

MASH  
Monthly Meeting

August 28, 2025





**Welcome**  
**New Members**



# Club Finances

## Balance Sheet

Miami Area Society of Homebrewers

As of Aug 26, 2025

Report Type: Accrual (Paid & Unpaid)

# August BALANCE SHEET

ACCOUNTS	Aug 26, 2025
<b>Assets</b>	
<b>Cash and Bank</b>	
BankUnited	\$1,840.00
Cash on Hand	\$168.62
PayPal	\$827.92
<b>Total Cash and Bank</b>	<b>\$2,836.54</b>
<b>Other Current Assets</b>	
<b>Total Other Current Assets</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Long-term Assets</b>	
<b>Total Long-term Assets</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$2,836.54</b>



# Club Finances

## AUGUST CASH FLOW



## Cash Flow

Miami Area Society of Homebrewers

Date Range: Jan 01, 2025 to Aug 26, 2025

### CASH INFLOW AND OUTFLOW

Jan 01, 2025  
to Aug 26, 2025

Operating Activities	
<b>Sales</b>	
Coconut Cup Entry Payments	\$2,921.17
Member Dues	\$427.76
Sales	\$376.00
<b>Total Sales</b>	<b>\$3,724.93</b>
<b>Purchases</b>	
Coconut Cup Expenses	-\$1,307.48
Competition Entry Fee Reimbursement	-\$515.00
Medal Incentive	-\$500.00
Special Events	-\$520.20
Utilities	-\$208.33
<b>Total Purchases</b>	<b>-\$3,051.01</b>
<b>Inventory</b>	
<b>Payroll</b>	
<b>Sales Taxes</b>	
<b>Other</b>	
<b>Net Cash from Operating Activities</b>	<b>\$673.92</b>

# First Coast Cup

**Rafael Dubois**  
Gold (2) & Silver

**David Kirsten**  
Gold & Bronze (2)

**Jim Walsh**  
Gold & Silver

**Dan Smyth**  
Silver

**Macorix Perera**  
Silver

**Adam Reynolds**  
Silver



**A Fantastic Result . . .  
Including a sweep of the Smoked Beer Category!**

Brewer Name	Medal	Style
Rafael Dubois	<b>MHP</b> 1st	32A: Classic Style Smoked Beer
Adam Reynolds	<b>MHP</b> 2nd	27: Historical Beer
Dave Kirsten	<b>MHP</b> 3rd	27: Historical Beer



**BEER COMPETITIONS**

# Commander SAAZ

David Kirsten

Bronze (2) & Silver

Gary Fuller

Silver

Rafael Dubois

Bronze

Dan Smyth

Bronze



# Brewer of the Year (BotY)

Standings (As of August 26, 2025)

## Intra-Club Standings (Style of the Month)

Macorix Perera – 24 Points  
Jim Walsh – 22 Points  
Dan Smyth – 19 Points

## Florida Circuit (BJCP Competitions)

David Kirsten – 40 Points  
Rafael Dubois - 32 Points  
Gary Fuller - 23 Points

## NHBC & Other BJCP Competitions

Adam Reynolds – 35 Points  
Macorix Perera – 6 Points  
Rafael Dubois & David Kirsten - 3

## Brewer of the Year!

Adam Reynolds – 56 Points  
David Kirsten – 51 Points  
Rafael Dubois – 48 Points





# There are only two competitions remaining in the 2025 Florida Beer Circuit

## Sunshine Challenge

Entry Window – Closed

Entry Delivery Deadline – **September 7<sup>th</sup>**

Awards Ceremony – **October 5th**



## Best Florida Beer

Entry Window Opens – **September 19<sup>th</sup>**

Entry Delivery Deadline – **October 3rd**

Awards Ceremony – **November 2nd**



# Florida Homebrew Circuit Standings



## Homebrewer of the Year

MASH has two folks in the top ten!

Brewer Name	Total Points	Rank
Buddy Greer	29	1
Joshua Willard	28	2
Eric Rodriguez	26	3
JJ Ocampo	25	4
David Fetty	23	5
Dave Kirsten	22	6
Kit Lindsay	22	7
Rafael Dubois	20	8
Stephen Schmitt	19	9
Mike Thompson	18	10

## Homebrew Club of the Year

Fifth in the state!

