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OCTOBER MEETING & BIG BREW

The next meeting is in conjunction with the Big Brew on Sat., October 7 at Doug Finke's, 1601 SW 50th Street (take West A Street to SW 50th, then south about a block, and it's on the west side of the street).

Dave and Bob will do another big mash on the big system and transfer the wort to Doug's. They talked about doing a pale wort so everyone can do their own thing with the yeast and hops.

Doug also wants to start early and do a 30 gallon batch of something, and he will let people buy into that batch as well.

We are looking to have the wort ready by noon. Come out and get set up in the late morning.

Lunch and supper will be shared. Doug will be grilling hamburgers and hot dogs for lunch, and have smoked pork loin for supper. Please bring a good dish to share with everyone.

There is still some wort available so let Dave know if you're interested.

BEER QUEST

The next Beer Quest is going to be Winter beers. As always, this should make for another interesting contest. There is a nice mix of new and returning brewers for this one.

More information is available at: www. empyreanbrewingco.com

Also, the following contest will be lagers and will be announced a little earlier than normal, sometime in October.





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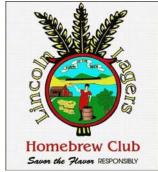


BEER STYLES

Beer styles for next year's inter-club competition include:

German Pilsner
Bohemian Pilsner
Classic Am Pilsner Mild Ale
Southern & Northern Brown Ale
British IPA
American IPA
Imperial IPA
Wood Aged Beers
BDB

We should be getting a date for this soon. We will discuss our preliminary round in the near future.



SEPTEMBER PICNIC NOTES

We had a nice turnout for the picnic. Everyone enjoyed the warm weather, company, homebrew and smoked meat. The potluck spread was great and Shawn Suhr brought homemade honey ice cream for floats. The hops were just about toast by then, and the mead contest took a back seat to the Husker game.

STROKE FOUNDATION OKTOBERFEST

Thursday, October 12 at the Lancaster Events Center, Lincoln.

Always a good time for a good cause.

If you know someone who is not getting the newsletter please let me know. We are working on getting the list updated and automated through our website. Thanks to Brian Allison for setting up the newsletter so it can be sent automatically through his server. This will also make it super easy to maintain our mailing list. He took the time to input everyone's email address! Also, thanks again to Brian and Dave Meister for all the time and effort they have put in to the web site. If you would like to add a name or be removed from the list, send an email to news-subscribe@lincolnlagers.com.

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Dues are \$25 per year and include the monthly newsletter. You may join or renew at the next meeting. Be sure to include your e-mail address and phone number.

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