

## 2012 Midwinter Home Brew Competition Results

### Thanks To All Who Participated in the 2012 Midwinter Home Brew Competition

There were **656** entries and **324** registered participants, judges, and stewards.

### Best of Show Winners

#### BOS - Beer

🏆 Congratulations to Beer Best of Show Winner Jeff Scanlan, whose entry, *Bitterman*, garnered the top beer prize in the 2012 Midwinter Homebrew Competition!



Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
🥇 1st	Jeff Scanlan	Bitterman	19C: American Barleywine	Sun Prairie Wort Hogs
🥈 2nd	Phil Sullivan	Sullys Kolsch	6C: Kolsch	Underground Brewers - Detroit
🏆 HM	Rich Heller Co-Brewer: Chad Sheridan	Lambic	17D: Straight (Unblended) Lambic	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee

#### BOS - Mead & Cider

🏆 Congratulations to Mead & Cider Best of Show Winner Mino Choi, whose entry, *Superberry 2.0*, garnered the top mead prize in the 2012 Midwinter Homebrew Competition!

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
🥇 1st	Mino Choi	Superberry 2.0	25C: Other Fruit Melomel	Northern Brewer Fermentation Brigade

### Milwaukee Brewing Company English Session Ale Ramp Up

One English Mild Entry (BJCP category 11A) was chosen to be ramped up and brewed by the Milwaukee Brewing Company for serving at the Milwaukee Ale House.

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
🥇 1st	David Skreczko	Mild Vs1	11A: Mild	Brewing Network



### Winning Entries

#### Table 1: Pale Lagers (14 entries)

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
🥇 1st	Dave Stahl	Helles Satan	5A: Maibock/Helles Bock	Mash
🥈 2nd	Phil Sullivan	Sullys Sloan Regal	1B: Standard American Lager	Underground Brewers - Detroit
🥉 3rd	Kevin Smith	Czech Yo' Self	2B: Bohemian Pilsener	Upstate Brewtopians

#### Table 2: Amber Lagers & Hybrids (20 entries)

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
🥇 1st	John Blythin	Green Hummingbird Oktoberfest	3B: Oktoberfest/Marzen	



Co-Brewer: Kenee Weinberger				
 2nd	Matthew Powell	S.m. Sticke Alt	7A: Northern German Altbier	
 3rd	Trevor Capehart	Snowless Common	7B: California Common Beer	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee

Table 3: Dark Lagers (22 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Mike Piazza	Cabron	5C: Doppelbock	Saaz
 2nd	Jared Mathys	Schwarzbier	4C: Schwarzbier	Society Of Oshkosh Brewers
 3rd	Dave Iselin	Simply Bock	5B: Traditional Bock	Beer Barons

Table 4: Light Hybrid (24 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Phil Sullivan	Sullys Kolsch	6C: Kolsch	Underground Brewers - Detroit
 2nd	Monica Miller	50-50 Rye Ale	6D: American Wheat or Rye Beer	
 3rd	Dan Mianulli	Farmhouse Ale	6A: Cream Ale	

Table 5: English Pale Ales (30 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Scot Schaar	Regimental	8B: Special/Best/Premium Bitter	Mugz
 2nd	Dan Schlosser	Best Bitter I	8B: Special/Best/Premium Bitter	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee
 3rd	Michael Bykowski	English Style Esb	8C: Extra Special/Strong Bitter (English Pale Ale)	None

Table 6: Scottish And Irish Ales (22 entries)



Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	J.r. Gradel	Send Me Another Sixty Scotty Shilling	9A: Scottish Light 60/-	
 2nd	Scot Oglesby Co-Brewer: DeAnn Oglesby	Wild Irish Rose Red	9D: Irish Red Ale	Belle City Home Brewers
 3rd	Mike Piazza	Mellow Mood	9E: Strong Scotch Ale	Saaz

Table 7: American Pale Ales (33 entries)



Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Daniel Smith	Perpetual Pale Ale	10A: American Pale Ale	Belle City
 2nd	Zach Coleman	Agent Orange	10A: American Pale Ale	The Brewing Network
 3rd	Mike O'keefe	District Seven Pale Ale	10A: American Pale Ale	

