

## Birrificio Del Ducato

Via Streponi, 50/a - 43010 Roncole Verdi di Busseto, Italy

### Brewery Description:

Birrificio Del Ducato is one of Italy's up-and-coming microbreweries.

Giovanni Campari, the brewmaster, is part of Italy's second generation of Italian craft brewers. Like many in Italy, he started as a home-brewer. However, with a degree in Food Science and Technology, he was not starting from scratch. Before opening the brewery with a couple of friends, he worked at Birrificio Italiano, one of the older craft breweries. Campari says that the first generation of Italian brewers were inspired by Belgian and German traditions, whereas he and his peers, inspired mostly by their pioneering compatriots, are moving toward developing an Italian beer identity.



## Nuova Mattina

■ Beer Collection  
■ Keg Collection

Top fermented beer which undergoes a secondary fermentation in bottle. It draws inspirations from the Belgian Saisons. It is surprisingly spicy due to the use of wild flowers, chamomile, coriander, green peppercorn and ginger. Deep gold with orange highlights, it has exceptionally floral and spicy aromas. It finishes with a quenching dryness and an earthy bitterness. It is an ode to spring.

"A journey through forests and dales, a hymn of hope for the day to come."

### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Italian Saison Style
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	5.9%
<b>Malts</b>	Pale, Unmalted & Malted Wheat, Oats, Rye
<b>Hops</b>	Chinook, Hallertauer
<b>Spices</b>	Coriander, Ginger, Green Pepper, Chamomile, Licorice

### Tasting Notes

<b>Appearance</b>	Cloudy yellow orange.
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<b>Aroma</b>	Aroma of ginger, citrus, pepper, herbal, and fruity.
<b>Flavor</b>	Taste of spices, floral, citrus, and herbal.
<b>Finish</b>	Very quenching and refreshingly dry in the finish.

### Suggested Food Pairings:

- Curried Thai Dishes
- Cheese (Fontina, Asiago, Colby, Parmesan)

### Available Formats:

- 6 \* 25.4 oz bottles
- 16 \* 11.2 oz bottles
- 20 Liter Keg (please ask for availability)

## Krampus

(Winter Seasonal)

■ Beer Collection  
■ Keg Collection

The word Krampus originates from the Old High German word for claw (Krampen). In the Alpine region the Krampus is represented by an incubus in company of St Nicholas. Traditionally, young men dress up as the Krampus in the first two weeks of December and particularly in the evening of December 5 and roam the streets frightening children (and adults) with rusty chains and bells. In some rural areas also slight birching especially of young females by the Krampus is part of tradition. This beer is brewed with



star anise.

### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Winter Seasonal
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	8%

### Tasting Notes

<b>Appearance</b>	Hazy orange color.
<b>Aroma</b>	Lots of spices in the nose (marachino cherry, orange, clove, and cinnamon).
<b>Flavor</b>	Flavors replicate the nose.
<b>Finish</b>	Full mouthfeel and is very long on the palate.

### Suggested Food Pairings:

- Aperitif
- Salmon

### Available Formats:

- 6 \* 25.4 oz bottles
- 4 \* 1.5 Liter Magnum bottles
- 20 Liter Keg (please ask for availability)

## Viaemilia

■ Beer Collection

This bottom fermented beer is golden yellow in color with floral and herbaceous hop aromas (due to the use of Tettnang Tettnanger blooming hop variety personally selected during harvest time). The finish is sharp with a hoppy bitterness and hints of acacia honey. Elegant, balanced and gratifying: there is always room for her!



### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Dry Hoppy Pale Lager (Italian Interpretation)
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	4.8%
<b>Malts</b>	Pilsner, Munich
<b>Hops</b>	Hallertauer Magnum, Hallertauer Perle, Spalter Select, Tettnanger, Tettnanger Hallertau

### Legend

- Beer Collection
- Keg Collection
- Real Ale Collection
- Vintage Collection
- Cider & Perry
- Sake & Yuzu Wine
- Mead
- Spirits

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### Product Details

<b>Yeast</b>	Bottom-fermenting.
<b>Fermentation</b>	7 days
<b>Maturation</b>	3-4 weeks
<b>IBU</b>	44.5

### Tasting Notes

<b>Appearance</b>	Nice gold copper hue that shows a slightly hazed, full gold color.
<b>Aroma</b>	Aroma of hops, citrus, maple sugar.
<b>Flavor</b>	Lightly sweet up front, followed by touch of buttery malt in the middle as well as a faint, toffee like character.
<b>Finish</b>	Dry, herbal, hop bitterness in the finish.

### Suggested Food Pairings:

- Curried, Indian, Thai, Chinese Cuisine
- Cheese (Sharp Cheddar)

### Available Formats:

- 24 \* 11.2 oz bottles



## Verdi Imperial Stout

■ Beer Collection

Verdi Imperial Stout is an Italian interpretation of an imperial stout using hot chili.

Verdi Imperial Stout is the first Italian craft beer to have ever been crowned with a gold medal in its category at an International beer contest. In 2008 it ranked first at The European Beer Star in the Imperial Stout category.

### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Imperial Stout
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	8.2%
<b>Malts</b>	Pale, Caramalt, Chocolate, Roasted, Oats
<b>Hops</b>	Hallertauer
<b>Spices</b>	Hot Chili
<b>Fermentation</b>	7 days
<b>Maturation</b>	40 days at 68°F

### Tasting Notes

<b>Appearance:</b>	Pour dark brown but appears black in the glass.
<b>Aroma:</b>	Coffee and cream hits the nose. Sweet licorice adds more sweet aromas.
<b>Flavor:</b>	Taste of milk chocolate together with coffee and vanilla. Taste is pleasant and quite complex.
<b>Finish:</b>	The chili reveals itself and provides a sharp punch of hot spiciness that blends really well with a considerable hop bitterness and a gentle warmth of alcohol. The finish is quite dry and long.

### Suggested Food Pairings:

- Chocolate
- Smoked Meat
- Grilled Meat

### Available Formats:

- 16 \* 11.2 oz bottles

## Chimera

■ Beer Collection

"A top fermenting beer, bottle/keg conditioned, with the color of a monk's outfit. It presents itself to the nose with aromas of caramel and fruit pickled in alcohol {cherry & prune} as well as a light roasting. In the mouth it expresses warmth & complexity but reveals an unexpectedly dry finish.

*This ale is our unattainable dream, the comparison we have always sought, which we may never find.*

*An Ale dedicated to all those who still long to dream and will never stop seeking the happiness they deserve."*

Giovanni Campari, Brewmaster Birrificio del Ducato.



### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	double bock
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	8.0%

### Product Details

<b>Malts</b>	pale malt, munich malt, vienna malt, pilsner malt, aromatic (amber) malt, special B malt, dark crystal malt (cara aroma).
<b>Hops</b>	Northern Brewer (Hallertau, Germany), Pilgrim (Wye, England), First Gold (Poperinge, Belgium)
<b>Spices</b>	Dark Candy syrup, Dark Candy rocks,
<b>OG</b>	1083

### Tasting Notes

<b>Appearance:</b>	the color of a monk's habit
<b>Aroma:</b>	the nose it is introduced with aromas of caramel and fruit pickled in alcohol (cherry & plum) and lightly roasted
<b>Flavor:</b>	in mouth it gives off heat and complexity
<b>Finish:</b>	finishing unexpectedly dry

### Suggested Food Pairings:

- Chocolate

### Available Formats:

- 16 \* 11.2 oz bottles
- 20 L kegs

## L'Ultima Luna

■ Beer Collection

Barley wine of great character, matured for at least nine months in French oak barrels which previously contained great Italian red wine.

Copper colored with reddish tints and extraordinarily rich and complex in the nose, it releases aromas of red fruits (cherries, currants) and vanilla, with hints of wild berries, and it is reminiscent of a fine wine.

It has a warm-bodied mouth



### Legend

■ Beer Collection	■ Cider & Perry
■ Keg Collection	■ Sake & Yuzu Wine
■ Real Ale Collection	■ Mead
■ Vintage Collection	■ Spirits

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feel with no carbonation.

"A beer beyond preconceptions and clichés, dedicated to the man of tomorrow."

Giovanni Campari, Brewmaster Birrificio del Ducato .

### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Barley Wine
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	13%

### Tasting Notes

<b>Appearance:</b>	Copper colored with reddish tints
<b>Aroma:</b>	rich and complex, releasing aromas of red fruits (cherries, currants) and vanilla with hints of wild berries
<b>Flavor:</b>	warm-bodied mouth feel with no carbonation, reminiscent of a fine wine

### Available Formats:

- 16 \* 11.2 oz bottles

### Product Details

<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	8%
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### Available Formats:

- 16 \* 11.2oz bottles

## My Blueberry Nightmare

### Beer Collection

An extension of Birrificio Del Ducato's Verdi Imperial Stout - My Blueberry Nightmare is a stout brewed with hot chili, then aged for 2 years in oak barrels with blueberries.

### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Sour ale a/in Scotch barrels
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	9.5%

### Available Formats:

- 30L Kegs

## Beersel Mattina

### Beer Collection

This beer is a blend of Nuova Mattina (ale brewed with coriander, ginger, green pepper, and chamomile) and spontaneously fermented Belgian Lambic Ale (18 months old aged in wood). The blend is 82% Nuova Mattina and 18% Belgian Lambic Ale.

### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Saison/Lambic
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	6.2%

### Available Formats:

- 6 \* 25.4oz bottles

## La Luna Rossa

### Beer Collection

This is a beer with strong emotions- a mix between a Flemish red and a krielc Lambic. 50% Ale aged in oak barrels and 50% Ale with cherries added and aged in oak barrels.

### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Italian Sour Ale
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### Beer Collection

This beer is a variation of SALLY BROWN and a result of the collaboration with Torrefazione Baracco in Parma. The nose is notably marked by coffee aromas from the high elevations of the Equatorial regions. Fragrant malt roasts harmoniously mingle with coffee exotic aromas. The mouth has a velvety body with hints of caramel, cappuccino and smoked flavor.



To all those crafts men like us who daily embody their passion by creating something unique.

### Product Details

<b>Style</b>	Coffee Stout
<b>Alc./Vol.</b>	5.2%

### Available Formats:

- 16 \* 11.2oz bottles  
- 30L Kegs

### Legend

Beer Collection	Cider & Perry
Keg Collection	Sake & Yuzu Wine
Real Ale Collection	Mead
Vintage Collection	Spirits