

### Mixed 12-packs from our favorite U.S. Micros:

Cooperstown Dugout Pack	\$12.99
Flying Dog Litter of Ales	\$14.99
Great Lakes Brewing Company	\$18.99
Middle Ages Family Jewels	\$11.99
Otter Creek Sampler	\$13.49
Pete's Wicked Winter Sampler	\$12.49
Sam Adams Winter Classics	\$12.99
Saranac 12 Beers of Christmas	\$9.99

Premier Sampler 10-packs: \$15.99 12 oz. bottles Specially assembled by our beer experts from our vast selection of more than 700 brews!:

**Imported Sampler Pack**—Ten imported beers from around the world, each from a different country.

Microbrew Sampler Pack—Ten distinctive, award-winning beers produced by some of our favorite craft breweries in North America.

Holiday Sampler Pack—Ten different beers, specially brewed for the season, available for a limited time.

Plus, we also have our Big Brew 4-Packs a selection of four "large" bottles in a colorful giftbox... \$15.99

Samuel Smith Collection Box (England): From Yorkshire's oldest brewery, containing one 16.9oz bottle each of their Oatmeal Stout, Nut Brown Ale, and Pale Ale, plus a traditional 'imperial' Yorkshire pint glass and two brewery coasters. \$13.99

## The greatest selection of special Holiday and Winter beers anywhere!

Special Gift Packages from Breweries around the World (very limited quantities)

Schneider Gift-pack (Germany):
From Privatbrauerei G. Schneider & Sohn in Kelheim. Contains 2 bottles of Schneider Weisse, 2 bottles of Wiesen-Edel-Weisse, 1 bottle of Aventinus wheat-doppelbock, and a Schneider Weisse glass. (16.9 oz. bottles) \$22.99

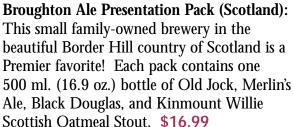


La Chouffe/Mc Chouffe Gift-pack (Belgium): From Brasserie d'Achouffe, producing world-famous beers



from their farmhouse brewery nestled in a valley in the Ardennes. The gift-pack contains one 25.4 oz. bottle each of their two flagship brews—the pale, spicy, complex La Chouffe and the darker, rich, Scottish-inspired Mc Chouffe, plus a special glass. Price TBA

La Chouffe is also available in a colorful, limited edition gift-tin, perfect for the holidays or New Year's celebrations! Price TBA





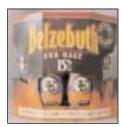


Val-Dieu Gift Box (Belgium): From the only non-Trappist brewing abbey in Belgium, the Cistercian Abbaye du Val-Dieu. The giftbox contains one 25.4oz bottle each of Val-Dieu Brown and Val-Dieu Triple, and two special glasses. \$22.99

#### Vintage Aventinus 1999 (Germany)

The world's oldest topfermenting wheat-doppelbock has demonstrated wonderful aging potential, with aromas and flavors of chocolate, clay, and sherry when aged for three years or more. In 1999, the Schneider brewery hid 240 cases of this world classic in their historic Ice Cellar of the Weiss Brauhaus in Kelheim. Very rare and limited release! 16.9 oz. bottle, wrapped in silk paper with neckhanger. \$5.99

## More special gift packages of beer and glassware!



**Belzebuth (France):** from Brasserie Jeanne d'Arc. Contains four 8.5 oz. bottles and two glasses. 15% alc/vol! \$18.99

Pater Lieven (Belgium): from Brouweij Van den Bossche, this

gift pack contains four 11.2 oz. bottles (2 Triple, 1 Blond, 1 Brown), and one glass.

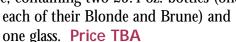
\$16.99

#### St. Bernardus (Belgium):

From Brouwerij St. Bernard, containing four 11.2 oz. bottles (2 Tripel, 2 Abt 12) and one glass. \$16.99



Brasserie Binchoise, containing two 25.4 oz. bottles (one





**Hapkin (Belgium):** Strong golden ale from Brouweij Louwaege, containing four 11.2 oz. bottles and one glass. \$16.99

#### Holiday Favorites from Around the World!



#### **BELGIUM**

Binchoise Reserve Speciale: 9% alc/vol, complex, spiced, artisanal ale. Rich and warming, with notes of coffee, butterscotch, and spices; 25.4 oz. bottle \$7.99

Corsendonk Christmas Ale 2002: A dark, spicy Belgian treat! In vertical tastings, our panel of experts found it

reaches it's peak after 2 years of cellaring. The problem is—it's so delicious when young, we can't keep it around that long!

