

THE BURNS PUB & RESTAURANT

SCOTCH WHISKY

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ABOUT OUR WHISKY SELECTION

This is the most extensive selection in Colorado, or even the largest in the Denver-metro area. We simply don't have the space. But honestly, that's not what drives us. Each whisky is selected based on quality, uniqueness, and of course in a few cases, marketability. You will find knowledgeable experts on hand to help you select a truly satisfying spirit, so please feel free to call on us for recommendations, questions, or simply to chat. It's just what we do here.

HOW YOUR WHISKY IS SERVED

Our whisky is not ordered in a cocktail, are served neat with a pipette of filtered water. It's assumed that you ordered the whisky to sip and allow the spirit to be served with the nuances and complexities the years of aging is intended to provide. Therefore, they are not served with ice (unless specified) as ice considerably restricts aroma, flavor and character. Likewise, they are not served as shots (unless specified) for essentially the same reason. With this in mind, if you wish to use ice or "shoot it", please specify this to your server.

SINGLE MALT SCOTCH

"Single Malt Scotch" means the product of one distillery (single) from 100% malted barley (Malt). Like all Scotch, it must be distilled, aged (at least three years), and bottled in Scotland.

CAMPBELTOWN

The only region that is just one small town. Campbeltown was a hotbed of illicit distilling and boot-legging before it was legalized in Scotland in 1823. At one time there were 30+ distilleries in a seaside town with a population of around two thousand people, solidifying it's claim as the "Victorian Era Whisky Capital of the World". All that changed in the early 1900s when quality declined, prohibition hit the United States, and other factors caused distilleries to close their doors for good in the 1900s-1930s. Campbeltown as a region was in danger of extinction from the whisky landscape. But Hedley Wright (owner of Springbank at the time) virtually single handedly reversed Campbeltown's dismal fate. Heavier regulations on production in the Highlands at a lower tax rate than in the Lowlands. The end result was a large number of illicit distilleries in the Highlands. So it didn't work out exactly as intended.

Expression	Casks	Producer	ABV	1oz	2oz
Glen Scotia (1832)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	40%	\$7	\$13
12yr Mermaid	Ex-Bourbon / Palo Cortado	Distillery Bottling	54.1%	\$10	\$18
15yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$10	\$18
Double Cask (Rum)	Ex-Bourbon / Rum	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$8	\$15
	Ex-Bourbon / Virgin Oak / PX	Distillery Bottling	51.5%	\$10	\$18
Hazelburn (Non-peated Springbank)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$13	\$23
15yr Oloroso Cask	Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	54.2%	\$18	\$32
15yr SC	Port	Distillery Bottling	56.6%	\$21	\$37
Kilkeran (Glengyle - 1872, re-est 2004)					
8yr Cask Strength Bourbon	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	57.1%	\$12	\$22
8yr Cask Strength Sherry	Sherry	Distillery Bottling	57.1%	\$12	\$22
12yr	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$9	\$15
16yr	Ex-Bourbon / Marsala	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$14	\$25
Heavily Peated	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	58.6%	\$10	\$18
Longrow (Heavily peated Springbank)					
18yr	Sherry / Ex-Bourbon / Rum	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$22	\$39
21yr	Sherry / Ex-Bourbon / Chard	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$9	\$16
Ex-Bourbon	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$34	\$68
Peated	Ex-Bourbon / Pinot Noir	Distillery Bottling	57.1%	\$20	\$36
Springbank (1828)					
Batch Dependent	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$10	\$18
10yr Local Barley	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	51.6%	\$24	\$44
11yr Local Barley	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry / Rum	Distillery Bottling	55.1%	\$26	\$48
12yr Cask Strength (2023)	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	54.1%	\$16	\$29
13yr Local Barley	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	54.1%	\$29	\$54
15yr	Batch Dependent	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$14	\$25
21yr	Batch Dependent	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$34	\$68
25yr	Sherry / Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$120	\$240

HIGHLANDS

The Highlands is separated from the Lowlands by the Wash Act that runs from Helensburgh to Stonehaven. The separation is a result of English taxation (in the form of the British Act and Excise Act in the 1780s) and not a difference in styles, although the effects of the implementation of the act lead to a style variance. Effectively, they impose heavier regulations on production in the Highlands at a lower tax rate than in the Lowlands. The end result was a large number of illicit distilleries in the Highlands. So it didn't work out exactly as intended.

