



RED EARTH BREWERS

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NEXT MONTHLY MEETING:



Our club meeting will be on Thursday, Feb 20th 2020 at [Elk Valley Brewing](#). [1210 N. Hudson] in Oklahoma City from 7:00 to 9:00 pm!

FEBRUARY Styles of the Month
Amber Ale

- 7B. Altbier
- 11A. Ordinary Bitter
- 11B. Best Bitter
- 11C. Strong Bitter
- 14A. Scottish Light
- 14B. Scottish Heavy
- 14C. Scottish Export
- 15A. Irish Red Ale
- 19A. American Amber Ale
- 24C. Bière de Garde
- 26B. Belgian Dubbel
- 27. Historical Beer (Kentucky

Common)

Feel free to bring any style beer to share!

PLEASE REMEMBER TO SIGN IN.

DON'T FORGET YOUR TASTING GLASS!

NEXT HAPPY HOUR:



Happy Hour will be at [BJs Brewhouse](#) [2425 W. Memorial Road, OKC, OK, 73134] Join us for a relatively rare sit down at a table as a group to support a generous CMOTY and BOTY gift card donator. Please RSVP on Facebook to help us get the right size table set up.



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UPCOMING EVENTS	
6 Feb	Happy Hour @ BJ Brewhouse
20 Feb	Monthly Meeting @ Elk Valley Brewing
25 Feb	BIG Beer release of 4 th Quarter competition- Morgan Weston Hefeweizen Release
Mar?	Brewer of Year Collaboration w/ Angry Scotsman release – Stay tuned!
20-21 Mar	Bluebonnet Brew Off in Dallas. Our clubs only consistent road trip every year.
1 mar -4 Apr	Competition Open for beer drop off (@brew shop) for Spring Brew off. Brew soon!
18 April	Spring Brew Off Banquet @Tapwerks – Stay tuned for more details
Late April	FOAM's Iron Brewer Competition
26 April	Marathon – A club beer pouring event again this year is likely
16 May	Oklahoma City Craft Beer Festival (We will likely pour our beers!)

SPRING BREW OFF UPDATE



We are proud to announce that the Best of Show winner at the Spring Brew off will win a collaboration brew at the new [Roughtail Brewing](#) location! If you win, there will be a release date, your beer will be on tap for all your friends and family to try. A portion of proceeds will go to club. This is an opportunity to take your favorite hobby to a new level. If you are going to submit one beer to a competition, this is the one!



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BLUEBONNET BREW OFF ADVENTURE

In case you have not experienced this joy, a brief rundown of the weekend as follows:

- First, and this is key - borrow that spare liver in advance- you will need it. (Obtain it legally of course.)
- You will probably want to take off from work Friday March 20. That Friday morning, we will meet at a gas station on the southside (On Cue on I-35 most likely) and caravan (to some degree) to a notable craft beer restaurant in Texas for lunch. From there, it's then to hotel for check in before the traffic is unbearable.



- The event is at the [Sheraton DFW Airport Hotel](#) 4440 West John Carpenter Freeway Irving, Texas 75063. The group room rate of \$99 per night and rooms at this rate are still available.
- The event cost per person is \$50 for the whole weekend bluebonnet event and tickets are available at the [bluebonnet website](#).
- Complimentary beer at hotel is available starting at 2 PM on both Saturday and Sunday.
- Keynote speaker at 7PM on Friday.
- Then it's the commercial beer showcase Friday night from 8PM till midnight. A very good opportunity to get that untappd check in count up as there are hundreds of local land regional beers available to try. "Trust me on this one", said local homebrewer Brian Hendry.



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- Saturday, our club usually hits (Ubers to) a number of the local Dallas breweries in the afternoon, but you can stick around hotel for a variety of beer related technical talks, if breweries aren't your thing.
- Club usually buys pizza for dinner.
- Saturday night from 6 to 9 PM is the awards ceremony. Judging from the van full of beer the club sent down, expect REB to win medals. Many shiny medals.
- After that, from 9 to midnight, all the clubs (10+) set up in a big room and share our beers. Some clubs use the same theme every year – we have mixed it up with something new each year. Ghostbuster theme this year??? Each club brings a beer to submit to a people's choice award. We've won this before.
- Drive home Sunday morning.



This is a seriously fun time at what is advertised as the largest single site beer competition in the country. We have a club bluebonnet Facebook group where we coordinate. Join of you might be interested. Cheers.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS, NEWS, ETC.:

If you have an announcement or know of a festival, dinner, beer event, or whatever you think may be interesting to fellow brewers, please let us know at RedEarthBrewers@gmail.com. We are always looking for things to include in the newsletter.



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