

# YEAR ROUND FAVORITES



**GREAT AMERICAN** 



## 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 - 2019 Great American Beer Festival® Gold Medal Winner - 2016 Best of Craft Beer Awards Silver Medal Winner - 2018 Best of Craft Beer Awards

\* AVAILABLE TO GO IN 6-PACK CANS!

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# SAUK PRAIRIE ORIGINALS





#### RANDALL COBB-LER

#### Fruited Ale

Here's a refreshing VBC Sauk Prairie exclusive celebrating the return of our favorite #18. This blueberry peach cobbler ale features toasted biscuit malts and real fruit puree, for a touch of tartness and a juicy fruit finish. The sweet taste of victory!

14 IBUs 5.5% abv



#### 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



# **SAUK NESS MONSTER**

#### Scottish-style Strong Ale

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®



#### **Duke of Earl**

#### Earl Gray Pale Ale

We're doubling up this Snowflake season, with a reimagined rendition of our 'Earl Gray Pale Ale' Snowflake brew for 2021. Citra and Galena hops meld with bitter orange, bergamot citrus, black tea & vanilla, for a zesty teahouse-inspired sipper.

42 IBUs 5.6% abv



#### **SNOWFLAKE 2022**

#### Cherry Maple Marzipan

Our brewers kick off each New Year with fresh ideas and a brand new 'Snowflake' brew- experimental, unique, delicious! This year's Snowflake edition pairs marzipan almond paste with Wisconsin tart cherries and a kiss of maple syrup in a Belgian-inspired red ale. Sweet, tart and way too tempting.

6.0% 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



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#### BEE'S KNEES Cream Ale \*

The humble cream ale has a history intertwined with the American working-class. 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!



# **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



## **30 POINT BOCK**

#### **Dunkles Bock**

An homage to the famous dark lagers of Germany, 30 Point Bock boasts an awesome depth of malt character and a clean satisfying finish. Great with one of our juicy burgers, and yes...venison.

23 IBUs 6.7% 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



#### **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



#### **VAPOUR TRAIL**

#### Hazy IPA

Pillowy soft hazy India pale ale with lilting hop aromas of passionfruit, white grape & mandarin. An international hop joyride.

45 IBUs 7.4% abv



#### WHAT WE BREW IN THE SHADOWS

#### Dark Wheat Ale

Tall dark and tempting 'Dunkel Weiss' composed of hearty rye and wheat malts plus robust kiln-roasted barley. Rich overtones of banana bread, molasses and cocoa dust, with a glimmer of fruit and spice.

26 IBUs 6.0 % abv



#### **ULFBERHT** Smoked Baltic Porter

This sturdy and potent porter was forged from a wealth of European specialty malts & brewed to high strength- smoky, smooth, dark & dangerous. This special brew was inspired by the legendary Viking-era 'Ulfberht' sword and its painstaking recreation by Wisconsinite blacksmith/ historian Ric Furrer.

38 IBUs 9.0% abv

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## SUN D'APPLED Harvest Apple Tart

Our fan-favorite takes a fresh new spin as a fruited kettle sour, bursting with first-bite Granny Smith crispness and quenching fruity tartness, supported by rich toasty malts and a dash of cinnamon. When life gives you apples...

5.0% abv



# WHADDYA SAY BRO Hazy IPA

Here's a single hop hazy IPA brewed exclusively with Sabro hops, whose distinctive aromatics abound with pineapple, tangerine, and apricot fruitiness, plus suggestions of coconut, mint, and cedar. We kept the brewing malts light, clean, and simple to really let this hoppy wunderkind shine.

55 IBUs 5.9% 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®



## **BOCKSO-CHOCOLATES**

#### **Chocolate Doppelbock**

This rich and decadent true lager is lovingly crafted with imported chocolate malts, Dutch-process cocoa powder and liquified cocoa nibs for the perfect chocolate ménage à trois.

