

At the Summit

the e-zine of Summits Wayside Tavern



June 24, 2008

Pint Nights

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

06/28 Sierra Nevada

07/04 Sam Adams

07/05 PBR

07/12 Widmer Hefe

See online calendar for details!

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...



Wii @ Snellville

Our Snellville location now features Wii every Mon., Tues. and Thurs. night from 6 p.m. - 2 a.m.

Wii is the revolutionary video game by Nintendo. Instead of using a bulky complicated controller, you use a controller that houses amazing motion sensing devices that allow you to actually feel like you are in the game. You stand up and swing the bat to hit the ball or actually feel as if you are picking up a bowling ball and rolling down the alley. It requires no experience to learn how to play. All you need is your body.

So what are you waiting for? Come on down to Summits Wayside Tavern and grab a drink, eat a great meal, and enjoy the thrill of playing the Wii all in one place. We hope to see you soon!

What's Up At the Summit?

75th Anniversary of Legal Beer in America

Although the anniversary of Prohibition was a few weeks ago we thought that this article may be of interest to our readers!

America's Brewers, Importers & Beer Distributors Celebrate '75 Years of Beer'

April 7, 2008: 75th Anniversary of Legal Beer in America

On April 7th, brewers, beer importers, distributors and beer lovers across America will celebrate 75 years of beer that has been flowing legally since the drought of Prohibition. The date will be marked with specially brewed commemorative beers, brewery tours and events at many of America's 1,400 plus breweries.

Historians note that Prohibition officially ended on December 5, 1933, with the ratification of the 21st Amendment. But earlier that year, newly-elected President Franklin D. Roosevelt took steps to fulfill his campaign promise to end the national ban on alcohol. He spurred Congress to modify the Volstead Act to allow the sale of 3.2 percent beer in advance of Prohibition's ratification. Thus on April 7, 1933, Roosevelt himself received newly legalized beer at the White House to toast what was the beginning of the end for Prohibition. In the 24-hours that followed, more than 1.5 million gallons of beer flowed as Americans celebrated.

"April 7th is a day to recognize the past 75 years of beer and the beer community's contribution to American's quality of life. The explosion of creativity and innovation by those who make beer is an American success story," said Charlie Papazian, President of the Brewers Association.

"As we celebrate this significant day in the history of beer, we also recognize the incredible contributions beer has made to our nation and the economy over the last 75 years," added Jeff Becker, President of the Beer Institute. "Today, our industry contributes nearly \$190 billion annually to the U.S. economy and provides more than 1.7 million jobs to our nation's workforce."

"April 7th is the perfect time to highlight the entrepreneurial spirit



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75 Years of Beer... (continued...)

and economic contributions America's beer industry brings to our country. Americans now have access to nearly 13,000 labels of beer – within the safest alcohol distribution system in the world - because of the state-based regulatory system that was established 75 years ago," added Craig Purser, president of the National Beer Wholesalers Association (NBWA).

To mark this special anniversary, breweries across the country will hold '75 Years of Beer' events for all consumers, employees, and their families. Numerous breweries are planning 75th anniversary celebrations including: dedicated festivals, special cask pre-prohibition beers, viewing parties of the historical documentary "The American Brew" – a film commissioned by "Here's To Beer", brewery tours, scheduled toasts and more.

<http://www.foodreference.com/html/a-75yrs-beer-0320.html>

More S.B.S. Hijinks!

Aleisa from the Snellville Beer Society rappelled a building last week... a big building... in downtown Atlanta! We have it on good authority that she was spotted at the Snellville Summits the night before "training".... Hmm, You have to admit that the Snellville Beer Society has guts!



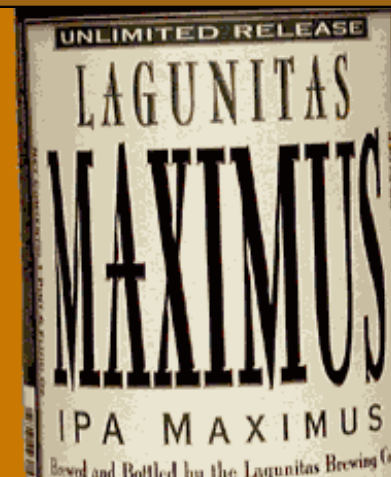
Spotlight on Beer

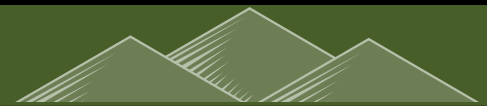
Lagunitas Maximus

(Petaluma, California)

IPA Maximus : At the height of the heat in the heart of the summer, we felt the only cure was a raging mouthful of fresh Hops and Malt. Caution: May remove enamel from teeth.

Alcohol 7.5% by volume





Beer Recipe

Best Ever Sausage with Peppers, Onions, and Beer!

Robert M. Catalano

"This is an excellent recipe I came up with one day. Serve with some nice Italian bread, and a bottle of your favorite beer."

