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OUR ETHOS IS TO EDUCATE PEOPLE ON THE WONDERFULLY IMMERSIVE WORLD OF WHISKY

Whether it is a tasty dram, a perfectly crafted cocktail, or a tasting session, there is something here for everyone.

Come on in and make yourself at home.



NEW TO WHISKY? LET US GUIDE YOU TO FIND YOUR PERFECT MATCH.

Please join us at the bar if you're not sure what to order. Our bar team will happily guide you through what we have to offer, talk to you about your preferences and help you find something you'll enjoy now, and that will hopefully invoke a passion for whisky that will stay with you forever.



WHISKY & WHISKEY

(Prices per 25ml serve)

SCOTTISH WHISKY

To love Scotch whisky is to also love the culture and history of the country, as they certainly go hand-in-hand! Each bottle evokes a story of people and places like no other. To love it is to start a conversation that never ends; the Speyside lovers, arguing their case against the 'Peat Freaks' to die-hard Highland fans with memories of parents who nursed a dram by the fire in their youth. Exploring Scotch whisky will open up many doors and give you new friends for life.

Welcome!

SPEYSIDE

The capital of malt whisky production in Scotland. A small area compared to neighbouring region, the Highlands, Speyside actually represents nearly half of all operational distilleries in the country.

Generally sweeter than the other whisky producing regions, Speyside whiskies fall into three main styles: light and floral, medium bodied, or rich and robust. Quite often tannic, spiced and with a distinct note of dark fruits, the shared complexity and elegance of the whiskies that come from this region are what drive its popularity.

Aberlour 12yr Double Cask	40.0%	£4.50
Aberlour Casg Annamh	48.0%	£6.00
Balvenie 12yr Double Wood	40.0%	£4.80
Balvenie 14yr Caribbean Cask	43.0%	£6.50
Benriach 16yr	43.0%	£12.50
Benriach 21yr	46.0%	£12.50
Benriach Birnie Moss Intensely Peated	48.0%	£4.80
Benriach Peated Cask Strength	56.0%	£6.50
Benromach 15yr	43.0%	£6.50
Benromach Cask Strength Batch 1	57.9%	£7.00
Benromach Organic	43.0%	£5.00
Benromach Sassicaia Wood Finish	45.0%	£5.40
Firkin Rare / Aultmore 2010 Tawny Port	48.9%	£6.00
Firkin Ten / Benrinnes 2008 Maderia	48.9%	£6.00
Glenallachie 10yr / Cask Strength - Batch 5	55.9%	£7.25
Glenallachie 11yr / Grattamacco Finish	48.0%	£7.00
Glenallachie 12yr / Sauternes Finish	48.0%	£7.00
Glenallachie 15yr	46.0%	£6.50
Glenallachie 13yo Single Cask Port Pipe	59.9%	£13.00

Glenallachie Distillery Edition	40.0%	£4.50
Glenfiddich 12yr	40.0%	£4.00
Glenfiddich 15yr Solera	40.0%	£4.60
Glenfiddich Experimental Series - Project XX	47.0%	£5.50
Glenfiddich Experimental Series - Fire & Cane	43.0%	£5.20
Glenfiddich Age of Discovery 19yr Bourbon Oak	40.0%	£5.20
Glenfiddich Age of Discovery 19yr Red Wine Finish	40.0%	£5.20
Glenfiddich Age of Discovery 19yr Maderia Finish	40.0%	£12.00
Glenlivet 12yr	40.0%	£12.00
Glenlivet 15yr / French Oak Reserve	40.0%	£12.00
Glenlivet 18yr	43.0%	£10.00
Glenlivet Founders Reserve	40.0%	£4.50
Glenlivet Captains Reserve	40.0%	£10.00
Glenlivet Nadurra Peated PW0717	61.8%	£7.50
Glenlivet Nadurra First Fill FF0717	60.3%	£7.50
Glen Marnoch 25yr	40.0%	£5.00
Gordon & Macphail / Discovery Milltonduff 10yr	43.0%	£6.80
Longmorn / The Distillers Choice	40.0%	£6.00
Mortlach 12yr	43.4%	£6.00
SMWS A Sunny Day in Late Summer	60.7%	£9.00
SMWS Gentle, Charming and Delightful	57.5%	£6.90
The Coopers Choice / Craigellachie 2008	46.0%	£5.50
Tamdhu Batch Strength / Batch 6	56.8%	£8.50
Wemyss Malts / Peat Chimney	46.0%	£4.40

HIGHLAND

To call Highland whiskies diverse would be the understatement of the century. The geographical landscape of the Highlands is vast, wild, and deeply contrasting area to area.

