

# WELCOME! October 8, 2019

#### INTROS - Lou Romano



- •RETAIL EXPERIENCE
- •WHOLESALE EXPERIENCE
- SUPPLIER EXPERIENCE
  - 8 Years DG Yuengling
  - 4 Years OSKAR BLUES
  - ~2 Years at FLYING FISH



# **FFBC History**

### Timeline





 Founded by Gene Muller in 1996, Flying Fish became a "virtual" brewery on the WEB.....soliciting feedback on beer styles, names, and building a following before the brewery was ever physically built.

### Why "FLYING FISH?"





 Volans, or the "Flying Fish", is a constellation in the Southern Hemisphere, representing exploration and adventure. Gene wanted his following to explore new tastes from what was just "popular" at the time, so a Flying Fish represented people who were willing to "drink outside their usual pond".

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- After garnering attention (and monetary investment), the brewery physically opened in Cherry Hill, NJ, in late 1996/early 1997.
- Gene and the team operated out of this location until 2012

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Current location in Somerdale, NJ (just south of Cherry Hill, and 12 miles from downtown Philadelphia).....42,000 square feet......four times the size of the original brewery.











- 463 Solar Panels were installed on the brewery roof before opening.
- We have a monitor in our Tasting Room that allows guests to watch how much electrical output is coming from Solar.
- We rank 18<sup>th</sup> in the world for breweries, as a percentage of power coming from solar.





- 19 Solar Light Tubes were installed, which uses a prism to collect sunlight and concentrate it, effectively lighting our warehouse "without" electricity.
- Nothing to clean, turn on, or replace/throw away.
- More pleasant than fluorescent lighting.





- 50 BBL Brewhouse, recaptures steam used in the brewing process.
- 1 Gallon of Hot Water saved for every 5 gallons of beer brewed.

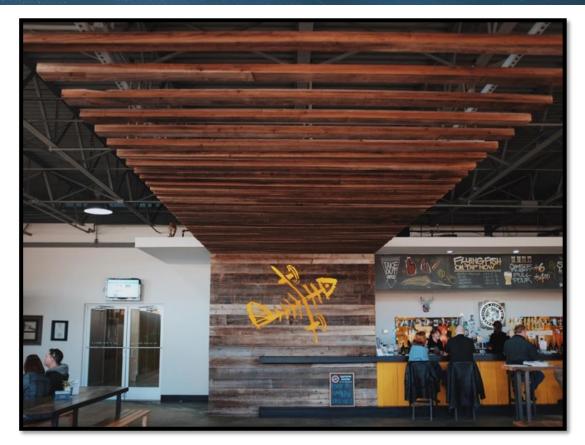
 Spent Grain goes to local farms (709 tons in 2019)





 Rain Gardens on property capture runoff, and help divert it back into the ground, rather than rushing to Cooper Creek and creating erosion.







 Reclaimed wood used in building our Tasting Room and Lighted Signs we hang in the market.





- Infinitely Recyclable (aligns with FFBC values)
- Lighter (can fit more on a truck and reduce shipping)
- Portability (aligns with "adventure")
- Light Protection (Quality Message)
- Air Protection (Quality Message)



CRAFT CAN GROWTH IN TOTAL US FOOD











# TOUR TIME!