INGREDIENTS

- 3 tablespoons olive oil
- 3 pounds Italian sausage links
- 3 red bell peppers, sliced
- 2 green bell peppers, sliced
- 2 large red onions, sliced
- 3 cloves garlic, chopped
- 2 (12 fluid ounce) bottles beer
- 1 (6 ounce) can tomato paste
- 3 tablespoons chopped fresh oregano
- 3 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
- 2 tablespoons hot sauce
- salt and pepper to taste

DIRECTIONS

Heat olive oil in a large heavy skillet over medium high heat. Cook sausage until browned on all sides. Remove sausage from pan, and set aside. Pour in 1 bottle of beer to deglaze the pan, scraping up any blackened bits from the bottom. Place the red peppers, green peppers, onions and garlic in the pan. Stir in the remaining beer and the tomato paste. Season with oregano, cilantro, hot sauce, salt and pepper. Cover, and simmer until onions and peppers are tender. Slice the sausages into bite size pieces, and add to the peppers. Cover, and simmer until sausage is cooked through.



Beer Geek

Brown Ale

Includes English, American, Belgian and Dusseldorf-style Brown Ales which are described below. English Brown Ale Back in the time when most beers were darker (1920's), Newcastle presented their reddish brown ale to compete with the Pale Ales of the day.

This style has proven so enduring that it has sparked many copycats and has led to the emergence of a new style.

These nuttier Brown ales are very different from the older brown ales from the London area, which are lower in alcohol, darker and sweeter.



English Brown Ales range from deep copper to brown in color. They have a medium body, and a dry to sweet maltiness dominates with very little hop flavor or aroma. Fruity ester flavors are appropriate. Diacetyl should be very low, if evident. Chill haze is allowable at cold temperatures.

Classic Producers: Newcastle Brown Ale (Scottish & Newcastle Breweries, Tyne Brewery, England), Nut Brown Ale (Samuel Smith's Brewing, England)



Wed. AYCE Crab Legs & Trivia!

Come from 4 - 10 pm and get your fill of fresh snow crab legs, drawn butter, jalapeno cole slaw, homemade corn bread, french fries and our homemade shrimp corn chowder for \$19.99.

Team Trivia offers the chance to win up to \$50.00 in house cash! Play time begins at 8 pm!

Thurs. & Fri.: Beef on Weck !

Try Summits' version of this northern favorite! This is a roast beef sandwich on a salty kummelweck roll. Kummelweck is simply shortened to "weck." Served with sinus-clearing horseradish, kosher dill pickle slices and extra beef juice for dipping. Where else can you get this for \$10.99?

Sat.: New York Strip Dinner

Every Saturday indulge in a great steak dinner at Summits! This is a New York Strip cooked as you like it and served with a loaded baked potato. This is a fantastic deal and has been a great success! Come try one for yourself! Only \$9.99 - can you beat that?

Food Spotlight

Pastrami on Rye

A New York deli style sandwich made using State National Hungarian pastrami. We use almost 3/4 lb of the same shaved- to-order pastrami used in the famous New York delis. It is served on fresh rye bread with imported Swiss cheese and dijon mustard.

Look at our menu: www.summits-online.com and let



Did You Know?

Spiral staircases in medieval castles are running clockwise. This is because all knights used to be right-handed. When the intruding army would climb the stairs they would not be able to use their right hand which was holding the sword because of the difficulties in climbing the stairs. Left-handed knights would have had no troubles except left-handed people could never become knights because it was assumed that they were descendants of the devil.

<http://www.kellys.com/know.html>



Quote of the Week

“When we no longer have good cooking in the world, we will have no literature, nor high and sharp intelligence, nor friendly gatherings, no social harmony.” - Marie-Antoine Carême

The SUMMITS Calendar!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
22	23 RANDALL! Sweet GA Brown with Sterling	24 Family Night! 5-9pm	25 CRAB!! Trivia ALL locations:8p double!	26	27 C + W: Trivia 9p S Trivia 10p	7-9p 28 Sierra Nevada
29	30 RANDALL! Terrapin Imperial Pilsner w/ Nugget	July 1 Family Night! 5-9pm	2 CRAB!! Trivia ALL locations:8p double!	3	4 SAM ADAMS! C + W: Trivia 9p S Trivia 10p	7-9p 5 PBR
6	7 Summits Univ. Cumming RANDALL! TBA	8 Summits Univ. Snellville Family Night! 5-9pm	9 CRAB!! Summits Univ. Woodstock Trivia ALL locations:8p double!	10	11 C + W: Trivia 9p S Trivia 10p	7-9p 12 Widmer Hefe
13	14 RANDALL! TBA	15 ROGUE Family Night! 5-9pm	16 CRAB!! Trivia ALL locations:8p double!	17	18 C + W: Trivia 9p S Trivia 10p	7-9p 19 Highland Brewing