

2nd WILLIAMSBURG CASK ALE FESTIVAL

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BEER MENU WITH DESCRIPTIONS

New York City's cask ale revival Also known as 'real ale', cask-conditioned ale (or, sometimes, lager) is unfiltered, unpasteurized craft beer served without any forced carbonation pushing it to the tap, served either by gravity-dispense straight from a tap hammered into the front of the cask, or by use of a beer engine (also known as a 'handpump' or 'handpull') - a simple manual pump clamped to the bar. It is beer as was standard prior to modern kegging and chilling techniques, benefitting from the natural soft carbonation, lack of extraneous CO₂, and a serving temperature where it can be tasted properly. Cask ale or lager is beer in its natural state, and should be served at around 54 degrees Fahrenheit for optimum mouthfeel. Carbonation is natural and soft, coming from the yeast as it continues to ferment the beer in the cask. Recently, there has been a dramatic increase in the popularity and availability of cask-conditioned beer - unsurprising as it is the cream of the rapidly expanding craft beer industry. Over 50 bars and restaurants in New York City now have permanent cask availability, up tenfold from one decade ago.

Alex Hall has been running regular cask beer festivals at various locations in the New York area since 2003 (and since 1996 in the U.K.), check online for regular updates

and additional information at: www.gotham-imbiber.com

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INTRODUCING THE WORLD PREMIERE OF THE NEW JERSEY BEER COMPANY HERE AT THIS EVENT

THE THREE NEW JERSEY BEERS FEATURED HERE ARE THE FIRST BEERS EVER TO BE ROLLED OUT OF THE BREWERY GATES - AND THEY'RE CASKS!

Dark Horse 'Boffo Brown Ale'

5.5%

Style: *American Brown Ale*

From *Marshall, MI*

A smooth brown ale with a full bodied backbone of malt and other delicious flavors. Very rare to find in New York.

\$4.00 - 10oz / \$6.00 - 16oz / \$7.50 - 20oz

Dark Horse 'Plead the 5th Imperial Stout'

12.0%

Style: *Russian Imperial Stout*

From *Marshall, MI*

Big, black, and full bodied with lots of roasted malt flavor, balanced with plenty of hops to put this bold imperial stout in a league of its own.

\$5.00 - 10oz / \$8.00 - 16oz / \$10.00 - 20oz

Fuller's 'London Pride'

4.1%

Style: *English Best Bitter*

From *London, England*

A well-balanced, classic best bitter with moderate citrus hop notes. Far superior on cask to the far more common (filtered) keg version.

\$4.50 - 10oz / \$7.00 - 16oz / \$8.50 - 20oz

Fuller's 'E.S.B.'

5.5%

Style: *Extra Special Bitter*

From *London, England*

The iconic beer from London: the original E.S.B. The creamy mouthfeel has a complex but subtle mix of hops, toffee, and a touch of marmalade.

\$4.50 - 10oz / \$7.00 - 16oz / \$8.50 - 20oz

The Livery 'Karhu I.P.A.'

6.5%

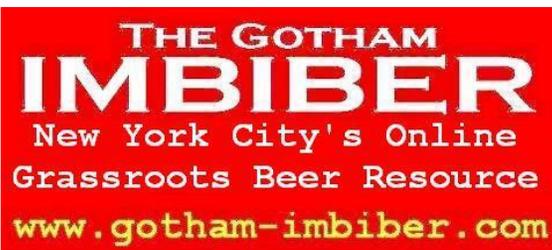
Style: *American I.P.A.*

From *Benton Harbor, MI*

Light copper, this IPA is generously hopped, and dry hopped with a combination of Chinook, Amarillo, Centennial, and Mt. Hood. Karhu is Finnish for bear.

\$4.50 - 10oz / \$7.00 - 16oz / \$8.50 - 20oz

- Michigan 'High Seas IPA'** 7.4% *Style: American I.P.A.* *From Webberville, MI*
 A pale gold brew with a tempting floral aroma. Very hoppy (hopped with Northern Brewer and Cascade) with notes of citrus fruit prominent.
\$4.50 - 10oz / \$7.00 - 16oz / \$8.50 - 20oz
- Michigan 'Russian Imperial Stout'** 12.0% *Style: Russian Imperial Stout* *From Webberville, MI*
 Very bold, black, dense imperial stout which is full bodied with roasted barley, coffee, chocolate, and alcohol coming through.
\$5.00 - 10oz / \$8.00 - 16oz / \$10.00 - 20oz
- New Jersey '1787 Abbey Single Ale'** 4.8% *Style: Belgian Pale Ale* *From North Bergen, NJ* **- MAIN BAR -**
 Celebrating when New Jersey became the nation's third state in 1787, this approachable, refreshing session ale is quenching and delicious.
\$4.00 - 10oz / \$6.00 - 16oz / \$7.50 - 20oz
- New Jersey 'Hudson Pale Ale'** 5.8% *Style: American Pale Ale* *From North Bergen, NJ* **- MAIN BAR -**
 The brewery's flagship pale ale has a bright, hoppy nose, and is hoppy on the palate with a smooth, refreshing finish.
\$4.00 - 10oz / \$6.00 - 16oz / \$7.50 - 20oz
- New Jersey 'Garden State Stout'** 6.6% *Style: American Stout* *From North Bergen, NJ* **- MAIN BAR -**
 Dark and full-bodied, brewed with Belgian dark chocolate malt and just enough hop character to balance.
\$4.50 - 10oz / \$7.00 - 16oz / \$8.50 - 20oz
- Shawnee 'Session Mild'** 4.2% *Style: English Pale Mild Ale* *From Shawnee-on-Delaware, PA*
 Refreshing, highly-drinkable, malt-forward ale with a pronounced hop character. This is a rare opportunity to try this style of beer, uncommon in the U.S.
\$4.00 - 10oz / \$6.00 - 16oz / \$7.50 - 20oz
- Shawnee 'Bourbon Double Pale'** 7.2% *Style: English I.P.A., barrel aged* *From Shawnee-on-Delaware, PA*
 This interesting bourbon barrel aged I.P.A., 100% organic, has a smooth but complex mouthfeel and is dry hopped in the cask with organic Palisades.
\$4.50 - 10oz / \$7.00 - 16oz / \$8.50 - 20oz
- Southampton 'Biere de Mars'** 6.5% *Style: Biere de Garde* *From Southampton, NY*
 A clean, smooth, spring thirst quencher brewed with Saaz, Magnum, and Goldings hop varieties and two different yeasts strains.
\$4.50 - 10oz / \$7.00 - 16oz / \$8.50 - 20oz
- Stoudt's 'Double I.P.A.'** 10.0% *Style: Double / Imperial I.P.A.* *From Adamstown, PA*
 This is a strong, full-bodied ale with an intense hop character and deep golden color. Bittered with Warrior hops, with the Cascade and Willamette varieties imparting aroma.
\$4.50 - 10oz / \$7.00 - 16oz / \$8.50 - 20oz



Please drink responsibly, and never drink and drive

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