MBAA – District Milwaukee Meeting

Location: Good City Brewing Company, Milwaukee, WI
Date: 1/25/2018

Officers Present:
- David Gunn
- Kris Kalav
- Ashley Kinart-Short
- Joe Kolodzinski
- Gary Luther
- Tom Volke
- Joe Walts

Officers Absent:
- Philip Goodloe
- Brian Loughrey
- Gretchen Wilson-Kalav

Joe W called the meeting to order and thanked Good City.

President's Report (Joe Walts):
- No minutes from the November meeting. Motion to skip the reading of minutes was approved.
- Confirmed that we voted during the November meeting to increase District dues from $15 to $25.
- This year's scholarship was awarded to Joe Straitiff of Great Central Brewing in Chicago, who plans to take the Brewing & Malting Science course.
- MBAA/WBG joint Technical Conference will be March 1st – 2nd in Green Bay.

Treasurer's Report (Tom Volke):
- Lost $346 on last meeting.
- Currently have $5,100 in checking account and $31,500 in savings account for total of $36,600.
- Investments are up $2,100.

Arrangements Report (Kris Kalav in place of Gretchen Wilson-Kalav):
- None.

Membership Report (David Gunn):
- Introduction of new member Rob Yale.

Heritage Report (Gary Luther):
- Read the proceedings of an early meeting.

District BOG Representative's Report (Kris Kalav):
- MBAA podcast needs support in terms of financial contributions and subjects.
- Brewing Summit 2018 (combined MBAA & ASBC) will be in San Diego on August 12th – 15th.

Condolences (Tom Volke):
- Joe Power of the Siebel Institute and Alltech passed away.

Old Business:
- None.

New Business:
- Old World Wisconsin will be holding historic brewing demonstrations this summer.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:04 pm and followed by a presentation given by Emily Kultgen of MillerCoors titled "On-the-job Training: Lessons from my first year as a brewing microbiologist". The presentation was followed by dinner and hospitality.