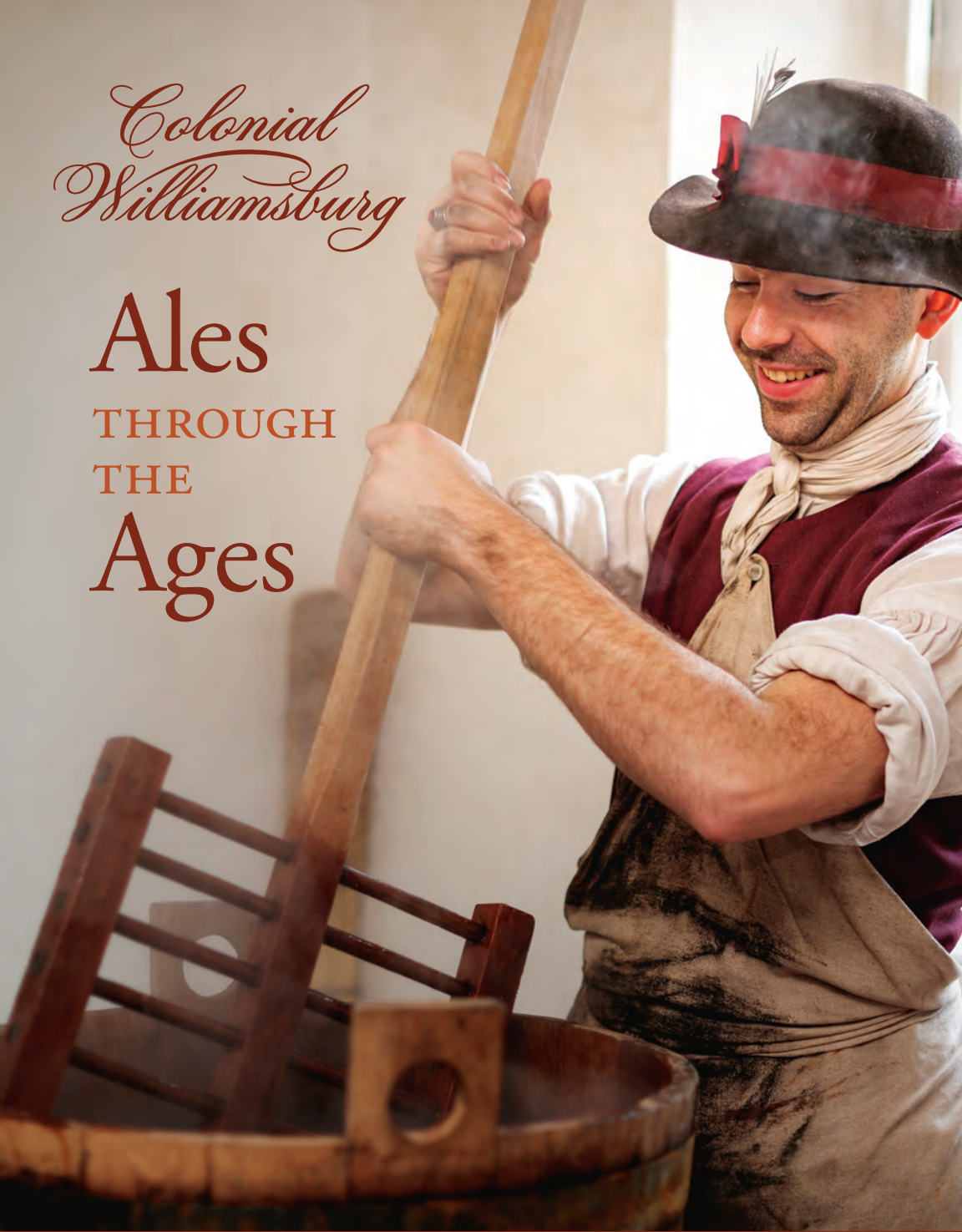


Colonial Williamsburg

Ales THROUGH THE Ages

OCTOBER 19–21, 2018





Join us for an exciting weekend of beer and history! Beer is the oldest recorded recipe in the world. The ancient Egyptians first documented the brewing process on papyrus scrolls around 5,000 B.C. Then, beer eventually made its way from the Middle East across the Mediterranean to Europe, where it became an integral part of life and was valued both for its nutritional value and as safe alternative to contaminated drinking water. Beer arrived in the New World with the first European colonists and Americans have been brewing ever since.

Ales through the Ages offers a journey through the history of beer with some of the world's top beer scholars. We will explore ancient ales and indigenous beers of the past, examine the origins of brewing and discover the ingredients brewers have used through time. Don't miss your opportunity to have a pint from the past, October 19–21, 2018!

