



GREAT AMERICAN BEER FESTIVAL®

2016 WINNERS LIST

Category 1: American-Style Wheat Beer - 37 Entries

Gold: Tumblewheat, Altitude Chophouse and Brewery, Laramie, WY
Silver: Shredder's Wheat, Barley Brown's Beer, Baker City, OR
Bronze: Flash Bang, Excel Brewing Co., Breese, IL

Category 2: American-Style Wheat Beer With Yeast - 31 Entries

Gold: White Noise, Überbrew, Billings, MT
Silver: Medley of Moods, Gibb's Hundred Brewing Co., Greensboro, NC
Bronze: Boulder Bend Dunkelweizen, Fish Brewing Co., Olympia, WA

Category 3: American-Style Fruit Beer - 106 Entries

Gold: Slingback, High Heel Brewing, St. Louis, MO
Silver: Miss IPPA, Peter B's Brewpub, Monterey, CA
Bronze: Apricot Cream Ale, Vertigo Brewing, Hillsboro, OR

Category 4: Fruit Wheat Beer - 84 Entries

Gold: Mexican Spring, 515 Brewing Co., Clive, IA
Silver: Mango Wheat, Blue Moon Brewing Co., Denver, CO
Bronze: Apricot Hefeweizen, Wasatch Brewery, Salt Lake City, UT

Category 5: Belgian-Style Fruit Beer - 61 Entries

Gold: Apricot Wheat, Wiens Brewing Co./Wiens Family Cellars, Temecula, CA
Silver: Cherry Busey, Sun King Brewing Co., Indianapolis, IN
Bronze: Cerasus, Logsdon Farmhouse Ales, Hood River, OR

Category 6: Pumpkin/Squash Beer - 10 Entries

Bronze: Butt-Ah Nut, BTU Brasserie, Portland, OR

Category 7: Field Beer - 92 Entries

Gold: Imperial Coconut Porter, Maui Brewing Co. - Production, Kihei, HI
Silver: Slam Piece, Coppertail Brewing, Tampa, FL
Bronze: Redbud with Cucumber, Independence Brewing Co., Austin, TX

Category 8: Chili Beer - 112 Entries

Gold: Rocky Mtn Saison, 14er Brewing Co., Denver, CO
Silver: The Contender IPA with Fresh Chilis, Duck Foot Brewing Co., San Diego, CA
Bronze: Vengeance! Jalapeno Cream Ale, Jack Pine Brewery, Baxter, MN

Category 9: Herb and Spice Beer - 114 Entries

Gold: NoDajito, NoDa Brewing Co. - Davidson, Charlotte, NC
Silver: Ginger American Ale, Broken Compass Brewing, Breckenridge, CO
Bronze: 1634 Ale, Brewer's Alley Restaurant & Brewery, Frederick, MD

Category 10: Pumpkin Spice Beer - 39 Entries

Gold: Pump Action Imperial Pumpkin Ale, 4 Noses Brewing Co., Broomfield, CO
Silver: Twisted Gourd, South Street Brewery, Charlottesville, VA
Bronze: 5 Phantoms Pumpkin Spice Barleywine, Philipsburg Brewing Co., Philipsburg, MT

Category 11: Chocolate Beer - 46 Entries

Gold: Chaos, RAM/Big Horn Brewery - Wheeling, Wheeling, IL
Silver: The Ticket Chocolate Beer, ZwanzigZ Brewing, Columbus, IN
Bronze: 4th Gear (4th Anniversary), Kinetic Brewing Co., Lancaster, CA

Category 12: Coffee Beer - 168 Entries

Gold: Gusto Crema, Georgetown Brewing Co., Seattle, WA
Silver: Dusk 'til Dawn - SC, Pizza Port San Clemente, San Clemente, CA
Bronze: Zumar Chocolate Coffee Imperial Stout, New English Brewing Co., San Diego, CA

