

BC's Brewing Company Takes A Big Step Closer To Their Grand Opening

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If you've been tapping your foot, waiting patiently (or not so patiently) for BC's Brewing Company to open its doors, just ask the folks involved with it. I'm sure they've got a few things to say about how long this project has taken to get up and rolling. There's always a bit of a joke with folks who know about how long it will take to actually get the doors of a new brewery open versus the timeframe that they *think* it'll happen – but even with that in mind, BC's has had a rough go of this. We've got great news from the brewery this week, though – they're up and rolling with their first batches of beer and have a planned opening date. The goal is clearly in sight at this point.

The New Location And A Brewery - Let's take a quick step back for anyone new. BC's Brewing Company started as BC's Bottle Lodge in Liberty Twp in March 2016, opening a second location in Montgomery towards the end of 2017. The concept was a mix between a bottle shop and a bar. It was a concept that, when they opened, was a void that needed to be filled. It was met with much more than open arms – people embraced this concept in the same way that they do their favorite taproom. Sure, they would pick up beer to-go, take home a six-pack or two – but they started really using the space as a gathering spot. Think of the famous 'Third Space' idea that so many businesses want to create. As craft beer continued to evolve, so did BC's – drifting farther away from the bottle shop side of the business and becoming more of a hub for craft beer fans to gather and get nerdy about good beer. The long story, cut way short (you should listen to them on Cincy Brewcast: Post-COVID, with the industry continuing to change, they decided to make a massive shift and open their own brewery. They closed down one of their locations and buckled up for a very long and difficult transition period. Their dedicated fan base has been waiting very patiently – and it's **FINALLY** here.



Let There Be BC's Beer! BC's Brewing posted this week on their social media channels that they were finally brewing their first batch of beer, a familiar one for their taproom fans (they've been using partnerships to create a version of it for a while) – their 'Buck Light' lager. Seeing the news, I reached out to see if I could get more information out of the team so that I could share it with you guys. Oh boy, are we in for a treat! Not only are they headlong into their first batch of beer, but they've also got plans to roll right into their next batch, and amber, dubbed 'One Point Oh' – that I have a sneaking suspicion will become a crowd pleaser. In fact, they let me know that they plan on having 9 of their own beers available, in addition to a couple of collaborations, wine, and some kegged cocktails when they kick open the doors for their grand opening. Yeah, I said it... Grand Opening. When Will BC's Brewing Company Open? Keep in mind that this is tentative. While the folks at BC's are really, really firm that this is what they're shooting for, if I've learned anything about watching places get their doors open, you always leave a little wiggle room just in case. With that being said, you might want to mark your calendar right now for **June 15th**—that's Father's Day Weekend. BC's Bottle Lodge, I mean, BC's Brewing Company, has historically thrown a pretty great party that weekend, and it looks like this year will be the biggest yet with the much-anticipated grand opening of their new brewery and taproom. They'll have food on hand from a local chef, a ton of great beer... It's going to be pretty epic.

BC's Brewery and Taproom

4064 US Rt 42 Mason, Ohio 45040 **For More Information** BCsBrewing.com



A NEW PINT OF VIEW

[May 22 - Rhinegeist Brewery](#) - Blood Drive held in the Annex - 1910 Elm Street, Cincinnati, OH 45202

All donors receive a voucher for \$1 Rhinegeist Beer and a 40 oz. Hoxworth tumbler with handle!

[May 24 - Brink Brewing Co.](#) - Donor Bus parked on Cedar Ave near back parking lot - 5905 Hamilton Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45224 Every donor receives a 40 oz Hoxworth tumbler with handle!

[May 24 - March First Brewing & Distilling \(Blue Ash\)](#) - Donor bus parked at 7885 E. Kemper Road, Cincinnati, OH 45249 Every donor receives a 40 oz Hoxworth tumbler with handle and a \$25 gift card redeemable at any of the Historic Distillery Tour & Tasting Experiences at Cincinnati Distilling!

[May 28 - Barleycorn's Brewhouse](#) - Donor bus in parking lot - 402 Licking Pike, Wilder, KY 41071 Every donor receives a 40 oz Hoxworth tumbler with handle!

[May 29 - West Side Brewing](#) Donor bus parked at 3044 Harrison Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45211 All donors will receive a 40 oz insulated Hoxworth tumbler with handle and a half price growler fill from West Side Brewing!

[May 31 - DogBerry Brewing LLC](#) - Donor bus will be parked at 9964 Crescent Park Drive, West Chester, OH 45069 All donors will receive a Hoxworth 40 oz tumbler and a voucher for a \$3 pint!

