

## BCHA meeting minutes

Terry's place, January 15, 2026, 6pm

Attendees: Eric Svensen, David Sinton, Phil DeArcos, Tom Arnold, Matt Landt, Casey Knopp, Jerry Spangrude, Carle Hoover, Phillip MacIntyre, Dennis Murphy, Joe BenHanyon, Eillen Ray and Terry McCoige

### Current Business:

- No minutes from the December meeting to approve

### Topics:

- **Saint Patrick's Day Celebration is now a Membership Drive Fest in the Spring-**
  - We are thinking about May or April. Casey is looking into doing it at the Hop Farm. We'll invite professional brewers to join us and try out brews-so get brewing!
- **Brew for the County Fair! July 21, 2026.**
- **Barrel Projects! Matt and Casey have barrels to fill-look for upcoming emails and join in!**
- **Oktoberfest-** having our first meeting with Look Sharpe, who are running the event. More details to follow. We do know we need more volunteers.
- Ramblebine ProAm-March 6<sup>th</sup> Deadline
- MoreBeer Affiliate Program \$83.98 in commissions
- Homebrew Sampling & feedback on beers and ciders along with other samples!
- Eric-Short discussion on his brew in a bag project

### Upcoming events:

- February Regular meeting-Thursdays, February 19 at 6pm at Eileen's house. We'll highlight Stouts!
- Ramblebine ProAm-Submissions due Friday, March 6
- March Regular Meeting-Thursdays March 19, 2026 at 6pm at Tom Arnold's place. We'll discuss how to log your brewing process.
- April Regular Meeting-Thursdays April 16, 2026 at 6pm, location TBD, Theme: German Style Pilsners
- Big Brew Day-Saturday, May 2, 2026, location TBD
- Love Your Valley Brewfest-Saturday, May 18 from 1pm-6pm at Ridgway Town Park, \$25
- May Regular Meeting-Thursdays, May 21, 2026 at 6pm, location TBD
- June Regular Meeting-Thursdays, June 18, 2026 at 6pm, location TBD. Theme English Style Beers
- County Fair Beer Judging-Tuesday, July 21, 2026 at 6pm at Montrose Event Center