The 36 Annual Bluebonnet Brew-Off Awards Ceremony

Competition Stats

- 36th Annual Home Brew Competition
- 1214 Entries
- 266 Entrants
- 23 States
- 60 Clubs Entered
- 43 Medal Categories
- 236 Flights
- 65 Judges



Top 10 Clubs By Entry Count

- Cap & Hare: 110
- NTHBA: 102
- BAM 101
- NINJA Homebrewers: 94
- Cane Island Alers: 72

• Horsemen: 50 • Foam Rangers: 50 Denton County HG: 44 Mash Runners: 41 • Red Earth Brewers: 40

Thanks to Our Judges!

Long, Jarrett	9	Schoolcraft, Brian	4	Itrich, Earl	2
Grover, Mike	9	Poirot, Jeff	4	Morgan, Eric	2
Morriss, Denece	9	Parulis, Matt	4	Hicks, Doug	2
Lallande, James	9	Beckham, Garry	3	Smith, James	2
Bates, John	8	Sutton, John	3	Williams, Michael	2
Forrest, Barry	8	Garland, Edwin	3	Brasovan, Rachael	2
Morriss, Matt	8	Grady, James	3	Singhal, Nupe	2
Myers, Stacy	7	Harris, Richard	3	Bradley, Chris	1
Brown, Steve	7	Kirkpatrick, Casey	3	Marius, Keith	1
Skelton, John	7	LaPointe, Kyle	3	Newcomb, Nate	1
Gharis, Leroy	7	Mccurdy, Mark	3	Nyhus, Timothy	1
Lawrence, Bill	6	Duke, Dianne	3	Laupus, Steve	1
Wilson, Matt	6	Pollan, Travis	3	Kirmser, Jamison	1
Long, Amanda	6	Schanz, Fritz	3	Pongrass, Adam	1
Olinger, Terry	6	Zreet, Collin	3	Rollins, Jonathan	1
Scudder, Charles	6	Mosher, John	2	Dorman, James	1
Mercer, Tim	5	Littel, Steve	2	Morgan, Seth	1
Hodges, Walter	5	Neal, Kim	2	Crowley, Christopher	1
Russell, Steve	5	Lane, Mark	2	Markey, Jim	1
McGrath, Tim	5	Pena, Joe	2	Tiner, Ronnie	1
Ballantyne, Stephen	4	Pena, Nicole	2	Yandell, Wayne	1
Duke, James	4	Milan, Max	2		

Top Judges:

Mike Grover James Lallande Jarrett Long Reni Morriss

The North Texas Homebrew Circuit







The Lone Star Circuit Homebrewer of the Year

Andy Scherzinger

The Lone Star Circuit Homebrew Team of the Year

Jarrett Long & John Bates

The Lone Star Circuit Homebrew Club of the Year

Cane Island Alers



Patrons

- •Bierkraft
- Brewhound
- Denton County Brewing Company
- Ivanhoe Ale Works
- •Martin House Brewing Company
- Rahr & Sons Brewing Lp
- •Steam Theory Brewing Company
- •Tupps Brewery

Partners and Supporters ers Supporters

Partners

- 4 Corners
- Bankhead Brewing Co.
- Beer Geeks
- Brewery Direct
- Brutal Beerworks
- Celestial Beerworks
- Division Brewing
- Kettle To Keg
- Mable Branch Craft Brewery
- Neutral Ground Brewing Company
- Oak Cliff Brewing Company Lic
- Oak Highlands Brewery Llc
- Odd Muse Brewing Company
- Panther Island Brewing
- Peticolas Brewing Company Llc
- Shannon Brewing Company
- Turning Point Beer
- Vector Brewing

- Cedar Creek Brewhouse And Eatery
- Edgewise Eight Brewing
- False Idol Brewing
- Funky Picnic Brewery & Cafe
- Little Red Wasp
- Parker County Brewing Company
- Southside Cellar
- Three Wide Brewing

