

WHEAT BEERS

Wheat beers are growing in popularity as craft brewers seek out more styles to attract the consumer. Once mostly found in Germany and Belgium, they are now brewed everywhere. True hefeweizens use more than 50 percent wheat in the grain bill, but wheat ales and wits can use varying amounts. Cloudy beers rule here, but clear versions also exist. Hefes provide banana and clove notes, but other wheat ales may be fruited or have spices added to them. However they are made, they make great patio beers. *David Nuttall*

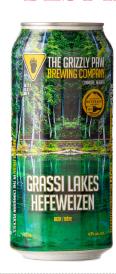
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GRIZZLY PAW GRASSI LAKES HEFEWEIZEN

Alberta, Canada \$15-17 (4-pack cans) CSPC 816039







Vaycay Brew Co El Hefe Dry Hopped Hefeweizen

Alberta, Canada \$18-20 (4-pack cans) CSPC 886513 Apex Brewing
Distant Howl
Hefeweizen
Alberta, Canada
\$16-18 (4-pack cans)
CSPC 869571



Buffalo 9 Brewing Dear Aunt Emma Mango Passionfruit Wheat Ale Alberta, Canada \$18-19 (4-pack cans) CSPC 872869



Marda Loop Raspberry SoCal Wheat Ale Alberta, Canada \$18-19 (4-pack cans) CSPC 861132



Bitter Sisters Tarty Cousin Sue Cran/ Raspberry Wheat Alberta, Canada \$17-18 (4-pack cans) CSPC 843731



KOLSCH

Originally brewed in Cologne, Germany, as an answer to the crisp and clear pilsners coming out of the Czech Republic, you can expect the same from a well made Kolsch. They are a hybrid style though, so while brewed at colder temperatures, they are made with ale yeasts and have some subtle and delicate fruit notes derived from those. Don't be scared by the wine talk though, these are beers meant to be drunk ice cold and in numbers. *Bill Bonar*

JUDGES SELECTION

Siding 14 Brewing Crossbuck Kolsch Alberta, Canada \$18-20 (4-pack cans) CSPC 865830



XhAle Brew Co. See Ya Next Tuesday Dry Hopped Aussie C-olsch Alberta, Canada \$16-18

(4-pack cans)

CSPC 844860







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