

# angels' share

*noun*

**the angels' share**: the amount of an alcoholic drink (such as Cognac, brandy, or whisk(e)y) that is lost to evaporation when the liquid is being aged in porous oak barrels. Up to 1 percent of the volume of the cask can be lost each year through evaporation, sometimes called *the angels' share*.

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# sharing plates.

All of our produce is locally sourced, and has been hand selected to pair perfectly with our curated range of libations.

Share or don't share – the choice is yours!

## **5 AWARD-WINNING HIGHLAND CHEESES £13-**

served with handmade apricot chutney and locally made oatcakes. Fat Cow, Lanark Blue, Minger (soft), Smoked Dunlop, smoked Conage Brie.

## **SEAFOOD £13-**

Ullapool hot smoked salmon, smoked anchovies, oak smoked salmon, smoked mussels, with a marinated octopus salad, Kalamata olives and watercress.

## **GREAT GLEN CURED MEATS £13-**

a selection of Venison chilli Chorizo, Pork and Venison Chorizo, Pork Salami, Venison Salami with wild mushrooms and watercress.

## **VEGETARIAN PLATTER £13-**

vegetarian selection of handmade hummus, guacamole, apricot chutney, red onion chutney, white and brown pita bread and Kalamata olives

# perfect pairings.

Can't make up your mind? Don't worry, we have made it up for you.

Five of our most acclaimed Whiskies, served along size a tasting portion of a perfectly balanced dish.

## **BENRIACH 10YR CURIOSITAS**

paired with  
**Smoked Mussel**

## **DALMORE 15YR**

paired with  
**Venison Chorizo**

## **JURA 18YR**

paired with  
**Minger Cheese**

## **LAPHROAIG TRIPLE WOOD**

paired with  
**White chocolate truffle**

## **GLENFIDDICH PROJECT XX**

paired with  
**Candy Floss**

**£30 per person**

# crafted cocktails.

Created by our award-winning mixologists, these cocktails showcase the absolute finest of our gin & whiskies.

## **SMOKE & COKE £11-**

**Lagavullin 16, cola reduction, cherry almond balsamic, sweet vermouth, orange oil**

*A whisky and coke, deconstructed. We take this heavily smokey, slightly salty Islay whisky, and introduce sweet caramel notes, some fruity, nutty acidity, and bring it back down to earth with some sherry and pepper notes from the fortified wine.*

## **RUSTYNAIL £9-**

**Tomatin Cask Strength, Drambuie, Orange oils**

*Finished in both first fill bourbon barrels and oloroso sherry casks, this cask strength bottling from our most local distillery takes the lead in this stirred down sipper. You'll find malt loaf and gingerbread notes along with some light spice, all softened by the honey sweetness of Drambuie.*

## **HIGH-BALL £10-**

**Glenfiddich 12, pear Cognac, hemp syrup, apple, lemon, Peychauds**

*With over 140 years of whisky production behind them, Glenfiddich's flagship expression brings flavours of oak, and apple, which shine through here amongst tart pear Cognac, and slightly medicinal but sweet hemp syrup. Finished with a hit of anise and bitterness from Peychauds.*

## **ARTHUR THOMPSON £11-**

**Auchentoshan Three Wood, Amaretto, lemon juice, bitters, sugar, pink peppercorn & whites**

*A nod to the Godfather of Gangland Glasgow, Auchentoshan Three Wood hails from Glasgow, the birthplace of Arthur Thompson and with its sherried, treacly character, plays interestingly with the marzipan and apricot notes of the Italian amaretto.*

## **OLD FASHIONED £ ask**

**Your choice of our whisk(e)y selection, stirred with bitters, sugar and orange zest**

*"I'd rather be somebody's shot of whisky, than everyone's cup of tea"*

**BUCKFASTNEGRONI £9-**

**Loch Ness Gin, Tonic wine, Campari, Orange Oil**

*Buckfast tonic wine, once marketed in the 60s as “a splendid pick-me-up that restores zest and sparkle,” subs in for sweet vermouth in this classic cocktail bringing with it new medicinal and coffee notes, which play with the sweet and spicy profile of Loch Ness gin.*

