

# WEDNESDAY LESSONS 4/25/23 Brooklyn Kura - \$15 tasting

#### <u>Number 14 Junmai Ginjo Namazake</u> \$34 w/ class credit (\$39)

• Koji: 60% polish Yamadanishiki (California) + kakemai (main mash): 60% Calrose (California), ABV: 15%, SMV +0 (just off-dry), acidity 1.6 (a little above average)

• Named for the 14th Junmai Ginjo recipe that Brooklyn Kura iterated upon, finally landing on something special.

#### <u>Blue Door Junmai Namazake</u> \$34 w/ class credit (\$39)

- Koji: 70% polish Yamadanishiki (California) + kakemai (main mash): 70% Calrose (California), ABV: 17% (undiluted/genshu), SMV +3 (dry)
- Named for the bright blue entrance to the BK taproom. Fermented slightly warmer than ginjo, which lets more rice dissolve into the mash for added body and flavor.

#### <u>BYx Junmai Yamahai</u>

## \$44 w/ class credit (\$49)

- Koji: 50% polish Yamadanishiki (California) + kakemai (main mash): 60% Calrose (California), ABV: 17.4% (undiluted/genshu), SMV +5 (dry), acidity 1.9 (fairly high)
- Fermented using a *gjærkrans* yeast-infused wooden ring hung in the brewery

## <u>Secondi</u>

 Lightly sparkling usu-nigori, refermented in bottle using amazake as a source of sugar for the yeast to create CO2. ABV 14%, SMV +6 (dry)

# \*\* BONUS: \$5 – American comparison set

# <u>DEN Junmai Yamadanishiki Batch 2</u>

• California-grown Yamadanishiki rice polished to 60%, once pasteurized, Hetch Hetchy Yosemite soft water. 16.7% ABV (genshu)

# <u>SakeOne/Momokawa Green Junmai Ginjo</u>

- California-grown Calrose rice polished to 58%, twice pasteurized, Willamette Valley soft water, 14.5% ABV
- ♥ 720ml bottles: \$5-10 off with tasting
- 300ml bottles: \$2.50 off
- ♥ Total discount= up to tasting fee
- ♥ F&B employee? Tell me when you check out!

## \$29 w/ class credit (\$34)

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