



# PINKY

## Hibiscus Witbier

### ***Ingredients & Stats***

**Grain & Adjuncts:** Pilsner, Wheat Malt, Flaked Wheat, Flaked Oats

**Hops:** Crystal

**ABV:** 4.1%

**IBU:** 11

**SRM:** Pink!

**Yeast:** House Belgian Strain

### ***Flavor Description***

A light and lively example of the style. The tradition Belgian wit yeast strain imparts delicate notes of peppercorn, fresh flowers and light clove. The generous addition of hibiscus flowers coupled with meyer lemon peel provide a pop of color and a lightly tart fruitiness that balances the breadly wheat backbone.

### ***What's in a Name?***

Pinky began as a one off beer produced to celebrate the summer; we liked it so much we couldn't bear to let it go. Originally named after two world mice bent on world domination, our lawyers advised us to 'shorten' it's moniker to emphasize the color of this unique brew rather than potential trademark issues. A quick glance at the pint glass and you can see how the beer practically named itself!

### ***History of Style***

This classic Belgian style was nearly made extinct by the advent of light lagers in Europe in the late 1800's. Revived a few decades ago by a handful of brewers longing for the unique floral and clove characters, Belgian witbiers (aka wits or Belgian whites) use a specialized yeast strain to produce the iconic flavors and aromas, and also linger in the beer, giving it the characteristic haze which makes it appear white.

***Availability:*** Summer Session Series - June-August

***Age-ability:*** No! Drink Fresh!

***Vegan-friendly:*** Yes! We don't use animal products in this beer