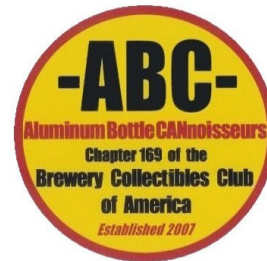




The Aluminum Bottle Times



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Wow, where do I begin? A lot has happened since our last newsletter. What with the CANvention in Springfield, a tour of the Exal plant in Youngstown (by a few lucky members) and our co-sponsored show in Indianapolis it has been a busy few months for us bottle collectors.

Okay, let's start with the CANvention in Springfield. What a turnout! According to the stats given during the General Business Meeting on Friday morning, there were 655 BCCA members in attendance. The main hotel was filled, and half of the hotel across the street was as well. The trade floor at the convention center sold out with over 425 tables. What a turnaround from last year. Although aluminum bottle trading was brisk, the hot item at the convention this year was definitely Bud Light's Team Pride cans released in 28 different football team colors. I haven't seen such frenzied trading for current cans in well, forever. Another hot item seemed to be Micro or Craft Brewery cans. More and more craft breweries are in the act of canning their beers, and if you were smart enough to bring along your locals, they moved. It just goes to prove, that the current can hobby is alive and kicking. Probably the most sought after aluminum bottle at the Convention was the LA Angel's Budweiser version as very few showed up

Some chapter highlights at Canvention 39;

- Our own John Fatura #015 took the reigns as BCCA President.
- Tom Hull #036 not only won the 2009 BCCA HOF Award, but he also won the Don Hicks Presidential Award.
- Eight International chapter members representing four countries attended.
- All three chapter members running for BCCA BOD's won a seat.
- Juan Carlos De Marco #031 from Argentina presented our chapter an award from COLCER, the breweriana club of Argentina.

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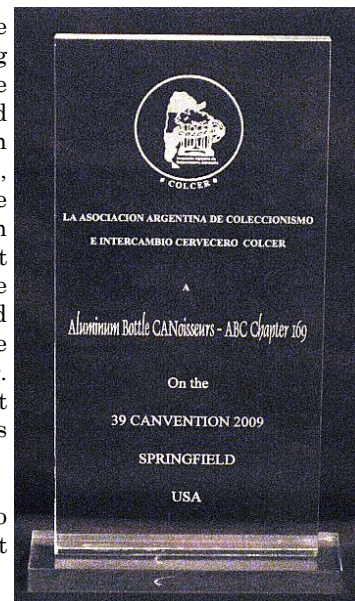
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On 23 Sep., Butch Kroskey #008, Bill Viancourt #132, Steve Stone #151 and I, were invited to take a tour of the Exal bottling plant in Youngstown, Ohio. Talk about a jaw dropping – eye opening experience! For about an hour and a half you would have thought we were four little kids in a candy store. Although we were a small group, Operations Manager Paul Goodemote, and Plant Manager Tom Chupak treated us like royalty while they conducted our tour. Viewing the process of producing an aluminum bottle from start to finish really gives you a different perspective on your collection. Steve has written a great article pertaining to our trip, so I won't go into anymore detail. I would personally like to thank both Paul and Tom for taking the time out of their busy schedule to conduct such an informative tour. Outstanding gentlemen! Hats off as well to Exal's receptionist Patricia Roupe for setting things up with Butch which made this trip possible in the first place. A truly good time was had by all.

Unfortunately I didn't make our co-sponsored show in Indy, so hopefully Brad will have something on that, so until next time.....



ABC Secretary/Treasurer's Report

Butch Kroskey ABC# 008

Chapter membership has increased since CANvention and now stands at 165. Since we are in the middle of renewals, it is hard to tell what our retention rate is, however we should have some solid numbers for you next. We have had 13 new members join since the last issue and renewals are going very well, so the number should be pretty good.

Renewal Dues Cycle and Rates:

We started our renewal dues process this September. The dues are still \$5.00 per year and a family member is \$1.00. Hard copy mailings are an additional \$10.00 for delivery in the US. As always, you can pay for multiple years. Payment can also be made by PayPal. I will be in contact with anyone who still owes dues.