[May 31 - Wiedemann Brewery](#) - Donor bus parked at Wiedemann Brewery - 4811 Vine Street, Cincinnati, OH 45217 All donors will receive a 40 oz insulated Hoxworth tumbler with handle and a gift from Wiedemann Brewery!

[June 9 - BrewDog Cincinnati](#) - Donor bus parked at 316 Reading Road, Pendleton Every donor receives a FREE self-guided Beer School experience, including a flight of (4) BrewDog beers, and a Hoxworth floppy hat!

[June 13 - March First Brewing & Distilling \(Cincinnati\)](#) - Donor Bus parked at Fountain Square (5th & Vine) Every donor receives a Hoxworth floppy hat and a \$25 gift card redeemable at any of the Historic Distillery Tour & Tasting Experiences at Cincinnati Distilling!

[June 15 - FigLeaf Brewing Company](#) - Donor bus will be parked at 3387 Cincinnati Dayton Rd., Middletown, OH 45044 All donors will receive a 40 oz insulated Hoxworth tumbler with handle!

[June 15 - Woodburn Brewing](#) - Donor bus parked at Woodburn Brewery - 2800 Woodburn Ave., 45206 Every donor receives a floppy hat, a \$10 Woodburn Brewery gift card, and a \$25 gift card redeemable at any of their Historic Distillery Tour & Tasting Experiences at Cincinnati Distilling!

[June 16 - Cincinnati Distilling](#) - Donor bus parked at 203 Mill Street, Milford, OH 45150 Donors will receive a Hoxworth floppy hat and a \$25 gift card redeemable at any of their Historic Distillery Tour & Tasting Experiences at Cincinnati Distilling!

[June 20 - Streetside Brewery](#) - Donor bus in Streetside Brewery parking lot (4003 Eastern Ave.,) Every donor receives Hoxworth floppy hat, Manitou Candle Co coupon, and a \$5 Streetside Brewery gift card!

[June 27 - The Holy Grail](#) - Donor Bus on Joe Nuxhall Way in front of The Holy Grail - 161 Joe Nuxhall Way, Cincinnati, OH 45202 Every donor receives a \$5 Holy Grail Gift Card, Two Lawn Tickets to the July 18th Dan + Shay with special guests Jake Owen and Dylan Marlowe concert at Riverbend Music Center & a Hoxworth floppy summer hat!

Taproom



The Bar Is Hiring!

Want to join our fantastic crew behind the bar at Grainworks? This is the time! We're looking to hire folks who are hungry to work 1-3 fast paced shifts a week on weeknights and weekend days & nights. Experience, availability during our open hours, dependability, and personality are key!

Send your resume and availability to taproom@grainworks.beer



FC Cincinnati vs. Toronto

Saturday, *May 25th* at 7:30pm

Come to Grainworks and cheer on our boys in Orange & Blue with the Norden Supporter's Group!

Join the Norden and show your card for \$1 off all beers on matchdays! Plus \$1 off our collaboration Helles Real 6-packs to-go every day! Grab your membership (& scarf) at www.nordenfcc.com



Pride Brunch at Grainworks!

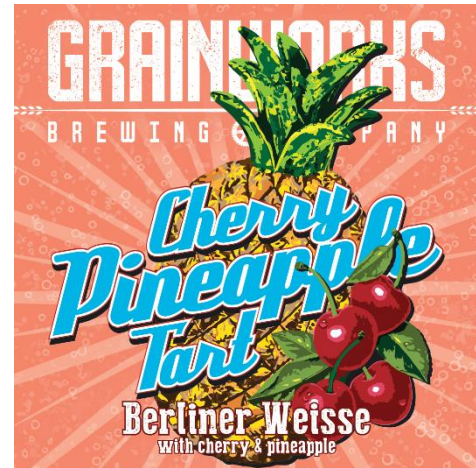
Sunday, *June 2nd* at 1:00pm

We'll be donating a portion of drink sales during the event and t-shirt sales during the month of June to PFLAG Cincinnati.

Make sure to put this brunch plan into your calendar, it's always a blast!

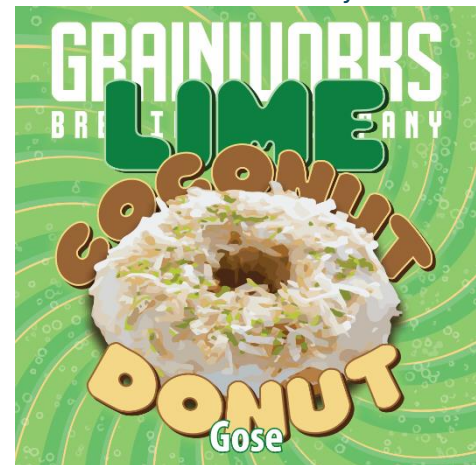
Doors open at 12:00pm and the show starts at 1:00pm! Show will be over around 3pm with the event ending at 4:00pm.

