

# Our Beer On Jap!

# YEAR ROUND FAVORITES



#### Weiss Nix Weissbier

A classic unfiltered Bavarian-style wheat beer, with an inviting fruity/ spicy aroma reminiscent of banana, citrus, and clove. 14 IBUs 5.3% abv



### McLovin Irish Red Ale

Our famous red ale boasts a deep copper color and smooth, toasty caramel malt character, with just a touch of roasted barley in the finish for an exceptionally easy-drinking pint. 21 IBUs 5.3% abv

Bronze Medal - 2012 World Beer Cup® Silver Medal - 2014 World Beer Cup®



#### Woodshed Oaked IPA

Our flagship beer walks the line between tradition and invention. Inviting floral/citrus hop aromas and vanillin-rich French oak notes accent this perfectly balanced, distinctive India pale ale.

65 IBUs 6.5% abv



### Mosasaur IPA 😭

We make gratuitous use of Mosaic hops, noted for tropical, citrus, and berry fruit notes in this India pale ale. Bitterness is mellow, hop flavor is abundant.

68 IBUs 6.9% abv

Honored as one of Top 3 Wisconsin IPAs at the 2017 Wisconsin IPA Fest!



#### Sister Golden Kölsch

Crisp and refreshing German-style golden ale, with classic malt character and just a kiss of noble hops. Uncomplicated and easy-drinking.

20 IBUs 4.9% abv



### Scaredy Cat Oatmeal Stout

A hearty and full-bodied dark beer with rich malt flavors of molasses, cocoa, caramel, and espresso.

30 IBUs 6.3% abv

Gold Medal - 2016 World Beer Cup® Silver Medal - 2016 Best of Craft Beer Awards Bronze Medal - 2018 Best of Craft Beer Awards Bronze Medal - 2015 Great American Beer Festival®



#### Dedication Abbey 'Extra' Dubbel

Brewed in the tradition of the Trappist brewing monks of Belgium- featuring aromas of stone fruit, ginger, anise, & raisins & a bold, complex depth of malt flavor. 18 IBUs 9.2% abv

Gold Medal - 2016 Best of Craft Beer Awards Silver Medal - 2018 Best of Craft Beer Awards

# SELECT ANY OF OUR BEERS FOR A SAMPLE FLIGHT!





#### Sauk Hop Pale Ale

We brew this classic old-school pale ale with 100% local Wisconsin-grown Cascade, Centennial and Nugget hops, including hops from our family farms in rural Sauk County. Mildly hoppy and well-balanced, taste the local bounty! 38 IBUs 5.7% abv



#### Butternut Road Brown Ale

Flavorful American-style brown ale with malty notes of toffee, chocolate, and hazelnut and mild citrus hop aromas. Named for a beautiful stretch of meandering country road which some of us think of as home. 35 IBUs 6.4% abv



#### Higher Grounds Coffee Stout

Cold-conditioned on fair trade Sumatran beans from John Joseph roasters in Prairie du Sac, this robust dark ale boasts inviting, distinctive coffee aromas and a bold, roasty flavor. 27 IBUs 5.7% abv



# Sauk Ness Monster 😭

Our Wee Heavy wields an awesome depth of caramelized malt sweetness, sneaky strength and a satisfying full-bodied finish. *Keep an eye on the River- she's out there somewhere!* 

24 IBUs 7.7% abv

Silver Medal - 2011 Great American Beer Festival®



#### **Cherry Bluff** Fruited Sour Ale

Carefully blended sour ale with a touch of spice and just the right balance of juicy sweet/ tart cherry flavor. 14 IBUs 5.6% abv

#### MacCloud Smoked Scottish Ale

Velvety smooth with mild malt flavors of hearty brown bread, cocoa, and a subtle shade of peat smoke. Served on nitrogen. 16 IBUs 5.4% abv



#### The Lumberyard Imperial Oaked IPA

This big, burly beast (an oversized riff on our best-selling 'Woodshed IPA') is stacked with twice the hops, ridiculous piles of barley, & heaps upon heaps of oak. 95 IBUs 9.5% abv



# Whiskey Barrel-aged Lumberyard

### Barrel-aged Oaked IIPA

An intensely flavorful Woodshed IPA trifecta! Lumberyard IIPA (imperial version of Woodshed oaked IPA) aged 15 months in freshly emptied barrels of Woodshed whiskey (custom hop whiskey distilled from Woodshed IPA).

