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# President's Message

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As the temperature starts to turn cold, or at least it is supposed to, celebrations are starting to unfold. A few weeks ago, Teela and I hosted a Halloween party at our house to show off our new back yard and the entire club was invited to attend to help us celebrate. The party kicked off at 6pm on October 24<sup>th</sup>, with a potluck style dinner and a costume contest later that night. There were several categories of costumes that were voted on: Funniest, Most Original, and Best Overall. There were several costumes that could have won any of the 3 categories, but here are the winners. The funniest costume went to "Good in the Sack"; Most Original went to "Penisourous"; and best overall was split between "The Flintstones".

## Next Meeting

Tuesday, November 11 at 7 pm. At **Stein Fillers** 4160 Norse Way Long Beach 90808 562-425-0588 brew@steinfillers.com http://www.longbeachh omebrewers.com



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As always, Happy Brewing!

Josh

### 2014 Monthly Style Schedule

Here are the styles for each month.

**November:** Barleywine (cat. 19B-c) **December:** Winter Specialty (cat. 21b)

## Tastings at the October meeting (Scottish and Irish)

Ray G.	Cherry Oaked Stout		
Brad B.	Biere De Garde		
Dick E.	Irish Stout		
Josh P.	Wee Heavy		
Juan M.	Pumpkin Ale		
Enrique P.	Imperial Stout		
Michael	Gluten Free for some reason		
Randy W.	I. Porter		
Adam W.	Cherry Sack Mead		

### **Website Updates**

#### **By Jon Silvertooth**

As some of you know, I have taken over maintaining the club website (<u>http://www.longbeachhomebrewers.com</u>), so I wanted to share some of the changes that have been made in the past few months.

1. The styles of the month for 2015 have been chosen and posted to the site. Come take a look to see what we'll be doing in our upcoming 2015 meetings and prepare for the 2015 Homebrewer of the Year competition.



2. We have added a new area on the site named "Competition Central". This area has listings for all of the upcoming local homebrew competitions and relevant information for each (cost per entry, closest drop-off location, official site for registration, etc...). In addition to listing upcoming competitions, we'll be keeping track of and giving a shout out to members who place in these competitions. This is just for fun and bragging rights, and we hope everyone enjoys seeing how club members are doing in local competitions.



3. You can now always find the newest edition of the Brews Telegram on the site, as well as archives going back to January or 2013. If I can find more editions, I'll increase the size of the archive.

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