

Four Brewers, S2E10 Notes

Speedway Episode

- Start show (00:35)
- John Ryti on the show
- Sara on the show as well
- News that Alesmith is building a big brewery
 - Mikkeller, gypsy brewery will lease Alesmith facility on Cabot Dr.
 - Gonna be very cool
 - Mikkeller collab was a test run for Mikkeller on Alesmith's system
 - Starting their brewery in San Diego. RAD.
 - Fresher beer from Mikkeller
 - Miramar area of SD is getting awesome
 - better for American to get fresh beer from SD rather than Denmark
- Stouts: Beer Geek Breakfast, Beer Geek Brunch, Speedway Stout, Beer Geek Speed, Vietnamese BA Speedway
 - Someone accused us of snubbing Speedway in the BBA blind tasting
 - specified on the show and blog that Speedway wasn't on the tasting because it contains coffee
- Beer Geek Breakfast exploded upon opening (5:02)
 - This was the beer brewed at Anchorage Brewing
 - Maybe Brett in the beer?
 - poured 4 glasses and bottle is still foaming
 - Matt: smell is massively coffee
 - Beer Geek Weasel brewed at Lervig Aktiebryggeri
 - Swedish Chef jokes
 - Foam has settled out of BGB
 - Matt not a fan of this beer
 - over carb'd
 - harsh and rough
 - fermented in oak tanks
 - doesn't taste infected, but very harsh
 - beer may be a dumper

- perhaps brewing at Anchorage affected this beer
- Matt: beers we had were all wild
 - John: not wild, bottle conditioned with brett
- Jason: beer, dark chocolate at the end, really working to get it
- Matt: coffee and pain
- Jason dumping this beer, we all dumped this beer
 - once they're in their own brewery, this may not happen
- Speedway Stout (original) (12:05)
 - Matt's excited for this
 - Jason: this beer shows how hype affects beer sales
 - this beer is awesome, and it's always on the shelf
 - Ten Fidy is awesome as well
 - because the beer isn't wax sealed and released one day a year, it gets lost in the shuffle
 - Matt: beer coming off sweet and fruity, not in a bad way
 - Nagel: light on the tongue
 - Matt: dark fruit, date/fig component
 - TMNT talk
- Beer Geek Speedway with Kopi Luwak (19:04)
 - brewed two different beers and blended, then added kopi luwak coffee
 - talk about kopi luwak coffee
 - talk of humane civet cat bean harvesting
 - Hunger Games talk...
 - Nagel: this beer is more subtle, creamy, drier
 - Matt: coffee pops more
 - #thirdshowthirdshow
 - Jason: two great beers that go well together
 - this blend mellows Speedway
 - Matt: these beers are great together
 - Jason: really good, not a gimmick collaboration
- Beer Geek Brunch Weasel (29:56)
 - #wednesdaywhalezday
 - District 9 Wit
 - brewed in Europe
 - Mikkeller has variations in artwork, seems to change when they brew at different breweries
 - Matt: a little oxidation
 - Recent bottle
 - Jason bought this the day before the show

- This beer is the brunch weasel
- Sara: maple
- Nagel: boysenberry
- Jason: bottle says it has vietnamese coffee
- Matt and Ryti: sweet
- Matt: fig and fruit
- John: amazing how different they are
- Matt: this beer is "inky black"
- Nagel: beer has an iodine reddish color
- John: his least favorite beer of the bunch
 - papery
 - thick mouthfeel, syrup
 - soy sauce
- Patreon talk: even if you can't afford to donate to the show, hanging out on the show IRC, talking on FB, twitter, etc is AWESOME.
- Speedway Stout Barrel aged with Vietnamese Coffee (37:59)
 - Matt: this might be the best variant we had
 - Bourbon barrel aged
 - would have been in the blind tasting if it didn't have coffee
 - Jason: fucking good
 - John: smells spectacular
 - Ryti: I love this
 - Matt: vanilla and toasted almond
 - Jason: compared to regular Speedway, it's so rich
 - Matt: creamy cocoa
 - Nagel: barrel-aged M&Ms - YES
 - Sara: while this beer is fantastic, smells boozy
 - John: tastes great
 - at first a lot of booze and bourbon
 - once you taste it, it's great
 - right amount of heat on palate
 - John loves this beer
 - Jason: this is the cherry on top of the ice cream
 - Matt: awesome
 - gave one to Patrick (Patron) at Escape Brewing
 - Nagel: cellaring coffee beers, the coffee falls off fast
 - Jason: BCBS is overrated
 - Sara: needed more beers in the blind tasting show
- Show wrap up (44:14)

- Nagel's daughter "Ermergerd Blerk Tersder"

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