

## WALLET GUIDE

# Summer of Cider

## Five summery dry-hopped selections from craft cideries in the Northwest

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Dry-hopped hard cider is the great diplomat of beverages. A stress-free partner for just about any fare, the citrusy, gluten-free sip pleases both discerning oenophiles *and* dyed-in-the-wool beer lovers—thanks to the addition of Northwest-grown hops. We've gathered five summery selections from craft cideries in the Northwest.



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### Anthem Hops

*Wandering Aengus Ciderworks*

The Anthem line sets the bar for hopped ciders, infusing fresh-pressed local apple juice with Oregon-grown Cascade hops for more than three weeks. The resulting cider has a tartness that recalls crisp, easy-drinking lagers. **Find It:** Local taps and bottle shops



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### Yakima Valley Dry Hopped Cider

*Tieton Cider Works*

Pressed in Tieton, Washington, with gnarly cider apples from a family-owned orchard and a blend of hops from the Yakima Valley, this clear, light cider has *terroir* in spades. Dry, with a light fizz, it's perfect for tipplers averse to sweetness. **Find it:** New Seasons

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### Dry Hopped Hard Cider

*Finnriver Farm & Cidery*





The Finnriver cidery on Washington's Olympic Peninsula churns out earthy, organic ciders like this off-dry, floral, Cascade-hopped variety.

**Find it:** Make a trip to Finnriver's tasting room in Chimacum for a true cider pilgrimage.



### **Hallelujah Hopricot Hard Cider** *Reverend Nat's*

For this one-of-a-kind pint, Portland cidemaker Nat West transforms a haul of fresh apricots and apples, lemony Amarillo hops, five unique ale and wine yeasts, and much of his spice cabinet into a balanced, fruity bottle. **Find it:** Reverend Nat's new cidery taproom

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### **Dry Hopped Cider** *Schilling & Company*

A scion of the Schilling Spice Company, Seattle-based cider man Colin Schilling is hoping to make DHC the next IPA—by putting it in an eco-friendly can. Schilling's cidery launched in April with a single variety, but Schilling expects a full lineup in the coming months. **Find it:** On tap at Bushwhacker Cider and in cans at Whole Foods

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