Beer



Cherry Pineapple Tart - Berliner Weisse - 4.4%

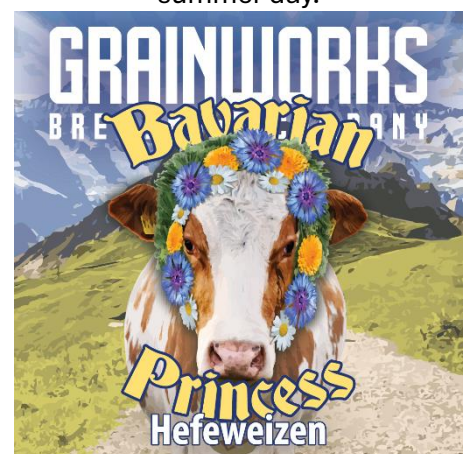
Flavored with real cherry and pineapple, this refreshing brew has a slight tartness, making it the perfect thirst quencher for a hot summer day!



Lime Coconut Donut - Gose - 4.5%

Juicy lime, rich toasted coconut, and a slightly salty finish take this mouth-watering German Gose to the next level.

It's a refreshing, tempting treat on a spring or summer day.

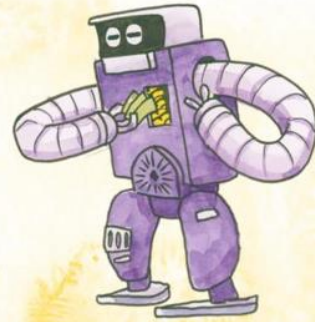


Bavarian Princess - Hefeweizen - 5.2%

This Bavarian Wheat Ale is dominated by distinctive notes of banana and clove, with a fluffy mouthfeel and a dry finish.

With this brew, we honor the true royalty of the Alps!

A FUNDRAISER TO SUPPORT



Brewing Heritage Trail Fundraiser at the Urban Artifact Brewery

When: Thursday, May 30, 4pm-7pm

Where: Urban Artifact Brewery (1660 Blue Rock St.)

The Urban Artifact Brewery is hosting a fundraiser event with our non-profit where \$1 for every pint sold will be donated to support our mission to celebrate, preserve, and promote the brewing culture, heritage, and economy of the historic Brewery District and Cincinnati region. We'll raffle off some door prizes for those in attendance including t-shirts, a 2024 Brewing Heritage Trail Membership, and tour tickets. [Click Here](#) for the Facebook event and we hope to see you there!

