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## **CA State Fair & Food Festival Announces 2022 Commercial Craft Beer Competition Awards**

**SACRAMENTO** – The winners of the CA State Fair & Food Festival Commercial Craft Beer have been decided. The Central Valley, Northern, and Southern California all have reason to be proud. With the help of volunteers, 70 certified beer judges sampled approximately 900 beer entries that came from California breweries throughout the state.

The CA State Fair & Food Festival Commercial Craft Beer Competition recognizes the best brewers in California. Only beers brewed and available for sale in California were judged in the competition. Beers are evaluated in numerous classes and judged based on taste, color, and quality.

Judging took place over a 4-day period from June 22-25. On the last day, an expert panel of judges named the Best of Show and Brewery of the Year. The Best of Show was awarded to Angel City in Southern California for their American-Style Cream Ale “CA Blond”. Brewery of the Year went to Dust Bowl Brewing Co in Turlock, who received three golds and one silver. A complete list of Commercial Beer Competition winners can be found [here](#).

There will be a chance to taste the top brews during the CA State Fair & Food Festival Best of California Brewfest on Saturday, July 20. Brewfest starts at 2:00 p.m. for VIP ticket holders and 3:00 p.m. for general admission. Tickets for Brewfest can be purchased [here](#). The 2022 CA State Fair & Food Festival runs July 15-31. For a full list of competition results, visit the CA State Fair & Food Festival website at [CaStateFair.Org/Participate/Competitions/](https://CaStateFair.Org/Participate/Competitions/)

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