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If you find any mistakes they were put there on purpose to make sure you read this column.

Butch

Aluminum Bottle CANnoisseurs Financial Summary 10/19/2009

Balance 9/10/09 **\$1160.69**

Income:

Renewals	\$520.09
New Members	\$80.00
T-Shirt Sales	\$60.00
Tote Sales	\$144.00
Crown Bottle Sales	\$37.00
CANvention Raffle	\$535.00
Total Income	\$1376.09

Expenses:

Total Expenses **\$0.00**

Balance 10/19/09 **\$2536.78**

Reconciliation:

Bank Statement 10/19/09	\$2176.00
PayPal	\$95.09
Savings	\$5.00
Pending Transfer	\$260.69

Total Funds on Hand **\$2536.78**

This covers the financial period 9/10/09-10/19/09

Butch Kroskey #008
Secretary Treasurer
Aluminum Bottle CANnoisseurs Chapter

A Little Newsletter Help!

Brad Ambruso ABC# 007

In an effort to cut some of the newsletter hard copy mailing costs, your editor is looking for a little assistance. We currently have 17 members receiving hard copies. Not a problem, just starting to get expensive. With the price of paper, ink, postage, etc. always on the upswing, the costs are exceeding our set charges.

I don't claim to be a printer and the hard copies are being run off on an inkjet printer at this time. One of the possible ways to reduce costs is to ask the membership for a little help. Is there anyone in the chapter who has access to pro printing equipment and/or a quality laser printer? Would you be willing to take on the task of printing and mailing the newsletter every quarter if the costs could be kept to the current \$2.50 per issue, including postage?

I would also ask that any member currently receiving hard copies and they have internet access or have recently acquired it, to drop the hard copies and go with the electronic version. Any member doing this will be granted a free year of dues and any current hard copy fees paid will also be credited toward dues. (i.e. you just renewed at CANvention so the \$10 mailing fee will credit your membership till 10/12 plus 1 more year, good till 10/13) This offer is good only until Jan 2010. Remember also that our website is currently under construction and all the newsletters will be readily available there, so an active email account won't even be necessary, just access to a computer from time to time.

Of course one of our other options is to raise the price of hard copy mailings. Not what we want to do, so again, any help or ideas would be greatly appreciated.

South America to Springfield

Juan Carlos De Marco ABC# 031

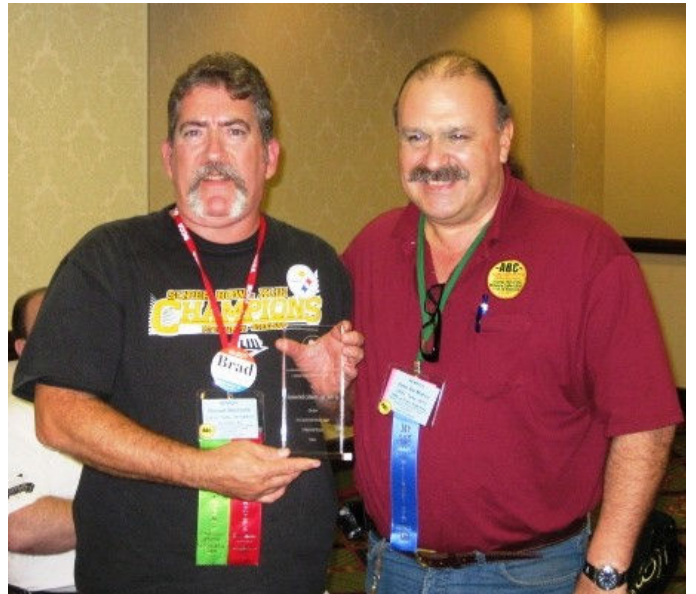
Obviously thirty-nine years in only one undefeatable direction, makes that calling power of CANvention unstoppable.

On the bicentennial anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's birth the city of Springfield, Illinois dressed up to receive more than 700 collectors from the USA and other places worldwide. The amazing Hilton and the not any less luxurious Abe Lincoln Hotel were sold out thirty days before the event all but guarantee a massive attendance.

