

May 2019 Brewkettle



RSVP Reminder:

Meeting: May 16th, 2019

Location: Old Bakery Beer Company

Happy Hour: 5:00 pm

Meeting: 5:30 pm

400 Landmarks Blvd.

Alton, IL 62002



Our May meeting will feature Darren Goodlin, owner and founder of Goodlin Process Solutions LLC.

*We would like to thank Old Bakery Beer Company for being our beer sponsor for the evening.

Please RSVP for our Meeting

by Monday, May 13th, 2019 at 5:00pm

<http://www.mbaastl.com/index.php/en/meetings-events>



May Speaker – Darren Goodlin

Our May speaker is Darren Goodlin. Darren spent 27 plus years at AB-InBev, the latter 15 of those managing the process instrumentation technology development and standards at HQ in St. Louis, MO. From 1987 through 2001 Darren scoped, conceived, designed, programmed, implemented and commissioned brewing projects throughout the U.S., Canada and A-B's breweries in UK and China. While in the brewing industry, Darren has directly worked with many integrators, equipment and instrument manufacturers refining and integrating their process equipment and instruments into the majority of brewery processes.

One of Darren's favorite projects was for the University of California at Davis research pilot brewery in 2006 where he designed, fabricated and commissioned the entire electrical and instrumentation system for the 45 gallon Nano-Brewing system. This Nano-Brewery is used to provide hands-on training for the brewing industry's future Brewers and Brewmasters.

In 2013, Darren and his wife LeeAnn started their own engineering and consulting company Goodlin Process Solutions LLC or "GPS" for short, with a motto of "Enabling customers to locate success". Now that Darren is on his own, he is able to work with all brewers, from small to large in helping them

troubleshoot and incorporate methods and technologies to improve their process efficiencies, product quality and consistency.

Darren has been a member of The Master Brewers of the Americas (MBAA) since 1994. For the past 6 years he has been a contributing member of the National Technical Committee and as of November 1st 2018, he stepped into the leadership role as the MBAA National Technical Chair, a three-year term.

April Speaker

Our March event was held at 2nd Shift Brewing. It featured a technical presentation hosted by Roy Johnson with John I Haas, Inc. He discussed the 2019 Hop Industry Update and the MBAA Organizational Update as well as Fred Sheer who discussed high efficiency brewing system. We would like to extend our thanks to 2nd Shift Brewing for hosting this presentation and sponsoring the beer as well as Roy and Fred for presenting.

Membership

Please welcome our newest member(s):

Jim Lamprecht - Foth

Jon Sprenger - Paul Mueller Company

Brandon Alexander – Central Standard Brewing

Scholarship

District St Louis Scholarship:

We have awarded a scholarship for this program year. Applications are being accepted for the upcoming calendar year.

This scholarship can be awarded for further education in brewing, to include but not limited to college courses and certifications.

Requirement and link to online application is available on the website (www.mbaastl.com).

Email Nick Erickson (nerickson@meadobrien.com) to apply or get more information on scholarships.

Future Meetings & Upcoming Events

Signup for these events on our website: <http://www.mbaastl.com/index.php/meetings-events>

If you are interested in sponsoring a meeting please contact Bob Griesedieck (social@mbaastl.com).

You can also sponsor a meeting directly from the event registration site by clicking the “Meeting Sponsor” box under the Additional Options section.

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Old Bakery Beer Company (Alton, IL)

September 19, 2019

Golf Outing (Quail Creek)

***Please contact Tony Toenjes or Eric Schafer regarding golf sponsorship opportunities.**

Local Events

If you have any local news or events you'd like to share, please contact Courtney Kaiser (Courtney.Kaiser@anheuser-busch.com).

- 8th Annual Lupulin Carnival – 4 Hands Brewing Co. – May 18
- Art Outside – Schlafly Bottleworks – May 24-26
- Maifest 2019 – Urban Chestnut Brewing Co. – May 25
- Crawfish Boil 2019 – Urban Chestnut Brewing Company – June 1
- Criderfest 2019 – 2nd Shift Brewing Co. – June 22

Local News

- Schlafly Brewery shifts majority ownership back to the Schlafly family. Read more at https://www.stltoday.com/business/local/the-saint-louis-brewery-shifts-majority-ownership-back-to-the/article_25340509-11f4-530c-9c73-0540891c8cb5.html

Homebrew System

Reminder to our members, our homebrew system is still available for use. Contact Wayne Brinkman if interested at Wayne.Brinkman@Emerson.com.

Available Job Opportunities

MBAA District St. Louis wants to help its members. Please contact us at webmaster@mbaastl.com.