Table 8: American Amber And Brown Ales (21 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Mike Frischmann	Festivus	10B: American Amber Ale	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters Guild
 2nd	Sean Kampshoff	Crosstown Brown	10C: American Brown Ale	Mhba
 3rd	Eric Raz	Barnyard Slut	10C: American Brown Ale	Club Wort

Table 9: English Milds (16 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	David Skreczko	Mild Vs1	11A: Mild	Brewing Network
 2nd	Kevin Scharfenberger	Moose Knuckle	11A: Mild	Beer Barons
 3rd	Steve Walter Co-Brewer: Nick Wallner	Kwyjibo	11A: Mild	

Table 10: English Brown Ales (14 entries)

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Dave Iselin	S.s. Winter Supply Nut Brown	11C: Northern English Brown Ale	Beer Barons
 2nd	Mike Piazza	Burningham	11C: Northern English Brown Ale	Saaz
 3rd	Pieter Droegkamp Co-Brewer: none	Sixes And Sevens	11C: Northern English Brown Ale	

Table 11: Porters (29 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Dave Helt	Porter	12A: Brown Porter	
 2nd	Rob Kaczmarek	Gincer Porter	12B: Robust Porter	
 3rd	Mike O'keefe	Threat Level Midnight	12B: Robust Porter	

Table 12: Session Stouts (34 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Matt Schiller	Global Warming Stout	13C: Oatmeal Stout	Byob
 2nd	Kurt Achter	Leaky Tit Stout	13B: Sweet Stout	
 3rd	Joe Keckeisen	Otg Milk Stout	13B: Sweet Stout	Milwaukee Beer Barons

Table 13: Strong Stouts (27 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Dave Stahl	Ris	13F: Imperial Stout	Mash
 2nd	Andrew Waisanen	Black Tie Imperial Stout	13F: Imperial Stout	Central Wisconsin Vintners & Brewers
 3rd	Gary Gordhamer	American Black Ale	13E: American Stout	Gary Gordhamer

Table 14: IPAs (28 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Monica Miller	2011 Ipa	14B: American IPA	
 2nd	Ben Thomas Co-Brewer: Cheekbone	New Year Ipa	14B: American IPA	Cheekbone
 3rd	Nathan Hintz	More Cowbell Ipa	14B: American IPA	

Table 15: Imperial Ipas (15 entries)

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Mike O'keefe Co-Brewer: Dave Burkart, Cooper O'Keefe	Suicide By Hop	14C: Imperial IPA	
 2nd	Eric Tennant	Noggin Juice	14C: Imperial IPA	
 3rd	Troy Anderson Co-Brewer: Kevin Vavroch, Mark Skrodzki, and Bryan Iwicki	Briken Imperial Ipa	14C: Imperial IPA	Geneva Ålers

Table 16: German Wheat And Rye (20 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Dave Olson	Daves Devestator	15C: Weizenbock	Root River Brewing
 2nd	Paula Cartwright	Frances Connor	15A: Weizen/Weissbier	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee
 3rd	Jonathan Kissinger	German Vaction	15A: Weizen/Weissbier	Worts Of Wisdom

Table 17: Belgian And French Ale (24 entries)

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Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Michael Tyderek	Skinny Frog Brewery - Grenouille Fermeir	16B: Belgian Pale Ale	
 2nd	Paula Cartwright	My Wit's End	16A: Witbier	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee
 3rd	Rich Toohill	Lil' Sassy	16C: Saison	Mugz

Table 18: Belgian Specialty (14 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Jeff Enders	Saison Sorachi Ace	16E: Belgian Specialty Ale	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee
 2nd	Monica Miller	San Diego Saison	16E: Belgian Specialty Ale	
 3rd	Tom Gustafson	Maison De Ferme	16E: Belgian Specialty Ale	Soma Ale Werks

Table 19: Sour Beers (16 entries)

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Rich Heller Co-Brewer: Chad Sheridan	Lambic	17D: Straight (Unblended) Lambic	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee
 2nd	Dan Schlosser	Flanders Red 2.5	17B: Flanders Red Ale	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee
 3rd	David Skreczko	Cranberry Lambic	17F: Fruit Lambic	Brewing Network