The local Convention Center, a multifunctional giant covered space, comfortably held all the collectors and their various beer items. They offered up all kinds of articles with the usual buy/sell/trade and tables full of attractions, those two days on the trade floor for just didn't let up.

There were several well known faces of collectors worldwide. Like Herbert Heiduck and his very gentile wife (Herbert just sold three of his most important thematic collections, to some others breweries, in more than one million dollars each), who promised to attend our next CERVEXPO in Rosario, Argentina 2010; Ron from South Africa (who will also be coming); Tom Hull elected for BCCA Hall of Fame; and collectors from Canada, Australia, England, Czech Rep., and logically Adriano Duarte from Brazil, and me from Argentina. I don't have the words to explain the enormity of such reunions, and all that it meant to me.

Several of the BCCA's largest and most known Chapters had their official meetings, renewed their authorities in exclusive spaces especially arranged for them. Multiples invitations on rooms of BCCA board member's candidates, receptions to visitors from foreign countries, "room to room" going full time; microbrewery tastings, different raffles, conferences, religious ser-



ABC'ers from all around the world

vices, parties, and all type of unbelievable activities, made it well worth the price of the attendance. Obviously all surrounded by unlimited beer.

Together with Adriano we promoted CERVEXPO to all the members; placed a banner inside the Convention Center, and got several positive answers. Talking about our ABC Chapter, the purple shirts were all over, showing our strong presence. The meeting kept the attention of most members present, as Bob and his board conducted perfectly.

I really believe that all beer items collectors MUST, some time in their life, know this marvelous reunion, were the friendship is always present and make a journey to CANvention.

From Billet to Bottle

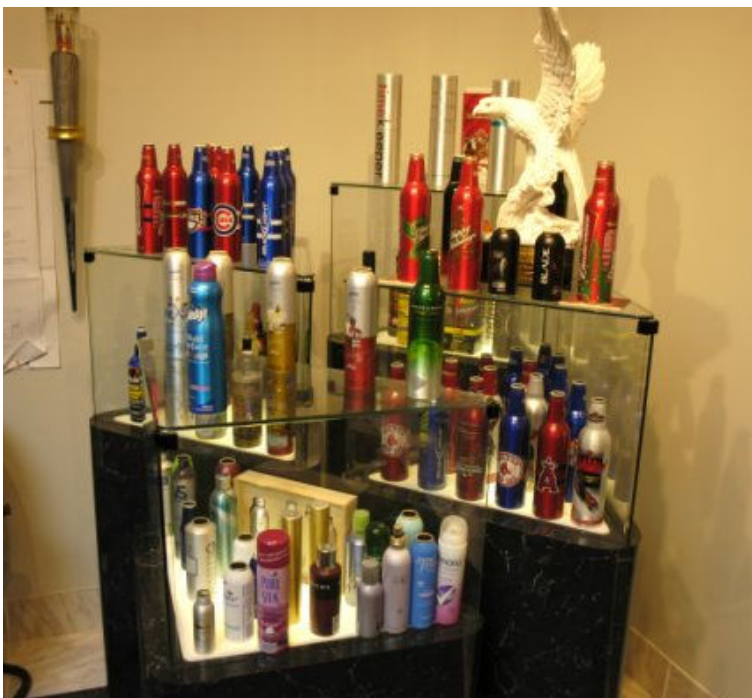
Steve Stone ABC# 151

That little symbol on the Aluminum bottles we collect has a new meaning to four ABC members after this week. Bob Renforth (ABC #1), Butch Kroskey (ABC #8), Bill Viancourt (ABC #132) and I, Steve Stone (ABC #151) attended a tour of the EXAL factory in Youngstown, Ohio. We were able to meet the men and women that create the bottles that fuel our passion. From the conference room to the packaging department, we saw it all!



Upon arrival we were greeted with a smile by Patricia Roupe, Director of First Impressions Executive Assistant at Exal Corp, and escorted into a conference room containing some never before seen bottles. A ten ounce "B to the E," a twelve ounce Corona, even a scratch and sniff Bud Light Lime bottle!