Category 13: Specialty Beer - 54 Entries

Gold: Campfire Stout, High Water Brewing, Stockton, CA
Silver: Good Conduct, Fieldwork Brewing Co., Berkeley, CA
Bronze: GAZPROM!, Lion Bridge Brewing Co., Cedar Rapids, IA

Category 14: Rye Beer - 81 Entries

Gold: Breakside Rye Curious?, Breakside Brewery, Portland, OR
Silver: Rock-Biter Roggenbier, Hop Dogma Brewing Co., El Granada, CA
Bronze: Runaround Rye Ale, Roundhouse Brewery, Brainerd, MN

Category 15: Honey Beer - 64 Entries

Gold: Jetty Cream Ale, Great South Bay Brewery, Bay Shore, NY
Silver: Spring Fever, FiftyFifty Brewing Co., Truckee, CA
Bronze: Belgian Honey Blonde Ale, No Clue Craft Brewery, Rancho Cucamonga, CA

Category 16: Session Beer - 52 Entries

Gold: PSB Session IPL, Perry Street Brewing Co., Spokane, WA
Silver: Oatmeal Stout, Benchmark Brewing Co., San Diego, CA
Bronze: Slippery When Wit, South Street Brewery, Charlottesville, VA

Category 17: Session India Pale Ale - 118 Entries

Gold: Trump Hands, Cannonball Creek Brewing Co., Golden, CO
Silver: Pace Car Racer, Bear Republic Brewing Co. - Production Facility, Cloverdale, CA
Bronze: Mosaic Session IPA, Karl Strauss Brewing Co. - San Diego, San Diego, CA

Category 18: Other Strong Beer - 46 Entries

Gold: Anodyne Wheat Wine, Revolver Brewing, Granbury, TX
Silver: Black Muddy River, Fat Head's Brewery & Saloon, North Olmsted, OH
Bronze: Muir Woods Coastal Red, Barebottle Brewing Co., San Francisco, CA

Category 19: Experimental Beer - 87 Entries

Gold: Dry Hopped Systema Naturae - Scuppernong & Lily, D9 Brewing Co., Cornelius, NC
Silver: Wineification II, The Bruery, Placencia, CA
Bronze: Oyster Weiss, Scratch Brewing Co., Ava, IL

Category 20: Fresh or Wet Hop Ale - 45 Entries

Gold: Melvin IPA, Melvin Brewing - Jackson, Jackson, WY
Silver: Acequia IPA, Bosque Brewing Co., Albuquerque, NM
Bronze: IBUsive, Fat Head's Brewery & Saloon, North Olmsted, OH

Category 21: Historical Beer - 43 Entries

Gold: Valhalla, El Rancho Brewing, Evergreen, CO
Silver: Grosse Teufel, Hardywood Park Craft Brewery, Richmond, VA
Bronze: Wild & Crazy Rye, BJ's Restaurant & Brewery - Boulder, Boulder, CO

Category 22: Gluten-Free Beer - 37 Entries

Gold: Dark Ale, Ground Breaker Brewing, Portland, OR
Silver: Copperhead, Greenview Brewing, Madison, WI
Bronze: Grapefruit IPA, Ghostfish Brewing Company, Seattle, WA

Category 23: American-Belgo-Style Ale - 70 Entries

Gold: Mischief, The Bruery, Placencia, CA
Silver: #4.5 Hops with Saison Added, Brown Truck Brewery, High Point, NC
Bronze: White Wall Wit, Crank Arm Brewing Co., Raleigh, NC

Category 24: American-Style Sour Ale - 142 Entries

Gold: Queen of Tarts, Karl Strauss Brewing Co. - San Diego, San Diego, CA
Silver: Heart of Gold, Great Notion Brewing, Portland, OR
Bronze: Excommunication, Forte Cerise, Max Lager's Wood-Fired Grill & Brewery, Atlanta, GA

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Category 25: Brett Beer - 53 Entries

Gold: Touch of Brett, Alesong Brewing & Blending, Eugene, OR
Silver: Dreamy Thing, Cerebral Brewing, Denver, CO
Bronze: Brett Saison, Ardent Craft Ales, Richmond, VA