THE PROGRAM

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18

1–4 p.m. Conference Registration. Art Museums of Colonial Williamsburg, 326 West Francis Street, Williamsburg, Virginia.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19

Noon–7 p.m. Conference Registration. Art Museums of Colonial Williamsburg, 326 West Francis Street, Williamsburg, Virginia.

5 p.m. Welcome and Introduction. Frank Clark, master, historic foodways, Colonial Williamsburg. Hennage Auditorium, Art Museums of Colonial Williamsburg.

5:15 p.m. Keynote Presentation. **Pete Brown**, beer and drinking cultures writer, London, England.

6–7 p.m. Opening Reception.

Dinner on your own.









SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20

8:30 a.m. Art Museums of Colonial Williamsburg opens for conference registrants, 326 West Francis Street, Williamsburg, Virginia.

9 a.m. *From Caelia to Celctic Brews & Brigid to Benedict: Beer Beyond Roman Rule.* **Travis Rupp**, innovation and wood cellar manager, instructor of classics, art history, and anthropology, Avery Brewing Company/University of Colorado Boulder, Frederick, Colorado. Hennage Auditorium, Art Museums of Colonial Williamsburg.

9:45 a.m. *The Sexual Habits of Hops: How They Changed Beer, and Changed It Again*. **Stan Hieronymus**, author, Brewers Publications, Atlanta, Georgia.

10:30 a.m. Coffee break.

11 a.m. *British Fungus: Brettanomyces in British Brewing.* **Ron Pattinson**, author and beer historian, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

11:45 a.m. Lunch on your own.

2 p.m. *Messing About with Old Ale & Beer*. **Marc Meltonville**, food historian, Historic Royal Palaces, Buckinghamshire, England.

2:45 p.m. *Pale Ale Before IPA: The Birth of a Legend*. **Martyn Cornell**, beer historian and author, London, England.

3:30 p.m. Coffee break.

4 p.m. *Speakers Roundtable.* A question and answer session with the day's speakers.

6–7 p.m. Reception.

Dinner on your own.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 21

8:30 a.m. Art Museums of Colonial Williamsburg opens for conference registrants, 326 West Francis Street, Williamsburg, Virginia.

9 a.m. *Gruit: Back to the Future of Brewing!* **Butch Heilshorn**, author and co-founder, Earth Eagle Brewings, Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

9:45 a.m. *Molasses Beer, Hops and the Enslaved: Brewing in 18th Century Virginia*. **Frank Clark** and **Lee Graves**, beer writer and author, Hathor LC, Richmond, Virginia.

10:30 a.m. Coffee break.

11 a.m. *Albany Ale: 400 Years of Beer and Brewing in New York's Hudson Valley*. **Craig Gravina**, co-founder of the Albany Ale Project and co-author *Upper Hudson Valley Beer*, Albany, New York.

11:45 a.m. Lunch on your own.

2 p.m. *The Noble Failure: How Vermont's Period of Prohibition Shaped the Present Culture and Landscape*. **Adam Krakowski**, author and historian, Yankee Brewing News, Plainfield, Vermont.

2:45 p.m. Coffee break.

3:15 p.m. *Speakers Roundtable*. A question and answer session with the day's speakers.

4:15 p.m. Program concludes.

4:30–8 p.m. Optional Trip to Billsburg Brewery, Williamsburg.
Join us on a journey down the beautiful and historic Colonial Parkway to Jamestown and one of Williamsburg's newest breweries. Attendees are welcome to bring along historic style beers to share and Billsburg Brewery beers will be available for purchase as we relax by the water. Shuttle will be provided with pick up/drop off locations at the Art Museums of Colonial Williamsburg, Colonial Williamsburg hotels and Billsburg Brewery.
$15 per person



MONDAY, OCTOBER 22

Stop by the Governor's Palace to enjoy beer brewing demonstrations.

9 a.m.–12 p.m. *Home Brewing 18th Century Porter*. Governor's Palace Scullery.
Frank Clark, master, historic foodways, Colonial Williamsburg.

9 a.m.–12 p.m. *Blown Malt: Making Porter Malt*. Governor's Palace Kitchen.
Andrea Stanley, maltster, Valley Malt, Hadley, Massachusetts.







Lodging Information & Reservations

Call 1-800-261-9530, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (ET) to confirm reservations at the Colonial Williamsburg Hotels. Special rates are available for conference registrants. Rates listed are single or double occupancy per night and do not include applicable taxes.

Mention the conference or use **Booking Code 827452** to obtain the discounted rates. Lodging reservations within the room block must be confirmed by **September 18, 2018**, to receive the discounted rate.