12 oz. **\$3.99** 4-pack **\$13.49** 750 ml. corked bottle **\$7.49** Special 750 ml. color gift tins **\$10.99** 





De Dolle Stille Nacht 2002: The winter seasonal from De Dolle Brouwers ("The Mad Brewers") is always a unique treat and a definite staff favorite. Very limited stocks

of earlier vintages kept in our temperature-controlled "beer cellar" are also available: 11.4 oz. bottle. \$4.79

**De Dolle Stille Nacht Reserva 2000:** A special limited release of Stille Nacht that has been aged in Bordeaux wooden casks for 18 months. Extremely rare—



only 160 cases were made! 25.4 oz. bottle \$14.99

**Gouden Carolus Noel:** A rare holiday release from the Het Anker brewery of Mechelen, established in 1369; 25.4 oz. bottle; 10.5% alc./vol. **Price TBA** 

**Liefman's Gluhkriek:** A unique cherry beer spiced with cinnamon, clove, and just a hint of anise. Meant to be served mulled on a cold winter day. 375 ml. corked bottles, hand-wrapped in colorful tissue paper. \$5.99

**Val-Dieu Noel:** A new offering from the Brasserie de L'Abbaye du Val-Dieu. Never before imported! 25.4 oz. corked bottle \$7.99

N'Ice Chouffe 2002: Special winter release from Brasserie d'Achouffe. Brewed since 1993, this "barleywine" style ale has notes of raisins, dates, ripe fruit, and brown spices; 25.4 oz. \$8.49

**Delirium Noel:** A strong Belgian ale in a corked ceramic bottle. Look for the labels with pink elephants wearing red hats and pulling Santa's sleigh! 25.4 oz. bottle \$8.49



#### **ENGLAND**



**George Gale's Christmas Ale 2002:** Hand corked and matured for months before release. At 8.5% alcohol, this subtly spiced limited bottling is a Premier favorite. Great for the cellar! 9.3 oz. bottle \$4.29

Harvey's Christmas Ale 2002: Brewed in England for more than a quarter century. Warming, with a deep mahogany-red color and aromas and flavors of toffee, figs, prunes, plums, cloves, and berry fruit. Tremendous cellaring potential and a perfect accompaniment to crème brulee! 9.3 oz. bottle \$3.19

RCH Ale Mary: Brewed in a former cider mill in West Hewish, and spiced with ginger, cloves, cinnamon, coriander, nutmeg, and pimento! Awarded a gold medal as the best bottle-conditioned beer at the 2001 Great British Beer Festival; 16.9 oz. bottle \$4.89

**Sam Smith's Winter Welcome:** Vintage dated, with a special label each year. 12 oz. \$2.99 4-pack \$10.39 16.9 oz. bottle \$4.29

**Young's Winter Warmer:** The original "winter warmer"—in fact, the brewery copyrighted the name in the U.K.; 16.9 oz. bottle \$3.49

#### **NORTH AMERICA**

Allagash Grand Cru: Brewed in limited quantities each year by the Maine brewery famous for their Belgian-style ales. Deep golden color, with a yeasty/spicy palate; 7.2% alc./vol.

12 oz. \$1.79 6-pack \$9.99 25.4 oz. corked bottle \$5.49

Anchor Christmas, Our Special Holiday Ale: From San Francisco, the exact recipe and secret spices change each year for this complex and rich limited seasonal release. Most vintages express notes reminiscent of chocolate, orange, toffee, and pine. Phenomenal when fresh, this is also a great beer for the cellar.

12 oz. **\$2.09** 6-pack **\$11.99** 1.5 liter magnums **\$14.99** (*limited stock*)



Chocolate Stout:
Based on a style
originally brewed in
England for the
Russian court of
Catherine the
Great. "Chocolate"
referes to the dark
roasted malts used

Brooklyn Black

12 oz. \$1.19 6-pack \$6.99

in brewing.

Flying Bison Skye Pilot: This strong pale scotch ale is the best-selling seasonal release from Buffalo's own pride and joy, the Flying Bison Brewery Company!

1/2 gallon growler \$9.99

Flying Dog K-9 Cruiser: From Colorado, an Englishstyle strong winter ale, with fantastic label artwork by Ralph Steadman.