Badachro / The Bad Na H-Achlaise Collection	46.0%	£5.50
Ben Nevis 10yr	46.0%	£7.50
Deanston / 10yr Pedro Ximenez Finish	57.5%	£12.50
Deanston / 17yr Port Cask Finish	51.1%	£17.50
Deanston / 17yr Pinot Noir Cask Finish	50.0%	£10.00
Deanston / 2005 French Wine Cask Finish Handfill	55.0%	£10.00
Douglas Laing / Glengoyne 12yr	48.4%	£8.50
Edradour . Ballechin 8yr Double Cask	46.0%	£6.00
Edradour 1999 21yr Barolo Cask Finish	55.6%	£20.00
Edradour . Ballechin Ruster Ausbruch Cask Finish 12yrs	58.3%	£10.50
Firkin 49 / Tullibardine 2012 Amontillado & Oloroso Sherry	48.9%	£7.00
Glen Garioch 12yr	48.0%	£4.80
Glendronach 12yr	43.0%	£4.80
Glendronach 12yo / Sauternes Finish (Discontinued)	46.0%	£15.00
Glendronach 15yr	46.0%	£7.50
Glendronach 14yo / Virgin Oak (Discontinued)	46.0%	£13.80
Glendronach 18yr	46.0%	£9.60
Glenglassaugh Evolution	50.0%	£5.40
Glenglassaugh Octaves / Batch 2	44%	£6.40
Glenglassaugh Octaves Peated / Batch 2	44.0%	£7.20
Glenglassaugh Torfa	50.0%	£5.10
Glengoyne 12yr	40.0%	£4.60
Glengoyne Cask Strength Batch 007	58.9%	£6.00
Glengoyne The Legacy Series / Chapter One	48.0%	£6.80
Glenmorangie The Quinta Ruban 14yr	46.0%	£6.00
Glenturret Peated 10yr / Infrequent Flyers Raud Moar	57.8%	£10.00
Gordon & Macphail / Discovery Balblair 10yr	43.0%	£7.50
James Eadie / 10yr Blair Athol	46.0%	£5.00
Loch Lomond Inchmurrin 18yr	46.0%	£8.50
Macallan 12yr Double Wood	40.0%	£6.50
Nc'Nean Organic	46.0%	£7.50
Oban 2006 / Montilla Fino cask Finish - Distillers Edition	43.0%	£8.00
Old Poultney 15yr	46.0%	£7.00
Royal Lochnagar 12yr	46.0%	£4.00
The Coopers Choice / Ardmore 2011 Sauternes Finish	51.5%	£7.00
The Coopers Choice / Glencadam 2011	46.0%	£6.00
The Ardmore Legacy	40.0%	£4.50
The Glendronach Revival 15yr	46.0%	£7.50

The Glendronach Parliament 21yr	48.0%	£15.00
The Great Drams Series / Invergordon 11yr	46.2%	£6.50
Tomatin Cask Strength (Old Bottling)	57.5%	£8.00
Tomatin 14yr Port Wood	46.0%	£6.00
The Cooper's Choice Tomatin 'Forest Fruits'	57.5%	£6.50
Tullibardine Soverign	43.0%	£6.00
Tullibardine 225 / Sauternes Cask	43.0%	£4.50
Tullibardine 25yr	43.0%	£10.00

LOWLAND

Often grassy and floral with notes of jasmine and honeysuckle flower, as well as light toffee characterise the whiskies produced here. The Lowlands is the home to more distillation than any other region, however the majority of the whiskies produced in this area go towards creating blended whiskies.

Suffering a similar hit to American whiskies in terms of having to deal with war and prohibition, not to mention the poor-quality spirit that flooded the market in the 18th and 19th centuries, earning the region a bad reputation. Thus, forcing many of the distilleries to 'fall silent' or sell to other distilleries hence its inclusion in many blended whiskies.

Ailsa Bay 1.2	48.9%	£6.00
Auchentoshan Three Wood	43.0%	£5.20
Auchentoshan 18yr	43.0%	£5.75
Auchentoshan The Bartenders Malt	50.0%	£4.00
Caramel Apple Sauce 1991 / Wemyss Malts (North British)	46.0%	£10.00
Douglas Laing / Port Dundas 16yr PX Finish	54.1%	£8.50
Lindores MCDXCIV	46.0%	£5.50

CAMPBELTOWN

A victim of the rise in popularity of Speyside, due to their better transport options, and also a casualty of prohibition, Campbeltown now has only three distilleries.

