

BCHA Meeting Minutes

Shelter Distilling

March 20, 2025

Attendees: Eric Svensen, David Sinton, Tricia Winslow (new gal), Ben (new guy), Ken Holsinger, Kim & Jerry Spangrude, Eileen Ray, Tina & Brett Giles, Hannah & Cody Lamphere, Tom Barrett and Terry McCoige

Current Business:

- Approved verbal minutes from the February 20, 2025 meeting with a unanimous vote

Topics:

BCHA- Old enough to drink! Let's have a party! June 14 at Hoover's-planning committee-Ben, Kim, Dave and Terry

Saint Patrick's Day Celebration Review-We made \$1000 less than first year-discussed moving date, doing something for Spring Equinox instead of St. Patty's Day as we run against other events, and weather is iffy. Loved having Big B's there and heaters! Talked about moving band to more mid-range-too far out and will be easier to hook up to electric from Phelanies. Need to line up music much sooner-have a music committee of Tom B, Tricia, and Jerry-will likely need to increase our budget for a band. Will be giving small donations to MABA and Second Chance. Terry suggested we sell customized beer taster coolies at Oktoberfest to get more \$\$.

County Fair Competition-Folks should plan on starting brewing for the event, which is the last week of July! Judging to be held on July 22nd.

Big Brew Day-This event will be held on May 3rd and Pomona will host. Casey will coordinate this event. We are doing a competition with Bookcliff Homebrewers and have developed a recipe with them to use.

MoreBeer Affiliate Program-We have \$26.85 in commissions and \$11.13 waiting for approval

Homebrew Sampling & Feedback-including the Flash Brewing from last meeting

Discussion-Toured Shelter's brewing and Distilling facility

Upcoming events:

April BCHA meeting-April 17, 2025, 6pm, location Dave's place at 17560 Patti Ct, Montrose

Big Brew Day, May 3 at Pomona

May BCHA meeting-May 15 at 6pm at Daniel & Deanna's house, 619 N 1st St in Montrose

BCHA Birthday Bash, June 14 at Hoovers place, 1525 Barbara St, Montrose

July BCHA meeting-July 17 at Eileen's house, 1733 Alder Dr, Montrose

Beer Judging at Montrose County Fair-Tuesday, July 22

Oktoberfest-September 27 from 1pm-5pm at Montrose Amphitheater