12 oz. \$1.39 6-pack \$7.99

Great Lakes Christmas Ale: From Cleveland, copper colored, medium bodied, and spiced with cinnamon, ginger and honey; 7.5% alc./vol.

12 oz. \$2.19 6-pack \$12.49

**Harpoon Winter Warmer:** Festive notes of cinnamon and nutmeg, with a nice crisp hop finish.

12 oz. \$1.19 6-pack \$6.99

Middle Ages Wizard's Winter Ale: an English-style strong ale from Syracuse; 6.3% alc./vol.

12 oz. \$1.19 6-pack \$6.99

Otter Creek A Winter's Ale: From Vermont, a mild Scottish-style ale with a subtle roasty character and a lightly sweet caramel maltiness; 5.8% alc./vol.

12 oz. \$1.19 6-pack \$6.99

**Pete's Wicked Winter Brew:** An amber ale, spiced with nutmeg and raspberry.

12 oz. \$1.09 6-pack \$6.49

Rogue Santa's Private Reserve: from Oregon, a double-hopped version of Rogue's St. Rogue Red, brewed with Chinooks, Centennials, and a "mystery hop" called Rudolph. (Apparently, Santa is quite a "hop-head.") 22 oz. \$3.99

**Rogue Yellow Snow Ale:** from Oregon, a pale, "saffroncolored" ale, lightly spiced with whole juniper berries; 22 oz. \$3.99

Sam Adams Winter Lager: Loosely in the style of a traditional German wheat bock, but spiced with curacao orange peel, cinnamon, and fresh ginger; 7% alc./vol.

12 oz. \$1.19 6-pack \$6.99

Saranac Season's Best: From Utica, NY, the F.X. Matt Brewery changes the recipe for this rich, nutty winter lager each year; 5.3% alc./vol.

12 oz. 99¢ 6-pack \$5.49

Sierra Nevada Celebration Ale: From California, brewed with tons of North American hops producing huge citric and floral aromas and flavors, balanced by a sturdy malt backbone providing body and warmth that set it apart from traditional American IPAs. Called "...the best beer ever made in America" by the San Francisco Chronicle.

12 oz. \$1.39 6-pack \$7.99

Victory Old Horizontal: in our opinion, every single beer brewed by this Pennsylvania micro is exceptional. At over 10% alcohol, 'Old Ho' is a powerful barleywine, combining fragrant North American hops with a sweet malty character, velvety body and substantial alcoholic warmth.

12 oz. **\$2.19** 6-pack **\$12.39** 



# Samichlaus 2001 (Austria) A world-classic, brewed only once a year, on December 6th, aged for ten months before bottling, and released the following year. At 14% alcohol, Samichlaus is the strongest bottom-fermented lager in the world! 11.2 oz. bottle.

\$3.99



Quelque Chose (Canada)
A special seasonal release from
Unibroue in Quebec. The name
literally translates as "something
else." Brewed with wild cherries,
this 8% alc./vol., dark, rich brew
is meant to be warmed to 170°F.
It also can be served chilled as an
aperitif, and goes great with vanilla
ice cream! Rare, vintage dated
bottling. 500 ml. champagnecorked bottle. Very limited!
\$9.99

Victory V-Ten: A brand new, extremely limited special release from the Victory Brewing Company in Pennsylvania. Head brewer Bill Covaleski describes his vintage-dated Belgian-style specialty ale as having a "sublime fruity aroma and taste... [with] hints of dark cherries and dried apricots in its rich flavor." Brewed with imported German malts and whole-flower hops from Belgium and the Czech Republic. Corked 25.4 oz. bottle; 10% alc./vol. \$8.49

Wagner Valley Sled Dog Doppelbock: a malty, full-bodied German-style dark lager with a whopping 8.5% alc./vol. Awarded the 2002 Gold Medal by Tap New York as the "Best Craft Beer in New York State."

12 oz. **\$1.19** 6-pack **\$6.99** 

#### MORE TREATS FROM NEAR AND FAR

Cider Dupont Reserve 2002 (France): From Domaine Etienne Dupont, in Normandy. World-class hard cider matured for 5 months in oak casks that previously contained calvados. Limited edition 25.4 oz. bottles. \$14.99

Urbock Dunkel Eisbock (Austria):
Brewed for the first time since 1902, from a recipe that was once prescribed as a medicine for weak recovering patients. Brewed with special dark malts, it emerges at almost 10% alc/vol with a full creamy body, toffee-like malty sweetness, and a crisp hop finish. 11.2 oz. bottle. Price TBA

