

## CANBERRA'S BESTBEER FESTIVAL 2025 OFFICIAL GUIDE









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## WELCOME

#### CANBERRA CRAFT BEER & CIDER FESTIVAL 2025

Held in the beautiful streets surrounding the heritage Mercure Canberra in Braddon, we invite you to try some of the 250 different beers, spirits and wines, an extensive range of popular food providers, great entertainment and fun for the whole family. Thank you for joining us. Have a wonderful day!





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### BISTRO | BEER GARDEN | TAB | BOTTLE SHOP



4PM - 6PM HAPPY HOUR MON - FRI \$6.50 HOUSE DRINKS

\$17 WEEKNIGHT DINNER SPECIALS MON - THU

Fire up your weekends GIANT MEAT SMOKER FRI & SAT

LUNCH & DRINK SPECIAL MON - FRI

\$25

Located at the Mercure Canberra Corner of Limestone & Ainslie Avenues, Braddon, Canberra PRIVATE FUNCTIONS AVAILABLE Dinners, birthday parties, weddings,

meetings, weddings, meetings, wakes & more

Open 7 days, 11am - 9pm

#### **CALL (02) 6243 0000 FOR BOOKINGS**



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#### Our Venue



#### CORNER OF AINSLIE & LIMESTONE AVE, BRADDON, ACT 2612

The Canberra Craft Beer & Cider Festival takes place at the Heritage Listed Hotel Mercure Canberra hotel, blending oldworld charm with modern amenities. Conveniently located near the city center, the hotel offers various accommodation options, a gym, restaurant, bistro, bar, and beer garden. With 126 rooms and proximity to major attractions like the Australian War Memorial and Old Parliament House, Mercure Canberra is the ideal choice for exploring the Australian Capital.



#### 11:00am to 6:00pm

For information on accommodation contact the Mercure Canberra reservations line on +61 2 6243 0000, or visit the website for more information www.mercurecanberra.com.au **Our Partners** 

### THANK YOU TO OUR AMAZING PARTNERS!

## HOTEL

CANBERRA







### FESTIVAL

SATURDAY 15TH MARCH 2025



## PROGRAM

CANBERRA'S BEST BEER FESTIVAL

#### ACTIVATIONS

Win prizes at Hook a Tinnie, Falling Sticks & Hangman 12pm–5pm Eating Competition on stage at 12pm.

BEVERAGES

All beverages can be purchased at exhibitor stands and range from 85ml-285ml cups & cans. Please see exhibitor for what is being offered.

MEET THE BREWERS

Chat with the brewers at any of the stand throughout the day.

ALL DAY

#### WOODEN AXE BREWING <u>AXE THROW</u>

MINI EVENTS

Punters that purchase from our stand will be given the opportunity to throw 3 axes (plastic axe) at the target (plastic target) if they are able to get 2 out of 3 in the bulls eye, they will get to pick a prize from our lucky dip. Prizes include, discount codes to website, wooden axe merch eg. Stickers, shirts, stubble cooler, key rings.

ALLDAY

#### CYPHER BREWING HOP TOSS

Swing by the Cypher Brewing Co. stall for a bit of fun with our Hops Toss challenge! Have a crack at tossing bags of hops into the corn hole board—get three in a row, and you'll score yourself a free beer from the bar! It's a laid back, good-time game to show off your skills, have a laugh, and enjoy a cold one. Perfect for a bit of friendly competition and a few cheeky drinks come give it a go!



Hot and cold food is available from the food trucks/stands throughout the day.

#### KIDS ACTIVITIES

Face painting, Balloon Modelling & Glitter Tattoos

\$2 donation to charity

#### RAFFLE DRAW

Purchase your tickets to go into the draw to win some amazing prizes. All proceeds will go to Rise Above Capital Region Cancer Relief. DRAWN AT 4:45PM.

Winner will be contacted.

11AM - 1PM

CHILL OUT MUSIC

2PM & 4PM

11.30AM-12PM & 3.30PM-4PM SPREYTON CIDER GOLF CALCUTTA

A mini golf chip and hit for all day fun. At 2pm and 4pm we will hold ohna golf calcutta.

SYDNEY BREWERY NERF SHOOTOUT

Act ready for the ultimate Nerf shootout! Act up and take aim in a high-energy pattle to see who can knock out the opponents cup tower first. So, lock and oad, and may the best shots win in this action-packed Nerf showdown! Prizes to be won

3PM

#### 4 PINES BREWING TEST YOU TASTE BUDS -<u>4 PINES BLIND TASTING</u>

10 Spaces available. Contestants will have 4 beers (Not labeled) that they will assess colour, aroma, and taste to match with the flavour notes on the sheet in front of them. If all 4 are correct they will win a prize.

#### LIVE MUSIC

1PM – 2PM seanz 2PM - 6PM H-CEE FAMILY

#### Highlights



Try up to 250 craft beers, ciders, spirits and wine on offer!



Delicious gourmet food stalls will keep you well fed all day.



There's something happening throughout the day to keep the whole family entertained. Sit back, realx and enjoy the day with us.



Check out the entertainment schedule and plan your day around all the fun activities on offer.

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#### Mini Events

#### Axe Throwing

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#### All Day Wooden Axe Brewery

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#### All Day Cypher Brewing

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11:30am - 12pm & 3:30pm - 4pm Sydney Brewery

#### Golf Calcutta

A mini golf chip and hit for all day fun. At 2pm and 4pm we will hold ohna golf calcutta.

2pm & 4pm Spreyton Cider

#### Test your Taste Buds

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#### **3pm 4 Pines Brewing**









LUNCH: Tues to Sat 11:30AM – 2:30PM DINNER: Tues to Sun 5:30PM – 10PM

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### We serve the best food

Michelin-trained chefs serve up their signature modern Australian cuisines. We offer a unique casual fine dining experience, showcasing the best of Australian flavours, embracing the multicultural influences.

We are in the heritage of Melbourne Building (Civic), creating a warm and inviting atmosphere

www.flui.com.au

#### Live Music

#### **Chill Out Music**



11 AM - 1 PM

#### SEANZ



1 PM - 2 PM

**H-CEE FAMILY** 



MERCH Purchase your merch at the Info Tent in the carpark



#### Our Exhibitors

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## **SPIRITS**









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## FOOD & MARKET STALLS









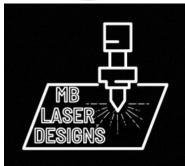
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4 - 5 APRIL **GABS MELBOURNE** 23 - 24 MAY **GABS BRISBANE** 30 - 31 MAY **GABS SYDNEY** 30 MAY - 1 JUNE **GOOD FOOD & WINE MELBOURNE** 20 - 22 JUNE **GOOD FOOD & WINE SYDNEY** 12 JULY **HUNTER VALLEY WINE FESTIVAL** 18 - 20 JULY **GOOD FOOD & WINE PERTH** 24 - 26 OCTOBER **GOOD FOOD & WINE BRISBANE** 21-23 NOVEMBER **GFW XMAS MARKET SYDNEY** 5-7 DECEMBER **GFW XMAS MARKET MELBOURNE**