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# Oktoberfest

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**Oct 14th**  
**4:30 pm - 8 pm**



**Emeryville, CA.**

2000 Powell St.  
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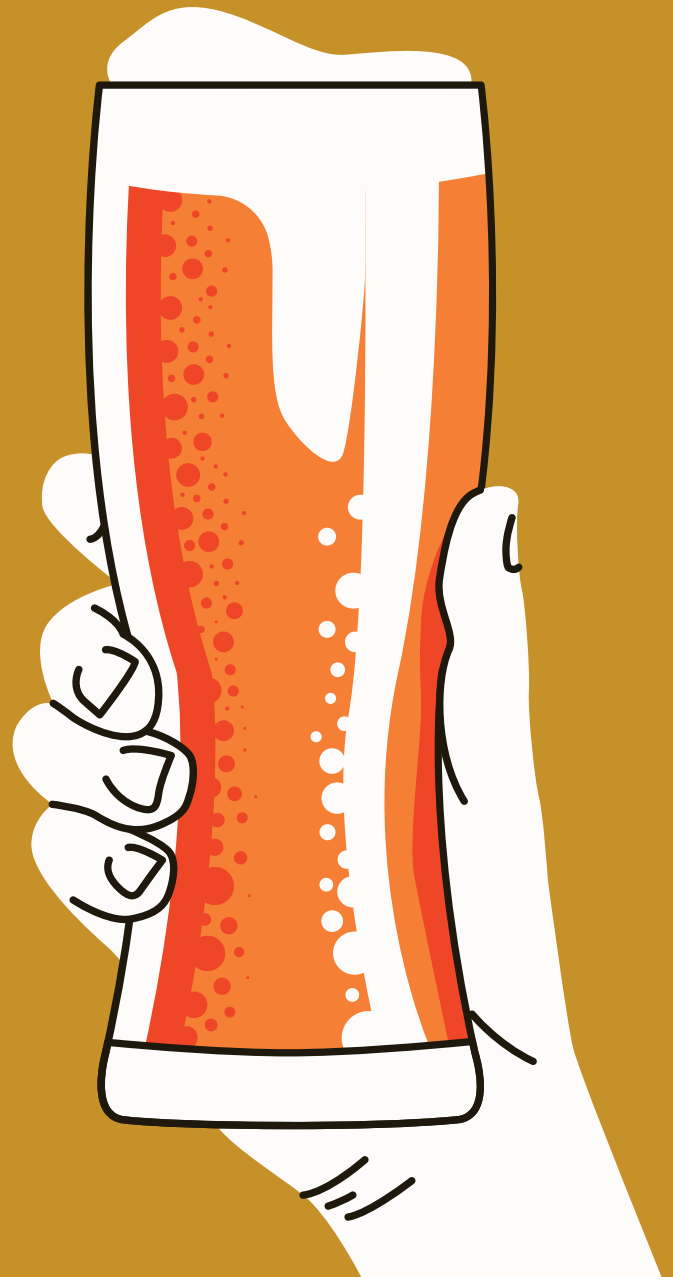
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*Wondrous*  
BREWING COMPANY  
EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA

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## Schedule of Events, 10/14

4:30 pm - 5:00 pm      Registration

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5:00 pm                      Presentation by Dr. Glen Patrick Fox of UC  
Davis on the Science of Fermentation

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5:30 pm - 6:00 pm      Dual Presentations by Dr. Charles Denby and  
Berkeley Yeast on their Genetically engineered  
yeast strains and customized solutions as well  
as a guided tasting by Wondrous Brewing

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6:00 pm - 8:00 pm      Dinner and Festivities

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## Home Brewer Competition

Join our Home Brewer competition, where we will be crowning an overall crowd favorite to receive bragging rights and the honor of having their name engraved on the annual ISPE Home Brewers Cup Championship Trophy!

Participation by the Home Brewers is for non-ISPE and ISPE members and is complimentary. Please contact [thomasandrialynn@gmail.com](mailto:thomasandrialynn@gmail.com) to sign-up for the Home Brewer Competition.

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# Special Guest



## Wynn Whisenhunt

*Wondrous*  
**BREWING COMPANY**  
EMERYVILLE, CALIFORNIA

Wondrous Brewing Company owner and brewer Wynn Whisenhunt grew up in the East Bay Area, and has been brewing beer professionally in Northern California for about 13 years. Thanks to his friends and family at the time, he found a unique passion for brewing early in his life, started home brewing, and soon after, he found himself enthralled with working as a brewer in a commercial brewery at the age of 17. By the time he was 21, he was off to Chicago, IL and Munich, Germany to attend the World Brewing Academy and obtain his International Diploma in Brewing Technology. He spent the following years working at breweries big and small, from Lagunitas Brewing Co. in Petaluma, CA to Sante Adairius Rustic Ales in Capitola, CA. During this time he honed in on what his brewing style would be and dreamt of building a brewing facility of his own. Wondrous Brewing Company opened in May of 2021 to create beers through passion and inspiration, implementing a culture of community, creativity and tradition.

# Special Guest



## Dr. Charles Denby



Charles Denby is a scientist turned entrepreneur. He received a PhD from UC Berkeley in yeast genetics and genomics, and then trained as postdoc with Dr. Jay Keasling, where he engineered yeast to make biofuels. Charles' hobby as a homebrewer propelled him into entrepreneurship. While in Jay's lab--being fully dissatisfied with the state of commercial brewer's yeast and utterly confused by how stagnant the industry had been--Charles began bioengineering prototype yeast strains that were capable of creating delicious flavors while fermenting beer in an otherwise normal brewing process. Charles co-founded Berkeley Yeast with the goal of using modern synthetic biology to help brewers make better beer with a more sustainable process. With grants from the US government (NSF, USDA, NIH), and investment from venture capital, Charles has spent the last 5 years building Berkeley Yeast with an unstoppable team of other science-minded fermentation enthusiasts. The company now sells bioengineered yeast to hundreds of breweries and wineries across the country.

# Special Guest



## Dr. Glen Patrick Fox

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Dr. Glen Fox's areas of research are barley, malt and brewing quality. His current research focus is on starch structure and its impact on wort and beer quality. Another research interest is using a number of 'omics platforms to understand the complex biochemical changes during malting and brewing and the final compositional profile of beer. In 2018, he was made a Fellow of the Institute of Brewing.

Dr. Fox has a PhD in plant genetics and biochemistry. He was a Post-Doctoral Fellow at Stellenbosch University in South Africa and has also worked on projects in Kenya, Ethiopia and China.

He has numerous book chapters and over 100 peer reviewed journal articles. He was the senior editor of the book "Achieving sustainable cultivation of barley" Burleigh Dodds Science publishing. Dr. Fox is co-author of "Scientific Principles of Malting & Brewing Science (2nd ed)" with Professor Charlie Bamforth, which is to be published in 2023.

He is associate editor for the journals Master Brewers Association Technical Quarterly, the Journal of Near Infrared Spectroscopy, and the Journal for the Science of Food and Agriculture.

Professor Fox is in charge of the undergraduate and graduate brewing programs, the August Busch III pilot brewery and Sierra Nevada Brewing Co research laboratory.

He has supervised over 50 graduate students and he has received awards for excellence in graduate teaching and research.

Professor Fox is also the Academic Director of the Master Brewers Certificate Program as well as an instructor for the UC Davis Continuing Professional Education brewing courses.

# Oktoberfest Call for Volunteers!



We seek volunteers for Oktoberfest on October 14th, 2022. If you are interested in volunteering for this incredibly fun event, please sign up today by completing the Volunteer Sign-up survey!

[sign up here!](#)



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