Category 26: Mixed-Culture Brett Beer - 65 Entries

Gold: Fünke Hop Farm, Sudwerk Brewing Co., Davis, CA
Silver: White Label, Almanac Beer Co., San Francisco, CA
Bronze: DAM Wild Marionberry Pink Peppercorn, Flat Tail Brewing Co., Corvallis, OR

Category 27: Wood- and Barrel-Aged Beer - 66 Entries

Gold: Drama Queen, Denver Beer Co. - Canworks, Denver, CO
Silver: Brett Saison, Blackberry Farm Brewery, Walland, TN
Bronze: Rye Robustito, Drake's Brewing Co., San Leandro, CA

Category 28: Wood- and Barrel-Aged Strong Beer - 159 Entries

Gold: Silent Warrior, TAPS Fish House & Brewery - Corona, Corona, CA
Silver: Mélange À Trois, Nebraska Brewing Co. - Papillion, Papillion, NE
Bronze: 15th Anniversary Ale, Island Brewing Co., Carpinteria, CA

Category 29: Wood- and Barrel-Aged Strong Stout - 131 Entries

Gold: Barrel-Aged Darkness, Surly Brewing Co., Brooklyn Center, MN
Silver: The Event Horizon, Olde Hickory Brewery, Hickory, NC
Bronze: Little Nonsense, Verboten Brewing, Loveland, CO

Category 30: Wood- and Barrel-Aged Sour Beer - 64 Entries

Gold: Sour Project Ale, Adirondack Pub and Brewery, Lake George, NY
Silver: Avant-Chard, Historic Brewing Co., Flagstaff, AZ
Bronze: Angelina, Brewery Vivant, Grand Rapids, MI

Category 31: Fruited Wood- and Barrel-Aged Sour Beer - 82 Entries

Gold: Razz-Jerry Tart, BJ's Restaurant & Brewery - Brea, Brea, CA
Silver: Saint Dekkera Reserve Sour Framboise, DESTIHL, Normal, IL
Bronze: Pi, Propolis Brewing, Port Townsend, WA

Category 32: Aged Beer - 40 Entries

Gold: Doc's Scotch Ale, Millersburg Brewing, Millersburg, OH
Silver: Expedition Stout, Bell's Brewery, Inc., Comstock, MI
Bronze: Winter Wheatwine 2007, Rubicon Brewing Company Pub, Sacramento, CA

Category 33: Kellerbier or Zwickelbier - 69 Entries

Gold: Sunnyside Dweller, Ocelot Brewing, Sterling, VA
Silver: Kelly Alt, Snake River Brewing Co., Jackson, WY
Bronze: Pilsner, Marble Brewery, Albuquerque, NM

Category 34: Smoke Beer - 65 Entries

Gold: Raucher, Wolverine State Brewing Co., Ann Arbor, MI
Silver: Cowboy Curtis, Arts District Brewing Co., Los Angeles, CA
Bronze: Croydon Is Burning, Neshaminy Creek Brewing Co., Croydon, PA

Category 35: American-Style or International-Style Pilsener - 66 Entries

Gold: Robot Crush, Aeronaut Brewing Co., Somerville, MA
Silver: Pelicano Extra!, Pelican Brewing Co., Tillamook, OR
Bronze: Mexican Logger, SKA Brewing, Durango, CO

Category 36: American-Style Light Lager or German-Style Light Lager - 21 Entries

Gold: #10 American Lager, Brown Truck Brewery, High Point, NC
Silver: Lightner Creek Lager, Carver Brewing Co., Durango, CO
Bronze: Coors Light, Coors Brewing Co., Golden, CO

Category 37: American-Style Lager or Ice Lager or Malt Liquor - 34 Entries

Gold: Pabst Blue Ribbon (PBR), Pabst Brewing Co., Los Angeles, CA
Silver: Coors Banquet, Coors Brewing Co., Golden, CO
Bronze: Lager, Craft Brew Alliance - Omission, Portland, OR