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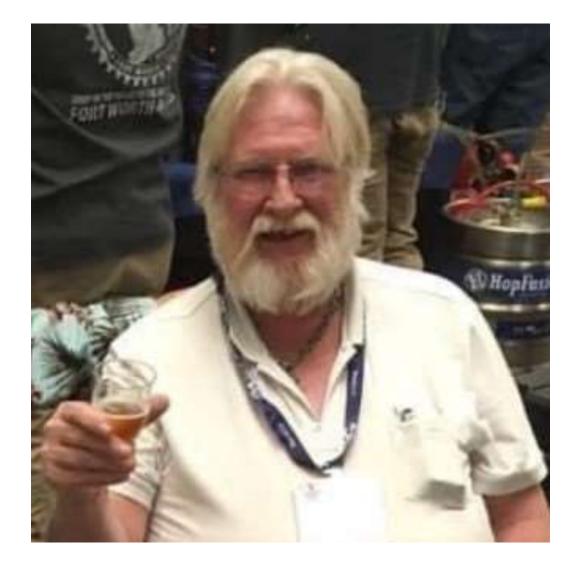
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People's Choice Voting

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And now, the moment you've all been waiting for...





Metts Potter

Bloatarian Brewing League American Light Lager; Little Buddy



Pete Train

NINJA Homebrewers American Lager; Magic Potion



Guy Grady

Central Arkansas Fermenters International Pale Lager; Brews Yo Daddy?!

Light Ale (T52) 36 Entries BJCP (1C, 1D, 12A, 12B)



Paul Pitre

Redstick Brewmasters Cream Ale; Poolside Cream Ale



Keith Wright

Red Earth Brewers American Wheat Beer; American Beauty



Butch Smith

Mashrunners English Golden Ale; Dogman

Pale Malty European Lager (T53) 34 Entries BJCP (4A, 4B, 4C)



Sue Oleson

Bel Air Brewing Festbier; Gelbgold



James Lallande

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Munich Helles; German Buffalo



Keith Wright

Red Earth Brewers Munich Helles; Reight Stuff

Pale Bitter European Beer (T54) 36 Entries BJCP (3A, 3B, 5A, 5C, 5D, 27A7)



Pete Train

NINJA Homebrewers Pre-Prohibition Lager; 1919 Eternal



Guy Grady

Central Arkansas Fermenters German Leichtbier; Leichtsaber



Michael Myers

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Czech Premium Pale Lager; Lager of the Lakes

Kolsch and Blonde

(T55) 36 Entries BJCP (5B, 18A)



John Skelton

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Blonde Ale; Texas Blonde



Randy Daily

Bay Area Mashtronauts Kolsch; Koln Clone



John Driscoll

North Texas Homebrewers Association Kolsch; Fatfinger - Kolsch - Pull My Finger

Amber Malty European Lager (T56) 36 Entries BJCP (2B, 6A, 6C)



Matthew Herrold

Cane Island Alers (CIA) Dunkels Bock; Meanbrews Bock



Mikey Brown

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Marzen; Mustache Marzen



Chad Medford

Red Earth Brewers Marzen; Fo Schnitzel

Amber Bitter European Beer (T57) 37 Entries BJCP (3C, 7A, 7B, 7C)



Kevin Olson

ZZHops Homebrewing Club Czech Amber Lager; Jantar



Timothy Nyhus

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Vienna Lager; Vienna Awaits



Dan Acheson

Urban Knaves of Grain Kellerbier; Franconia On My Mind

Dark European Lager (T58) 37 Entries BJCP (2C, 3D, 8A, 8B)



Mark Mccurdy

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Schwarzbier; Schwarzbier



John Driscoll

North Texas Homebrewers Association Czech Dark Lager; Fatfinger - Czech Dark Lager - Nod To Wayne And The Big Rig **Stacy Myers** Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Munich Dunkel; Pascha

Strong European Beer (T59) 32 Entries BJCP (9A, 9B, 9C)



Sean Vreeland, Mike Treadway

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Baltic Porter; I Like Cake



Mark Mccurdy

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Eisbock; Eisbock



Brian Schoolcraft

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Baltic Porter; Black Malt Baltic

German Wheat Beer (T60) 23 Entries BJCP (10A, 10B, 10C, 27A4)



David Rogers

North Side Alers (NSA) Weissbier; Not A Weiss Guy



Karl King

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Weizenbock; Three Kings Weizenbock



Walter Hodges

North Texas Homebrewers Association Roggenbier; Hutton Branch Roggenbier

English and Irish Ale (T61) 22 Entries BJCP (11A, 11B)



Mark Rendon

North Texas Homebrewers Association Best Bitter; Best Bitter



Jeff Oberlin

NINJA Homebrewers Best Bitter; Premium Husky



Steve Brown

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Best Bitter; Ridgeway Day Hike