There were also some prototype bottles, screw tops, semi extruded bottles and the billet pucks from which all bottles are made. In addition to their glass display shelves, Exal has black light cases to accent their creations that light up with the flip of a switch. It was almost too much to take. The true collector would appreciate this room alone, but our tour had much more to offer. After drooling over several bottles and making our "wish lists" we were greeted by Paul Goodemote, Operations Manager. Paul explained



some of the prototypes to the group along with the process of extruding Coke bottles, hairspray containers and screw top containers. After some short explanations about the extrusion process, we were greeted by Tom Chupak, Plant Manager and Exal employee for over 16 years. Both Tom and Paul spent ample time talking to us about the process at Exal and learning about our ABC Chapter.

It was now time for the tour. Paul handed out some Budweiser ball caps and we entered the plant. The first thing that struck our eyes was the maze of bottles going up and down the walls. They looked like a giant serpent weaving its way from one end of the plant to the other. Tom explained that nine production lines run at this plant. The A/B products are made on lines eight and nine. As we went on, one couldn't help but notice how clean the plant is; nothing is out of place and there is no dust on anything. On our way to the A/B lines we walked past other operating lines and watched as the bottles silently passed by.

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As we got to the first step of the process, our peaceful walk was interrupted by the thunder of an extrusion press. The floor is eight feet thick and rumbled with every strike of the press. Here, a billet puck was passed around for everyone to see. The billet pucks are 99.7% pure aluminum. The pucks go from a large hopper into a drum that tumbles them and adds a wax like lubricant. They then fall into a tray that leads into the extrusion press where several tons of force push the puck through a hole and over a mandrel. The billet pucks are now cylinders. They leave the press and travel over to the next step of the aluminum bottle manufacturing process.

At the trimming machine, the open end of the cylinder is cut to length. From here they go to a sanding and polishing machine. This step puts a non-directional finish on the cylinder and makes it smooth to the touch. The cylinder travels thru a washing station, then to a gas fired drying furnace. The next stop is a food grade coating, triple sprayed, on the inside of the cylinder. Once dry, they are ready for some color. One by one the cylinders get a clear primer applied to the outside. Then each cylinder conveys its way to the ink transfer machine. To add the designs we study, the cylinders are spun to match the speed of the ink drum and all of the colors, words and pictures are applied at the same time. Blink and you'll miss it.

The cylinder's graphics are applied at the rate of two to three cylinders per second. They leave this and travel to the oven to cure. Once cured, they get treated with a sealer coat on the outside, then one final trip to the oven. In between each one of the stations there are accumulators. They store cylinders in the event that there is a jam or a machine needs to be stopped. These machines don't often get a break, however, as they are operated 24-7-360.



After the new ink job they find their way over to a sixteen-step extrusion machine. Pound by pound the cylinder's tops are reduced until the cylinders are transformed into the shape we're familiar with. The cylinder, now shaped like a bottle, leaves and travels past a camera that inspects each one to ensure the shapes and lips are correct. Any bottles that do not meet the strict standards of Exal are pneumatically rejected into a bin, crushed and recycled. Only the best bottles are then washed, dried, banded and stacked on a pallet for packaging.

On this side of the plant, they take the empty bottles and package them into fifteen or twenty four pack cases (the ones you see at the store). They are then stacked, wrapped and shipped to the brewery to be filled and capped.



Tom Chupak (left) and Paul Goodemote

From billet to bottle and from bottle to your collection we have experienced it first hand. The thunder of the presses, the delicate work of the ink transfer machine and to the bottle shape we all know. Exal has done it right and will continue to do so for years to come. On behalf of all ABC members, I would like to thank the men and women that work at the Exal plant in Youngstown, Ohio for the warm welcome. We are appreciative of your time, hard work and your knowledge. A special thank you to Patricia Roupe, Paul Goodemote, and Tom Chupak, for the extra effort you put into that day. This day will forever live in our memories.