Kilkerran 8yr Cask Strength	55.7%	£6.50
Kilkerran 12yr	46.0%	£5.00
Long Row NAS	46.0%	£5.50
Springbank 10yr	46.0%	£5.50
Springbank 18yr	46.0%	£11.00
Glenscotia 15yr	52.8%	£6.00
Glen Scotia 18yr	46.0%	£9.50
Glen Scotia Victoriana	54.3%	£12.50
Glen Scotia Exclusive Cask	52.9%	£8.50

ISLANDS

Island whiskies very often embody a distinct salinity due the proximity to the ocean and are often described as 'volcanic'.

There is a distinct heather and smokey malt personality to Island whiskies.

Arran Sauternes Finish	50.0%	£6.00
Arran Sherry Cask	55.8%	£7
Arran 21yr GWS Exclusive / Sherry Cask 841	55.3%	£12.00
Gordon & Macphail / Discovery Ledaig 12yr	43.0%	£6.80
Highland Park 12yr / Viking Honor	40.0%	£4.50
Highland Park Valknut	46.8%	£6.10
Highland Park Valfather	47.0%	£7.00
Ledaig Rioja Cask Finish / Sinclair Series	46.3%	£6.00
Morrison and Mackay / Kirkwall Bay	46.0%	£4.60
Robert Burns	43.0%	£4.00
Isle of Raasay	46.4%	£6.50
Scapa The Orcadian Glansa	40.0%	£5.20
Scapa The Orcadian Skiren	40.0%	£4.50
Tobermory 12	46.3%	£4.50
Talisker 18yr	45.8%	£10.00
Talisker 2020 Special Release / 8yr Rum Finish	57.9%	£9.20
Talisker Port Ruighe	45.8%	£7.00

ISLAY

Islay, the Queen of Peat. Home to nine distilleries, with others being built or reopened, and known primarily for producing peaty, lush and verdant whiskies. The main source of fuel on the island is peat, hence its traditional use throughout the production of Islay whiskies.

A product of its environment, Islay whisky often has notes of seaweed, salt, carbolic soap, Lapsang Suchong, moss and heather. One of the most popular whisky regions, likely for the strength of its character.

Very much a divider, people quickly picking their tribe, 'Peat Freaks' or 'Anything but Islay's!'. One for the connoisseurs, please don't hesitate to ask for advice regarding these complex liquids.

Ardbeg Arrrrrrdbeg!	51.8%	£15.00
Ardbeg Kelpie	46.0%	£22.50
Ardbeg Blaaack	46.0%	£15.00
Ardbeg Supernova 2019	50.0%	£32.50
Berry Bros & Rudd Classic Range / Islay	44.2%	£4.20
Bowmore No1	40.0%	£3.50
Bowmore 15yr	43.0%	£6.00
Bruichladdich Futures / Islay Grown	46.0%	£10.00
Bruichladdich Futures / Organic	46.0%	£10.00
Bruichladdich / Bere Barley 2010	50.0%	£7.50
Bruichladdich / Islay Barley 2010	50.0%	£7.50
Bruichladdich / Islay Barley 2011	50.0%	£7.00
Bruichladdich / Islay Barley 2012	50.0%	£7.00
Bruichladdich / Organic 2010	50.0%	£9.00
Bruichladdich The Laddie 8yr	50.0%	£7.50
Bruichladdich The Laddie Valinch	58.6%	£10.00
Bruichladdich The Classic Laddie	50.0%	£5.50
Bunnahabhain Eirigh Na Greine	46.3%	£5.50
Bunnahabhain Warehouse 9 Exclusive / 2007 Port Pipe	55.6%	£20.00
Bunnahabhain 11yr 2007 / Port Pipe Finish	55.3%	£9.00
Bunnahabhain Stiuireadair	46.3%	£6.00