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Aberfeldy (1896)					
12yr	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	40%	\$6	\$11
Ardmore (1898)					
11yr	Ex-Islay	Signatory	58.7%	\$6	\$11
Legacy	Ex-Bourbon / Quarter Cask	Distillery Bottling	40%	\$13	\$24
Ardnamurchin (2014)					
6yr	1st Fill Oloroso / SC	ImpEx Collection	58.2%	\$11	\$20
ADJ	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$7	\$12
ArdnAmerica Tour 23 ed.	Oloroso / PX Octaves	Cadenhead	57.8%	\$13	\$24
ArdnAmerica Tour 24 ed.	Sherry / Madeira Barriques	Distillery Bottling	57.3%	\$13	\$24
Cask Strength AD 02/22	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	58.7%	\$11	\$20
Balblair (1790)					
12yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$10	\$18
15yr	Ex-Bourbon / Spanish Oak Butt	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$15	\$27
Ballechin (Heavily Peated Edrabort)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon / Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$10	\$18
Ben Nevis (1825)					
24yr	Hogshhead	Single Malts of Scotland	48.8%	\$26	\$48
Blair Athol (1798)					
25yr	Wine Butt / SC	Signatory	59%	\$28	\$52
Brackla (1812)					
7yr Cask 9317796	Ex-bourbon / Octave	DT Octave	52.9%	\$10	\$18
ADJ	Ex-bourbon / Sherry	Cadenhead	46%	\$4	\$22
11yr	Sherry / SC	Duncan Taylor	54.1%	\$11	\$20
11yr Cask 9336149	Ex-bourbon / Fino	DT Octave	54.2%	\$12	\$22
Clynelish (1819 [1967])					
10yr	1st-Fill Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	57.5%	\$20	\$36
14yr	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$9	\$16
Dalmore (1839)					
12yr	Ex-Bourbon / Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	40%	\$11	\$20
Dalwhinnie (1898)					
15yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$10	\$18
Deanston (1965)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon / Madeira	Cadenhead	46%	\$8	\$15
12yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46.3%	\$7	\$13
18yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46.3%	\$16	\$29
20yr Oloroso	Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	55.5%	\$26	\$48
Edradour (1825)					
10yr	Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$8	\$15
10yr Bordeaux Cask	Bordeaux Cask SC	Distillery Bottling	59.1%	\$22	\$40
10yr Sauternes Cask	Sauternes Cask SC	Distillery Bottling	58.6%	\$22	\$40
10yr Un-chillfiltered	Sherry	Signatory	46%	\$11	\$20
11yr Burgundy Cask	Burgundy Cask SC	Distillery Bottling	57.2%	\$22	\$40
Fettercairn (1824)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon / SC	A.D. Rattray	52.1%	\$10	\$18
15yr	PX / Ex-Bourbon	Cadenhead	46%	\$14	\$25
Glen Garioch (1797)					
10yr	Oloroso	Cadenhead	45%	\$9	\$16
12yr	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	48%	\$7	\$13
Glencadam (1825)					
6yr	Octave SC	DT Octave	55.3%	\$8	\$15
10yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$8	\$15
10yr Cadenhead	Oloroso / Ex-Bourbon	Cadenhead	46%	\$10	\$18
15yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$12	\$22
GlenDronach (1826)					
12yr "Revival"	Sherry	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$8	\$15
21yr "Parfaitment"	Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$15	\$27
Peated	Sherry	Distillery Bottling	48%	\$30	\$56
Port Wood	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$15	\$27
	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$13	\$24
Glenglassaugh (1875)					
8yr	Ex-bourbon	Cadenhead	46%	\$9	\$16
12yr	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry / Red Wine	Distillery Bottling	45%	\$9	\$16
Portsoy	Sherry / Ex-Bourbon / Port	Distillery Bottling	49.1%	\$9	\$16
Sandend	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry / Manzanilla	Distillery Bottling	50.5%	\$9	\$16
Torfa	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	50%	\$8	\$15
Glengoyne (1833)					
12yr	Sherry / Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$7	\$17
21yr	Sherry	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$19	\$34
Cask Strength	Sherry	Distillery Bottling	59.1%	\$12	\$22
Glenmorangie (1843)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$6	\$11
14yr Lasanta	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$8	\$15
14yr Quinta Ruban	Ex-Bourbon / Ruby Port	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$9	\$16
18yr	Ex-Bourbon / Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$17	\$31
Glenurret (17)					
10yr Peated	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	50%	\$9	\$16
12yr	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$10	\$18
15yr	Sherry	Distillery Bottling	50.8%	\$18	\$33
Loch Lomond (1964)					
12yr	Recharged American Oak	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$7	\$13
McNeen (2017)					
Organic	STR Wine / Bourbon / Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$9	\$16
Quiet Rebels "Gordon"	STR Wine / Sherry / Rivesaltes	Distillery Bottling	48.5%	\$11	\$20
Oban (1794)					
11yr Limited Edition	Ex-Bourbon / Pot Still Rum	Distillery Bottling	58%	\$22	\$40
14yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$10	\$18
Old Pulteney (1826)					
12yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$7	\$13
15yr	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$11	\$20
Tainich (1817)					
10yr	Sherry	Mossburn	50.1%	\$10	\$18
Tomatin (1897)					
12yr	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$7	\$13
14yr Port Casks	Ex-Bourbon / Port	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$10	\$18
Tullibardine (1949)					
12yr	1st Fill Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	40%	\$7	\$13
27yr	Bourbon Hogshhead	Cadenhead	46%	\$28	\$52
"The Murray" 12yr	1st Fill Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	56.1%	\$16	\$29
Westport (Glenmorangie)					
16yr SC	Oloroso / SC	Single Cask Nation	50.6%	\$7	\$13
Wolfburn (1822-1850's, re-est 2013)					
Victoria	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$7	\$13
Langskip	1st Fill Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	58%	\$9	\$16
Morven	Ex-Bourbon / Lightly Peated	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$7	\$13
Northland	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$7	\$13