Strong Pale English Beer (T62) 25 Entries BJCP (11C, 12C)



Butch Smith

Mashrunners Strong Bitter; Black Dow



Bryan Hunter, Beau Dodson

Preacher Man English IPA; Cockney Prisoner



Kyle Mackay

Mashrunners Strong Bitter; MacKay Clan Strong Bitter

Brown British Beer

(T63) 25 Entries BJCP (13A, 13B, 27A9)



Bano Benavides

NINJA Homebrewers Dark Mild; Mild Child



Nigel Curtis

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club English Brown Ale; Admiral Prune



Nigel Curtis

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Dark Mild; Balbo

Scottish and Irish Ale

(T64) 37 Entries BJCP (14A, 14B, 14C, 15A)



Terry Olinger

North Texas Homebrewers Association Irish Red Ale; Irish Spouse



Timothy Nyhus

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Irish Red Ale; Gansey Load of Redness



Bano Benavides

NINJA Homebrewers Irish Red Ale; Ol' Red

Stout and Porter (T65) 26 Entries BJCP (13C, 15B, 15C, 16D)



Keith Wright

Red Earth Brewers English Porter; Petes Porter



Jarrett Long, John Bates

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Irish Stout; No Rain In Dublin



Paul Croas

NINJA Homebrewers Irish Stout; Black Black No Take Back

British Stout (T66) 29 Entries BJCP (16A, 16B, 16C)



Stacy Myers

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Oatmeal Stout; Duster's Oatmeal Stout



Reed Smollar

Dallas Homebrew Collective Sweet Stout; Baby's First Milk Stout



Sean Vreeland, Mike Treadway Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Tropical Stout; Fred Durst's Love Child

Strong British Ale (T67) 23 Entries BJCP (17A1, 17A, 17B, 17D)



Myron Oleson

Bel Air Brewing English Barleywine; Winter Warmer



Matt Parulis

North Texas Homebrewers Association English Barleywine; Coal Cracker Barleywine



David Whigham

Redstick Brewmasters English Barleywine; I Can Barley Walk

Pale American Ale

(T68) 25 Entries BJCP (18B)



James Gould

Cane Island Alers (CIA) American Pale Ale; Citra Smash Pale Ale



Andy Howell

Clarksville Carboys American Pale Ale; Big Boi's Booty Sweat



Nicholas Mccoy

Draft Punk American Pale Ale; Boner Jams

Amber And Brown American

(T69) 34 Entries BJCP (19A, 19B, 19C, 27A6, 27A8)



Mark Rendon

North Texas Homebrewers Association California Common; California Common



Mark Rendon

North Texas Homebrewers Association American Brown Ale; American Brown Ale



John Driscoll

North Texas Homebrewers Association California Common; Fatfinger - California Common - Smoke On The Water

American Porter And Stout (T70) 31 Entries BJCP (20A, 20B)



James Gould

Cane Island Alers (CIA) American Porter; 2 Months In Hot Storage Porter



Blake Villermin

Bay Area Mashtronauts American Stout; Dogs Playing Poker



Robert Smith

Independent

American Porter; Robust Poter

Imperial Stout (T71) 19 Entries BJCP (20C)



Edgardo Beltran

North Georgia Malt Monkeys Imperial Stout; Imperial Stout



Michael Reed

Bay Area Mashtronauts Imperial Stout; Dark Shadows Stout



Richard Hunt, Craig McKenzie And Johnny Eschler Independent Imperial Stout; 1337 Wet

American IPA (T72) 30 Entries BJCP (21A)



Mike & Stephanie Butler

Kansas City Bier Meisters American IPA; I Like Large Mugs And I Cannot Lie



Nicholas Mccoy

Draft Punk American IPA; New Dust



Metts Potter

Bloatarian Brewing League American IPA; More Citra!