**LOVE BUZZ £10-**

**Eden Mill Love Gin, lemon, sugar, electric daisy, Prosecco, sherbet**

*An age-old cocktail from the early 1900’s, gets a modern makeover with this superior Scottish pink gin, which brings subtle hibiscus, rose petal & sweet raspberry flavours. It’s then finished with a tongue tingling film of electric daisy extract and tangy raspberry sherbet.*

**BREXIT THROUGH THE GIFT SHOP £9-**

**Rhubarb & Ginger gin, strawberry liqueur, pear Cognac, pressed apple, citrus, sugar, whites & bitters**

*“In times of unrest, throw flowers not bombs”*

*A superb English Gin with flavours of rhubarb & ginger, partnered harmoniously with European strawberry & pear liqueurs, aromatic bitters and pressed apple.*

**SALTCOATSLING £10-**

**Hendricks gin, cherry brandy, triple sec, Benedictine, pomegranate, lemon, pineapple**

*Widely considered the origin of the Scottish craft gin movement, Hendricks brings herbaceous, vegetal and floral notes to this otherwise sweet and fruity classic!*

**QUINCE FIZZ £8-**

**Quince gin, lychee, elderflower, soda, grapefruit bitters**

*Super fresh and light, this gin is rife with refreshing pear and citrus flavours, to which we add floral lychee liqueur, sweet elderflower infused syrup, bitter grapefruit & soda.*

# twists & classics.

Created by our award-winning mixologists, these cocktails showcase the absolute finest of our Gin & Whiskies.

## **HIGHLAND SPRITZ £8-**

**Aperol, Irn-Bru reduction, prosecco & soda**

*Perfect any time of the day, the Aperol spritz gets a Scottish makeover, and we introduce sweet orange and bitter quinine with our Irn-Bru reduction, sharpening up this bitter Italian aperitif!*

## **GRANDE ESPRESSO £9-**

**Grey Goose Vanilla, Kahlua, espresso, saline**

*We combine premium French vodka flavoured with Madagascan vanilla, Mexican coffee liqueur and freshly pulled Italian espresso to create this rich and decadent balance of bitter and sweet.*

## **HOLY COSMO £8-**

**Holy Grass Highland vodka, French triple sec, lime juice, cranberry, burnt orange**

*Distilled with sweet grass grown on the banks of the River Thurso, this Highland vodka brings a subtle floral and earthy element to this tart and strong, classic 80's disco drink.*

## **BLOWIN' A HOOLIE £9-**

**House blend of Caribbean spiced rum & Scottish craft rum, fiery ginger beer, bitters & lime**

*A very Scottish dark & stormy. Sweet vanilla & Persian lime notes of Old J rum combine beautifully with the spicy and aromatic profile of Dark Matter rum, to create a uniquely delicious twist on this long, and lightly spiced classic.*

## **MARTINI £ask**

**Your choice of our Vodka & Gin selection, stirred with dry vermouth, and finished with lemon oil.**

*"I must get out of these wet clothes and into a dry martini"*

# gin.

With the 'ginaissance' in full swing, we have hand selected our all-time favourite Scottish and world gins.

## **FOUR PILLARS BLOODY SHIRAZ | £4.5**

Australia | Blood orange and bramble

*Experimental distillery in Yarra Valley that likes to play around with new concepts like this expression. They steeped the gin in shiraz grapes for 8 weeks.*

## **BROCKMANS | £3.7**

English | Raspberries and lemon

*The gin for people that don't like gin, Brockmans brings in botanicals from Tuscany, Mercia, Italy and Spain and is the creation of two men with over 60 years experience in the alcohol industry.*

## **BEEFEATER | £3.5**

English | Grapefruit and juniper

*Established in 1820, Beefeater is one of the old-school gins that is popular world-wide. Even though their distillery is nearly 200 years old, they follow exactly the same processes they always have.*

