** at the Dundee Dell, Omaha, Nebraska, 405-553-9501 or email mhuston@dundeedell.com
- October 23, **WhiskyFest San Francisco.** Visit www.maltadvocate.com/whiskeyfest-sf.asp
- October 30, WhiskyFest New York. Visit www.maltadvocate.com/whiskeyfest-ny.asp

Industry News:

***Spitzer signs bil...** legalizing liquor auctions in New York; NY Wines Christie's plans robust offering of rare spirits in first auction since Prohibition.



(Press release)-- Liquor connoisseurs will soon be able to bid on rare distilled spirits from around the globe at auctions in New York, legalized yesterday by Governor Eliot Spitzer, according to the Distilled Spirits Council, which lobbied for the bill.

Christie's, the world's leading art business and a supporter of the new law, immediately announced plans to (...continued on page 2)

Summit's Beer Offerings



Snellville

Sam Adams October (soon!)
Jacks Pumpkin spice (soon!)
Dogfish pumpkin (soon!)
Victory Fest (soon!)

Cumming

Jacks Pumpkin spice
Dogfish pumpkin
Victory Fest
Sam Adams October
Lefthand October

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hold the first liquor auction in New York through NYWines Christie's. This will be the first such auction in New York since Prohibition began in 1920. (WhiskyNotes #506, August 20, 2007)

*A Gallup Poll reported that **beer is the first beverage of choice** among adults, beating out wine and spirits. Wine continues to narrow the 40 to 34% gap, while spirits remains steady at about 23%. The poll also finds that alcohol consumption among Americans is on the rise, from 50% in 1990 who said they consumed alcohol in the past week, to 65% currently.



In another report, this one issued by the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, it was found that **beer is the beverage of choice among binge drinkers**, as well. The exception: teenage drinkers, who preferred the hard stuff, most likely because it's what they have access to at home. (Street Talk, Volume IV, Issue 17)

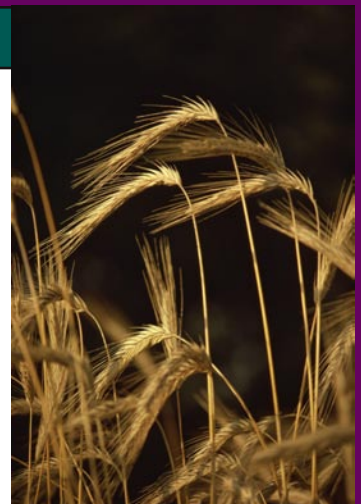
***New labeling proposed** by the Tax and Trade Bureau would require all alcoholic beverages to include alcohol content, serving sizes and nutritional information. If passed, the labels would feature the drink's percentage of alcohol by volume, number of calories, carbohydrates, fat and protein for an average serving size. Currently, spirits and wine labels must include at least the alcohol by volume, but beer labels were exempt except in states that require it. The proposal, if adopted, gives the industry three years to phase in the new labels. (Street Talk, Volume IV, Issue 17)

Spotlight on Beer

Witbier: Blanche de Brussels Brussels, Belgium

5.2% abv

Witbier is a very old type of beer, a speciality of the farm-breweries of old Brabant. The master brewers used their very best crops to make this beer. Blanche de Bruxelles owes its natural cloudiness to the large percentage (40%) of wheat that goes into its composition.



Cooking With Beer

Southern Cooked Greens

(www.about.com)

Ingredients

- 1/2 pound raw bacon, chopped
- 3 cups julienne onions
- Salt
- Freshly ground black pepper
- Pinch cayenne
- 2 tablespoons minced shallots
- 1 tablespoon minced garlic
- 1 (12-ounce) bottle Dixie Beer
- 1/4 cup rice wine vinegar
- 1 tablespoon molasses
- 6 pounds greens, such as mustard greens, collard greens, turnip greens, kale, and spinach, cleaned and stemmed

Instructions

In a large pot, render the bacon until crispy, about 5 minutes. Add the onions and cook for about 6 to 7 minutes or until the onions are wilted. Season the mixture with salt, pepper and pinch of cayenne. Add the shallots and garlic and cook for 2 minutes. Stir in the beer, vinegar, and molasses. Stir in the greens, a third at a time, pressing the greens down as they start to wilt. Cook the greens, uncovered for about 1 hour and 15 minutes.

Yield: 8 servings

Credits

Recipe from: Emeril's TV Dinners by Emeril Lagasse (Wm Morrow)



Beer Geek

Question: What is a brew pub?

Answer: A restaurant-brewery that sells 25% or more of its beer on site. The beer is brewed primarily for sale in the restaurant and bar. The beer is often dispensed directly from the brewery's storage tanks. Where allowed by law, brewpubs often sell beer "to go" and /or distribute to off site accounts. Note: BA re-categorizes a company as a microbrewery if its off-site (distributed) beer sales exceed 75 percent.

(www.beertown.org)



Biker Sam!



This is "Biker Sam" . Mike and Christie Foraker's son. The Forakers have been long time regulars at the Sandy Springs store and now the Snellville store! It looks like Sam is making a name for himself, too! Let's hear it for the littlest of Summits regulars!

Spotlight on Food!

Corned Beef Sandwich

New York deli style sandwich using State National corned beef - the very same corned beef used in the famous New York delis! We use almost 3/4 pound of corned beef that is shaved to order with imported Swiss cheese and dijon mustard on fresh rye bread. Served with french fries and a pickle.

Look at our menu: www.summits-online.com and let your food adventure begin.



Did You Know?

The correct response to the Irish greeting, "Top of the morning to you," is "and the rest of the day to yourself."

The world's largest wine cask is in Heidleberg, Germany.



Quote of the Week

The first thing in the human personality that dissolves in alcohol is dignity.

~Author Unknown(www.quote garden.com)

The SUMMITS Calendar!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	Oct. 1	2	CRAB!! 3	4	5	7-9p 6
	Terrapin	Ayinger Okfst.	Sam Ad. October	Brooklyn	North Coast	Smithwicks
	RANDALL! Red Hook Autumn Amber w/ Mt. Hood	Family Night! 5-9pm	S Trivia 8p C Trivia 8p	double!	C Trivia 9p S Trivia 10p	
7	Summits Univ. Cumming 8	Summits Univ. Snellville 9	CRAB!! 10	11	12	7-9p 13
Miller Lite	Oskar Blues	Hardcore Cider	Redhook	PBR	Woodpecker Cider	Abita Turbo Dog
	RANDALL! Victory Prima Pils w/ Saaz	Family Night! 5-9pm	S Trivia 8p C Trivia 8p	double!	C Trivia 9p S Trivia 10p	
14	ROGUE 15	16	CRAB!! 17	18	19	7-9p 20
Fosters	Widmere Hefe	Dab Lager	Warsteiner Pilsner	Wax Dunkel/Konig	Pilsner Urquell	Becks
	RANDALL! Big Hoppy w/ Crystal	Family Night! 5-9pm	S Trivia 8p C Trivia 8p	double!	C Trivia 9p S Trivia 10p	
21	22	23	CRAB!! 24	25	26	7-9p 27
Newcastle	Flying Dog Ales	Dundeas Pale Ale	Woodchuck Cider	Spaten Hefe	Clipper C. Winter	Bass Ale
	RANDALL! Clipper City Loose Cannon w/ Simcoe	Family Night! 5-9pm	S Trivia 8p C Trivia 8p	double!	C Trivia 9p S Trivia 10p	