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November 2021

Next REB Happy Hour:



Thursday, Nov 4th, 2021, 6:30 pm – 9pm Vanessa House Brewing Co. <u>118 NW 8th St., Oklahoma City, OK</u>

This month's Happy Hour will be at Vanessa House Brewing Co. in Automobile Alley OKC.

Happy Hour is a casual way to get to know other folks in the club, get brewing ideas, and just have a relaxed time outside of our monthly meetings with like-minded beer friends.

Next Monthly Meeting:



Thursday, Nov 18th, 2021, 7:00 pm – 9pm Beer Is Good Brewing Co. 216 E Main St, Norman, OK 73069

Styles of the month will be: **Porters**

- 9C. Baltic Porter
- 13C. English Porter
- 20A. American Porter
- 27. Historical Beer (Pre-Prohibition Porter)

This meeting will host our 4th Quarter Competition:

Beer is Good Brewing Co. has once again partnered with us for our 4th quarter competition! Bring an unmarked growler of your beer (limited to one entry per participant) to our November meeting. We will decide the top 3 by people's choice, and then BiG Brewing will select the overall winner. 1st place will get a chance to do a collaboration brew with BiG!

REB Membership dues are currently \$15 for the remainder of 2021. Sign-Up Here



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What are your favorite styles to brew: Anything off the wall, I love experimenting with flavors!

What got you into brewing: My husband Chester begged me for the longest time. I tried a Mr. Beer brew kit, did not like it and decided that brewing wasn't for me... that is until we met Deb & Marc Prichard, I became interested. As Deb would say "SUCKER!"

Current brewing rig: DarkStar Burners with Bayou Classic 8-, 12- & 15-gallon pots, but we are always buying new equipment and changing the way we do things! We also LOVE brew in a bag, and I swear by it!



What brew day rules do you follow: SANITIZE EVERYTHING! Always play music that gets you excited to brew, follow your time schedule, but ultimately HAVE FUN!



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Most influential brew tip you have learned: Be yourself and go crazy. This is your brew, make it your own! If you want to brew a S'mores beer but don't want to make a stout like everyone else, make your own recipe. My pride and joy is my S'mores Blonde and I'm so happy I took the risk and defied the odds!

Tip for new Brewers just getting started: Make friends, and don't be afraid to ask them questions! ESPECIALLY in REB, everyone I have met is so nice and inviting and when it comes down to brew day and I'm missing something or need advice I've got so many people I can call and ask for help!



What's on tap at your house right now:

- Sign of the Limes (Tequila Lime Gose)
- Execute Pumpkin Porter 66 (Pumpkin Porter)
- Space Camping (S'mores Blonde Ale)
- Trippin' on Trippel (Belgian Trippel)
- BB—8 (Strong Bitter)
- And Chester has a stout and a porter



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| Upcoming Events | |
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| 4 Nov | REB Happy Hour @ Vanessa House Brewing Co |
| 6 Nov | Oklahoma Craft Beer Festival |
| 18 Nov | REB Monthly Meeting @ Beer is Good Brewing Co. |
| 20 Nov | Basic & Advanced Home brewing Class, Hosted by The Brew Shop @ Lively |
| | Beerworks - 10AM – 1PM - \$15 per person – includes lunch and beer samples). |
| | For more information contact The Brew Shop (405) 528-5193 |

| Upcoming Competitions | | |
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| 18 Oct – 6 Nov | FOAM Cup Entry Drop Off (Entries Due 6 Nov) Sign Up | |
| 1 Nov – 29 Jan | Kansas City Bier Meisters (Entries Due 29 Jan) Sign Up | |
| 18 Nov | 4 th Quarter Competition at Beer is Good Brewing Co | |
| 3 – 4 Jan | Bluebonnet Brew Off (Entries Due 24 Jan) Sign Up | |



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 <u>RedEarthBrewers@gmail.com</u>. We are always looking for things to include in the newsletter.



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