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District St. Louis

Meeting Minutes
Month of: February, 2010

The regular meeting of the MBAA District St. Louis was held February 18, 2010 at the Highlands Brewery. Mike Willerton, Owner of Highlands Brewing Company was our sponsor.

The meeting was called to order by President Marc Gottfried at 5:33 pm.

There were 61 members & guests present.

The Treasurer's report for February, 2010 was read by Tom Zimmerman and accepted on a motion by Rob Lumly and seconded by Mike Chase.

Checking	\$ 4,709.32
General Fund:	\$ 4,731.57
Scholarship Fund:	\$ 7,002.61
Cert of Deposit 1	\$ 2,735.47
Cert of Deposit 2	\$ 2,693.90
Cert of Deposit 3	\$ 2,609.87
Cert of Deposit 4	\$ 2,605.37
Grand Total:	\$ 27,088.11

Communications from National:

There were no communications from National

Vice President's Report: Wayne Brinkman

The 2010 MBAA DSL scholarship was announced and Wayne let the membership know that detailed information on the scholarship is available on the website. Charley Link questioned why the scholarship amount was not higher and why we did not elect to give more of the scholarship funds away. Discussion followed and Wayne said that we will consider changing the amount next year but that the 2010 scholarship awards will be left as is for this year.

Technical Chairman's Report:

None given. We are currently looking to fill this position

Membership Chairman's Report: Rob Naylor

There were 3 guests:

Ray Hill – Hill Brewing Company – Scheduled to open on May 15, 2010
Chris Shea – Morgan Street
Eric Bischoff – Ozark Gas

Social Chairman's Report: Brad Miller

None given. Brad was not in attendance.

Publicity Chairman's Report: Steve Huffman

Steve said that it is his goal to have something about MBAA DSL in every communicator.

Golf Chairman's Report: Dan Jones

This years golf outing will be held on September 24th at Pevely Farms.

Web Chairman's Report: Keith Angle

None given.

Old Business:

None

New Business:

Kelly White mentioned that the home brewing equipment is now available to any MBAA DSL member that has attended the training class. It will be loaned out over one weekend only. The equipment was used for the first time by David Ammons, Mike Stoneburg, Dan Jansen and Wayne Brinkman the last weekend in January and they said that it worked great. They brewed a dark American Ale.

Sponsors Report:

Dave Johnson, Head Brewer of Highlands welcomed the membership. Dave also brews at Buffalo Brewing Company and at the O'Fallon Brewery. He got his start in professional brewing at O'Fallon in 2006.

Dave mentioned that Highlands has 5 beer styles on tap year round and has 5 seasonal beers. He is looking for suggestions for beer styles to put on tap.

Meeting Minutes – January 2010

Darren Goodlin reminded us that the officers were installed at the January meeting that was held at the Anheuser-Busch Corporate theater.

Minutes were accepted on a motion by Sue Simmons and seconded by Brennan Greene.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:10 pm on a motion by Rob Lumly and seconded by Gordon Gosejohan.