The UnCANvention

John Krupnik ABC# 089

I could not go to the CANvention this year. BUT, that was the same week that the new Mountain Dew 'Green Label Art' Volume 3 cabottles were released in my area.

A new distribution marketing ploy was developed by Pepsico for the release of these bottles. The common set of 6 in Volume 3 were distributed as usual. These were distributed to 'Small Format' stores. Not to Wal-Mart which is 'Exclusive Large Format Distribution'. Volume 3 includes (from left to right) 'Scarecrow Genie (pushead)', 'Mechanized Revolution', 'Beware Mountain', 'Ocean of Dew', 'Ups + Downs' and 'Wake Up!' (this is a textured bottle).



The seventh 'Chase' bottle ('Pieces of Eight") was distributed with the other 6 bottles, but only 1 chase bottle was inserted in approx. every 5 cases. This bottle is very cool in that there is what appears to be lightning on the face. If you take this bottle and view it's reverse image in a mirror, (pictured below) look closely and there is a Latin phrase "Sum Principium et Finis" that translates into "I am the beginning and the end"

On the Saturday of CANvention, when the CANventioners were on their way home. I went on a 12 hr. hunt for these bottles. Straight through the heart of Green Label Art country. (as it turned out, my timing was perfect because this was the only place in the world that these bottles were available at retail!). I started out by filling out 70 sets of the common bottles, lots of time spent hand-picking the 'mint' bottles from

scores of scratch and dents. Picked up a few 'lightning' bottles during the first leg of the journey- Then I visited every little 'Ma and Pa' store searching for just the 'lightning' bottle. Ended up with 16 for the day. Quite a fun hunt! And the last 'hunt' of it's kind because now the word is out. The 'Chase' bottles will be lucky to make it past the store's owner. Happy Hunting!



International Acquisitions

Bob Renforth ABC# 001

As Convention time approaches, one tends to focus on what they may add to their collection. Most everyone brings their wish lists so they can easily identify what they need at a moments notice. You never know what treasures you just might find in that dollar box. For us aluminum bottle collectors, the last few years seemed plentiful for picking up new bottles. With the reduction in bottles at AB-InBev and Iron City dropping from the scene this year, pickings were slim for domestic bottles. The same can't be said internationally though.

These three photos represent the sixteen international bottles I picked up at this year's Convention. Not a bad haul, when you consider they came from just four sources. I knew I had two bottles coming from Canada via Larry Sampson #073 and Ed Toop #068, and I knew both Juan Carlos De Marco #031 from Argentina and Adriano Duarte #163 from Brazil both planned on bringing some on their flights in. I just didn't know what or how many. The one source I hadn't counted on was my one time fellow BCCA Newsletter columnist, Terry Dunn from Ohio. He brought me several that he had acquired while doing his column this past year. And yes, I even purchased a few.



With these acquisitions, I increased my International Collection by forty percent. Adding to this part of my collection turned out to be the highlight of my trip and to those who helped me, I thank you!



What's New

Jerome (Spinney) Spindler ABC# 006

Hi everyone I hope you all enjoyed Convention as much as I did, it was great to see all the new cans and old as well, and see your friends and make new ones.



For new bottles this month we have a Miller Chill with some changes, look at the pictures to the left. The bottle on the right is the new bottle. Wording below Chill ,(Chelada Style) is now in green and arranged differently. This is the third variation that we know of so far. # 834832

Then from 16 Mile Brewing Company in Georgetown, Delaware we have two new beers. The first is an Amber Sun Ale. It is a Traditional Amber Ale with an initial roasty flavor followed by a sweeter finish with just the right bitterness.

Second we have Old Court Ale. An American Pale Ale that is a lighter boulder brew with a citrus hop aroma and carmel finish. Production on this one began in late summer and is out already in limited quantity. Both these bottles are availed in a new 22 ounce bottle which is sharp looking and would make a nice addition to your collection

Later Spin



Foreign Bottles

Juan Carlos De Marco ABC# 031

Obviously the breweries were not going to be able to get away from the global crisis. The recession seems to have caught them all and really slowed down the new releases in cabottles. Not only has A-B slowed the regular production, but major companies outside USA have kept the traditional containers, and are placing aluminum bottles in the freezer expecting better market conditions down the road.