Table 20: Pale Belgian Strong Ales (24 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Sean Kampshoff	Sean's Tripel	18C: Belgian Tripel	Mhba
 2nd	Scot Schaar	Belgische Zeit Drei	18C: Belgian Tripel	Mugz
 3rd	Jeff Scanlan	West Of Eden Belgian Blond Ale	18A: Belgian Blond Ale	Sun Prairie Wort Hogs

Table 21: Dark Belgian Strong Ales (18 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	James Werner	Quarry Lake Belgian Dubbel	18B: Belgian Dubbel	
 2nd	Matt Schiller	Narcissus	18E: Belgian Dark Strong Ale	Byob
 3rd	Brian Langenbach Co-Brewer: Tracey	Brian's Bda	18E: Belgian Dark Strong Ale	Trubmeister

Table 22: Strong Ales (17 entries)






Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Jeff Scanlan	Bitterman	19C: American Barleywine	Sun Prairie Wort Hogs
 2nd	Ken Pegram	Ain't Dead Yet	19B: English Barleywine	
 3rd	Brian Langenbach Co-Brewer: Tracey	Brian's Fireplace Old Ale	19A: Old Ale	Trubmeister

Table 23: Fruit And Xmas/winter Beer (23 entries)




Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Wayne Long	Hermie's Misfit Christmas Ale	21B: Christmas/Winter Specialty Spiced Beer	
 2nd	Andrew Waisanen	Hattie's Ale	20A: Fruit Beer	Central Wisconsin Vintners & Brewers
 3rd	Dave Olson	Winter Spice Ale	21B: Christmas/Winter Specialty Spiced Beer	Root River Brewing
 HM	Craig Cole	Santa Beer 2011	21B: Christmas/Winter Specialty Spiced Beer	

Table 24: Spice/herb/vegetable Beer (30 entries)

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Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Eric Mellor Co-Brewer: Sue Mellor	Pumpkin Ale	21A: Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer	
 2nd	Tom Gustafson	Cucumis Sativus Saison	21A: Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer	Soma Ale Werks
 3rd	Bruce Buerger	Smoky Jalapeno Ale	21A: Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee
 HM	John Beystehner	Jumping Java	21A: Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer	The Midnight Carboys



**Table 25: Smoked And Wood Aged Beer (22 entries)**

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Bob Alvord	Kelly's Rauchbier	22A: Classic Rauchbier	Ukg
 2nd	Jamison Sterken	Honey Jd Barrel Porter	22C: Wood-Aged Beer	
 3rd	Dave Olson	Blackout Bourbon Barrel Porter	22C: Wood-Aged Beer	Root River Brewing




**Table 26: Specialty Beer (41 entries)**

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Mike Harvanek	Rye Pa	23A: Specialty Beer	
 2nd	Larry Bloom Co-Brewer: Tim Hoerman	Styles Iripa	23A: Specialty Beer	The Ibus
 3rd	Eric Raz	Furious George	23A: Specialty Beer	Club Wort




**Table 27: Traditional And Other Meads (21 entries)**

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Carolyn McNabb	Hallowmead	26A: Metheglin	
 2nd	Sean Kampshoff	Sean's Braggot	26B: Braggot	Mhba
 3rd	Brian Joas	Four-tified Berry	26C: Open Category Mead	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee

**Table 28: Melomel (fruit Mead) (18 entries)**

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Mino Choi	Superberry 2.0	25C: Other Fruit Melomel	Northern Brewer Fermentation Brigade
 2nd	Mike Chaltry	Pyment	25B: Pyment	Brew & Grow Waukesha
 3rd	Andy Hemken	Pear Mead	25C: Other Fruit Melomel	Beer Barons Of Milwaukee

**Table 29: Cider And Perry (19 entries)**

Place	Brewer(s)	Entry Name	Style	Club
 1st	Terry Mayne	Apricot	28B: Fruit Cider	
 2nd	Brian Luczak	Caramel Apple Pie Cider	28D: Other Specialty Cider or Perry	Nbfb
 3rd	James Werner	County Line Hard Cider	27A: Common Cider	