Caol Ila 18yr	43.0%	£6.00
Caol Ila Natural Cask Strength	57.4%	£15.00
Douglas Laing / Rock Oyster	56.1%	£5.60
Elements of Islay Peat & Sherry	56.8%	£6.50
Elements of Islay Peat / Pure Islay	45.0%	£4.50
Elements of Islay Peat / Full Proof	59.3%	£6.23
Firkin / Caol IIa 2010 Masala	48.9%	£6.00
Gordon & Macphail / Discovery Bunnahabhain 11yr	43.0%	£6.80
Kilchoman Machir Bay Cask Strength	58.6%	£9.00
Kilchoman 2006 Vintage Release	46.0%	£10.00
Kilchoman Fino Matured	46.0%	£7.00
Lagavulin 11yr Guinness Cask Finish	46%	£8.50
Lagavulin 16yr	43.0%	£5.50
Laphroaig 10yr	40.0%	£5.50
Laphroaig 10yr Sherry Oak Finish	48.0%	£7.25
Laphroaig Lore	48.0%	£7.80
Laphroaig 10yr Cask Strength / Batch 012	60.1%	£8.50
Laphroaig Select	40%	£4.80
Lost Spirits Abomination / Chapter 2 - Sayers of the Law	54.0%	£7.00
Port Aksaig 100 Proof	57.1%	£6.50
Port Charlotte 10yr	50.0%	£5.40
Port Charlotte OLC:01	55.1%	£9.50
Port Charlotte RDC: 01	60.2%	£12
Seaweed & Aeons & Digging & Fire Cask Strength / Batch 3	59.1%	£5.00
Smokehead Single Malt	43.0%	£4.50
Smokehead Sherry Bomb	48.0%	£7.00
The Islay Star / 8yr	50.0%	£4.80
Weymss Malts Untold Riches / 28yr Bunnahabhain	49.1%	£17.50

AMERICA

What started as a rough and ready spirit; created lawlessly, surviving prohibition, war, and adapting to the forces of nature, has been refined to the point of elegance over the years. Rules to ensure consistency in production and a recognisable character have been set, the result, flawless liquid. Since the 19th Century the evolution of Bourbon production means at least 51% of the mash bill must be corn, the distillate can be no higher than 80% abv, of which must be put into new charred white oak casks at no higher than 62.5%. From there nothing but water may be added.

The typical character profile of a Bourbon is vanilla, toffee, cinnamon, oak & dried fruit.

1792 Full Proof	62.5%	£7.80
Booker's 6yo 2017-01E	62.7%	£9.00
Buffalo Trace Kentucky Straight	40.0%	£4.00
Colonel EH Taylor Single Barrel	50.0%	£9.00
Eagle Rare 10yr	45.0%	£4.50
Elijah Craig Small Batch	47.0%	£5.00
Elijah Craig 12yr	47.0%	£9.00
George T. Stagg	65.2%	£15.00
Jack Daniels Single Barrel	45.0%	£5.00
Knob Creek Straight Bourbon	50.0%	£4.40
Maker's Mark	45.0%	£4.20
Michter's US Unblended American Whiskey	41.7%	£6.50
Old Forester	43.0%	£4.80
Van Winkle Special Reserve 12yr 'Lot B'	45.2%	£13.00
Pappy Van Winkle 20yr	45.2%	£25.00
Pappy Van Winkle 10yr	53.5%	£10.00
Sazerac Straight Rye	45.0%	£5.20
Thomas H. Handy Sazerac	64.5%	£15.00
Weller Old Antique	53.5%	£7.00
Weller Special Reserve	45.0%	£4.50
William Larau Weller	67.25%	£15.00
Wild Turkey 13yr Distillers Select	45.5%	£10.00
WhistlePig 6yr PiggyBack	48.3%	£6.00
Woodford Reserve Double Oak	43.2%	£5.00

IRISH

Owing its distinct character to a tax dodge, Irish whiskey is every bit the cheeky dram you'd expect. Often characterised for its exceptionally smooth complexity, grassy, apple, vanilla and aromatic spice notes. This due to their methods of double or triple distillation and the use of Pot Stills.

Irish whiskey has undergone a resurgence. The country that once produced so much whisky the Scots developed sanctions that brought the industry to its knees, is now releasing greater and greater whiskies.

Connemara Peated NAS	40.0%	£4.80
Connemara Distillers Edition	43.0%	£5.00
Drumshanbo Single Pot Still	43.0%	£5.50
Jamesons	40.0%	£3.00
Jamesons Caskmates / Stout Edition	40.0%	£4.50
Jamesons Black Barrel	40.0%	£4.25
J.J. Corry The Gael / Batch 3	46.0%	£7.50
J.J. Corry The Hanson / Batch 2	46.0%	£6.00
Powers Gold Label	40.0%	£4.50
Powers Distillers Cut	42.2%	£4.50
Powers 12yr Johns Lane	46.0%	£6.00
Redbreast 12yr	40.0%	£5.20
Redbreast 15yr	46.0%	£7.20
Red Spot 15yr	46.0%	£11.00
Slane Triple Cask	40.0%	£4.20
Teeling Brabazon Bottling	49.5%	£8.00
Tullamore Dew	40.0%	£4.00
Tullamore Dew 14yr Single Malt	41.3%	£5.80
Waterford Bannow Island	50.0%	£10.00
Waterford Billykillcavan	50.0%	£10.00
Waterford The Arcadian / Gaia 1.1	50.0%	£10.00

