



## **World Gluten Free Beer Award 2018**

### **RULES OF CONTEST**

#### **1. Admission of the beers**

1.1. All beers marketed as "gluten-free" are eligible to enter the competition. The participating beers must be regularly on the market on the date of registration. The commercialization of beers can take place in any country in the world;

1.2. It is allowed to participate with beers produced with naturally gluten-free grains, or beers produced with malted barley/wheat deglutinate (less than 20 ppm);

1.3. The beers will be recorded in the the following categories:

- Category A: low and high fermentation - low alcohol content (<5.5%);
- Category B: low and high fermentation - high alcohol content ( $\geq$  5.6%);
- Category C: low and high fermentation - hopped, spiced and special beers.

1.4. The breweries have to decide in which category enter their beers.

#### **2. Judges**

2.1. The jury will be composed of beer tasters, journalists and sector experts;

2.2. The jury will make a blind test of the beer. Will be reported only the style of inspiration, the alcohol and particular spiciness and flavorings if reported in the notes by the breweries.

#### **3. Judging criteria**

3.1. Each beer can get at the highest score of 50 points for each judge, under the following items:

- Appearance (color, clarity and foam) = 10 points;
- Aroma = 20 points;
- Taste = 20 points.

3.2. The style will not be relevant for purposes of voting. Is required, however, the declaration of a style inspired to the proper beer tasting by members of the jury.

#### **4. Winners**

4.1. The jury will decide the top three winners in each category (high scores);

4.2. The winners will be announced during the event BEER ATTRACTION (Rimini, from the 17th to the 20th February 2018).

#### **5. Participation fee**

5.1. Participation fee, including the first beer, is € 80,00 + vat\*;

5.2. For each additional beer, after the first one, the participation fee is € 50,00 + vat\*.

#### **6. Registration**

6.1. Participation is possible by completing the registration form;

6.2. Registration will be valid only after payment of the participation fee of all beers in competition. The payment will be made with credit transfer to:

**Associazione Nonsologlutine Onlus**  
**Banca Monte dei Paschi di Siena**  
**Agency 3 Salerno**  
**IBAN: IT 80 Q 01030 15203 000000476787**  
**Cause: WGFBA 2018 – < Brewery >**

#### **7. Delivery of beers**

7.1. For every beer in competition should be sent 4 bottles of 33cl (or other kind of bottles with the same quantity of total beer);

7.2. The bottles must be sent to the following address:

**NONSOLOGLUTINE c/o Alfonso Del Forno**  
**Via Carlo Tramontano, 54 A1**  
**84016 Pagani (Sa)**  
**Italia**

**Cellulare: +39 3317726990**

**Delivery time: not later than the 7th February 2018**

*\* VAT applies only to the subscribers with the Italian tax regime.*