

Winners - 2025 Badger Brewoff

Table 1: Standard American (9 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Jordan Vaughn	Homegrown	American Lager	Mashout Boyz
2nd	Jeremy Metras	Beer	American Lager	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters
3rd	Michael Petrick	A.I. Emojis	American Wheat Beer	Three Rivers Alliance of Serious Homebrewers (TRASH)

Table 2: Malty Lager (7 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Jonathan Marut	Maisy's Marzen	Marzen	Horsemen of the Hopocalypse
2nd	Thomas McGloine	Schwarzblitz From Kitz	Schwarzbier	Saratoga Thoroughbrews
3rd	Joe D'Auria	Slow Down You Crazy Child	Czech Amber Lager	

Table 3: German Wheat (6 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Jonah Blanchard	Three Weiss Men	Weissbier	Morris Area Society of Homebrewers
2nd	Dave Stordahl	Havest Weissbier	Weissbier	
3rd	Jonathan Marut	Hope's Hef	Weissbier	Horsemen of the Hopocalypse

Table 4: Spiced/Alternative (13 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Pete Graham	Pepper Wit	Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer	Foam Blowers of Indiana (FBI)
2nd	Dave Taylor	Felt Cuke, Might Dill-Ete Later	Spice, Herb, or Vegetable Beer	Keystone Hops
3rd	Gary Nidetz	Saisfon	Alternative Grain Beer	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters

Table 5: Mead (12 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Ryan Vigne	The Sweet One - Kiawe Blossom	Sweet Mead	Pittsburgh Mead Makers And Homebrewers
2nd	Clint Cissell	BerryBomb	Berry Mead	Boneyard Union of Zymurgical Zealots (BUZZ)
3rd	Brian Biggs	Zeppelin's Bootleg	Berry Mead	Dead Yeast Society [LA]

Table 6: Historical/Wood (8 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Adam Reynolds	Gratz Thuringa	Lichtenhainer	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters
2nd	Thomas McGloine	Bundoran Oak Stout	Specialty Wood-Aged Beer	Saratoga Thoroughbrews
3rd	Jeremy Metras	Old Time Lager	Pre-Prohibition Lager	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters

Table 7: Pale Bier (13 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Pete Graham	Heaven Beside You... Helles Within	Munich Helles	Foam Blowers of Indiana (FBI)
2nd	Aaron Mathieu	Sunnyside Blonde	Blonde Ale	The Bru Club
3rd	Duane Buscher	New Zealand Pilsner	New Zealand Pilsner	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters

Table 8: Amber/Brown (13 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Ryan Mallet	Say Nut Again	British Brown Ale	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters
2nd	Michael Petrick	Fall Fashion	American Porter	Three Rivers Alliance of Serious Homebrewers (TRASH)
3rd	Yvette Steyn	Pint-Sized Partridge	Dark Mild	Boneyard Union of Zymurgical Zealots (BUZZ)

Table 9: IPA (11 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Taylor Shastid	Up On A Quasar	Double IPA	Diablo Order of Zymiracle Enthusiasts (DOZE)
2nd	Duane Buscher	Imperial Black IPA	Black IPA	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters
3rd	Jordan Vaughn	Cold Koura	Specialty IPA	Mashout Boyz

Table 10: Farmhouse (8 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Michael Bonfanti	Knickpoint	Saison	North Florida Brewers League
2nd	Ryan Vigne	Back 2 Bruges	Saison	Pittsburgh Mead Makers And Homebrewers
3rd	Gary Nidetz	La Vraie Affaire	Biere de Garde	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters
HM	Evan Boullosa	Bad & Brugee	Belgian Golden Strong Ale	San Antonio Cervecedores

Table 11: Strong Beer (8 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Ryan Mallet	Rabble Rouser	English Barley Wine	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters
2nd	Yvette Steyn	The Big Beautiful Grainbill	Wee Heavy	Boneyard Union of Zymurgical Zealots (BUZZ)
3rd	Michael Borchert	Mike's Founder's KBS	Commercial Specialty Beer	Beer Barons of Milwaukee

Table 12: Monastic (8 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Keith Blanchard	Cerberus	Belgian Tripel	Morris Area Society of Homebrewers
2nd	Michael Borchert	Mike's Belgian Dark Strong Ale	Belgian Dark Strong Ale	Beer Barons of Milwaukee
3rd	Taylor Shastid	Bombadil	Belgian Dark Strong Ale	Diablo Order of Zymiracle Enthusiasts (DOZE)

Table 13: Fruit/Sour (6 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Pete Graham	Catharina Sour	Catharina Sour	Foam Blowers of Indiana (FBI)
2nd	Ryan Vigne	Back 2 Bruges (Red Haven Peach)	Fruit Beer	Pittsburgh Mead Makers And Homebrewers
3rd	Pete Graham	Tropical Sour	Wild Specialty Beer	Foam Blowers of Indiana (FBI)

Table 14: Cider (7 entries)

Place	Brewer	Entry	Style	Club
1st	Shawn Brady	Dabinett And Porter's Perfection Cider	English Cider	Madison Homebrewers & Tasters
2nd	Dave Taylor	Perfect To The Core	New World Cider	Keystone Hops
3rd	Aaron Pigors	Cellar Dweller	English Cider	Illiana Beer Rackers Union (IBRU)