Specialty IPA (T73) 15 Entries BJCP (21B1, 21B2, 21B3, 21B4, 21B5, 21B6)



Jeremiah Baer

East Side Brewers [IL] Belgian IPA; Baerzerker



Nicholas Mccoy

Draft Punk White IPA; White Christmas



Stacy Myers

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Black IPA; The Big Shawn Mason

Hazy and Experimental IPA (T74) 26 Entries BJCP (21B, 21B7)



Fernando Mireles

Cervezatlan New England IPA; Chuco Suave



Bano Benavides

NINJA Homebrewers New England IPA; Cray-Zay Hay-Zay



Perpetual Brewing, Damon Lacey, Jason Joy Independent New England IPA; The Line Begins To Blur

Strong American Ale (T75) 23 Entries BJCP (22A, 22B, 22C, 22D)



Nicholas Mccoy

Draft Punk Double IPA; Double Dust



Brandon Jones

Red Earth Brewers Wheatwine; Amber Waves



Randy Daily

Bay Area Mashtronauts American Barleywine; Maximuim Strength

European Sour Ale (T76) 15 Entries BJCP (23A, 23B, 23C, 23D, 23E, 23F)



Matthew Herrold

Cane Island Alers (CIA) Fruit Lambic; Meanbrews Passion Fruit Lambic



Jonathan Rollins

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Fruit Lambic; Framboise



Tyson Schindler

Foam Rangers Homebrew Club Lambic; Mary Had A Little Lambic

Belgian Ale (T77) 21 Entries BJCP (24A, 24B, 24C)



David Whigham

Redstick Brewmasters Witbier; King's Wit



Fred David

North Texas Homebrewers Association Biere de Garde; Frenchie



Jarrett Long, John Bates

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Belgian Pale Ale; Pale Belgian Moon

Belgian Blonde and Single (T78) 13 Entries BJCP (25A, 26A)



Eric Heinz, Kyle Autry

NINJA Homebrewers Trappist Single; Monk Food



Bano Benavides

NINJA Homebrewers Belgian Blond Ale; Sante'



Paul Croas

NINJA Homebrewers Trappist Single; Funky-Monk-E

Saison (T79) 19 Entries BJCP (25B)



Joe Wood, Makesha Wood

Central Arkansas Fermenters Saison; Sake It To Me



Jonathan Reasoner

Bay Area Mashtronauts Saison; Flying Whales



Douglas Hicks

North Texas Homebrewers Association Saison; Saison Grande

Strong Light Belgian Ale (T80) 23 Entries BJCP (25C, 26C)



Patrick Elder

Foam Rangers Homebrew Club Belgian Golden Strong Ale; Something With The Devil In It



Big Rig Brew Crew

North Texas Homebrewers Association Belgian Golden Strong Ale; Big Rig Belgian Golden Strong



Eric Heinz, Kyle Autry

NINJA Homebrewers Belgian Tripel; Rylie's Tripel

Strong Dark Belgian Ale (T81) 38 Entries BJCP (26B, 26D)



Matthew Herrold

Cane Island Alers (CIA) Belgian Dark Strong Ale; Meanbrews Bds



Fred David

North Texas Homebrewers Association Belgian Dubbel; Dubbel Trubbel



Scott Koehler

NINJAs

Belgian Dark Strong Ale; Quadrophenia



(T82) 30 Entries BJCP (29A, 29B, 29C)



James Rodriguez, Los Dioses

Independent Fruit Beer; Jungle Cruise



Perpetual Brewing, Damon Lacey, Jason Joy

Independent

Fruit Beer; Self Indulge (again) W/blackberries



Randy Valdez

Big Country Homebrewers Association Fruit Beer; Sun Tan Around My Mask

Spice Herb Vegetable Beer (T83) 36 Entries BJCP (30A)



Terry Olinger

North Texas Homebrewers Association Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer; Lemon Gose't



Deborah Prichard

Red Earth Brewers Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer; Hot To Trot #4 Tom



Chaz Grant, Christopher Ogbonna Bay Area Mashtronauts Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer; Sorrel Beer



Autumn Winter Seasonal (T84) 25 Entries BJCP (30B, 30C)



Larry McCallister

Ozark Zymurgists Winter Seasonal Beer; It's Beginning To Look A Lot Like F This...



