



Fitchburg Order of Ale Makers
Homebrew Club
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MEETING MINUTES

Date:	January 15, 2021
Location:	Zoom
Present:	Mike, Sharon, Mark, Jess, Scott, John, Ryan, Mike, Greg, Lori and Steve.
Food:	N/A
Beers Sampled:	HOME BREW: N/A COMMERCIAL: Long Trail Double Bag
Old Business:	<p>Club moving forward will continue meetings online until the Covid numbers go down and/or the weather gets nicer.</p> <p>We voted at the last meeting to withhold dues this year.</p> <p>Style Competition will be held in May.</p> <p>Steve mention doing an equipment swap.</p> <p>Sharon mentioned getting together to brew together in May. Big Brew Day would be fun. Sharon offered to have it at her and Mike's house.</p> <p>Ingredient Competition will be held in October. We drew the ingredients tonight and they were as follows: Mark – Vanilla John – Oats Bob – Mint</p>

	Scott – Cranberry Ryan – Pumpkin Luke – Caramel Steve – Molasses Sharon – Cocoa Nibs Greg – Honey Mike – Cherries
New Business:	Scott gave a presentation on Alt Bier. It was very cool. Chimay Cinq Cents will be the BOM next month. Bull Spit is opening a new location in Winchendon. Matt B. sent an email about malt. If you are interested in ordering malt, please contact Matt B.
Treasurer's Report:	\$443.47
Webmaster's Report:	Status quo. Mike will move it to a new domain.
Raffle Winner:	N/A
Quaff Quote:	"Sometimes when I reflect back on all the beer I drink I feel ashamed. Then I look into the glass and think about the workers in the brewery and all of their hopes and dreams. If I didn't drink this beer, they might be out of work and their dreams would be shattered. Then I say to myself, "It is better that I drink this beer and let their dreams come true, than be selfish and worry about my liver." – by Jack Handy
Adjourned:	7:48 p.m.