

# TREEFORT MUSIC FEST

MARCH 20 - 24, 2019 | DOWNTOWN BOISE, ID

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## **NEW LAYOUT, MORE BEER, GOOD FOOD AT ALEFORT 2019 + TWO NEW TREEFORT BEERS**

BOISE, IDAHO – As the beer, cider, and food tasting component of Treefort Music Fest, [Alefort](#) aims to present unique and high-quality food and beverage experiences that illuminate the intersection of beer and cuisine with Boise’s greater culture. Alefort is bringing a fresh and flavorful lineup of drinks, eats, and experiences to the 2019 festival.

Alefort has changed up a few things for its eighth year, including a new layout, a creatively-curated food menu, a one-day Basque presentation, and a specialty Alefort beer from Barley Brown’s Beer. Some of the old Alefort favorites will remain, like the Alefort Nail Pull and a plethora of fresh pours from local and regional breweries.

### **A FRESH PRESENTATION**

This year in Alefort, attendees will find beers organized by flavor and story rather than by brewery. There will be the Alefort Bar, a Process & Ingredient Bar, and four additional bars organized by beer type. Each brewery will be paired with a bar that gives them the opportunity to showcase their best, most unique beer in that category.

With the new layout, Alefort is striving to introduce participants to good beer while helping them understand the process and ingredients that go into making the beer they love. Featured bars at Alefort 2019 include a Hoppy Bar (IPAs), Wild & Funky Bar (sours), Lager Bar, Big & Barrel-Aged Bar, Process & Ingredient Bar, and the Alefort Bar, which will feature daily special events and beers specifically for Alefort.

### **FOODFORT TASTES AT ALEFORT**

A locally-curated food menu will sustain attendees throughout the weekend while bringing a new eating experience to Alefort. Each menu is a collaboration between Boise eateries to highlight the interesting, appetizing eats in Boise.

Friday features tacos with taco offerings from a diverse group of restaurants. Saturday features traditional foods from the Basque country and a special cider experience known as “txotx” (pronounced “tchotch”). Sunday features brunch, coffee beers and special performances from Comedyfort comedians at the Alefort Sunday Roast.

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## EVENTS & EXPERIENCES

Similar to years past, Alefort will have a handful of beer-centric events and experiences.

**Barley Brown's Beer is creating Fresh AF 2019**, a specialty IPA for the festival. A limited run of Fresh AF 2019 will be canned on-site on a mobile canning line, marking the first and only time Barley Brown's will can its beer.

**The Alefort Nail Pull** will return where Aleforters will get to taste beer straight from the barrel. The Alefort Nail Pull will serve up fresh, local beers from Sockeye Brewing, Payette Brewing Co., and Mother Earth Brew Co.

## 2019 BREWERIES & CIDERIES

Barbarian Brewing (Boise, ID)  
Barley Brown's Beer (Baker City, OR)  
Bear Island Brewing Co. (Boise, ID)  
Firestone Walker Brewing Co. (Paso Robles, CA)  
Fremont Brewing (Seattle, WA)  
Lost Grove Brewing (Boise, ID)  
Melvin Brewing (Alpine, WY)  
Mother Earth Brew Co. (Vista, CA & Nampa, ID)  
New Belgium Brewing (Fort Collins, CO)  
Odell Brewing Co. (Fort Collins, CO)  
Payette Brewing Co. (Boise, ID)  
Revision Brewing Co. (Sparks, NV)  
Sierra Nevada Brewing Co. (Chico, CA)  
Sockeye Brewing (Boise, ID)  
Woodland Empire Ale Craft (Boise, ID)  
Cider Sisters (Boise, ID)  
Finnriver Farm & Cidery (Chimacum, WA)  
Meriwether Cider (Boise, ID)  
Schilling Cider (Seattle, WA)  
Shakasbury Cider (Vergennes, VT)  
Summit Cider (Coeur d'Alene, ID)

As always, those drinking at Alefort will need to bring or purchase a reusable cup. Alefort is located near the Treefort Main Stage in the Owyhee parking lot (1109 W Main Street) and is free and open to the public (age 21+) on Friday, March 22 through Sunday, March 24, 2019.

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## MORE TREEFORT BEER NEWS

### Two 2019 Treefort Beers

2019 brings two brand new Treefort beers. This year, Mother Earth Brew Co. and New Belgium Brewing are both creating a speciality Treefort beer.

Timber Giant by Mother Earth Brew Co. is a pale ale that will be available in cans and kegs in February 2019. Timber Giant will be available anywhere Mother Earth beer is sold. Cyclops Party by New Belgium Brewing is an IPA that will be available in kegs in March 2019.

### Drinking at Treefort Main Stage

Beverage options at the Treefort Main Stage in 2019 include the speciality Treefort beers from Mother Earth and New Belgium, Meriwether Cider, and mixed cocktails from Red Feather Lounge.

The Treefort Main Stage uses reusable cups only. Reusable steel cups can be purchased on site for two tokens and used at any drinking venue in Boise.

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### About Treefort Music Fest

Conceived as an extension of the current momentum in the Boise music scene and art scene at large, our vision is that Treefort will provide the opportunity for Boise to play host to the national and regional music scenes while showcasing the local up-and-coming talent. Treefort Music Fest was proudly recognized as the Cultural Ambassador for the City of Boise 2015-2017.

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