



# RTD

RTD, or Ready to Drink, are canned beverages. COVID brought an explosion to this category as producers canned everything for ease of delivery and a sort of “pivot” to taproom offerings. This meant that this category was filled with a range from Caesars to Old Fashioneds. RTDs must taste like delicious versions of the cocktail they are representing and must be done well. It’s not an easy task. The winners were well crafted and thought out, and quality was never compromised in large batch production. *Rachel Drinkle*

## GIN-BASED RTD

### JUDGES SELECTION



**Grizzly Paw Brewing  
Gin Squeeze**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$14-16 CSPC 835237



**Gnu Craft Spirits The Gnu  
Gin and Soda – Grapefruit**  
\$15-17 CSPC 893606

## BEST IN CLASS



**LAST BEST GIN-ARITA**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$15-17 CSPC 873424

## COCKTAIL STYLE RTD

### JUDGES SELECTION

## BEST IN CLASS

**OLMECA ALTOS  
MARGARITA  
CLASSIC LIME**  
Mexico  
\$25-27 CSPC 884817



**Founder's  
Original  
Tequila Paloma**  
Canada  
\$15-17  
CSPC 831157



**Romero  
Cuba Libre**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$15-16  
CSPC 878268



**Eau Claire  
Equineox Mule**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$15-16  
CSPC 813221



**Skunkworks  
Moonshine  
Mule**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$16-17  
CSPC 875498



**Hail Caesar  
Korean BBQ**  
Canada  
\$4-5  
CSPC 871667



**Black Diamond  
(unofficial)  
World's Largest  
Caesar**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$18-20  
CSPC 893038



**el Cocktails  
Margarita**  
Canada  
\$15-17  
(4-pack cans)  
CSPC 880905



**Diamond  
Reserve  
Rum Punch**  
Guyana  
\$18-20  
CSPC 831641



# COOLER - STYLE RTD

## JUDGES SELECTION



**Black Diamond  
Watermelon  
Summer Heat**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$16-17 CSPC 888600



**Highlight -  
Passion Fruit**  
Canada  
\$15-17 CSPC 880045



**Jaw Drop  
Sucking Lemons**  
Canada  
\$16-18 CSPC 781591

### BEST IN CLASS



**JAW DROP SQUIRTING  
ORANGES**  
Canada  
\$16-18 CSPC 781589



**Pivot Spirits Girl Boss  
Pink Lemonade**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$15-17 CSPC 890958



**Old Prospector Distilling  
Adventure Cran-tastic  
Cherry**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$13-15 CSPC 885883



**Eau Claire Prickly  
Pear Pink Lemonade**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$15-17 CSPC 867182



**Highlight - Pineapple**  
Canada  
\$15-17 CSPC 880220



**Coco Original Rum**  
United States  
\$15-17 CSPC 847616



**Jaw Drop Tickling  
Pink Lemonade**  
Canada  
\$16-18 CSPC 781590



**Pivot Spirits  
Hawaii Five-oh**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$15-18 CSPC 856720



**Jaw Drop  
Gushing Grapes**  
Canada  
\$16-18 CSPC 828925



**Lone Pine Mango  
Orange Vodka Soda**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$20-22 CSPC 869912



**Granville Island  
Apple-Yuzu Sake Cooler**  
British Columbia, Canada  
\$17-18 CSPC 821131



# PRE-MADE COCKTAILS

## BEST IN CLASS

### HEUBLEIN OLD FASHION COCKTAIL

United States  
\$23-25 CSPC 882360



## Meet the Judges



**Erin Loader**

Erin discovered her love of wine while working in the hospitality industry; from cellar rat to General Manager, she's worked nearly every front-of-house position and even had a stint as a wine rep, before ultimately realizing her true passion is wine retail. Constantly learning, she has completed the ISG and WSET courses and is underway with the Champagne Master Program with the Wine Scholar Guild. Erin has a deep appreciation that while the study of oenology is complex, enjoying a glass of wine is completely effortless!

**Market Wines/Top Drop Alberta**

## JUDGES SELECTION



**Burwood Distillery Espresso Martini**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$25-28  
CSPC 874281



**Last Best Tom Collins**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$15-18  
CSPC 848405



**Elite Brewing War Dogs Citrus Old Fashioned**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$46-48  
CSPC 893492



**Romero Smoked Rum Old Fashioned**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$30-34  
CSPC 883317

# RTD - HARD TEAS AND HARD COFFEE

## JUDGES SELECTION



**Elite Brewing Southern Sips Lemon Hard Tea**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$19-21  
CSPC 894208



**Park Distillery's Mountain Joe**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$18-20  
CSPC 866006



**Elite Brewing Southern Sips Peach Hard Tea**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$19-21  
CSPC 894209

## BEST IN CLASS TIE



### OLD PROSPECTOR DISTILLING ADVENTURE TEA-LICIOUS

Alberta, Canada  
\$13-15 CSPC 885539



**DOG ISLAND NICE TEA LEMON LIME HARD TEA**  
Alberta, Canada  
\$15-17 CSPC 872987