WILLIAMSBURG LODGE

310 South England Street

Enjoy a relaxing hotel escape in the heart of the Historic Area. Amenities include spa services, health and fitness center at The Spa of Colonial Williamsburg, golf and tennis recreation, family and pet friendly, accessible rooms, on-site restaurants and bar.

Guestroom $229

GRIFFIN HOTEL

302 East Francis Street

Discover spacious guest rooms overlooking lush natural beauty and tranquil ponds. Amenities include spa services, health and fitness center at The Spa of Colonial Williamsburg, preferred reservations for golf and tennis recreation, family and pet friendly, accessible rooms, complimentary all-day snacks and beverages, with easy access to the Historic Area and dining.

Guestroom $179

WILLIAMSBURG WOODLANDS HOTEL & SUITES

105 Visitor Center Drive

Relax with the ideal blend of comfort and convenience. Amenities include preferred reservations for spa services, golf and tennis recreation, on-site fitness center, family and pet friendly, accessible rooms, outdoor heated pool, picnic area, located next to Huzzah! BBQ Grille and the Visitor Center, with shuttle bus service departing from Visitor Center to the Historic Area.

Guestroom $139 / Suite $159

DINING RESERVATIONS

Whether you are looking for Historic tavern or modern, casual or quick fare, Colonial Williamsburg offers a range of dining experiences for everyone's palate. For reservations or additional information regarding dining opportunities, call 1-800-261-9530, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (ET).

SPA SERVICES

The Spa of Colonial Williamsburg offers a calm sanctuary of classic elegance. Serene décor and thoughtful amenities allow for relaxation and rejuvenation. Arrive early and linger after your treatment to enjoy steam rooms, signature showers, and whirlpools as well as our relaxation lounges. Experience the wonders of The Spa of Colonial Williamsburg for yourself by booking an appointment at 1-800-688-6479.

Registration Information

TWO EASY WAYS TO REGISTER:

Online: www.colonialwilliamsburg.com/learn/conferences
Conference Website – http://bit.ly/ales2018

Phone: 1-800-603-0948
Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (ET)

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Full Conference Registration *$375*
Optional Trip to Billsburg Brewery *$15*

Registration includes four coffee breaks, opening reception, tasting reception, Colonial Williamsburg admission ticket valid during the conference and presentations as proposed in this agenda. Presentation schedule is subject to change without notice.

Preregistration and payment in full are required. Payment may be charged to American Express, Discover, Visa, or MasterCard or by check payable to Colonial Williamsburg Foundation. Check payments must be received at Colonial Williamsburg Foundation by October 1, 2018. If payment has not been received by this date, the registration will be cancelled.

GUEST REGISTRATION

Guest registration is designed for a spouse, partner, or family members of the registrant wishing to attend evening events. Guest tickets do not include access to the main program or breaks. The following guest tickets are available for purchase and may be added during registration.

Opening Reception	*$45*
Saturday Reception	*$45*
Historic Area Ticket	*$20*
Optional Trip to Billsburg Brewery	*$15*

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

In the event a registrant cannot attend, the registration may be transferred to another individual, provided the individual is not already registered and the registration is used for the same conference. Notice of transfer must be received in writing to Michele Moyer at mmoyer@cwf.org or PO Box 1776, Williamsburg, VA 23187-1776.

If a registrant cannot attend, notice of cancellation must be received in writing by **5 p.m., Friday, October 12, 2018**, to be eligible for a refund. If notification is received by **October 12, 2018**, Colonial Williamsburg will refund registration fees, less a $50 administration fee. Cancellation notice should be emailed to Michele Moyer at mmoyer@cwf.org or mail to PO Box 1776, Williamsburg, VA 23187-1776.

Refunds will not be made after **October 12, 2018**. Travel and/or trip interruption insurance is recommended. Check with your travel agent for details.

GETTING TO WILLIAMSBURG

Colonial Williamsburg is located midway between Richmond and Virginia Beach, and is 150 miles south of Washington, D.C. and 200 miles north of Raleigh, North Carolina. Whether you are traveling by plane, train, or automobile. Williamsburg is minutes from major airports, Amtrak service, and interstates.

PLANE: There are three airports conveniently located along Interstate 64 less than one hour from Williamsburg.

- Richmond International Airport (RIC) is located about 50 minutes north of Williamsburg.
- Norfolk International Airport (ORF) is located about 50 minutes south of Williamsburg.
- Newport News/Williamsburg International Airport (PHF) is located about 30 minutes south of Williamsburg.

TRAIN: The Williamsburg Transportation Center is just one mile from the Historic Area and serves as a hub for Amtrak, Williamsburg Area Transit Authority bus service, and taxi service.

AUTOMOBILE: Williamsburg is easily accessible by car through Interstate 64, Exit 238. Follow the signs to Colonial Williamsburg.



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