



Announcing the Beers of the Festival at Rail Ale 2025

The competition entries were blind tasted by a panel of judges during the Trade Session on Thursday afternoon with all the Gold category winners going forward to a final blind 'drink off' to choose the Champion Beer.

Our thanks go to all our panel members from CAMRA and the brewing and hospitality industry for giving up their afternoon to help. Congratulations to all our winners - the judges had a pretty hard time choosing you from a very competitive line up of beers from near and far.

CHAMPION BEER OF THE FESTIVAL: Neepsend Brew Co – Junda

Low Gravity Beers – Pale

Gold: Oakham Ales – Inferno
Silver: Bateman's Brewery – 5G
Bronze: Neepsend Brew Co – Nimerigar

Strong Beers – Pale

Gold: Neepsend Brew Co – Double Century
Silver: Oakham Ales – Perun
Bronze: Liquid Light Brew Co – When The Sun Hits

Low Gravity Beers – Copper/Golden:

Gold: Titanic Brewery – Classic Mild
Silver: Boston Brewery – Bitter That
Bronze: Woodforde's Brewery - Wherry

Strong Beers – Copper/Golden:

Gold: Black Sheep Brewery – Riggwelter
Silver: Grainstore Brewery – Ten Fifty
Bronze: Zapato Brewing – Tent

Low Gravity Beers – Dark

Gold: Tindall Brewery – Black Hole
Silver: Dancing Duck Brewery - Back, Sack & Quack
Bronze: Lucid – Farm Yard Schematics

Strong Beers – Dark

Gold: Neepsend Brew Co – Junda
Silver: Zapato Brewing – River Stout
Bronze: Boston Brewery – Sniffers Stout

Speciality Beers

Gold: Alter Ego Brewing Co – S'More Fire
Silver: Blue Monkey Brewery – Cinder Toffee Stout
Bronze: Blue Monkey Brewery Cherry Vespa