∼11.0% abv

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#### Diamond Star Halo American Kettle Sour Ale

Crisp and quenching, tart and tangy kettle sour with notes of sourdough and citrus. Serious pucker-power! 7 IBUs 4.8% abv



#### Bee's Knees Honey Cream Ale

The humble cream ale has a history intertwined with the American workingclass. We give ours a rural twist by brewing with oats, flaked maize, & WI clover honey. Mildly sweet, light and refreshing, & with a touch of honey in the finish- the perfect way to toast a busy day! 16 IBUs 5.0% abv



#### Better Off Red 😭 Hopped-up American Red Ale

Brewed with a careful blend of American malts and six types of hops that vie for attention in a high-flying balancing act. *Ask any Badger...you're better off red.* 45 IBUs 6.6% abv

Silver Medal - 2016 Great American Beer Festival®



#### Maximilian Imperial Stout

Max Stout is our ominously dark, fullbodied stout, with bold & roasty dark malt flavors & a warming strength that can melt the chills of a harsh northern winter. Imperial stouts were once the exclusive privilege of the Russian czars- with a few sips you may feel like royalty too! 75 IBUs 9.2% abv

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#### Whippoorwill Wit Belgian-style Witbier

Our beautifully light & refreshing Belgian-style witbier is made with portions of wheat and oats, & infused with real orange peel & spice, for a taste as soft as fluffy clouds on a summer day! 11 IBUs 5.2% abv



#### Maltiplicity Maibock

Welcome Spring with a crisp, golden Maibock. Crafted from imported Munich and Vienna malts, our take on this classic style showcases locally grown Mount Hood hops for a balanced bitterness and mild floral/spicy character.

Good things come in multiples! 28 IBUs 6.7% abv



#### Toy Boat, Toy Boat Double IPA

Hops take the spotlight in this bold and assertive double IPA from luscious and enticing aromas through the brisk bitterness that lingers like a daydream. Toy Boat Toy Boat- the simplest & most delicious tongue-twister!

95 IBUs 8.3% abv



#### **Trepidation...** Belgian-style Abbey ale

The "big brother" in our Abbey ale family. Subtle flavors of mandarin, pepper, tropical fruit, & vanilla are fused in a gently warming alcohol heat. Sinfully smooth for its towering strength.

21 IBUs 10.7% abv



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## Key Lime Wit

#### Belgian-style Witbier w/ Lime

Fresh & flavorful citrus-kissed Belgian-style wheat ale, made with real key lime juice and natural key lime essence. Light, lively, and only available for a limited time.

11 IBUs 5.1% abv



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#### **Gotter Otter** British-inspired Strong Pale Ale

Here's one for the tireless go-getters helping make the world go around, a malty rich pale ale accented by choice UK Fuggles and Kent Golding hops. Slow down and enjoy!

Last Chance

Bouquet Pink IPA '19 Floral IPA

Loral, Citra, and Ekuanot hops lend medium bitterness and distinctive tropical/citrus hop aromas, yet 4 types of edible flowers steal the show. Brewed with lavender, hibiscus, chamomile and orange blossoms, this truly is a 'bouquet' in a glass. 60 IBUs 6.8% abv

#### Jinja Ninja Spiced Double Witbier

Our spelt-based, ginger-laced amber double witbier is full of ancient grain wisdom & armed with a zesty fresh ginger kick. Jinja Ninja is here to vanquish the foe- beer boredom!

