

# Fresh flavours

Check out the fresh hop brews  
along with all the other new  
releases ready for autumn...





**Note:** Beers are listed in order of % ABV

#### Steinlager Alcohol Free\*

\*<0.5% ABV, 330ml 12-pack RRP \$22

**Lion**

Steinlager is adding to its alcohol-free\* options with this new addition. Steinlager Alcohol Free\* is brewed with cold contact fermentation so minimal alcohol is produced in the brewing process. (Its alcohol free counterpart Steinlager Zero goes through an alcohol removal process after brewing.) This new offering is a crisp, full-bodied lager with light hops and a smooth malty flavour profile.

#### 8-Wired Lo-Fi Low Carb Pale Ale

2.5% ABV, 330ml 4-pack RRP \$15.99

**8-Wired (NI) and Punky Distro (SI)**

Lo-Fi Pale Ale brings a remarkable depth of hop flavours, delivering a big beer sensation in this sessionable little number. A fruity hop-forward brew offering up a full-flavoured tropical fruit cocktail. Enjoy this crisp, golden-hued ale as the low carbs practically sparkle in your glass.

#### 8-Wired Lo-Fi Low Carb Raspberry Sour Ale

2.5% ABV, 330ml 4-pack RRP \$15.99

**8-Wired (NI) and Punky Distro (SI)**

Lo-Fi Raspberry Sour Ale is a delightful low carb balance of raspberry sweetness and tartness. Vibrant in the glass – a flavourful, refreshing drop. Perfect for those seeking an interesting low-alcohol brew.

#### 8-Wired Pineapple & Habanero Hippy

4% ABV, 440ml RRP \$8.99

**8-Wired (NI) and Punky Distro (SI)**

A refreshing, light, hoppy, sour and very fruit salad-y tasting beer inspired by traditional Berliner Weisse ales but remixed with pineapple and habanero chillies for a bit of a kick. Naturally soured by live cultures and hopped with American and New Zealand hops.

#### Emporium Tinker's Tickler Best Bitter

4% ABV, keg only

**Emporium Brewing**

Just in time for the cooler days, this is a classic English-style Best Bitter from Kaikōura brewery Emporium. It has a smooth malty base with a light touch of Riwaka hops that adds a hint of citrus.

#### Staroceske Traditional Pale Lager

4.7% ABV, 500ml RRP \$4.70

**Q Liquid**

Staroceske is a traditional Czech pale lager with a rich malt flavour. It has a clean hop bitterness and a bouquet of spicy, herbal hops aromas.

Just in time for the cooler days comes classic English-style Tinker's Tickler Best Bitter from Kaikōura brewery Emporium.

#### Tuatara Greenback Fresh Hop Pilsner

4.9% ABV – keg only

**DB**

Tuatara's Greenback is a fresh hop pilsner full of the joys of the hop harvest. Fresh Motueka hops contrast the Pilsner malt base with a zesty hit of citrus lime and tropical notes.

#### Hop Federation Fresh Hop Pilsner

5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$10.99 – also in keg

**Hop Federation**

Packed with freshly picked Motueka hops from Hop Federation's own Te Maatu hop gardens and Taiheke hops from their Karaka gardens just down the road – this is a juicy drop full of zingy, zesty citrus aromas and flavours.

**Sawmill x Emerson's Pilsner**

5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$9.99

**Sawmill Brewery**

One of our top northern breweries meets an old-school star of the south in this collaboration between Sawmill and Emerson's. The blue Sawmill can recalls the blue of the iconic Emerson's Pilsner packaging, and in the glass it's the best of both worlds. Organic malt from Gladfield meets organic hops from New Hoplands for a beautifully balanced, golden malty drop. Deliciously drinkable. Recommended.

**Sprig + Fern Harvest Pilsner**

5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$8.49 and 888ml RRP \$13.49

**Sprig + Fern**

Sprig + Fern's award-winning Harvest Pilsner has returned with a double-down on Riwaka and NZH-106 hops. The brewers say the hops are "locally picked, lovingly packed, and back to the brewery mere minutes after harvesting". The result is a resinous brew balanced by a tropical fruit sweetness and twists of ripe citrus peel. Fresh and tasty.

**Sunshine Guava, Watermelon & Lime Sour**

5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$10.99

**Sunshine Brewing**

A summer project for the team at Sunshine Brewery, here the Gisborne brewers have taken locally grown watermelon, lime and guava and created a refreshing, heavy fruit sour. A heavy wheat grist provides plenty of body to balance all the light fruit, making this a perfect sipper into autumn.