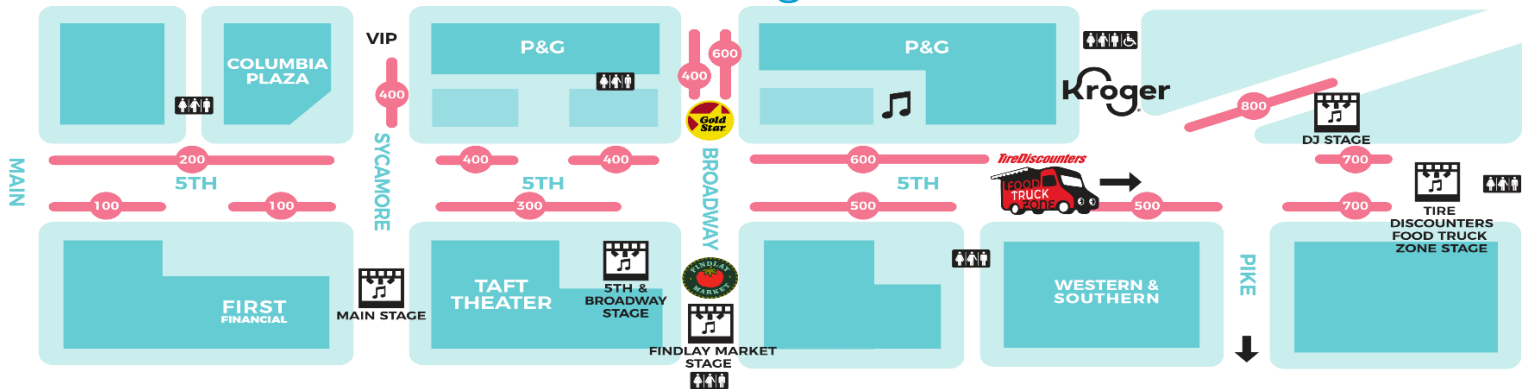


Missing Linck Festival

When: Saturday, June 1, 12pm-??? Where: Urban Artifact & Humble Monk Breweries
Missing Linck Yeast was discovered clinging to life in a pre-prohibition fermenting vat, found in the lost lagering cellars of the 19th Century Linck Brewery. Now, the bravest of brewers are each reintroducing the Missing Linck to the modern world with their own inspiration. Missing Linck brews from all 18 participating breweries will be on tap at Urban Artifact Brewing Co. (1660 Blue Rock) and Humble Monk Brewing Co. (1641 Blue Rock) from noon until they run out of beer on Saturday, June 1.

The Brewing Heritage Trail is attending this great event to talk about some brewing history and our organization, so we hope you'll come out to celebrate with us and drink some historic beverages!! [Click Here](#) for more info about the event!

The Taste of Cincinnati Light Blue = BEER BOOTH



- 100 Cincy Shirts
- 101 Kabobske
- 102 Taste of Belgium
- 104 Rhinegeist Brewery
- 105 ZYN
- 106 Capital Vacations
- 108 Delicato Family Wines
- 109 Fifty West Brewing Co.
- 110 Tickle Pickle Restaurant

- 201 Molson Coors
- 202 Sonder Brewing
- 203 Eddie's Southern Style BBQ
- 204 Izzy's
- 206 Chino's Street Food
- 207 Mazunte
- 208 Lori's Roadhouse
- 209 Maya India Restaurant
- 210 Anheuser-Busch

- 301 Boston Beer
- 304 West Side Brewing
- 305 Catch-a-Fire Pizza
- 306 Sweets & Meats BBQ
- 307 Thai Express
- 308 Stone Bowl Korean
- 309 Boba Cha
- 310 The Cheesecakeery
- 311 Sleep City
- 312 Renewal by Anderson
- 313 Longbranch Bourbon
- 314 Molson Coors
- 316 Cincinnati Water Works

- 400 Let's Glow Crazy
- 401 Ohio Lottery
- 402 The Cantina by Diageo
- 405 El Vaquero Mexican Restaurant
- 406 Alley Baby
- 407 Fortune Noodle House
- 408 French Toast Heaven
- 409 MadTree Brewing
- 410 Over the Line
Caricatures & Face Paint
- 414 Alfio's Buon Cibo
- 415 Braxton Brewing
- 416 Visit Savannah
- 417 Funny Water
- 421 Gift Gallery
- 422 Fretboard Brewing Co.
- 423 Chevrolet

- FINDLAY MARKET ZONE**
- M1 Queen Tequenos (Saturday only)
Sen by Kiki (Sunday and Monday only)
 - M2 Olive Tree Catering
 - M3 Chico's Cheesecakes
 - M4 Flavors of the Isle
 - M5 Empanadas Box
 - M6 Miley Pooh Sweets and Treats
 - M7 Uai Brasil Sweets and Treats
 - M8 One More Bite
 - M9 BanaSun Smoothie Bar
 - M10 Pankis Dutch Pancakes
 - M11 Magnificent Morsels Catering
 - M12 Lotus Street Food
 - M13 Sabor Alaniz
 - M14 The Arepa Place
 - M15 Honey Child Pops
 - M16 Wendigo Tea Co.
 - M17 Jay's Nyam & Jam
 - M18 Market Center
 - M19 Chacabanas
 - M21 Makers Bakers

- 501 Jane's Bar
- 502 Brink Brewing
- 503 Everdry
- 504 Paityn's Place Soul Food Catering
- 505 Pata Roja Taqueria
- 507 Grainworks Brewing Co.
- 508 Deme Kitchen
- 511 Flava
- 512 Reser's Fine Foods
- 513 Yakult
- 514 Che's Globally Inspired
- 515 Afro-Caribbean Eats
- 516 Off The Hook
- 517 Wicked Hickory
- 519 Little Trolley Donuts
- 520 Adena's Beefstroll
- 521 MamaBear's Mac
- 522 Buffalo's Best

- 602 Chicago Gyros and Dogs
- 603 Gee's Caribbean Style
- 604 LaRosa's Family Pizzeria
- 605 Gold Star
- 606 Rhinegeist Brewery
- 607 Pompilio's Restaurant
- 608 The Establishment
- 611 Sunny D Vodka Seltzer Sampling
- 612 NRG
- 613 Chris Deighan Art
- 614 Molson Coors
- 615 Diageo Canned Cocktails & Sampling
- 616 Renewal by Anderson
- 617 SugarSnap! Sweet Treats
- 618 S.E.A. Cuisine
- 619 Urban Artifact
- 620 Let's Glow Crazy