Club Name	Total Points	Rank
Brewers Anonymous (Orlando, FL)	259	1
Hogtown Brewers (Gainesville, FL)	193	2
Cowford Ale Sharing Klub (CASK) (Jacksonville, FL)	160	3
Pinellas Urban Brewers Guild (Seminole, FL)	149	4
Miami Area Society of Homebrewers (MASH) (Miami, FL)	93	5





# Big Brew Day Competition 2025



This is a club versus club competition. Which AHA registered homebrew club in the USA can brew the best version of the official recipe?

## Winners of the Competition (First, Second, and Third-place clubs)

- Will have their homebrew club featured in *Zymurgy* Magazine
- Will have all entry fees donated to their designated charitable organization.
  - First-place winner: 50% of all entry fees.
  - Second and third-place winners: 25% each of all entry fees.

## Schedule of Events

- 10/20/2025: All entries must be received.
- 11/08/2025: Big Brew Day Competition

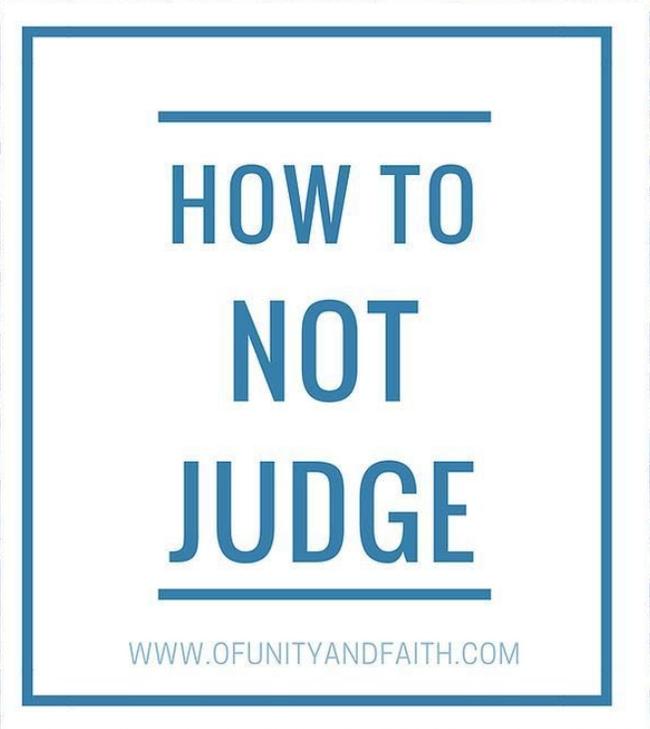
**\*\* MASH entry to be determined at September meeting. \*\***

As of today, there are 13 entries.



# BJCP Judging 101

Rule #1: Judges should speak to each other!



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I received these comments from two  
Separate judges in a recent competition:

## Irish Red

**Judge #1:** A little on the thin side.  
Balanced toward sweet malt with just a hint of grassy hops.

**Judge #2:** Definitely a fuller body for an Irish red.  
I enjoyed it, but it was a bit full bodied and heavy on the hops.





# Upcoming Beer Events

## Ft Lauderdale Firefighter's Oktoberfest

Saturday, September 20th (2:00 - 6:00 p.m.)  
309 SW 26th St, Fort Lauderdale

## Oktoberfest Miami

October 10 - 12 & October 17 – 19  
German American Social Club  
11919 SW 56<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami  
<https://oktoberfest.miami/>

## Dania Beach Oktoberfest

Saturday, October 11th (6:00 – 9:00 p.m.)  
Casino at Dania Beach  
301 E. Dania Beach Boulevard  
<https://daniabeachoktoberfest>





# Upcoming Beer Events



## North Miami Brewfest FIU

Saturday, November 8, 2025 (4:00 – 8:00 p.m.)

NOMI Village - 12351 NW 7th Ave, North Miami

<https://www.northmiamibrewfest.com/>

## Taste of Dania Beach

Saturday, January 10, 2026

TBD

## Woop Woop 4

Saturday, January 24, 2026

Bay 13 Brewery

65 Alhambra Plaza, Coral Gables



# New Business?



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## Coconut Cup 2026

- Date?
- Location?
- Raffle / Swag
- Competition Organizer
- Head Judge
- Cellar Master



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## Officer Elections 2026

- Nominations (November)
- Election (December)
- Positions:
  - President – Plan & Conduct Meetings
  - Vice President – BotY Competition
  - Secretary – Meeting Minutes
  - Treasurer – Cash Management
  - Events Coordinator – Fun!
  - Webmaster – Formerly Known As Librarian



September BotY Style:  
British Bitter

**SEE YOU NEXT MONTH!**

