

March 2017 Brewkettle

 **MBAA District St. Louis News** 



RSVP Reminder:

Meeting: March 16th, 2017

Location: Urban Chestnut

Grove Brewery & Bierhall

Happy Hour: 5:00 pm

Meeting: 5:30 pm

Dinner 6:00 pm

Beverages are included in registration until 6:30 pm

4465 Manchester Avenue



Our March meeting will feature Kurt Driesner, Quality Assurance Manager at Urban Chestnut. His presentation will be an update from 2016 on the IBU, pH, dry-hopping, ABV, and perceived bitterness.

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

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



February Speaker

Our February event was held at O'Fallon Brewery. It featured a technical presentation by Roy Johnson, National Sales Manager at John I. Haas, Inc. Roy is currently the National MBAA President. His presentation was on the state of the hop industry and the 2016 hop harvest. We would like to extend our thanks to Roy for presenting and O'Fallon for hosting the event.

March Speaker – Kurt Driesner

The technical speaker this month will be Kurt Driesner, Quality Assurance Manager at Urban Chestnut. His presentation will be an update from 2016 on the IBU, pH, dry-hopping, ABV, and perceived bitterness. McHenry Automation is a sponsor for the event this month.

Membership

Please welcome our newest member(s):
Chris Wahl – Stone Technologies

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.

March 16, 2017
April 20, 2017

Urban Chestnut Brewing Company (UCBC) – Grove
4 Hands Brewing Co.

Local Events

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

- Stout and Oyster Fest – Schlafly Tap Room – March 10-11
- Beer and Chocolate Pairing – Larder & Cupboard – March 10
- Bixby's Beer Dinner featuring Griesedieck Bros – Bixby's – March 28
- 6th Annual Lupulin Carnival by 4 Hands Brewing Co– Union Station – April 1

Local News

- Anheuser-Busch expands Best Damn hard soda lineup and add first TV commercial. Read more at <http://www.stltoday.com/>
- 4 Hands Brewing Co. enlists Peacemaker's Kevin Nashan for new food program. Read more at <https://www.stlmag.com/dining/4-hands-and-kevin-nashan/>
- Good News Brewing Co to open in O'Fallon in June. Read more at http://www.feastmagazine.com/the-feed/st_louis_news/article_1eea466a-ddc6-11e6-91e0-c3e33627d351.html

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