**Sunshine Japanese Style Dry Lager**

5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$10.99

**Sunshine Brewing**

Sunshine have taken the classic form of a light Japanese lager and given it the Kiwi twist of Waimea hops for extra flavour. The result is an excellent beer, highly drinkable, with notes of citrus and slightly fruity malts. Recommended.

**Warsteiner Unfiltered Gold**

5.2% ABV, 500ml RRP \$6.99

**Q Liquid**

Warsteiner is Germany's largest privately-owned brewery, helmed by the Cramer family since 1753. This unfiltered drop has a smooth and malty taste with hints of honey and caramel while remaining refreshing in the finish. It's named after the unique hop that is responsible for its well-balanced flavour: Brewer's Gold.

**McLeod's Bluewater Single Hop Unfiltered Pale Ale**

5.5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$9.99

**McLeod's Brewery**

A paean to the Mosaic hop, McLeod's have produced this hop-laden pale ale that is held together with some impressively juicy malts. Pouring cloudy in the glass, this unfiltered drop has balanced bitterness and a lingering fruity finish. As refreshing as the waters of Waipu Cove, Bluewater is a crowd pleaser with integrity.

**Sprig + Fern Monohoppily Fresh Hop Hazy**

5.5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$9.49 and 888ml RRP \$13.99

**Sprig + Fern**

Nelson brewers Sprig + Fern have gone all-in on a single hop variety for their Fresh Hop Hazy. Hand-selected Riwaka hops from Holmdale Farm in Wakefield and Mac Hops in Motueka were raced back to the brew to lock in aroma and flavour. Monohoppily Fresh Hop Hazy is silky-smooth but jam-packed with notes of grapefruit and citrus peel, and an unmistakable freshness.

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#### **8-Wired Amplifire**

5.6% ABV, 440ml RRP \$10.49

#### **8-Wired (NI) and Punky Distro (SI)**

The 8-Wired team jumped at the chance to use Clayton Hops' new Amplifire hop oils in this brew. It's a classic West Coast style Pale Ale, using modern New Zealand hops, including Riwaka, Motueka and Nelson Sauvín. Dry hopped with NZ Cascade and "amplified" with Amplifire™ hop oils, Nelson Sauvín and Motueka. Expect plenty of citrus and tropical fruit bursting out of your glass, all tied together by a pleasant bitterness.

#### **ParrotDog Thunderbird Bright IPA**

5.8% ABV, 330ml 6-pack RRP \$23.99

#### **ParrotDog**

Citrus and tropical aromas rise up to greet you as soon as you crack the tab on this new release from ParrotDog. Orange, tangerine, mango and pineapple are all in the mix. Pouring a bright gold, this IPA is juicy on the palate too, with more tropical and citrus character and balanced bitterness.

#### **Emporium Green Freshies XPA**

5.9% ABV, 440ml RRP \$12.99 - also in keg

#### **Emporium Brewing**

Green Freshies is an XPA made with oh-so-fresh Nelson Sauvín from Freestyle Hops. Dank, grassy and in your face hop character – this is one for the hop heads.

#### **Hop Federation Green Limousine**

6% ABV, 440ml RRP \$10.99 – also in keg (out 8 April)

#### **Hop Federation**

Green Limousine is fast becoming an iconic release for Hop Federation – this IPA is fresh hopped with Nelson Sauvín and is fresh and delicious. In the words of the brew team: "The Green Limousine delivers Nelson Sauvín hops to us once a year. Coming from just down the road, they're as fresh as it gets."

#### **McLeod's Marlin Alley India Pale Ale**

6% ABV, 440ml RRP \$10.99

#### **McLeod's Brewery**

Named for the popular marlin fishing spot in the Bay of Islands, McLeod's Marlin Alley is an intense IPA, teeming with flavour from Nectaron and Idaho 7 hops and then the further dry-hopping with Talus and Nelson Sauvín hops. Bright and lean with a malt base, there's a strong yet balanced bitterness.

#### **Sawmill Fresh Hop NZH-106 Hazy IPA**

6% ABV, 440ml RRP \$11.99

#### **Sawmill Brewery**

Part of Sawmill's Aotearoa Series, the Fresh Hop NZH-106 Hazy IPA is an intensely fresh, highly hoppy IPA. Freshly harvested NZH-106 from Mac Hops in Motueka brings big punchy citrus and tropical aroma to an IPA that is gently rounded out with a soft haze.

