

Yarra Valley Brewers Belgian Beerfest 2010

Saturday 27 March at Coldstream Brewery

694 Maroondah Hwy, Coldstream, Victoria. Melways Ref: 281 B8

Closing Date for entries: Saturday 20th March, or 12 pm at the competition venue.

\$5 per entry. Entries can be delivered to participating homebrew stores: *Brewers Choice, Grain & Grape, Greensborough Home Brewing Supplies, The Brewers Den,* **or presented by 12 pm at the competition venue.**

Rules & Information

- 1. Maximum of 1 entry per substyle within each category, per brewer. The beer style nominated must a designated style for the category, as listed over the page. The organisers reserve the right to reclassify a beer to a listed style. Style guidelines (to be used in the judging) available at: www.vicbrew.org
- 2. One bottle (per entry 750ml preferred) with a minimum of 500 ml beer. If necessary, provide two bottles and attach an entry form to each bottle with an additional marking as Bottle1 and Bottle2. Cost \$5 per entry.
- 3. Judging will be by blind tasting. Judges decision will be final. Completed judging sheets will be returned to brewers.
- 4. Prizes will be awarded for the best three beers in each Category, the 'Champion Beer of Show' award and the 'Best Novice Brewer' award. The Sponsors of the prizes are listed over page. Beers within a Category will be judged together using the Style guidelines. (See rule 1.)
- 5. Tied placing's will be separated by applying the following criteria in order until a winner is found: a) highest score for "overall impression"; b) highest score for "flavour"; c) smallest spread in total scores (smallest difference between highest and lowest scores); d) the tie stands.
- 6. Champion Beer and Best Novice will be based on the highest number of judging points received for any beer, with rule 5. to be invoked in the event of a tie.
- 7. Best Novice Trophy is open to Victorian entrants who have not placed 1st, 2nd or 3rd in previous VicBrew accredited competitions.
- 8. Presentations for Belgian Beerfest 2010 to be made by 5 pm on Saturday 27 March.

ENTRY FORM - Belgian Beerfest 2010

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Fold page or cut off entry form and attach to bottle with payment and entry details visible, using rubber band only. Organiser use only - entry # Brewer's Name One name only will be registered by Organizers Address (street) Suburb Email Postcode Phone Club Category Style Must be a designated Style for the Category nominated (see over). Bottle Cap ID Name of Brew (optional) Extract Mini Mash/Extract Yeast: OG: FG: with this entry Payment included as part of a bulk payment.

Payment for bulk entries must be enclosed in a single envelope, accompanied by a complete list of Brewers and their Entries.

Categories & Styles for Belgian Beerfest 2010

Full Style Guidelines available at: www.vicbrew.org.au

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Category/Awards	Styles (Beers can only be entered in the listed styles)
1. BELGIAN STRONG ALE	1.1 Belgian Blonde Ale
	1.2 Belgian Strong Golden Ale
	1.3 Tripel
	1.4 Dubbel
	1.5 Belgian Strong Dark Ale
2. FARMHOUSE ALE	2.1 Witbier
	2.2 Saison
	2.3 Biere De Garde
3. WILD BEER	3.1 Flanders Red Ale
	3.2 Flanders Brown Ale/Oud Bruin
	3.3 Straight (unblended) Lambic
	3.4 Gueuze
	3.5 Fruit Lambic
4. CHAMPION BEER OF SHOW	
5. BEST NOVICE BREWER	

ENTRY COLLECTION POINTS







