



Zymurnauts

Monthly Meeting Minutes: May 27, 2021

Location: At everyone's house, 5:00 p.m.

Attendees:

- Martin Carts
- Kenny Christian
- George Davis
- Matt DeLand (secretary)
- Scott Glubke (treasurer)
- Wendy Lindboe
- Sean McCartney
- Tom Northcutt (vice-president)
- Kevin Schenk (president)
- Mary Wallace

Topics:

Zymurnauts ICC Down-select

Many thanks to Wendy for hosting the Zymurnauts ICC downselect picnic on May 21. Everyone agreed that all of the club submissions were very good! We all appreciated the opportunity for some companionship (and fresh popcorn).



Inter-Center Competition

Scott reminded everyone of the plans for the ICC, which will be held using a hybrid format. Jailbreak will host the Best of show judging on June 5. Members are welcome anytime after 12:00, and judging will happen between 1:00-3:00. The initial results will be distributed live through a Teams link.

Postscript (because the minutes are late again): There were lots of excellent beers submitted. Sean's Wee Heavy earned honors in the "Strong British Ale" category. Congratulations to all!

Crab Feast

Kevin discussed further plans for a Zymurnauts crab feast at Rockburn Branch Park in Elkridge (Howard County) on Saturday, September 18. The focus will be towards club family members and friends this year. We will arrange a similar catering plan to supplement the delicious crabs from Casey's. As an encouragement to home-brewers, the club will reimburse the ingredient cost for anyone who brews a batch of beer and brings it to share.

Swag Poll

Matt talked briefly about some of the options that are available. Minimum order is a consideration, since we don't really need 250 of anything. Smaller items (such as bottle openers) are best suited for a simplified one-color version of the club logo, but it's also nice to get something like a koozie that shows the full color design. Matt will do some further research to pin down some sample prices.

Hop Garden

While GSFC access is still limited, the front row of the hop garden has been cleaned and lines have been put up. Some bines have shoots, so we hope to have a crop this year!