



Dapto Show - Calling All Home Brewers

The regions two locally owned and produced commercial beer Companies, Longboard Pale Ale and The Illawarra Brewing Company join forces this year to proudly align as the sponsors of the 155th Annual Dapto Show - Home Brew section. The 155th Dapto show will this year celebrate the 15th Anniversary of the home brew section .

The two award winning Beer Companies will become the ongoing sponsors of this section of the show, and are encouraging all home brewers of the Illawarra to enter. “ the great thing about home brewing is there is no right or wrong “ says Longboard’s owner Brendan Bate, who will stand on this years judging panel, alongside Bate will be head brewer from IBC, Shaun Blissett.

“Home brewers are creative - they like to interpret, therefore whilst we will follow a basic set of flavour and character guidelines, our judging will not come down to a wrong or right entry. Every entry will be right, just some will be better than others.

There are cash prizes and a majestic trophy on offer for the overall winner. Enter into one or all of 6 categories. The 6 categories are:

Lager / New
Pale Ale
Dark Ale / Old
Stout
Bitter / Pilsner
Other (Ginger beer, Cider, etc...)

A full array of award winning beers by the sponsors will be able to be tasted at a special presentation of the awards to be held at the Dapto showground on Friday evening, 20th January from 5.30pm.

The bar will be open for a few hours to carry out the presentation and the boys from IBC and Longboard will be there, so our contestants can try a real local craft beer at it’s best “

Entries close on Tuesday 17th January, 2012

Entry Forms and Entry Conditions Available at www.daptoshowground.org.au or contact Dapto Show on 4261 1080 or admin@daptodogs.org.au for more details