24 IBUs 7.2% abv



#### **IRRUPTION** Pale Ale \*

A hop-forward sessionable pale ale in the English tradition, featuring Brambling Cross, Cashmere & Sultana hops. This crisp & quaffable quencher is pitch-perfect for game days at Breese Stevens field or wherever your Flock takes you.





Brewed in collaboration with Forward Madison and The Flock, a portion of the proceeds will be donated in support of the Flock soccer fund which uses soccer as a vehicle to effect positive social change in our community.

40 IBUs 5.4% abv





## **COSMIC CASH MACHINE**



#### Hazy Double IPA

Who says billionaires have all the fun? We feature Cashmere and Galaxy hops in this celestial windfall of a hazy double IPA, a galaxy-class aroma juggernaut for our beloved earth-bound IPA fans.

45 IBUs 7.7% abv



#### **MAXIMILIAN STOUT**

#### Imperial Stout

Max Stout is our ominously dark, full-bodied 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 8.2% abv

# SEASONAL



## 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



#### **TIPPY TOBOGGAN**

#### Roggen Bock

Brewed with rye, European specialty malts & Czech Saaz hops, this old-world bock is a distant cousin to our Weiss bier and features a similarly fresh fruity aroma but with a complex nutty/spicy malt character.

22 IBUs 6.9% abv

Bronze Medal - 2017 Best of Craft Beer Awards



# GO MAN GO Mango IPA

A Tangent side project specialty brew - crowd favorite.

6.3% abv



#### LATE TO THE PARTY

#### Coconut Cheesecake Tart

A Tangent side project specialty brew - crowd favorite.

5.5% abv







#### **BOURBON BA MAX STOUT**

A fan favorite returns! Our dark and potent *Maximilian stout* gets the royal treatment, *aged 9 months in bourbon barrels* from our neighbors at Wollersheim Distillery.

~10% abv



#### 2018 BRANDY BA DEDICATION

Our award-winning *Dedication abbey Dubbel takes a leisurely, spirited slumber in Presshouse Brandy barrels* from our friends at Wollersheim Distillery. Aged a full three years in the barrel for robust brandy expression and exceptional smoothness.

~11.2% abv

# Ask about beer to go!

- » CROWLER 32oz fresh cans
- » GROWLER 1/2 gal fresh jugs
- » 6 PACK 12oz cans (select varieties)
- » BOMBER 22 oz bottles (limited-release only)
- » KEGS 5 gal or 15.5 gal (selections limited & keg reservations required)

# FEATURED GUEST TAPS

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#### **Blonde Walks Into a Bar**

Light, crisp, and easy-drinking Blonde 4.6% abv 15.9 IBU

#### **JORTS**

Tropical fruity guava infused wheat beer 4.7% abv 11.9 IBU

## **Snappy IPA**

Citra hopped American IPA
7.5% abv 57 IBU

## **Badger Sweat**

Vanilla Bean Stout (contains lactose)



# **Artisan Apple Cider** (GF)

Mershon's Cidery

**Snowed In Cinnamon** (GF)

Mershon's Cidery

# GUEST BOTTLES

**Spotted Cow** 

Corona

**Upside Dawn Golden** (NA)

Athletic Brewing Co.

Run Wild IPA (NA)

Athletic Brewing Co.

Hollywood Nights Blonde IPA (GF)
Altbrew



# SIGNATURE SODAS

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**Miller Lite** 

**Busch Light** 

**Bud Light** 

**Coors Lite** 

**Hard Cider** (GF)

Loon Juice

reminiscent of old-fashioned sarsaparilla with notes of vanilla & spice.

**DRAFT ROOT BEER** Zesty draft root beer

**CARNIVAL CREAM SODA** Our twist on a classic, with playful notes of cotton candy and citrus alongside tropical vanilla.

**JUMPIN' JIVE GINGER** A zippy refresher with a spicy kick of ginger and a kiss of lime.

ROTATING SPECIALTY SODA Ask us what's on today.

Hand-crafted in small batches by the VBC brew crew. Sweetened with local Midwest beet sugar (no corn syrup). Delicious on their own and great as mixers!

Try all 4 sodas as a flight!

Alcohol & Caffeine Free!