Category 38: American-Style Cream Ale - 65 Entries

Gold: El Sully, 21st Amendment Brewery, San Leandro, CA
Silver: Old Style Lager, Pabst Brewing Co., Los Angeles, CA
Bronze: Broadway Light, Detroit Beer Co., Detroit, MI

Category 39: American-Style Amber Lager or Dark Lager - 108 Entries

Gold: Casa Azul, El Segundo Brewing Co., El Segundo, CA
Silver: Tragedy of the Commons, Iowa Brewing Co., Cedar Rapids, IA
Bronze: Lighter Than I Look, Figueroa Mountain Brewing - Buellton, Buellton, CA

Category 40: German-Style Pilsener - 115 Entries

Gold: Industry, The Austin Beer Garden Brewing Co., Austin, TX
Silver: Bosque Lager, Bosque Brewing Co., Albuquerque, NM
Bronze: Lokahi Pilsner, Kohola Brewery, Lahaina, HI

Category 41: Bohemian-Style Pilsener - 62 Entries

Gold: Sweet Ride, Bagby Beer Co., Oceanside, CA
Silver: Polaris Pilsner, Chainline Brewing Co., Kirkland, WA
Bronze: Torch Pilsner, Foothills Brewing Co., Winston-Salem, NC

Category 42: Munich-Style Helles - 84 Entries

Gold: Chuckanut Helles, Chuckanut Brewery, Bellingham, WA
Silver: Helles, Dry Dock Brewing Co. - South Dock, Aurora, CO
Bronze: Hell Yes, The Austin Beer Garden Brewing Co., Austin, TX

Category 43: Dortmund or German-Style Oktoberfest - 46 Entries

Gold: Dortmund Mifflin, Emmett's Tavern & Brewing Co. - Palatine, Palatine, IL
 Silver: Longboard Island Lager, Craft Brew Alliance - Kona Brewery, Kailua-Kona, HI
 Bronze: Figtoberfest, Figueroa Mountain Brewing - Westlake Village, Westlake Village, CA

Category 44: Vienna-Style Lager - 67 Entries

Gold: Vienna Lager, Devils Backbone Brewing Co. - Outpost Production Facility, Lexington, VA
 Silver: 13.FIVE Ofest, Blue Mountain Barrel House and Organic Brewery, Arrington, VA
 Bronze: Churchville Lager, Neshaminy Creek Brewing Co., Croydon, PA

Category 45: German-Style Maerzen - 79 Entries

Gold: Zirkustfest Oktoberfest Lager, Hi-Wire Brewing - Big Top Production Facility, Asheville, NC
 Silver: Seven Bridges, Jekyll Brewing, Alpharetta, GA
 Bronze: Fruhauf Oktoberfest, Pollyanna Brewing Co., Lemont, IL

Category 46: European-Style Dark Lager/Munich-Style Dunkel - 38 Entries

Gold: I Dunkled in My Pants, Figueroa Mountain Brewing - Buellton, Buellton, CA
 Silver: Piney Ridge Dunkel, Front Range Brewing Co., Lafayette, CO
 Bronze: Prunkle's Dunkle, Horse Thief Hollow Brewery, Chicago, IL

Category 47: German-Style Schwarzbier - 47 Entries

Gold: General Schwarz, Central Coast Brewing Co., San Luis Obispo, CA
 Silver: Alternate Present, Fiction Beer Co., Denver, CO
 Bronze: Once You Go Schwarz..., Figueroa Mountain Brewing - Arroyo Grande, Arroyo Grande, CA

Category 48: Bock - 36 Entries

Gold: Breakline Bock, Rip Current Brewery, San Marcos, CA
 Silver: Numbskull, Swamp Rabbit Brewery & Taproom, Travelers Rest, SC
 Bronze: Bridge Street Bock, Iron Hill Brewery & Restaurant - Phoenixville, Phoenixville, PA

