

## Summary of AABC2007 results



# AABC2007 Australian Amateur Brewing Championship

Held 24/25 November 2007, Bulli/Woonona, NSW  
162 entries from 82 brewers

*The best beers from six qualifying state championships (ACT, NSW, QLD, SA, VIC, WA)  
with a total of 892 entries from about 225 brewers*

### CHAMPION BEER OF SHOW

**Dan Rayner (ACT)** California Common Beer, 124.5 points

### CHAMPION BREWER

**Craig Webber (ACT)** 13 points – 3 Firsts, 1 Second, 2 Thirds

### CHAMPION STATE

**Victoria** 27 points

**NSW** 25 points

**ACT** 22 points

**SA** 4½ points

**WA** 3½ points

**QLD** 2 points

*(NB. Champion Brewer and Champion State based on 3 points for a First, 2 points for a Second, 1 point for a Third, tied placing share available points)*

Place	Brewer	Score	Style	State*	Club
<b>1. LOW ALCOHOL CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Andrew Gosbell	120	English Ordinary Bitter	VIC	none
2nd	Robin Brown	113.5	English Ordinary Bitter	VIC	none
3rd	Scott Simpson	109	English Ordinary Bitter	NSW	none
<b>2. BRITISH &amp; IRISH ALE CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Tony Vandenberg	114.5	English Pale Ale	VIC	none
2nd	Ben Connery	112.5	English Pale Ale	QLD	BABB
3rd	Craig Webber	111.5	Scottish Export 70/-	ACT	Canberra Brewers
<b>3. PALE ALE CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Peter Winch	122	Australian Pale Ale	SA	none
2nd	Bill Palmer	116.5	American Pale Ale	VIC	Melbourne Brewers
3rd	Eddy O'Donnel	116	American Pale Ale	NSW	IBU
<b>4. DARK ALE CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Craig Webber	113.5	Robust Porter	ACT	Canberra Brewers
=2nd	Lyndon Wilson	113	Brown Porter	SA	none
=2nd	Adam Fabo	113	Brown Porter	WA	none
<b>5. STOUT CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Cameron Wood	111	Foreign Stout	NSW	IBU
2nd	Andrew Tierney	110	Australian Stout	VIC	none
3rd	Duncan Smith	107.5	Dry Stout	ACT	Canberra Brewers
<b>6. STRONG ALE CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Tony Moy	117.5	Old Ale (English Strong Ale)	NSW	none
2nd	Keith Grice	113	English Barley Wine	NSW	HAG
3rd	Lachlan Strong	106	Imperial Stout	VIC	none

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<b>7. PALE LAGER CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Michael Meissner	113.5	German Pilsner	NSW	ISB
2nd	Paul Haesler	101.5	Munich Helles	ACT	Canberra Brewers
3rd	Les Hart	101	Pale Lager	NSW	IBU
<b>8. DARK LAGER CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Barry Cranston	116	Vienna Lager	NSW	ESB Peakhurst
2nd	Craig Webber	112.5	Schwarzbier	ACT	Canberra Brewers
3rd	Ian Walker	108	Oktoberfest/Marzen	WA	West Coast Brewers
<b>9. STRONG LAGER CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Craig Webber	110	Maibock	ACT	Canberra Brewers
2nd	Barry Cranston	109	Traditional Bock	NSW	ESB Peakhurst
3rd	Chris Taylor	94	Baltic Porter	VIC	Melbourne Brewers
<b>10. PALE AUSTRALIAN LAGER CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Andrew Gargan	111.5	Premium Australian Lager	VIC	none
2nd	Mick McDonald	105.5	Australian Lager	VIC	Melbourne Brewers
3rd	Craig Webber	103.5	Australian Lager	ACT	Canberra Brewers
<b>11. WHEAT &amp; RYE BEER CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Scott Hargrave	124	Weizen/Weissbier	ACT	Canberra Brewers
2nd	Martin Smyrk	122	Weizen	NSW	none
3rd	Luke Williams	111.5	Weizenbock	NSW	none
<b>12. HYBRID BEER CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Dan Rayner	124.5	California Common Beer	ACT	Canberra Brewers
2nd	Luke Mason	118.5	Kölsch	NSW	none
3rd	Mark Starc	115.5	California Common Beer	VIC	Westgate Brewers
<b>13. BELGIAN, FRENCH &amp; SOUR BEER CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Michael Guenzel	123.5	Belgian Strong Golden Ale	VIC	Melbourne Brewers
2nd	Simon Pearce	120	Belgian Witbier	VIC	none
3rd	Daniel Van Der Zee	118	Belgian Strong Dark Ale	NSW	none
<b>14. FRUIT &amp; OTHER SPECIALTY BEER CATEGORY</b>					
1st	Craig Webber	109.5	Chocolate Hazelnut Robust Porter	ACT	Canberra Brewers
2nd	Graeme Ward	102.5	Honey Beer	VIC	Melbourne Brewers
3rd	Asher Mitchell	92.5	Bergamot Tea Beer	WA	West Coast Brewers

\*The listed state is that via which the brewer qualified for AABC. The AABC rules are available on [www.aabc.org.au](http://www.aabc.org.au)