10 IBUs 7.3% abv



### Mach Schnell! Pilsner

Crafted with Wisconsin barley and locally-grown German pedigree hops, this crisp and classic lager honors Old World tradition with local bounty. An American pilsner with a German accent! 32 IBUs 5.5% abv



#### Citra Zen Pale Ale

Tropical and citrus fruit hop aromas abound in this American-style pale ale, bursting with blissful Citra and Centennial hops. 55 IBUs 6.4% abv

# **BARREL-AGED** LIMITED RELEASES



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### **Apple Brandy Dedication '18**

This decadent and spirited vintage edition of our **abbey 'extra' Dubbel** was brewed in early 2018 & spent over 10 months **resting in apple brandy barrels** from our friends at Yahara Bay Distillers in Madison.

~10.7% abv



#### **Rye Barrel-aged Max Stout '18** *Rye Whiskey Barrel-aged Imperial Stout*

Our Maximilian Russian Imperial stout was aged 12 months in Wollersheim 'Round Top' rye whiskey barrels for this dark and massively flavorful rendition . ~10.7% abv



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#### **Hibiscus Saison**

#### **Belgian-style Farmhouse Ale**

Inspired by the spice markets of Egypt, our re-invention of a traditional Belgianstyle farmhouse ale is brewed with hibiscus flower petals. Mildly tart and bright pink, with fruity suggestions of berries and cherry, Hibiscus Saison finishes dry, crisp & champagne-like.

22 IBUs 6.3% abv



#### Square Pig Rye Pale Ale



This little piggy thumbs its nose at convention...with a light crisp drinkability yet plenty of character.

A lavish hop bouquet suggests grapefruit, nectarine and oak, and its medium bitterness is accentuated by rustic, spicy notes of rye malts. 52 IBUs 5.4% abv



### Summer Sahti Juniper Rye Ale



Sahti is an uncommon, ancient ale style from Finland which forges the flavorful elements of rye and juniper into a rustic & satisfying harmony. Gin-like evergreen and juicy berry flavors meld with hardy, spicy rye malt, in a distinctive yet refreshing historically-inspired ale. 8 IBUs 5.4% abv



# Tuxedo Torpedo

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**KITCHEN & TAPROOM** 

First debuted for Cinco de Meow, here's an encore limited release of our rich & decadent vanilla/ chocolate porteran homage to iconic chocolate and creme sandwich cookies.

5.9% abv



#### - 32oz fresh "crowler" cans

- 1/2 gal fresh "growler" jugs
- 6 pack, 12oz cans (select varieties)
- 22 oz 'bomber' bottles (limited-release only)
- 5 gal or 15.5 gal kegs (selections limited & keg reservations required)





SELECT VARIETIES OF OUR



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### AMBLE ON

Vienna-style Amber Lager 5.4% abv

**803 EAST WASHINGTON AVE IN MADISON** 

#### FIREBRAND Rauch Weizen (smoked wheat ale)

5.5% abv





# FEATURED GUEST TAPS

# Lazy Monk Brewing Co.

## Lazy Day Lager

Pale lager with low bitterness and medium body. 4.4% abv

#### Raspberry Berliner Weisse

Traditional German style sour wheat ale with raspberry. 3.0% abv

## **Biere de Garde**

French-style strong farmhouse ale with notes of citrus. 6.8% abv

### **Double Monk IPA**

Assertive and hop-centric India Pale Ale with pine and citrus aromas. 6.6% abv

#### Try them all as a flight!

### **Tart Cranberry Wit**

A Belgian-inspired unfiltered wheat ale with a tempting citrus/cranberry fruitiness, velvety smooth mouthfeel, low bitterness and juicy- tart berry finish. 8 IBUs 5.4% ABV

*Common Thread 2019 is a collaboration brew* and a celebration of the bounty of our home state, crafted from Wisconsin-grown wheat, oats & barley, local hops & spices (coriander & rose hips), and of course, those famous Wisconsin cranberries.



Vintage Brewing Co. in Sauk City, WI is your . Common Thread Host Brewer for 2019.

# • GUEST LIST

# CIDER ON TAP

Artisan Apple Cider Mershon's Cidery

# BOTTLES

**Spotted Cow** 

Corona

Kaliber (NA)

Hollywood Nights Blonde IPA (GF) Altbrew

# C A N S

PBR

**Miller Lite** 

**Busch Light** 

**Bud Light** 

**Coors Lite** 

Hard Cider (GF) Loon Juice

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