Category 49: German-Style Doppelbock or Eisbock - 29 Entries

Gold: Warning Sign, Rockyard American Grill & Brewing Co., Castle Rock, CO
 Silver: Frankenwald Eisbock, ZwanzigZ Brewing, Columbus, IN
 Bronze: Apocalyptinator, Nevin's Brewing Co., Plainfield, IL

Category 50: Baltic-Style Porter - 41 Entries

Gold: Danzig, Devils Backbone Brewing Co. - Basecamp, Roseland, VA
 Silver: Dark Reckoning, Morgan Territory Brewing, Tracy, CA
 Bronze: Siberian Silk, La Cumbre Brewing Co., Albuquerque, NM

Category 51: Golden or Blonde Ale - 115 Entries

Gold: Kirby, Echo Brewing Co., Frederick, CO
 Silver: Miss Conduct, Moonraker Brewing Co., Auburn, CA
 Bronze: German Blonde Ale, Bemidji Brewing Co., Bemidji, MN

Category 52: German-Style Koelsch - 111 Entries

Gold: Light of Cologne, Orner Beer Co., Woodbridge, VA
 Silver: Vacation, Daredevil Brewing Co., Indianapolis, IN
 Bronze: Lú, Solemn Oath Brewery, Naperville, IL

Category 53: English-Style Summer Ale - 68 Entries

Gold: Hometown Blonde, RAM/Big Horn Brewery - Lakewood, Lakewood, WA
 Silver: Ridgway Blonde, Colorado Boy Pub & Brewery, Ridgway, CO
 Bronze: Liquid AC, Karl Strauss Brewing Co. - La Jolla, La Jolla, CA

Category 54: Classic English-Style Pale Ale - 38 Entries

Gold: Extra Pale Ale, Summit Brewing Co., Saint Paul, MN
 Silver: Breakside ESB, Breakside Brewery, Portland, OR
 Bronze: HopFish IPA, Flying Fish Brewing Co., Somerdale, NJ

Category 55: English-Style India Pale Ale - 43 Entries

Gold: Gatecrasher, Temperance Beer Co., Evanston, IL
 Silver: Face Plant, Lost Rhino Brewing Co., Ashburn, VA
 Bronze: Live Wire, Roak Brewing Co., Royal Oak, MI

Category 56: Australian-Style or International-Style Pale Ale - 90 Entries

Gold: Drop Bear Australian Pale Ale, Lynnwood Brewing Concern, Raleigh, NC
 Silver: Mai Tai P.A., Alvarado Street Brewery, Salinas, CA
 Bronze: Breakside Lunch Break ISA, Breakside Brewery & Taproom, Milwaukie, OR

Category 57: American-Style Pale Ale - 157 Entries

Gold: Stick's Pale Ale, Bootstrap Brewing Co., Niwot, CO
 Silver: Monterey Street, Central Coast Brewing Co., San Luis Obispo, CA
 Bronze: The Charlatan, Maplewood Brewery, Chicago, IL

Category 58: American-Style Strong Pale Ale - 169 Entries

Gold: Good Green, Highland Park Brewery, Los Angeles, CA
 Silver: Rippin, Sunriver Brewing, Sunriver, OR
 Bronze: HFS, Alpine Beer Co., San Diego, CA

Category 59: American-Style India Pale Ale - 312 Entries

Gold: Bodhizafa IPA, Georgetown Brewing Co., Seattle, WA
 Silver: Super Cali IPA, Riip Beer Co., Huntington Beach, CA
 Bronze: Breaking Bud, Knee Deep Brewing Co., Auburn, CA

Category 60: Imperial India Pale Ale - 211 Entries

Gold: Humulus Insani, Überbrew, Billings, MT
 Silver: Nobility, Noble Ale Works, Anaheim, CA
 Bronze: Hop JuJu Imperial IPA, Fat Head's Brewery, Middleburg Heights, OH

Category 61: American-Style Amber/Red Ale - 114 Entries

Gold: Ole Prospector Red Ale, BNS Brewing & Distilling Co., Santee, CA
 Silver: Better Off Red, Vintage Brewing Co., Madison, WI
 Bronze: Sabre-Toothed Squirrel, Smog City Brewing Co., Torrance, CA