ISLANDS

The Island "style" is eclectic, and often many styles are produced from one distillery. Of course there are exceptions as some distilleries have cultivated a style they are known for. But the range is vast, from lighter, fruitier expressions, to rich, often peated expressions. If there is a thin thread, it's that they tend to be slightly briny.

Expression	Casks	Producer	ABV	1oz	2oz
Arran (1995)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$7	\$13
13yr CSSE Selection	Ex-Bourbon / SC	Gordon & MacPhail	59.6%	\$16	\$29
18yr	Sherry	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$20	\$36
Amarone Cask Finish	Ex-Bourbon / Amaro	Distillery Bottling	50%	\$9	\$16
Macrine Moor	Ex-Bourbon, Lightly Peated	Distillery Bottling	55.2%	\$9	\$18
Port Cask Finish	Ex-Bourbon / Amaro	Distillery Bottling	50%	\$10	\$18
Sherry Cask	Sherry Hogshhead	Distillery Bottling	55.8%	\$13	\$24
Highland Park (1798)					
12yr "The Rockies"	Ex-Bourbon / Sherry Seasoned	Distillery Bottling	43%	\$7	\$13
13yr "The Rockies"	Sherry / SC	Distillery Bottling	52.9%	\$28	\$52
16yr "Breath of the Isles"	Sherry Hogshhead, best guess	Adelphi	57.1%	\$14	\$25
18yr beverage	Sherry / Sherry Seasoned	Adelphi	43%	\$16	\$29
18yr SC	Sherry / SC	Duncan Taylor	53.1%	\$18	\$32
Full Volume	1st Fill Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	47.2%	\$11	\$20
Isle of Harris (2015)					
The Hebrach	Ex-Bourbon / Oloroso / Fino	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$10	\$18
The Hearach Oloroso Cask	1st Fill Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$11	\$20
Isle of Raasay (2017)					
Dun Cana	Oloroso & PX Quarter Casks	Distillery Bottling	52%	\$16	\$29
Hebridean Malt	Rye / Chinkapin / Bordeaux	Distillery Bottling	64.9%	\$9	\$16
Peated Bordeaux	Bordeaux / SC	Distillery Bottling	61.7%	\$16	\$29
Peated Chinkapin	Chinkapin / SC	Distillery Bottling	62.1%	\$16	\$29
Peated Rye Cask	Ex-Rye / SC	Distillery Bottling	61.6%	\$16	\$29
Unpeated Chinkapin	Chinkapin / SC	Distillery Bottling	62.1%	\$16	\$29
Unpeated Rye	Rye / SC	Distillery Bottling	61.6%	\$16	\$29
Unpeated Bordeaux	Bordeaux / Rye	Distillery Bottling	61.7%	\$16	\$29
Jura (1810)					
12yr	Ex-Bourbon / Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	40%	\$7	\$13
Lagg (2019)					
Kilmory Edition	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46%	\$10	\$18
Victoria	Ex-Bourbon / Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	53%	\$14	\$25
Ledaig (Peated Tobermory)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	46.3%	\$8	\$15
Sinclair Series: Rioja	Ex-Bourbon / Rioja	Distillery Bottling	46.3%	\$7	\$13
18yr Sherry Cask	Oloroso	Distillery Bottling	46.3%	\$20	\$36
Talisker (1830)					
10yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	45.8%	\$8	\$15
15yr	Ex-Bourbon	Distillery Bottling	45.8%	\$24	\$44
Tobermory (1798)					
12yr	1st Ex-Bourbon / Virgin Oak	Distillery Bottling	46.3%	\$8	\$15
15yr	Ex-Bourbon / 1st Fill Madeira	Murray McDavid	50.4%	\$24	\$44
Torabhaig (2017)					