





REGION: Highlands COUNTRY: Scotland AGE: 10 Years

DATE DESTILLED: 6th June 2008

CASK TYPE: First Fill Ex-Bourbon Barrel

OUTTURN: 227 Bottles ABV: 59,2 %

REGION: Speyside COUNTRY: Scotland AGE: 17 Years

DATE DESTILLED: 25th August 2000

CASK TYPE: Refill Ex-Bourbon Barrel

OUTTURN: 162 Bottles ABV: 60,7 %



DESCRIPTION

Foam bananas in an over-ripe tropical fruit salad. Hints of toasted marshmallow, shredded coconut, lady's perfume and custard creams. There's also a lovely rich seam of maltiness running underneath all these fruits. Honey glazed cereals and stewed green apples. Water lifts a sweet earthiness, warm brioche, almond paste and a satisfyingly thick camphor note. On the palate there is an immediate golden syrup note alongside apple sauce, bourbon BBQ glaze, old dessert wines and rhubarb and custard chews. Tropical fruit jelly wobbles in the background. With reduction comes cola cubes, vanilla custard, sour cherries, mint julep and apple chutney.

DESCRIPTION

A sweet fragrance introduced custard and caramel with floral layers that promised Turkish delight. A herbal viscosity married fruit jelly sweets with violets before being lifted by peppermint. Fresh pineapple brought a fruity tang that became balanced by pine cones and broken coconut shell. Mouth sensation moved from chilli heat to waxy textures, like the skin of an apple. Big and bold flavours poured over us as fudge melted over hazelnuts and toffee apples. Deliciously juicy and chewy, it was reminiscent of good rye whiskey with a balanced combination of richness, spice and hints of peppermint. Crushed walnuts appeared just before a sublime finish of wood shavings and sage.

2cl | € 8 4cl | € 14

SMWS Member:

2cl | € 7 4cl | € 12,5

Source:

The Scotch Malt Whisky Society

2cl | € 12 4cl | € 20

SMWS Member:

2cl | € 10,5 4cl | € 18







REGION: Speyside COUNTRY: Scotland AGE: 9 Years

DATE DESTILLED: 8th May 2008

CASK TYPE: Second Fill Ex-Bourbon Barrel

OUTTURN: 191 Bottles ABV: 59,6 %

REGION: Speyside COUNTRY: Scotland AGE: 10 Years

DATE DESTILLED: 22nd June 2006

CASK TYPE: Second Fill Ex-Bourbon Barrel

OUTTURN: 226 Bottles ABV: 58.9 %



DESCRIPTION

The panel discovered a nose that was sweet and inviting at first with a big, juicy kiss of vanilla, pocket-softened fudge and then more floral aspects like a scoosh of air freshener and some delicate notes of tea tree oil, lavender sweets and recently emptied malt bins. With a little reduction we found a more complex sweetness; all jam roly polys, pop tarts and marshmallows poised a-top a freshly made hot chocolate. The palate continues the sweetness with notes of warm cocoa along-side cedar wood cigar boxes and almond paste. A few crushed walnuts and a streak of earthiness abound. With water it moves towards buttery porridge, white fruits, damson compote and a scattering a crushed oatcakes.

2cl | € 8 4cl | € 14

SMWS Member:

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DESCRIPTION

It had been an invigorating morning in the autumn leaves; moving hay bales and clearing moss from damp logs to bring them inside and dry in the warmth. Hanging up our wax jackets and taking off our leather hiking boots we sat around the charred wood of the warming fire. The smell of hot hazelnuts, cloves, ginger and nutmeg wafted around the room from a freshly baked fruitcake. We prepared our lunch that included houmous and paprika, red peppers on rye bread and sliced apple and kiwi for starters. Then a Chinese twist with sweet and sour stir-fry, crispy fried chilli beef and spring rolls with rich hoi sin sauce. On the table sat a large bowl of sweeties brimming with lemon sherbets, milk chews, chocolate toffees and fruity boiled sweets. However for dessert we were looking forward to apple and rhubarb pie with lashings of butterscotch ice cream.

2cl | € 8 4cl | € 14

SMWS Member:

2cl | € 7 4cl | € 12,5







REGION: Speyside COUNTRY: Scotland AGE: 9 Years

DATE DESTILLED: 19th May 2008

CASK TYPE: First Fill Ex-Bourbon Barrel

OUTTURN: 252 Bottles ABV: 57,5 %

REGION: Highlands COUNTRY: Scotland AGE: 10 Years

DATE DESTILLED: 28th March 2008

CASK TYPE: Second Fill Ex-Bourbon Barrel

OUTTURN: 210 Bottles ABV: 59.7 %



DESCRIPTION

The tempting aroma of vanilla sponge cake, caramel shortbread and white chocolate coconut truffles combined with the sweet earthy scent of a well-lit light cigar made this a winner right from the start. Gentle, pleasant and well balanced on the palate neat like boozy butterscotch ice cream and fluffy mashed sweet potatoes with raisins. When adding water, on the nose like a steamed apple pudding with vanilla custard or butter melting on a cinnamon toast, whilst to taste bright, fresh and juicy with sweet herbs, a hint of new sawn wood and the mouth-watering finish of an Italian dessert called zabaglione with fresh strawberries.

DESCRIPTION

A fresh and vibrant nose of wet shoreline, dandelion and burdock, sea greens, white chocolate and lamp oil greeted the Panel. We also noted black tea, strap leather, hay loft and horse stable. With water we added runny honey, banana bread, fermenting pineapple funk and sandalwood. To taste this one showed lush green fruits, apple jam, caraway, camphor, toasted marshmallows, smoked grains and lemon resin. With little peeps of tropical fruit in the background. Reduction gave us mint leaves, cinnamon swirls, peaches and toffee bonbons. With time we also found garden fruits, toasted oatmeal, bergamot and gooseberry jam.

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REGION: Speyside COUNTRY: Scotland AGE: 9 Years

DATE DESTILLED: 2nd September 2009
CASK TYPE: Refill Ex-Bourbon Barrel

OUTTURN: 230 Bottles ABV: 59,2 %

DESCRIPTION

The nose displays an initial mix of key lime pie, mineral oil and white jelly babies. Followed by daisies, green tea and lighter herbal liqueurs such as yellow Chartreuse. A little reduction brings gorse bushes, cranberry juice, rich tea biscuits, sun cream, wood polish, lychee syrup, celery salt, tonic water and lemon oils. The palate opens with an abundance of fresh fruits: pineapple, star fruit, tropical syrups, fruit salad and pink grapefruit. Beyond that there are glazed cherries, bay leaf, olive oil and buttered toast with a slug of pink lemonade. Water delivers sweetness in the form of creme caramel, coconut milk and fruit loops, then curry leaf, lanolin, lemon wax and star anise.

2cl | € 8 4cl | € 14

SMWS Member:

2cl | € 7 4cl | € 12,5

Source:

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