Category 62: Double Red Ale - 78 Entries

Gold: The Red Glove, Boxing Bear Brewing Co., Albuquerque, NM
 Silver: Average at Best, Überbrew, Billings, MT
 Bronze: RIPA, Carson's Brewery, Evansville, IN

Category 63: Imperial Red Ale - 62 Entries

Gold: Paradoxes Red Imperial IPA, Raised Grain Brewing Co., Waukesha, WI
 Silver: reDANKulous - Backstage Series, Founders Brewing Co., Grand Rapids, MI
 Bronze: Wreak Havoc, Bootstrap Brewing Co., Niwot, CO

Category 64: English-Style Mild Ale - 44 Entries

Gold: Workman's Compensation, Lion Bridge Brewing Co., Cedar Rapids, IA
 Silver: Saddle Bronc Brown, Black Tooth Brewing Co., Sheridan, WY
 Bronze: Old Town Brown, Auburn Alehouse, Auburn, CA

Category 65: Ordinary or Special Bitter - 39 Entries

Gold: DBA (Double Barrel Ale), Firestone Walker Brewing Co., Paso Robles, CA
 Silver: Drop Top Amber Ale, Craft Brew Alliance - Widmer, Portland, OR
 Bronze: Special Bitter, Redwood Curtain Brewing Co., Arcata, CA

Category 66: Extra Special Bitter - 71 Entries

Gold: Redfeather, Black Raven Brewing Co., Redmond, WA
 Silver: Red Fish, Flying Fish Brewing Co., Somerdale, NJ
 Bronze: Mother Earth ESB, Mother Earth Brew Co., Vista, CA

Category 67: Scottish-Style Ale - 46 Entries

Gold: White Street Scottish Ale, White Street Brewing Co., Wake Forest, NC
 Silver: Scottish Ale, Two Kilts Brewing, Sherwood, OR
 Bronze: McGreagor Scottish Ale, Kootenai River Brewing Co., Bonners Ferry, ID

Category 68: Irish-Style Red Ale - 80 Entries

Gold: Highlander Devil's Hump Red Ale, Missoula Brewing Co., Missoula, MT
 Silver: St. James Irish Red Ale, Glenwood Canyon Brewing Co., Glenwood Springs, CO
 Bronze: Riley's Irish Red, The Packinghouse Brewing Co., Riverside, CA

Category 69: English-Style Brown Ale - 47 Entries

Gold: Tri-Town Brown, Echo Brewing Cask and Barrel, Erie, CO
 Silver: Sir Williams, Grapevine Craft Brewery, Grapevine, TX
 Bronze: Not Brown, CooperSmith's Pub & Brewing, Fort Collins, CO

Category 70: American-Style Brown Ale - 84 Entries

Gold: Brown, Culture Brewing Co., Solana Beach, CA
 Silver: Upslope Brown Ale, Upslope Brewing Co. - Flatiron Park, Boulder, CO
 Bronze: Face Down Brown, Telluride Brewing Co., Telluride, CO

Category 71: American-Style Black Ale - 61 Entries

Gold: Once You Go, Lynnwood Brewing Concern - Production Facility, Raleigh, NC
 Silver: Midnight Moonlight, Fat Head's Brewery, Middleburg Heights, OH
 Bronze: Alpha Force Double Tap, Überbrew, Billings, MT

Category 72: German-Style Sour Ale - 141 Entries

Gold: Gose, Reuben's Brews, Seattle, WA
 Silver: Gose, Kulshan Brewing Co., Bellingham, WA
 Bronze: Farmers Market Citrus Gose, Sudwerk Brewing Co., Davis, CA

Category 73: German-Style Altbier - 57 Entries

Gold: Little Red Cap, Grimm Brothers Brewhouse, Loveland, CO
 Silver: Deep Roots, Red Cypress Brewery, Winter Springs, FL
 Bronze: On-Sight Alt, Hutton & Smith Brewing Co., Chattanooga, TN