- 701 Molson Coors
- 702 Nonstop Flavor
- 703 Sweet Jazz Treats Bakery
- 704 A Lil Taste of Soul
- 705 Mama Afrique Nigerian Cuisine
- 706 Maw Maw's Creole Kitchen
- 707 Twisted Greek
- 708 Talbert House Cafe & Catering
- 709 Indigenous Chef
- 710 Big Dog's Pizza
- 711 Quite Frankly
- 712 Street Kitchen
- 713 Bell's Brewery & New Belgium Brewing
- 714 Anheuser-Busch
- 715 Mingles Soft Serve
- 716 Red Sesame Korean BBQ
- 717 KJ's Fish House
- 718 AJ's Cheesesteaks
- 719 El Rey Mexican

- 800 Momentum Refresh Restrooms
- 801 Kroger
- 805 Boston Beer
- 806 Dine-In Hawaiian
- 807 Davis Cookie Collection
- 808 The Bangin' Grille
- 809 Texas Joe Tex-Mex
- 810 CCS Empanadas
- 811 Best Thing Smokin'



COMPLETE GUIDE TO TASTE VENDOR MENUS & LOCATIONS

Wandering Monsters



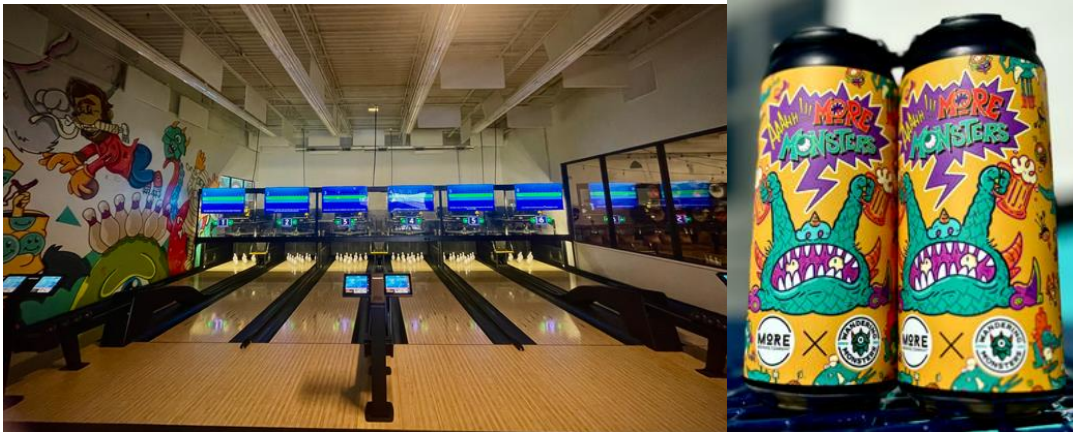
New Events and Beer!

Memorial Day Duckpin Bowling

We will be open Monday, **May 27th** from 3pm-10pm!

Stop by for a BOGO on our Duckpin Bowling!

Have a good and relaxing Memorial Day!



Ahh! More Monsters!

Look what we found when we went Monster Hunting!

New at Wandering Monsters, this decadent stout made with our friends at More Brewing Company from Chicagoland!

Coming in at 14.3%, Ahh! More Monsters is an Imperial Stout with Coconut, Pecan and Dark Matter Coffee.

Limited draft and 2 packs (\$21.99/2 pack) available!

MEMORIAL DAY
WEEKEND
HOURS

FRIDAY MAY 24
11 AM - MIDNIGHT

SATURDAY MAY 25
11 AM - MIDNIGHT

SUNDAY MAY 26
11 AM - 11 PM

MONDAY MAY 27
11 AM - 10 PM



Fabled
Brew Works

**OPEN
MEMORIAL DAY**

**SPECIALS ALL DAY
1PM-9PM**

Be sure to check the socials & websites of your local breweries, some are Open & some are Closed





First Anniversary
Celebration
May 27 - June 2

Our First Anniversary Celebration is coming up! 🥳 On Wednesday, May 29, and Thursday, May 30, we'll have guest taps from some of our favorite breweries and meaderies.

Our Anniversary Celebration will run Through June 2nd.

Here are just SOME of the breweries we plan to have on tap:

- [Xul Beer Company](#) – Knoxville, TN
- More Brewing Co. Villa Park, IL
- [Hidden Springs Ale Works](#) Tampa, FL