JAPANESE

Japan has a near 100-year history of making whisky, with its story rooted firmly in Scotland from the late 1800's when trade relationships were established. In the early 1900's expertise was gathered from distilleries in Scotland and taken back to Japan to begin their whisky journey. Today their spirit is a beautifully crafted, heritage product that has its roots in seasonality, craft, precision and delicate but multi-layered flavour profiles.

Flavours of citrus, green tea, lemongrass and honeysuckle.

Nikka / Yoichi Single Malt	45.0%	£4.50
Nikka From The Barrel	51.5%	£7.20
Nikka Taketsuru Pure Malt	43.0%	£6.50
Nikka Coffey Grain Whisky	45.0%	£5.80
Nikka Days	40.0%	£4.80
Suntory Toki	43.0%	£4.20
Suntory Chita	43.0%	£5.20
Suntory Hibiki Harmony	43.0%	£7.50
The Hakushu Distillers Reserve	43.0%	£8.00
The Yamazaki Distillers Reserve	43.0%	£4.00

ENGLISH

Over the last few years we've seen a rise in malt whisky being made in England. We don't have the heritage of our whisky-making neighbours of Ireland and Scotland, as historically England was known for grain production with the last distillery closing in 1904. But the tide is turning. Along with the behemoths of The English Whisky Company and The Cotswolds, a raft of distilleries - 27 at last count - are snapping at their carefully crafted heels and laying down casks. From Cornwall right up to Durham, distilleries are currently heating up their stills with more in the planning.

Bimber Oloroso Single Cask / Selfridges Exclusive	51.9%	£10.00
Cotswolds Single Malt	46.0%	£7.00
Cotswolds Founders Reserve	60.5%	£6.50
Cotswolds Sauternes Cask	55.2%	£8.00
Dartmoor Bordeaux Cask Matured	46.0%	£6.00
The Yorkshire Distillery / Filey Bay	46.0%	£6.50
The Yorkshire Distillery / Filey Bay Moscatel Finish	46.0%	£6.50
The English Whisky Co / Original	43.0%	£4.50
The English Whisky Co / Smokey	43.0%	£4.00
The English Whisky Co / Gently Smoked Sherry Cask	46.0%	£6.00
The English Whisky Co / 11yr	46.0%	£6.50
The English Whisky Co / Wine Matured	46.0%	£6.00
The English Whisky Co / Rum Single Cask	46.0%	£8.50
The Lakes / The ONE	46.6%	£5.20

WORLD WHISKIES

Whisky is produced globally, there are now whisky contenders from across the planet sneaking up and staking their claim in the whisky world.

Here we have a variety of World whiskies to make your way through; Australian, English, French, Indian, Taiwanese... each displaying characteristics of their individual terroir.

WELSH //		
Penderyn Portwood	46.0%	£6.20
Penderyn Rich Oak	46.0%	£8.00
Penderyn Peated	46.0%	£5.00
Aber Falls	40.0%	£4.00
DANISH //		
Stauning Rye Whisky	48.0%	£5.25
SWEDISH //		
Mackmyra Bjorksav	46.1%	£6.00
INDIAN //		
Amrut Fusion	50.0%	£5.80
Amrut Peated	46.0%	£6.50
AUSTRAILIAN //		
Starward Dolce	48.0%	£7.50
Starward Nova	46%	£5.00

Paul John Classic	55.2%	£6.90
Paul John Peated	55.2%	£6.50
Paul John PX Select Cask	48.0%	£8.00
TAIWANESE //		
Kavalan Single Malt / Ex-Bourbon Cask	46.0%	£7.20
Kavalan Sherry Oak	46.0%	£10.00
BLENDED //		
Ballantines 17yr	40.0%	£7.00
Berry Bros & Rudd Classic Range / Sherry Cask Matured	44.2%	£4.20
Chivas Mizunara	40.0%	£5.50
Compass Box Peat Monster	46.0%	£5.40
Compass Box Spice Tree	46.0%	£5.20
Douglas Laing / Timerous Beastie	46.8%	£5.20
Monkey Shoulder	40.0%	£4.00
Spica 20yo Blend	45.2%	£8.00