Category 74: South German-Style Hefeweizen - 111 Entries

Gold: Windanse Wheat, Karl Strauss Brewing Co. - San Diego, San Diego, CA
 Silver: Weißbier, Prost Brewing, Denver, CO
 Bronze: Shotgun Betty, Lonerider Brewing Co., Raleigh, NC

Category 75: German-Style Wheat Ale - 33 Entries

Gold: AlpenGlow, Fat Head's Brewery & Saloon, North Olmsted, OH
 Silver: Slam Dunkel, Steamworks Brewing Co., Durango, CO
 Bronze: Küsterer Original Weissbier, Cedar Springs Brewing Co., Cedar Springs, MI

Category 76: Belgian-Style Blonde Ale or Pale Ale - 61 Entries

Gold: Solid Gold, Cannonball Creek Brewing Co., Golden, CO
 Silver: Lunatic, Wicked Weed Brewing - Asheville, Asheville, NC
 Bronze: Sunken Road, Spencer Devon Brewing, Fredericksburg, VA

Category 77: Belgian-Style Witbier - 85 Entries

Gold: Ommegang Witte Ale, Brewery Ommegang, Cooperstown, NY
 Silver: Wit's End Ale, Great American Restaurants - Sweetwater Tavern, Centerville, VA
 Bronze: Witbier, Community Beer Co., Dallas, TX

Category 78: Classic Saison - 88 Entries

Gold: Achtertuin Seizoen Farmhouse Ale, The Post Brewing Co., Lafayette, CO
 Silver: Meriwether, Perennial Artisan Ales, St. Louis, MO
 Bronze: Saison, Baere Brewing Co., Denver, CO

Category 79: Specialty Saison - 92 Entries

Gold: Six Finger Sam Saison, Two Rivers Brewing Co., Easton, PA
 Silver: #4 Saison, Brown Truck Brewery, High Point, NC
 Bronze: Creme de Peche, The Commons Brewery, Portland, OR

Category 80: Belgian- and French-Style Ale - 27 Entries

Gold: Domaine DuPage, Two Brothers Brewing Co., Warrenville, IL
 Silver: Swingin' Single, Piece Brewery, Chicago, IL
 Bronze: Antonym, 2SP Brewing Co., Aston, PA

Category 81: Belgian-Style Lambic or Sour Ale - 74 Entries

Gold: Hexotic, Two Roads Brewing Co., Stratford, CT
 Silver: Chaos is a Friend of Mine, Beachwood Blendery, Long Beach, CA
 Bronze: Roes Red, Pure Project, San Diego, CA

Category 82: Belgian-Style Dubbel or Quadrupel - 63 Entries

Gold: Abbey Dubbel, Elm City Brewing Co., Keene, NH
 Silver: Responsibly, Nebraska Brewing Co. - Papillion, Papillion, NE
 Bronze: Flyin' Monks, Adelbert's Brewery, Austin, TX

Category 83: Belgian-Style Tripel - 92 Entries

Gold: Allagash Tripel, Allagash Brewing Co., Portland, ME
 Silver: PDA, Black Bottle Brewery, Fort Collins, CO
 Bronze: Tripel Dog Dare, Big Dog's Brewing Co., Las Vegas, NV

Category 84: Belgian-Style Strong Specialty Ale - 70 Entries

Gold: Old Split-Foot, Broken Bow Brewery, Tuckahoe, NY
 Silver: Monk in Public, Maize Valley Craft Brewery, Hartsville, OH
 Bronze: Treachery, 12Degree Brewing, Louisville, CO

Category 85: Other Belgian-Style Ale - 31 Entries

Gold: Blond, Copper Kettle Brewing Co., Denver, CO
 Silver: Standard Issue, Central Standard Brewing, Wichita, KS
 Bronze: Petite Classique, The Commons Brewery, Portland, OR

Category 86: Brown Porter - 61 Entries

Gold: FivePine Chocolate Porter, Three Creeks Production, Sisters, OR
 Silver: Black Shack Porter, Wachusett Brewing Co., Westminster, MA
 Bronze: Porter, Back East Brewing, Bloomfield, CT

