



# Society of Northeast Ohio Brewers

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*August 2018 Newsletter*

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## **Welcome, New Members!**

We are so happy to have you. Please don't hesitate to ask us any questions you may have. If you're not sure who to approach, talk to one of the [officers](#).

### **July**

Alana Clampitt



## President's Krausening

Paul Klammer

The best thirsts in life are unquenchable. Some of mine are long bike rides (they never go far enough), backpacking hikes (never high enough or long enough), and hanging with distant family and friends (is there ever enough time before goodbyes?).

For most of us, brewing is an unquenchable thirst too. When is the last time you felt that you were all caught up on your plans and don't know or care about what to brew next? From time to time I don't know what book to read next, what music I want to listen too, or where I want to go on my next hike, but as a certified binge brewer deciding what to make next is never a problem. My plans already stretch farther than I ever hope to complete in my lifetime. They even include brewing legacy beers that will last longer than me. This does not stop me from adding to my plans. What makes a person who is already hopelessly behind with their beer brewing plans decide that it's time to get serious about making more ciders, and start making mead, and look into figuring out how to make beer as it was done 150 years ago, and, and, and . . . yeah, I don't know about people like that either. Must be a home brewer!

## August Meeting Topic

August 6 7:30 PM

[Sachsenheim Hall - 7001 Denison Avenue,](#)  
[Cleveland, OH 44102](#)

This month's meeting topic will be dry yeast. Do you swear by vials or smack packs? Have you already embraced the envelope? There will sure to be something interesting for you in this month's presentation.

## SNOBs Night Out

August 16

[Hansa Brewery](#)  
[2717 Lorain Ave, Cleveland, OH 44113](#)

Join us for our August SNOBs night out at [Hansa Brewery](#) in Ohio City, where we will enjoy our latest SNOB Collaboration, an Imperial Berlinerweiss. Thank you to team Hansa, we are looking forward to this one!



## Upcoming Dates

[Click here for the SNOBs Gmail Calendar](#)

### SNOB Meetings and Events

August 6 - Meeting at Sachsenheim

August 16 - SNOBs Night Out at Hansa Brewery

August 27 - September meeting at Sachsenheim (moved due to Labor Day)

September 14-16 SNOBtoberfest

The 2018 meeting dates will continue to be the first Monday of the month, with the following exceptions: January 8, July 9 (due to holiday), August 27 (September meeting), No December meeting due to Christmas party.

### Upcoming Competitions

Aug 18 - [Beer and Sweat](#)

Oct 20 - [Beer for Boobs](#) (Now open for entries!)

Nov 3 - Son of Brewzilla

### Other Events

August 11 - [Brewfest Waterfront District](#)

August 17 and 18 - [Burning River Fest](#)

August 31 - September 3 - [Labor Day Oktoberfest](#)

## Pro-Am Brewing Opportunities

Thank you so much to teams Collision Bend, Working Class, Market Garden, and Hansa! you made some great beer for us to try.

In addition to these teams, Great Lakes, Willoughby and Brick and Barrel have all expressed interest in working with us... so be sure to join! It's a great opportunity to get our club name out there and to see how homebrewing scales up. If you are interested, [sign up here](#).



## July Recap

We did pretty well at the Ohio Brew Week Competition in Athens! Congratulations to Mike Ontolchik, Jessica Ihms, Andrew Mitchell, Jay O'Neill, Greg Irving\*, and Erica Anton for all getting metals and/or honorable mentions. Special congratulations to Mike, who got a honorable mention for best in show, and to Jessica who took home bronze for the Jim Leverentz highest medal winning award.

Our July night out ended up at Beer Women Rock - an annual fundraising event. The beer and the company was great. If any of you happened to win anything they don't need in the raffle, bring it to the next meeting for the SNOBS raffle!

Check out this article about [Beer Women Rock](#) - and about women in the beer industry in general.

## Our 2018 Officers and Chairpersons

				
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## Links and Other Items of Interest

SNOB Member Discounts (coming soon)

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### **2018 Membership Dues**

Single member dues are \$30. Couples are \$50 and as is stated in the by-laws, *dual memberships are only for people living at the same address*. PAY UP YOU CHEAPSKATES! The Membership form can be found at the end of the newsletter. Dues can be paid to Jessica at the next meeting, mailed to her at the address on the form or by using our PayPal link at [beersnobs.org](https://beersnobs.org)