#### **Sawmill Fresh Hop Riwaka Hazy IPA**

6% ABV, 440ml RRP \$11.99

#### **Sawmill Brewery**

Focusing on a single hop – particularly if that hop is Riwaka – seems a fashionable thing to do this fresh hop season. This hazy number from Sawmill has big, punchy grapefruit, passionfruit and tropical aromas from freshly harvested Riwaka hops grown at Clayton Hops in Nelson.

#### **Sawmill Hazy Tropical IPA**

6% ABV, 440ml RRP \$9

#### **Sawmill Brewery**

Sawmill's cans are always beautiful – and this Hazy Tropical IPA is no exception: a lovely light green and pink-accented can heralds the dreamy drop within. Pouring a cloudy straw colour in the glass, this is a tropical punch of a beer, packed with fruit flavours and a pleasing hop bitterness. Sawmill have made great use of the Solero, Talus and Pacifica hops for a beer that will please hop aficionados and casual drinkers alike.



**Sawmill x Verdant Hazy IPA**

6% ABV, 440ml RRP \$9.99

**Sawmill Brewery**

A collaboration of global proportions – Sawmill’s classic Hazy IPA base with New Zealand hops and UK-based Verdant Brewery’s signature yeast. Here, Sawmill chose big additions of Nelson Sauvín, with mojito-like Motueka, tropical Moutere and a smooth bitterness from the piney Waimea. Verdant’s renowned yeast is described as “a highly versatile strain with more body than typical IPA yeasts”. The result is a super juicy Hazy IPA.

**Good George Fresh Hop Out of Frankton Fresh Hop Hazy NZIPA**

6.1% ABV, 946ml RRP \$18

**Good George**

Good George’s fresh hop offering pours golden and hazy in the glass and the nose is full of juicy, tropical, and resinous green hop aromas. The flavour profile is juicy too; fruit-forward with gentle bitterness and malt sweetness.

Fresh Hopped is a collaboration between craft cidery Peckham’s and craft brewery Duncan’s Brewing Company.

**McLeod’s Good People Unfiltered IPA**

6.5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$10.99

**McLeod’s Brewery**

McLeod’s have made a beer for all the good people out there. Jammed with vast quantities of Amarillo and Citra hops, this is a milky brew packed with citrus and tropical fruit flavours. An excellent drop to share with friends and family, perhaps over a charcuterie board laden with cured meats.

**Sunshine Pines WCIPA**

6.5% ABV, 440ml RRP \$TBC

**Sunshine Brewing**

Sunshine’s West Coast IPA is named for the Pines surf break at Wainui Beach in Gisborne. Pouring tawny and golden in the glass, the Mosaic, Simcoe, Amarillo, Sultana and WLP090 hops combine for a hop-driven, resinous IPA with flavours of pineapple and citrus. The finish is crisp and dry rather than the bitterness some intense IPAs go for, making it highly drinkable.

**Pacific Coast Zodiac Bright IPA**

6.8% ABV, 440ml RRP \$10.99 - also in keg

**Pacific Coast Brewery**

Mangawhai brewers Pacific Coast have harnessed the power of a Zodiac boat in this Bright IPA. Sitting atop a 100% Pilsner malt base are eight different hops: Kohatu and Superdelic for bitterness, Nelson Sauvín and Superdelic for mango and citrus flavours, while Motueka, Moutere, Riwaka and Mosaic Cryo bring the big, juicy tropical notes. Bright and flavourful with a stiff backbone.

**CIDER**

**Peckham’s x Duncan’s Brewing Company Fresh Hopped**

5.4% ABV, 330ml RRP \$6.49

**Peckham’s**

This limited edition collaboration from craft cidery Peckham’s and craft brewery Duncan’s Brewing Company is a celebration of two harvests coming together. Fragrant fresh hops harvested from Egger’s Hop Farm, a stone’s throw from Peckham’s orchard in Upper Moutere, have been infused into one of their dry traditional apple ciders to give lush hop flavour with tropical notes.

**Peckham’s Three Musketeers**

6% ABV, 330ml RRP \$6.49

**Peckham’s**

This new cider from Peckham’s is made from a unique blend of Chisel Jersey, Major and Tremlett’s Bitter heritage apples, which have been wild-fermented and barrel-aged for extra complexity and depth of flavour. Off-dry in style with hints of baked apple, caramel and earthy undertones. Amber in colour and rich with authentic cider apple character.



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