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2013 Pacific Beer Expo Lineup Announced

Hashigo Zake takes pleasure in announcing the provisional list of beers that will be available for tasting at the 2013 Pacific Beer Expo on October 27. A few entries await final confirmation and one or two will be added to this list.

While arguably every beer can be considered a highlight in its own right, certain beers will have extra interest. Not least of these is **Our Turn Your Turn** - the collaboration between locals Yeastie Boys and Massachusetts' Pretty Things, which is a pale wheat ale with Lindenflower added.

The list include three beers from Singapore, one from Japan, three from Australia, fourteen from New Zealand, fifteen from the US and one international collaboration.

In terms of styles, there are seven IPAs or Imperial IPAs, three saisons, four flavoured wheat beers and ten porters, stouts or imperial stouts.

Adherents to the archaic Reinheitsgebot, or German Beer Purity Law, will be squirming, with many of the beers imbued with additional flavours from adjuncts such as pink pepper, mace, rosehips, orange peel, chillies, civet cat coffee and hemp.

Meanwhile anyone daunted by the promise of big and extreme flavours can be reassured that there are also at least seven beers with alcohol levels at or below 5%.

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Baird Kurofune Porter

Ballast Point Black Marlin Porter with Chipotle, Cocoa Nibs & Orange Peel

Ballast Point Fathom India Pale Lager

Ballast Point Sea Monster Stout

Ballast Point Victory at Sea

Baylands Pacific Sunset

Behemoth Hopportunity Cost IPA

Fitzpatrick's American Brown Ale

Fork & Brewer/Brayden Rawlinson MoonBlink

Four Horsemen of the Hopocalypse

Funk Estate Pinky and the Grain

Garage Project Weasel Cah Phe Dah

Golden Bear IPAL

Green Flash Citra Session IPA

Green Flash Saison Diego

Green Flash Serrano Double Stout

Jungle Kiasu Stout

Jungle Nutmeg and Mace Steam Lager

Jungle Tropical Wheat Orange and Mango

Kereru Pohutakawa Golden Ale

Left Coast Boardwalk

Left Coast Tommy Session Ale

Liberty/Hallertau KomissionA

Lobethal Double Hopped IPA

Mike's Hemp IPA

Murray's Wild Thing
Nail Clout Stout
ParrotDog Barrel Aged SleuthHound
Pretty Things/Yeastie Boys Our Turn Your Turn
Renaissance Barrel Fermented Grizette
Rogue Chocolate Stout
Southern Tier Compass
Southern Tier Crème Brulee
Speakeasy Big Daddy IPA
Speakeasy Prohibition Amber Ale

Food will be provided by **Ruth Pretty Catering**. The menu includes:

- Turmeric Chicken Satay with Caramelised Peanut Sauce and Flatbread
- Mocha Crème Brulee
- Rugelach with Apricot, Walnut and Chocolate

Attendees at the festival will all receive a fine piece of **Spiegelau** stemware, etched with the festival logo, for tasting and taking home.

“With all attendees receiving a generous allocation of tokens to kick-start their sampling, the 2013 edition will consolidate the Pacific Beer Expo’s reputation as the most unashamedly elite, but at the same time best value, beer festival in New Zealand.” – Dominic Kelly, Festival Director.

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