

February 2017 Brewkettle



MBAA District St. Louis News



RSVP Reminder:

Meeting: February 16th, 2017

Location: O'Fallon Brewery

Happy Hour: 5:00 pm

Meeting: 5:30 pm

Dinner 6:15 pm

45 Progress Pkwy



Our February meeting will feature Roy Johnson, National Sales Manager at John I. Haas, Inc. Roy is currently the National MBAA President. His presentation will be on the state of the hop industry and the 2016 hop harvest.

**Please RSVP for our Meeting
by Monday, February 13th, 2017**

[http://www.mbaastl.com/index.php/meetings-
events](http://www.mbaastl.com/index.php/meetings-events)



January Speaker

Our January event was held at Anheuser-Busch InBev. It featured a technical presentation by Travis Audet, Zone Technical Expert in Brewing for Anheuser-Busch InBev. He discussed lauter tun factors that affect extract efficiency as well as innovative approaches to the operation of lauter tuns and resulting improvements in performance. We would like to extend our thanks to Travis for presenting and Anheuser-Busch for hosting and sponsoring the event.

February Speaker – Roy Johnson

The technical speaker this month will be Roy Johnson, National Sales Manager at John I. Haas, Inc. Roy is currently the National MBAA President. His presentation will be on the state of the hop industry and the 2016 hop harvest.

Membership

Please welcome our newest member(s):

Carlos Chaparro – Anheuser-Busch InBev
Brandt Stewart – Student
Elliott Pennington – Rockwell Automation
Margaret Mackie – Anheuser-Busch InBev
Emily Pownall – Schlafly, The Saint Louis Brewery
Randy Rackley – For Your Convenience
Elizabeth Zaseck-Hughes – Anheuser-Busch InBev
Brian Woltkamp – Blefa Kegs, Inc.

Scholarship

District St Louis Scholarship:

This scholarship can be awarded for further education in brewing, to include but not limited to college courses and certifications.

Email Marc Gottfried (lagerbrewer@gmail.com) to apply or get more information on scholarships.

Future Meetings & Upcoming Events

Signup for these events on our website: <http://www.mbaastl.com/index.php/meetings-events>

We are still looking for sponsors for these events. If you are interested in sponsoring a meeting please contact Brad Miller (mbaa@frenchgerleman.com). You can also sponsor a meeting directly from the event registration site by clicking the “Meeting Sponsor” box under the Additional Options section.

February 16, 2017	O’Fallon Brewery
March 16, 2017	Urban Chestnut Brewing Company (UCBC) – Grove
April 20, 2017	TBD

Local Events

If you have any local news or events you’d like to share, please contact Courtney Kaiser (Courtney.Kaiser@anheuser-busch.com).

- Science on Tap – St. Louis Science Center – February 11
- Centennial Beer Festival – Moulin Events - Feb 16-18
- 11th Anniversary Special Release Party – Square One Brewery and Distillery – February 22
- 9th Annual FestivAle – Craft Beer Tasting Event – Delmar Hall – March 4

Local News

Interested District St. Louis members are invited to the February meeting of ISA (The International Society of Automation) featuring District member Brian Owens and the O'Fallon Brewery!

Date: Tuesday, Feb. 21

Time: 5:15pm - 7:00pm

Location: O'Fallon Brewery
45 Progress Parkway
Maryland Heights, MO 63043

Topic: Automating a Manual Process - How, When & Why featuring O'Fallon Brewery as a Case Study
Host/Presenter(s): Ryan Williams, Stone Technologies & Brian Owens, O'Fallon Brewery

Dinner and drinks will be provided.

ISA Members: \$20

Non-Members: \$25

Register: <http://isastl.org/index.php/en/isastl-events>

Other News:

- A handful of our own St. Louis MBAA breweries have made the list of "Best Brewers In The World". They can be found here: <https://www.ratebeer.com/ratebeerbest/BestBrewers-World2017.asp>
 - Boulevard Brewing Company (Duvel-Moortgat)
 - Goose Island Beer Company (AB-InBev)
 - Perennial Artisan Ales
 - Schlafly, Saint Louis Brewery
 - Side Project Brewing
- Schlafly has made the list for "Best Places for Beer by Subregion" for 2016. Read more here: <https://www.ratebeer.com/ratebeerbest/BestPlaces-State2017.asp>
- Fitz's and O'Fallon Brewery teamed up to create a Hard Key Lime Beverage. Read more at <http://www.stltoday.com/>

Available Job Opportunities

If you have any local jobs you want to share, you can submit job openings online on the Job Board page or contact MBAA at webmaster@mbaastl.com