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BOCK Gets Sneak Preview of Rock House Brewing

Rock House Brewing isn't open yet, but co-owners and BOCK members Merna Brown and Kevin Richey welcomed Lexington's homebrewers inside anyway for BOCK's September meeting. Attendees were treated to a tour of the new brewery and tap room, which is coming along quite nicely! Be sure to watch Facebook for info on their grand opening, and stop by for a beer when they open.

Next month's meeting will be on October 10 at Lexington Beerworks.

Primary Fermenter Harck Pickett gave the announcements:

1. Tim Rosenberger, the superintendent of the Kentucky State Fair's homebrewing competition, was at the meeting to give out awards to BOCK members who won best of show awards. See below for more!
2. Harck mentioned the bulk malt order, which is now full and will have been delivered by the time you read this. Another order will be done in about six months.
3. Some dates of interest:
 - October 15 is the BOCK picnic (BOCKtoberfest). Dinner will be at around 5:00 – BOCK provides meat and a vegetarian protein; please bring a pot luck dish to share – and is followed by beer and homebrew sharing/tasting and much merry making. The location is 5551 Sulphur Well Road, Lex-

ington, KY 40509. Please plan to camp out if you're going to be drinking (or even if you're not!) or arrange for transportation home. Family is welcome! Please RSVP [here](#).

- October 23 is the Iron Mash and is hosted again by [Kentucky Mudworks](#) and Tony Aiken. Please see your email for an overview, and be sure to sign up [here](#)!
4. Speaking of Iron Mash, Kentucky Mudworks is mere feet away from Lexington's newest brewery, Mirror Twin, which will be open by the time Iron Mash takes place. BOCK's November meeting will be at Mirror Twin, also.
 5. Lastly, the exBEERiment exchange took place at this month's meeting. Thanks to Nathan Harrison at Life Brewpub and to everyone who participated!



Calendar of Events

October

October BOCK Meeting

Monday, October 10, 7:00pm

[Lexington Beerworks](#)

BOCKtoberfest

Fall BOCK picnic and camp out

Saturday, October 15

5:00pm until whenever you wake up

Oktoberbest Homebrew Competition

Norwood Community Center

1810 Courtland Ave

Cincinnati, OH 45212

<http://maltinfusers.brewcompetition.com/>

Iron Mash

Sunday, October 23, 8:00am

[Kentucky Mudworks](#)

Sign up [here](#)

Cost: \$15 per 5 gallon batch

November

November BOCK Meeting

Monday, November 14, 7:00pm

[Mirror Twin Brewing](#)

BOCK Brewers Take Home Top Honors at Kentucky State Fair

Kentucky State Fair Homebrewing Competition Superintendent Tim Rosenberger was on hand at this month's meeting to award two of BOCK's own for winning Best of Show honors at this year's state fair.

Greg Pulver won Best of Show in Meads and Ciders for his 40E Specialty Cider and Perry. Ryan Smalley's 22A Strong American Ale/Double IPA won Best of Show in Beer.

Congratulations go to Greg and Ryan! Thanks for representing BOCK. And thanks to Tim Rosenberger for all your hard work!