Anyway a few have appeared (thank God), so we have something to keep us going. They are:

1) SPAIN: a) Estrella Damm, again with artistic local designers from Catalunya, new to the market is "Chicks on Speed" Salvador Dali's influence is more than evident. b) Isleña is a local brewery in Ibiza island, one of the best beaches and places on the Mediterranean. Very attractive design and good taste for their first appearance.

2) FRANCE: Heineken with another beauty, "champagne shape", with a special touch the silver background instead the usual green.

3) CANADA: A "test" cabottle from Molson. Some of them were available in Springfield at the Convention. In my particular opinion, the test cabottles made by the brewery are perfectly collectibles and give a collection a special touch.



What's New in A-B?!

Brad Ambruso ABC# 007

I won't even say it, even though A-B releases seem to be few and far between anymore. Well I kind of said it, alright it's SLOW. Since the baseball series absolutely nothing new has been released. It's a good thing I collect cans in addition to the bottles, as I could start to have withdrawals.

Thanks to the guys taking a trip to visit Exal an oldie but a goodie did show up. It's a 10oz B^E prototype bottle (B to the E name changed later to Bud Extra). The bottle was never put into production and unless Exal decides to have a garage sale, it will probably never show up. The bottle is almost identical to the glass design A-B had out a few years back. Too bad it was never produced, as it would have made a great addition to the shelf. I'll just have to add it to the wish list.



B^E
Prototype

500135
10oz non-redem



Bud Light (Splash) 501425
16oz non-redem

A couple of variations have shown up. Bud Light 'Splash' design 16oz non-redemption 501425 has been spotted at retailers here and there. Bud Select also has another Puerto Rico bottle to go with the new design from a few months back. The 16oz 501396 bottle has been verified and as usual it'll be a tough one to find. And Michelob Ultra 16oz non-redemption 501256 has finally shown up.

Nothing new on the horizon for A-B except the United Way 09 bottle has been rumored to possibly be released again this year. No info on design change or anything, so we'll just have to wait and see what happens.

A Few Pics from CANvention



The Prairie Capitol Convention Center proved to be an awesome venue



Gary Brinkmeyer ABC 055 takes a few minutes to fill out raffle tickets



ABC'ers made their presence well known at CANvention

Mark Pallito ABC 139
on the morning shift at the Chapter Table



Butch Kroskey ABC 008 and Bruce Gregg ABC 003
take care of some chapter business



ABC Chapter Meeting
after long day on the trade floor

ABC Third Chapter Meeting Minutes

Bruce Gregg ABC# 003

The meeting was opened at 5:03 p.m. by Chapter President Bob Renforth #001. Introductions of the officers and all present were made. Bob made a highlight of all international members.

Bob outlined the meeting agenda in the following order:

1. Upcoming Officer – Board Member switch. Effective with the end of this 2009 CANvention, Bruce Gregg #003 resigned as Secretary Treasurer and will assume a position on the ABC Board. Butch Kroskey #008, ABC Board member, will assume the office of Secretary Treasurer. Bruce thanked the members for allowing him to serve as ABC Secretary Treasurer. He stated that he really enjoyed his time as S/T and that he definitely felt that the ABC is an outstanding group.
2. Committee Chairs – Jerome Spindler #006 will assume a new position of Supply Chairman. It is hoped that he will be able to develop a support staff located throughout the country.
3. Web Site – Brad Ambruso #007 will now start his focus on an ABC Chapter Web Site. He will focus full bore now, get a URL and Go All Out. Steve Stone #151 does web site work as his business and will help in this effort. As a start, the Web Site will be designed to include our Roster listing, Cabottle pictures, a supply page, a member's only section, and a Forum. Target completion is by the end of 2009.
4. Shirt Designs – President Bob asked if we should go to a new design, a change to our maroon color, or keep things the same. Members are to e-mail officers and board members with their opinion and a decision will be made at a later date. Comments were made that larger sizes were needed.