## **BATHTUB | £3.7**

English | Cardamom and coriander

*Bathtub gin takes its name from their old-fashioned style of infusing botanicals to their spirit. Once distilled, the botanicals are then macerated in the spirit in large vats. People a few hundred years ago used to actually make gin in their baths using this process.*

## **BOMBAYSAPPHIRE | £3.5**

English | Lemon zest and floral

*Using a recipe that can be traced back to 1761, and featuring their unique botanical 'grains of paradise' Bombay Sapphire's iconic blue bottle can be seen world wide.*

**HAYMANS SLOE | £3.5**

English | Bittersweet gooseberry

*The Hayman family is the UK's oldest gin distilling dynasty. It is currently headed by Christopher Hayman, one of the worlds most experienced 'gin masters' with 40 years of experience, and legatee to great grandfather James Burrough, creator of Beefeater gin.*

**MARTIN MILLER | £3.7**

English | Vibrant orange and cinnamon

*Martin Miller is distilled in a pot still named Angela instead of traditional column stills. The spirit is then sent to Iceland where they blend in Icelandic spring water.*

**WHITLEY NEILL RHUBARB AND GINGER | £3.5**

English | Tart lemon and spicy ginger

*Established in 2005 in Birmingham the Rhubarb & Ginger expression is inspired by African flavours.*

**WHITLEY NEILL QUINCE | £3.5**

English | Pear and peach nectar

*Made in a 100 year old copper pot still, Whitley Neill uses some exotic botanicals from Africa such as extracts from baobab tree (the tree of life) and Physalis fruit.*

**SILENT POOL | £4-**

English | Stewed lemon and cloves

*With 24 botanicals Silent Pool is made in Guildford by a group of friends who fulfilled a lifelong dream of making gin together.*

**CITADELLE RESERVE AGED | £5-**

France | Oolong and almond

*In 2008 a French family decided to experiment with aging gins, and this is the result. They age in a mixture of French, chestnut and cherry oak.*

### **MONKEY 47 | £6-**

Germany | Pomelo zest and parsley

*An unusual gin from the Black Forest in Germany, Monkey 47 contains a unique ingredient called Lingonberries that produce a sort of cranberry-like flavour. The 47 comes from the number of botanicals that go into this unique gin, and the fact it's bottled at a healthy 47%.*

### **MALFY PINK GRAPEFRUIT | £3.7**

Italy | Rhubarb and grapefruit

*Made in Moncalieri, a famous hub of different Italian spirits and liqueurs, Malfy's pink grapefruit gin is distilled in a very modern way using vacuum stills to fully utilise their ingredients.*

### **ROKU | £3.7**

Japan | Orange blossom and maraschino cherries

*The first gin released by Suntory, the name "Roku" is Japanese for "Six" which refers to the six Japanese botanicals used. Sakura flower (cherry blossoms), sakura leaf (cherry leaf), sencha tea (green tea), Gyokuro tea (refined green tea), sanshō pepper, and yuzu are utilized along with eight other traditional gin botanicals.*

### **SCAPEGRACE | £4.5**

New Zealand | Strawberries and lemon grass

*Scapegrace is made using glacial water and distilled in a copper pot still the owners "found" in a shed on the foot of the southern alps.*

### **HARRIS | 4-**

Scotland | Samphire and candyfloss

*Made on the Isle of Harris with locally foraged botanicals including sugar kelp. The famous, handmade bottle is inspired by the ripples in the white sandy beaches and clear blue water.*

### **LOCHNESS | £4.5**

Scotland | Kiwi, vanilla

*Distilled on the banks of the famous Loch, in the back garden of a family estate, Loch Ness gin is distilled using botanicals foraged from around the grounds of the estate, including their 'black gold' Scottish juniper, making every drop of its small, 500 bottle batches truly remarkable.*

### **EDEN MILL LOVE | £4-**

Scotland | Vegetal cranberries and hibiscus

*Made in St Andrews, Eden Mill were originally brewers but turned their hands to making gin in the last decade. The site of their distillery has existed since 1810, and Eden Mill revived it in 2012.*