Austin Boggs

Independent Winter Seasonal Beer; You Serious, Clark? Vol 2



Keith Salas

Independent

Autumn Seasonal Beer; Spooky Waffles

Wee Heavy and Smoke (T85) 29 Entries BJCP (6B, 17C, 32A, 32B)



Kenny Cason

San Antonio Cerveceros Rauchbier; Wholly Smoke



Sean Vreeland, Mike Treadway

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Wee Heavy; MacGregor's Goat



Barry Forrest, Silvia Eyster

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Classic Style Smoked Beer; Slo & Smoky

Wood Aged Beer (T86) 29 Entries BJCP (33A, 33B)



BigRig Brew Crew

North Texas Homebrewers Association Wood-Aged Beer; Big Rig Petite Saison 22



Mikey Brown, Six Guys One Bunghole

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club



Specialty Wood-Aged Beer; Soup Kitchen By Dirty Mike And The Boys **Chris Bradley, Some Random Other Guys** Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Specialty Wood-Aged Beer; Making Plans With Nigel

American Wild Ale

(T87) 37 Entries BJCP (27A1, 28A, 28B, 28C)



Timothy Bickel

Red Earth Brewers Gose; That's the Way Love Gose



Joshua Santelises

Bay Area Mashtronauts Wild Specialty Beer; Cotton Headed Nini Muggins



Matthew Herrold

Cane Island Alers (CIA) Wild Specialty Beer; Meanbrews Rose Hip Sour

Specialty Beer

(T88) 26 Entries BJCP (27A2, 27A, 27A3, 27A5, 31A, 31B, 34A, 34B, 34C)



Mark Rendon

North Texas Homebrewers Association Mixed-Style Beer; American Dark Wheat Beer



Mikey Brown

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Piwo Grodziskie; Aunt Beru



Gary Casey

Big Country Homebrewers Association Alternative Grain Beer; Ryale

Traditional Mead

(T89) 29 Entries BJCP (M1A, M1B, M1C)



Fred David

North Texas Homebrewers Association Semi-Sweet Mead; Re-Tee Your Ob



Steve Brown

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club Semi-Sweet Mead; Horsemint



Denece Morriss

Horsemen of the Hopocalypse Sweet Mead; Cat's Purrrr

Melomel

(T90) 36 Entries BJCP (M2A, M2B, M2C, M2D, M2E)



Matthew Mead

Michigan Mead Coalition Berry Mead; You're My Boy Blue! B2



Jeff Oberlin

NINJA Homebrewers Melomel; Precious



Matthew Herrold

Cane Island Alers (CIA) Melomel; Meanbrews Strawberry Lemonade Mead

Spiced And Specialty Mead (T91) 31 Entries BJCP (M3A, M3B, M4A, M4B, M4C)



Cindy Oberlin

NINJA Homebrewers Fruit and Spice Mead; Ruby Slipper



Matthew Herrold

Cane Island Alers (CIA) Experimental Mead; Meanbrews Maple Bba Bochet



Bill Boyer

North Georgia Malt Monkeys Fruit and Spice Mead; Ichabod's Dessert

Cider And Perry (T92) 20 Entries BJCP (C1A, C1B, C1C, C1D, C1E)



Jeffrey Carlson

PrimeTime Brewers New World Cider; Westside Westy



James Lallande

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club English Cider; English Buffalo



Bradley Sheehan

Dallas Homebrew Collective New World Cider; C Is For Cider

Specialty Cider And Perry (T93) 30 Entries BJCP (C2A, C2B, C2C, C2D, C2E, C2F)



Bill Boyer

North Georgia Malt Monkeys Cider with Other Fruit; The Eldritchberry Terrors



Bill Boyer

North Georgia Malt Monkeys Specialty Cider/Perry; I'm A Lumberjack



Cindy Oberlin

NINJA Homebrewers Specialty Cider/Perry; Ruby Dragon



Bluebonnet Lifetime Achievement Award



Danny Kocurek

Brewery Pro-Am Award

James Gould Citra Smash Pale Ale American Pale Ale Cane Island Alers



Brewery Pro-Am Award

Mike & Stephanie

Butler

I Like Large Mugs And I Cannot Lie American IPA

Kansas City Bier Meisters



Best of Show Beer



Keith Wright

Red Earth Brewers English Porter; Petes Porter

Best Of Show Mead/Cider



Matthew Mead

Michigan Mead Coalition Berry Mead; You're My Boy Blue! B2

The Bluebonnet Homebrewer of the Year



Mark Rendon

North Texas Homebrewers Association 11 Points

The Bluebonnet Homebrewer Team of the Year



Sean Vreeland and Mike Treadway

Cap and Hare Homebrew Club

6 Points

The Bluebonnet Mead/Cider Maker of the Year



Bill Boyer

North Georgia Malt Monkeys



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