Secretary Bruce Gregg #003 read the 8/29/08 meeting minutes from Orlando, Florida. Bruce also gave a 9/10/09 Secretary Treasurer's Report highlighting the current status of membership numbers and finances.

Gary Brinkmeyer #055 asked about Boomer's #013 health. President Bob commented that Boomer's health was good and that he said hi to all.

Vice President Tobi Hicks #005 urged everyone to sell raffle tickets and highlighted some of the items to be raffled.

There was no Old or New Business.

Announcements:

- President Bob commented that there were 3 ABC members running for the BCCA Board of Directors: Brad Ambruso #007, Greg Lenaghan #053, and Tom Fay #092.
- Bob also stated that totes (\$9) and USBC V1 books (\$35) will be sold out of his room to chapter members for the same cost to our ABC Chapter.
- Bruce #003 commented that he had paper copies of our US Cabottle listing for any members who would like one.
- Bruce also commented that ABC Annual Renewals will be handled by Butch Kroskey #008.
- Gary Brinkmeyer #055 asked if we can pay our dues for multiple years and Bruce #003 responded with a definite Yes. Bruce commented that about 20% of our ABC members have paid for two or more years in advance. The Secretary Treasurer's records can effectively track this.
- Bob Renforth #001 asked for a motion for the ABC Chapter to pay the upcoming year's dues for those members who worked shifts on the ABC supply table at this year's CANvention. Brad Ambruso #007 made the motion with a second by Joe Germino #004. The motion passed near unanimously with 2 dissenting votes. However, many of the recipients refused to accept the dues waiver when renewal dues were collected at the end of the meeting. Action Item: Secretary Treasurer Butch Kroskey #008 will work out who, how, when and if these dues waivers will be enacted.
- Juan Carlos De Marco #031 from Argentina commented that he has certainly met a lot of ABC members at this CANvention and he appreciates all of the trades that he has been able to make through the mail in the past. He made a trophy presentation to the ABC, received by President Bob Renforth #001, highlighting appreciation to our Chapter.

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- Juan Carlos also stated that we need a World Wide Catalogue of Cabottle's and that he is working on one.
- Joe Germino #004 commented that the ABC chapter is an excellent example of the effectiveness of Fair Trade, i.e. we have a super track record of our members being "up front" with each other as they make their Cabottle trades.

A motion was made for Adjournment at 5:38 p.m. by Bruce Woolley #070 with a second by Tom Fay #092. The motion passed unanimously.

Post Note: The ABC brought in 7 new members to the BCCA this last year (2009) and tied with 2 other chapters for this noteworthy achievement. As we send in our chapter's renewal application to the BCCA in October 2009, our Chapter dues of \$10 will be waived as a result of our accomplishment.

Respectfully Submitted,
 Bruce Gregg #003 Secretary Treasurer
 9/13/09

ABC Raffle Winners	
Tom Hull ABC036	Bottle Tote
Peggy Papas ABC138	Opener/Pin/Can Wraps
Butch Kroskey ABC008	BCCA Fanny Pack
Steve Wiltshire ABC016	Bottle Tote
Lonnie Courtney ABC141	Opener/Pin/Can Wraps
Peggy Papas ABC138	Canadian Bottles/2
Steve Blume ABC013	Bottle Tote
Doug Goegan	Maxim Bottle
Peggy Papas ABC138	Australian Bottles/3
Juan Carlos De Marco ABC031	Mystery Box/18
Claire Andrascsek	Mystery Box/24
Bill Viancourt ABC132	Chinese Coke Bottles/8
Ray Everingham ABC137	Bench Capper
Claire Andrascsek	Royal Carib Bottle/T-Shirt
Joe Hobaugh ABC069	USBC Vol 1 Book
Lonnie Courtney ABC141	USBC Vol 2 Book
William Novak	USBC Vol 1 & 2 Books
Steve Blume ABC013	CANvention 40 Reg/1 Table
Jerry Maxim ABC123	CANvention 40 Reg/2 Tables

ABC / SCIB Show in Indy

Brad Ambruso ABC# 007



Our annual co-sponsored show in Indianapolis was once again a great success. Collectors and dealers from all the surrounding states arrived to buy/sell/trade and have a good time. The Friday night room to room was good and the hospitality room we had this year was a big hit.

