The OVHA Tap

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Meeting June 23 at the Lake (directions below). Bring Homebew, a covered dish, and anything else you would like!

Where: Chuck's family lake (10601 St. Wendel Road)

Your invited to evening at my family's private lake for a cookout. Jim W (my brewing partner/neighbor/co-worker and friend) and I will be serving grilled burgers and Dewig's brats about 6 P.M.

Please plan to bring a covered dish and serving utensil. If you are not a kitchen type person, it would be great if you could volunteer to bring some ice & soft drinks instead of a dish. It would be equally as great if someone else could also volunteer to bring condiments instead of a dish. Just post a reply so I'll know it's covered. Jim and I will take care of everything else.

My in-laws built the lake to share and host gatherings just like ours. We have a shelter house, cabin with bathroom, firepits, docks and beaches. We keep it clean and well manicured, giving you the feeling of being in your very own park. It is rustic with no electrical service, and the surrounding woods keep it very private. If you'd like to swim, bring your suit, the water is clean. If you'd like to fish, bring your gear. (No minnows please.)

Here are the driving instructions:

These directions are based on leaving from the intersection of the Llyod Expressway and St. Joseph Avenue. (right in front of Bristol-Myers Squibb at 2400 Llyod Expressway.) Please modify your route accordingly.

- 1. North on St. Joseph Avenue.
- 2. Turn left onto Mesker Park Drive. (Helfrich Hills Golf Course will be on your left.)
- 3. Turn left on Hwy 66 (Diamond Avenue).
- 4.Turn right at next traffic light which is Highway 65 (Big Cynthiana Road) and head north 2.7 miles. (Go slow or you will miss the next turn.)
- 5. Turn left onto St. Wendel Road at flashing yellow caution light for German Township Fire Department.

6.Drive north one mile on St. Wendel Rd to 4-way stop. Continue straight ahead from 4-way stop. (You will pass St. Joe Inn on your right and St. Joseph Church on your left.)

7.One mile north from the St. Joe Inn is 10601 St. Wendel Road. The name on the mailbox is Tony Ruminer. (Look for OVHA sign.)

When you arrive at 10601 St.Wendel Road, turn right into drive. This is my in-laws residence. They won't shoot at you, I promise. Follow signs and drive straight up the drive past the house and past the little well house, follow the gravel lane through the fields to the lake (app. 1/3 mile.)

(You can also use Diamond Avenue. Just skip steps 1 - 3.)

If you have questions or if you get lost, please don't hesitate to call Chuck's cell phone @ 306-5699, or Jim's cell phone @ 457-1503.

I have maps available if needed. Just e-mail me and I'll send one back to you. If you have any questions or comments just post a reply or e-mail me.

Jim and I are looking forward to the cookout and hope everyone can join us.

Oh fudge! I almost forgot, B.Y.O.H.B.!

OHIO VALLEY HOMEBREWERS ASSOCIATION

Meeting Schedule 2007

June 23 Cookout at the Lake

July 28 Sportsman's Club and Jim's

August 25th TBA

September 26 Germania 7 pm

Beer evaluation schedule:

September: Wheat/Wit

October: Oktoberfest

November: OVHA "Big Turkey"

Homebrew Contest

December: Holiday Beer/Winter

Warmer

Thanks and see you on the 23rd!

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## Brew-Ha-Ha

The annual Museum Contemporaries Brew-Ha-Ha fundraiser will be in late September at the Museum. We will be serving a variety of beers including the Big Brew beers from this spring, along with at least three types of wine, probably a key of rootbeer, and whatever else anyone drags along (yes, Jackie, I have some stout left!).

Final arrangments will be made at the meeting in August. .

We will set up at 5:00 pm. You can either carry your beer up the drive in the back or bring it through the front door.

I'm not sure what the arrangements for tickets are -- I usually reserve one for myself and buy it (this is a fundraiser, after all!).

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## Southern Indiana CraftBrewer's Festival

The Fourth Annual Southern Indiana CraftBrewer's Festival will be August 18th at SWIRCA.

We will have a table again, same arrangements as usual. We will need people with valid bartender's permits to serve beer. Tickets and posters will be available shortly.