**SRB Brewer of the Year**

**Points Accumulation Process**

***CONTEST TYPES AND POINT ASSIGNMENTS***

**1. AHA or BJCP authorized competition or event:**

* Best of Show 100 pts
* Runner Up (BOS) 50 pts
* 1st Place (Style/Category) 50 pts
* 2nd Place (Style/Category) 40 pts
* 3rd Place (Style/Category) 30 pts

**2. Brewery Contest (Style 1):**

Each participant brews and submits a beer (sours excluded) at the monthly meeting at the brewery. The brewery picks the winning beer which is then scaled up, brewed, and put on tap. Unless conditions are deemed a safety risk, the winning contestant gets to assist the Brewer. This contest is subject to scheduling arrangements agreed upon with the brewery.

* Winning recipe 50 pts + Assists the Brewer + Bragging Rights

**3. Brewery Contest (Style 2):**

The brewery picks a style or provides a recipe. Each participant brews and submits the chosen beer. The brewery picks their favorite.

* 1st Choice 30 pts
* Runner-up 20 pts

**4. Inter-Club Contest:**

Participants brew and submit entries to be blind judged by our club’s BJCP certified judges. Contest specifics will vary but guidelines will be provided well in advance.

All entries will conform to BJCP entry requirements (e.g., number of entries, bottle size, markings, etc.). Only entries receiving an average score of 21 or more will receive points.

* Outstanding (45 – 50) 40 pts
* Excellent (38 – 44) 30 pts
* Very Good (30 – 37) 20 pts
* Good (21 – 29) 10 pts

**5. Monthly Meeting Bottleshare, Members’ Favorite (open style):**

Any member who brings a homebrew to the monthly meeting may enter the contest. Each attending member can vote for their favorite beer that month and winners will be selected by popular vote.

* 1st Place 20 pts
* 2nd Place 15 pts
* 3rd Place 10 pts

6. **Educational No Contest Brews:**

Any member who participates in a brewing activity linked to an Education segment will get points to encourage volunteers. This could include a SMASH activity where a handful of participants use the same malt and yeast but get a different hop, or a Style activity where participants get the same recipe but a different yeast, etc.).

* Participation 15 pts

**7. Seasonal and Experimental Bottleshare, Members’ Favorite (per theme):**

Any member who brings a homebrew within the monthly style or theme to the meeting may enter the contest. Each attending member can vote for their favorite beer that month and winners will be selected by popular vote.

* 1st Place 20 pts
* 2nd Place 15 pts
* 3rd Place 10 pts

**8. Big Brew and Learn to Brew Days:**

* Participation 15 pts

***ANNUAL AWARDS***

**A. Brewer of the Year:**

All points are tallied up at the end of the year and the member accumulating the most points is awarded Brewer of the Year.

**B. Most Prolific Brewer:**

Considering everyone brews on a different size system there are two separate categories for this award; most gallons and most batches.

* ***Das Meiste Bier Award***: Member who brews the most gallons in the year.
* ***Die Meisten Biere Award***: Member who brews the most batches in the year.

*Winners will be announced and awards presented at the annual Club Christmas Party*.