Sussex Beer Cider Festival 2013 - Bottled Beer Tasting Notes

Country	Brewery	Beer	ABV	Tasting Notes
German beers	Schneider	Aventinus 50cl	8.0%	Dark ruby coloured wheat beer with a strong creamy foam.
	Schneider	Weihanstephaner: Hefe Hell 50cl	5.4%	Naturally cloudy wheat beer with its wonderful rich yeasty taste.
	Hacker-Pschorr	Münchner Hell 50cl	4.9%	Classic Munchner Helles Lager; brilliant golden colour, clear; Hallertau hops
	Hacker-Pschorr	Weisse 50cl	5.5%	A centuries-old German wheat beer from Bavaria that offers a refreshing taste.
Belgian beers	Achouffe	La Chouffe 33cl	8.0%	Unfiltered blonde beer, fruity, with a light hop taste and spiced with coriander.
	Halve Maan	Brugse Zot bruin 33cl	7.5%	Brewed with 6 special malts which give the beer a unique and rich flavour and unique bitterness.
	Rodenbach	Grand Cru 33cl	6.0%	A complex beer with a great deal of wood and esters, vinous and with a very long aftertaste.
	Saint Bernard	St Bernardus 12 33cl	10.5%	A dark ivory coloured beer with a high fermentation.
	Saint Bernard	St Bernardus tripel 33cl	7.5%	A pale amber colour and a flowery, fruity taste with a harmonious balance between sweet and sour.
	Boon	Gueuze Marriage Parfait 37.5cl	8.0%	Traditional belgian lambic. Tart, dry, sparking and refreshing.
	Orval	Orval 33cl	6.2%	An intensely aromatic and dry character.
	Achel	Blonde 33cl	8.0%	Golden color with white head. Malt caramel aroma. Light sweet and medium bodied with long finish.
	Rochefort	Rochefort 8 33cl	9.2%	Dry but rich with sweet tea and fig notes to complement the aromatic fullness.
	Rochefort	Rochefort 10 33cl	11.3%	Dark colour, full and very impressive taste. Strong plum, raisin, and black currant palate.
	Westmalle	Tripel 33cl	9.5%	A dark reddish brown beer.
	Westmalle	Dubbel 33cl	7.0%	A bright, golden yellow Trappist beer with a fruity aroma and a beautiful, nuanced hop nose.
	Pauwel	Kwak 33cl	8.4%	A hearty warming brew, dark and strong.
	Karmeliet	Tripple 33cl	8.4%	Blond, robust, smooth, and fruity.
USA beers	Brooklyn	Brooklyn Lager 35.5 cl	5.2%	Amber-gold in colour, a firm malt centre supported by a refreshing bitterness and floral hop aroma.
	Sierra Nevada	Sierra Nevada Pale Ale 35.5 cl	5.6%	Generous quantities of premium Cascade hops give it a fragrant bouquet and spicy flavour.
British beers	Molson Coors Burton-upon-Trent	William Worthington White Shield	5.6%	An iconic India Pale Ale (IPA) brewed to the same recipe as 1830.
	Cotleigh Wiveliscombe, Devon	Peregrine	5.0%	Dark and bitter sweet with hints of nut and liquorice from roasted malt.
	Cotleigh Wiveliscombe, Devon	Devon: Buzzard	4.8%	Deep copper red in colour, the chocolate malt gives a dry nutty flavour with hints of amaretti biscuit.
	Thornbridge Bakewell, Derbyshire	Jaipur	5.9%	A citrus dominated India Pale Ale.
	Arundel	Sussex Gold 500ml	4.2%	A rich, golden,refreshing beer with a hoppy citrus finish.
	Bays Brewery	Devon Dumpling 500ml	5.1%	A strong golden beer with a fresh hop character.
	Belhaven	80/- 500ml	3.9%	This is a chestnut beer with a thick, long-lasting creamy head.
	Belhaven	St. Andrews Ale 500ml	4.6%	An extremely rich, malty ale with a nice, clean finish.
	Belhaven	Twisted Thistle IPA 500ml	5.3%	A stunning India Pale Ale, your taste buds will tingle with pleasure after a sip of this golden nectar!
	Burton Bridge Brewery	Empire Ale 500ml	7.5%	Very bitter beer with a strong hoppy aroma.
	Camerons Brewery	Strong Arm 500ml	4.0%	Well rounded, ruby red ale with a distinctive tight creamy head.
	Copper Dragon Brewery	Best Bitter 500ml	4.0%	A refreshing amber coloured Best Bitter with a well-balanced malty and hoppy flavour.
	Crouch Vale	Amarillo 500ml	5.0%	A gorgeous premium golden ale with wonderful aroma and a lasting spicy flavour.
	Crouch Vale	Brewers Gold 500ml	4.0%	A pale, refreshing and hoppy beer with gorgeous aromas of tropical fruits.
	Dark Star	Espresso 500ml	4.2%	A black beer brewed with Roasted Barley malt & Challenger hops, then freshly ground Arabica coffee beans,
	Dark Star	Sunburst 500ml Corncrake Ale 500ml	4.2% 4.1%	A hint of initial sweetness adds to the fruitiness and grapefruit tang of this summer ale.
	Orkney Brewery	Northern Light 500ml		Simple but tasty, light biscuit and citrus flavours This pale straw-coloured beer offers appealing citrus fruits, apricot and hop-resin aromas.
	Orkney Brewery	Blonde 500ml	4.0%	
	Saltaire Brewery Saltaire Brewery	Cascade Pale Ale 500ml	4.0% 4.8%	A straw coloured light ale with soft malt flavours. American style pale ale with the floral aromas and strong bitterness of Cascade and Centennial hops.
	Samuel Smiths	Imperial Stout 330ml	7.0%	Scented and roasted barley nose; complexity of malt, hops, alcohol and yeast.
	Samuel Smiths	India Ale 550ml	5.0%	An exceptionally full-flavoured, complex ale with an abundance of maltiness and fruity hop character.
	Samuel Smiths	Nut Brown Ale 550ml	5.0%	A wonderful balance of roasted crystal malt and aromatic hops.
	Woodfordes	Nelsons Revenge 500ml	4.5%	Rich & floral aromas, sweet Norfolk malts & a burst of citrus hops embody this mouth-watering premium beer.
	Woodfordes	Wherry 500ml	3.8%	Fresh and zesty with crisp floral flavours. A background of sweet malt and a hoppy grapefruit bitter finish.
	Wychwood	Hobgoblin 500ml	5.2%	Smooth, rich & satisfying flavours from chocolate & crystal malts combined with a crisp, refreshing bitterness.
	Wychwood	Scarecrow 500ml	4.7%	A combination of tart citric fruit flavours perfectly balanced by a rich biscuity maltiness.
	Wychwood	Wychcraft 500ml	4.5%	A pale straw coloured, crisp, dry Blonde beer.
	Harviestoun Brewery	Bitter and Twisted 500ml	4.2%	A sharp, blond beer with a superb, fresh hop profile.
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