



Ingredients & Stats

Grain & Adjuncts: 2-Row Malt, Victory Malt, Munich Malt, Caramel Malt 20L

Hops: Cascade, Mosaic, Simcoe, Citra

Yeast: House English Ale Strain

ABV: 5.6%

IBU: 48

SRM: 8

Flavor Description

Expect a huge blast of hoppy aromatics with notes of tangerines, mangoes, and grapefruit. The light toasted malt character and bready sweetness is balanced by a gentle bitterness, finishing dry, fruity and dangerously delicious. Imagine all of the hop character and flavor of a great IPA with a lower alcohol content and without all that pesky bitterness!

What's in a Name?

“Dear Old Dixie” is a famous tune by Flatt & Scruggs. Earl Scruggs (banjo) was from North Carolina and he along with his counterpart Lester Flatt helped to change the face of bluegrass music in the 40s. We started brewing this beer to celebrate the International Bluegrass Music Awards that will have their residency in Raleigh until 2016.

History of Style

Many contribute the hopped-up American Pale Ale style to Jack McAuliffe from New Albion Brewing in California (now defunct) in 1976. It was a vigorously hopped pale ale with loads of Cascade hops. The American Pale Ale is based off of English Pale ales only with citrusy American hops, higher bitterness, a touch more alcohol, and a cleaner malt profile.

Availability: Apr-Sept; Draft, Growlers, Cans.

Age-ability: No! Drink fresh!

Vegan-friendly: Yes, we don't use animal products in this beer!