The Saturday trade floor was busy and had a good flow of walk-ins. There were a few rare finds and we even had a walk-in bring a box of Krueger flats he had found in an attic. Of course those did not last long.

Be sure to reserve a little time for this show next year, as it seems to get bigger every year.



Get Out and Take in a Show

Nov 1	NJ, Milltown	Jersey Shore Full Moon Show
Nov 1	WI, Delafield	Badger Bunch Annual Fall Show
Nov 1	IL, Glendale Heights	Monarch (NABA) Fall-Fest
Nov 6-7	PA, Macungie	Great Nor-Eastern U.S. Brewery Collectibles Show
Nov 7	NY, Tonawanda	Simon Pure Turkey Trade
Nov 7	AL, Orange Beach	Bama Cannas The Orange Beach Show
Nov 7	WI, Madison	Capital City Breweriana Collectors Show
Nov 8	CA, Watsonville	49er Watsonville Beer Can and Breweriana Show
Nov 8	OH, Austintown	Renner Old Oxford Sneaky Petes Fall Show
Nov 13-14	CT, Vernon	Pickwick & Red Fox Fallfest
Nov 14	TX, Fort Worth	Bluebonnet November Show at Coors
Nov 14	IL, Belleville	Gateway 2nd Annual Collector's Spectacular
Nov 14	OR, Portland	Cascade Breweriana Association Turkey Pluckoff Swap Meet
Nov 15	IL, Elk Grove Village	Chicagoland Breweriana Society (ABA) Breweriana & Can Show
Nov 20-21	NC, Asheville	11th Annual Atlantic Mountain Fall Fling
Nov 21	VA, Richmond	Richbrau 16th Annual Richmond Show
Nov 22	IL, Berwyn	Windy City Thanksgiving Session
Nov 25	MO, Brentwood	Gateway Night Before Thanksgiving Waren Taylor Memorial
Nov 28	IN, Fort Wayne	Three Rivers Turkey Trot
Nov 29	OH, Blue Ash	Queen City Chapter Show
Dec 5	CO, Aurora	Columbine (ABA) Christmas Show & Party
Dec 6	AZ, Tucson	A-1 31st Annual Ed Babitzke Christmas Show
Dec 12	TX, Fort Worth	Bluebonnet Christmas Show at Coors
Dec 12	MN, New Ulm	Schells Border Batch Holiday Party
Jan 8-11, 2010	Newcastle, Australia	Kangaroo Canathon Down Under
Jan 15-17	Redcliffe, Australia	Down Under Canfest
Jan 16	MI, Flint	Mid-Michigan Winterfest
Jan 29-30	FL, Orlando	Gator Traders Snowbird Special
Jan 29-30	MO, Osage Beach	Gateway and KC's Best Mid-Missouri Mini-Meet
Jan 31	NJ, Clark	Garden State Kickoff Classic

For more info on any of these shows go to BCCA.COM or check your latest issue of Beer Cans and Brewery Collectibles.

Our Members

<u>ABC#</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>City, State or Country</u>
001	Bob Renforth	Avondale, AZ
002	Don Hicks	'In Memoriam'
003	Bruce Gregg	Kansas City, MO
004	Joe Germino	Parlin, NJ
005	Tobi Hicks	Sun City, AZ
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014	Jim Mahler	Buchanan, MI
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027	Marc Austin	Woodbine, MD
028	Ronald Moermond	Lakewood, CO
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030	Ed Ackerman	Beatrice, NE
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032	Mark Swartz	Chambersburg, PA
033	James Demmeka	National City, MI
034	Jose De Freitas	Toronto, Canada
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053	Greg Lenaghan	Springfield, IL
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136	Keith Bennett	Eastwood, Australia
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166	Andy Passande	Surrey Downs, Australia
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169	Steve Siereveld	Cincinnati, OH
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175	Scott Thorsen	DeSoto, MO
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