PETERBOROUGH'S PUBLICAN HOUSE BREWERY WINS AT "THE CANADIAN BREWING AWARDS"

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Publican House Brewery, Peterborough's premium craft brewery wins at the 2018 Canadian Brewing Awards that took place on May 26, 2018. Publican House took home a Gold Medal for their Flagship brand, Pub House Ale in the German Style Kölsch category and a Bronze Medal for Paddler's Ale in the Wheat Beer: North American Style category.

Pub House Ale, a traditional German style Kölsch has apricot and biscuit notes, unique Pilsner characteristics and a clean finish. Pub House Ale has previously won Gold at the 2014 Ontario Brewing Awards and Bronze at the 2016 Canadian Brewing Awards.

Paddler's Ale, a coarse-filtered, American wheat beer is a refreshing ale with a light flavour and a hint of citrus. This fundraising beer has a focus on local with a portion of every beer sold supporting the Canadian Canoe Museum. This is the first award entry for the Paddler's Ale.

"We're so honoured to have won two medals at this year's Canadian Brewing Awards in recognition of the beer we're so proud of," said Kevin Buckle, Head Brewer at Publican House. "The support of our community over the years has been so important in getting us to where we are today to rank amongst the best breweries in Canada."

The 16th annual Canadian Brewing Awards, held in Halifax on May 26, 2018 sees Canadian-owned breweries competing in a Beer Judge Certification Program (BJCP) sanctioned blind tasting tests determining the best beers in over 55 style categories. In 2017, the Canadian Brewing Awards saw 1,703 entries from 284 breweries, while this year entries were up to 1,903 beer entries from 310 breweries across Canada.

About Publican House

Located in downtown Peterborough, Ontario, the Publican House Brewery is a craft brewery creating some of the finest and most interesting brews in Ontario. The brewery opened in October 2008 and will be celebrating its 10th anniversary later this year. The brewery currently produces eight distinct brands, some available year-round, others available seasonally, all masterfully brewed with natural, wholesome ingredients.

Recently, Publican House opened its full-service restaurant in the 150-year old building next to the brewery. With a focus on local ingredients, we have created a unique menu and a great setting to experience both Publican House beer and other local craft breweries.

Publican House brews are available at the brewery in Peterborough, and select LCBO, Beer Store and Grocery locations in Ontario. Publican House has six brews available year-round: the award-winning Pub House Ale, a traditional German style Kölsch; the award-winning Henry's Irish Ale, a full flavoured brown ale; Square Nail Pale Ale and Twisted Nail, west coast-style pale ales; the award-winning High Noon Ale, the most

sessionable beer and the award-winning Paddler's Ale, in support of the Canadian Canoe Museum. Seasonal brews include O'Leerie Stout, an indulgent winter stout; and the award-winning Eight or Better, a Belgian strong ale.

Publican House welcomes you to join us in the heart of the Kawarthas where we've mastered the craft of brewing with the art of flavour.

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