

The India Pale Ale category is one that has grown so much in style over its existence but more noticeably in the last 15 years or so. This line up was quite good as our local market is putting out some humdingers all across the board from paler and more bitter west coast IPA's to the super creamy and tropical style IPAs. No matter which you prefer there are so many to pick from today that it made picking winners kind of sad, but the best pick was Banded Peak's Summit Seeker this year. Dave Gingrich

JUDGES SELECTION



Dog Island Brewing Saints & Sinners Alberta, Canada \$18-20 (4-pack cans) CSPC 799004



Hop Valley Bubble Stash Oregon United States \$17-19 (6-pack cans) CSPC 848118







BEST IN CLASS

BANDED PEAK

BREWING SUMMIT

SEEKER IPA

Alberta, Canada

\$18-20 (4-PACK CANS) CSPC 842027

Zero Issue **Brewing Nemesis** Alberta, Canada \$17-19 (4-pack cans) CSPC 797979



Cold Garden This Must Be The IPA Alberta, Canada \$16-18 (4-pack cans) CSPC 862700



Brewery Dusty Trail Alberta, Canada \$16-18 (4-pack cans) CSPC 803933

Hard Knox



Banded Peak Brewing Storm Chaser Double IPA Alberta, Canada \$18-\$20 (4-pack cans) CSPC 872430



SAUVIGNON BLANC

Oh sauvignon blanc! What an awesome grape - one that had a relatively new archetype of expression and global home - New Zealand. Rife with gooseberry, bell pepper and cut grass, this neo-classic style has yielded ground to other global expressions. Perhaps ones that lack a little of the "intensity" found in New Zealand, but perhaps show off a little more restraint, a little more balance, and a little more quaffability. Discover sauvignon blanc all over again. Tom Firth

BEST IN CLASS

UMAMU ESTATE 2013 SAUVIGNON BLANC

Margaret River, Australia \$42-45 CSPC 829499





LUI 2019 Sauvignon Blanc Mendoza, Argentina \$24-28 CSPC 855279



Hipster Animal 2020 Sauvignon Blanc Central Valley, Chile \$15-18 CSPC 855401

Mi Terruno 2019 Expresion Sauvignon Blanc Mendoza, Argentina \$21-24 CSPC 847334