



Western Idaho Fair Amateur Beer Competition

Organized by Snake River Brewers

How to Enter

- Register or log into your existing account at idbeer.org.
- Fill out an Entry Form for each submission before 8/5/2023.
- Bottle and drop off your submissions. Please visit idbeer.org for specific bottling and drop off instructions. Final day for drop off is 8/6/2023.

Competition Overview

- This competition is open to all categories using the BJCP 2021 Beer Style Guidelines and 2015 Mead and Cider Style Guidelines. Guidelines found here: [BJCP Style Guidelines](#).
- Competition is AHA sanctioned and open to any amateur homebrewer age 21 or older.
- Judging for the Western Idaho Fair Homebrew Contest will take place 8/12/2023
- The First-place beers in each major category will advance to the Best of Show.

Beer of The Year

Hosted by Sockeye Brewing

- The Beer of the Year Award will also be selected from the Best of Show beers by Sockeye Brewing and Western Idaho Fair.
- Sockeye Brewing will partner with the winning contestant to commercially brew and bottle the recipe to be sold at the 2024 Fair as the official "2024 Beer of the Year".
- To qualify for the Beer of the Year Award, contestants must live within the greater Treasure Valley area. Submission categories are limited to: 1A. American Light Lager, 1B. American Lager, 1C. Cream Ale, 1D. American Wheat Beer, 2A. International Pale Lager, 2B. International Amber Lager, 18A. Blonde Ale, 18B. American Pale Ale, 19A. American Amber Ale, 21A. American IPA, 29. Fruit Beer (A. B. C.), 30A. Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer, 30B. Autumn Seasonal Beer.

