

Judge Camp After Action Report
12/3/07

General

- (1) 12 oz bottle was good for 6 attendees
- The knowledge of style was better known than the taste of the style
- The curriculum was excellent. The experiments work out most effectively.
- Having a major presentation on mead was a high point for many of the judges who had limited education and experience with mead. It clearly highlighted a large need in the North West for mead training.

Impediment to future classes

- Contact method for BJCP members is not easy. New email program will help. I am looking forward to its implementation.

Good Points

- Notebooks added a lot of class. Everybody took them home
- Diplomas the same
- A second master plus helped add validity and knowledge base to the training.
- The East and West coast instructors added a lot as each region has there strengths.

Bad Points

- Saturday college football caused a noise problem in the pub
- Ran out of cups 40 beers X 21 people is over 500 cups, rinsing solved the issue
- Black food coloring is hard to work with. Nice if it was a dropper style. Made the head greenish silver. Scraped the head off.