Category 87: Robust Porter - 94 Entries

Gold: Tabula Rasa Toasted Porter, Second Chance Beer Co., San Diego, CA
 Silver: Shallow Grave, Heretic Brewing Co., Fairfield, CA
 Bronze: Point Reyes Porter, Marin Brewing Co., Larkspur, CA

Category 88: Classic Irish-Style Dry Stout - 41 Entries

Gold: Big Drought Stout, Solid Rock Brewing, Spicewood, TX
 Silver: Love Stout, Yards Brewing Co., Philadelphia, PA
 Bronze: Bangin The Mash, Latitude 42° Brewing Co., Portage, MI

Category 89: Export Stout - 43 Entries

Gold: Dirty Frank Stout, River's Edge Brewing Co., Milford, MI
 Silver: Fade to Black, Volume 1, Left Hand Brewing Co., Longmont, CO
 Bronze: Starway Stout, Barrel Mountain Brewing, Battle Ground, WA

Category 90: American-Style Stout - 55 Entries

Gold: P2P, 10 Barrel Brewing Co., Bend, OR
 Silver: Black Cliffs, Boise Brewing, Boise, ID
 Bronze: The Volcanist, Societe Brewing Co., San Diego, CA

Category 91: Sweet Stout or Cream Stout - 71 Entries

Gold: Chocolate Milk Stout, Boxing Bear Brewing Co., Albuquerque, NM
 Silver: Duck-Rabbit Milk Stout, Duck-Rabbit Craft Brewery, Farmville, NC
 Bronze: Good Moeed Milk Stout, Railtown Brewing Co., Dutton, MI

Category 92: Oatmeal Stout - 61 Entries

Gold: Sless' Oatmeal Stout, Iron Springs Pub & Brewery, Fairfax, CA
 Silver: Backside Stout, Steamworks Brewing Co., Durango, CO
 Bronze: Feelin' Your Oats, SLO Brew, San Luis Obispo, CA

Category 93: Imperial Stout - 91 Entries

Gold: The Russian, 2SP Brewing Co., Aston, PA
 Silver: Gatling Gun Imperial Stout, BNS Brewing & Distilling Co., Santee, CA
 Bronze: Iron Triangle Jawbone, Iron Triangle Brewing Co., Los Angeles, CA

Category 94: Scotch Ale - 76 Entries

Gold: Real Heavy, Real Ale Brewing Co., Blanco, TX
 Silver: Oh My Daryl'n!, Revelry Brewing Co., Charleston, SC
 Bronze: Going Plaid, Fifty West Brewing Co., Cincinnati, OH

Category 95: Old Ale or Strong Ale - 38 Entries

Gold: Irish Walker, Olde Hickory Brewery, Hickory, NC
 Silver: COLOSSAL FIVE, Port City Brewing Co., Alexandria, VA
 Bronze: Old Silenus Ale, Migration Brewing Co., Portland, OR

Category 96: Barley Wine-Style Ale - 60 Entries

Gold: AleSmith Old Numbskull, AleSmith Brewing Co., San Diego, CA
 Silver: Barley Wine Ale, Dick's Brewing Co., Centralia, WA
 Bronze: Toad Choker Barley Wine, Nine-Band Brewing Co., Allen, TX

Great American Beer Festival Pro-Am Competition - 88 Entries Sponsored by Briess Malt & Ingredients Co., The Country Malt Group, Yakima Chief-Hopunion and White Labs

Gold: Just Rye'te, Panther Island Brewing Co., Fort Worth, TX
 Brewmaster Panther Island Brewing, AHA Member Clifton Ellis
 Silver: Vernal Equinox, Starr Hill Brewery, Crozet, VA
 Brewmaster Starr Hill Brewing Team, AHA Member Gary Layton
 Bronze: The Kolsch Experiment, Altitude Chophouse and Brewery, Laramie, WY
 Brewmaster Jesse Brown, AHA Member Shawn Miller