### **HENDRICKS | £3.7**

Scotland | Floral and fresh fruits

*Hendricks has been distilled in Girvan just southwest of Ayrshire since 1999, and is arguably the origin gin, of the craft gin boom we see today. The ethos of 'doing things differently', along with William Grant & Sons legendary marketing, saw this pave the way for the gin revolution of the last 10 years.*

### **HENDRICKS ORBIUM | £4-**

Scotland | Lemon cake and chamomile

*Orbium is a limited release gin, created utilising two sperate still types and is distilled with extra quinine, wormwood, and blue lotus blossom. This is known as a quinninated gin.*

### **ARBIKIE AK'S GIN | £3.5**

Scotland | Buttery corn and peppery spice

*Arbikie are one of the true 'field to bottle distilleries', where a family farm, seeking a way to use the potatoes they couldn't sell, began their journey of distillation. This expression is distilled using wheat and honey which creates a softer, easier drinking spirit which is naturally sweetened. AK's gin was voted the worlds' best martini in 2018.*

### **ARBIKIE KIRSTYS | £3.5**

Scotland | Floral rose and citrus

*Kirsty is the genius master distiller at the Arbikie estate, and her namesake gin is distilled using potatoes to add a heavier, creamy texture, and its unusual botanicals include seaweed and Carline thistle.*

### **BOTANIST | £4-**

Scotland | Floral and menthol lemon

*Made at the Bruichladdich distillery in a still known as "ugly betty" Botanist is distilled using 31 botanicals all locally foraged around the Isle of Islay.*

**CAORUNN | £3.7**

Scotland | Elderflower and chervil

*Caorunn is quadruple distilled with five locally foraged ingredients, represented by the star on their bottle, and a further six traditional botanicals before being cut with natural Scottish spring water.*

**EL-GIN | £4-**

Scotland | Vanilla and raspberry

*Made in Elgin and established in 2015 they locally forage most of the fruits that they use in their gin and also distil using oats for a creamier texture.*

**KIRKJUAGR ARKH-ANGELL | £5-**

Scotland | Lemon and angelica root

*Bottled at Navy strength, Arkh-Angell is the Orkney distillery's tribute to generations of island seafarers and carries the name of a local fishing boat that holds a place, close to the heart of many Orcadians. The gin's name also reflects the use of a locally grown variety of Norwegian angelica, called Archangelica, taken to the Islands centuries ago by sailors from the North.*

**PORTERS TROPICAL OLD TOM | £3.7**

Scotland | Guava and Papaya

*Made in Aberdeen, Porters gin originated in the back room of a cocktail bar where the talented bartenders experimented with rotary evaporators. Starting with a classic, juniper-forward recipe, Porters have added passion fruit, guava and white tea which are cold-distilled to retain their natural flavour.*

**ROCK ROSE | £3.5**

Scotland | Orange and rosemary

*Made in Caithness and featuring botanicals such as Rhodiola Rosea and Rowan berries, Rock Rose distil their gin in a copper pot still named Elizabeth.*

**THOMPSON BROS | £4-**

Scotland | Creamy, oily raspberries

*Distilled in Dornoch, the two brothers very much immerse themselves in every aspect of production, and ensure quality by doing everything themselves, from grain, to glass. The bottles are inspired by Victorian fire extinguishers.*

**JINDEA | £3.7**

Scotland | Lemon grass and sage

*One of the newer Aberdeen Gins, Jindea uses first flush single estate Darjeeling tea as one of their key botanicals, along with a carefully balanced selection of traditional ingredients.*

**TANQUERAY | £3.7**

Scotland | Grapefruit skin and lemon zest

*Now made in the famous Cameron Bridge distillery, Tanqueray began its journey in London back in 1830 and is now one of the best-selling gins in the world.*

**TANQUERAY 10 | £4.5**

Scotland | Black tea and cardamom

*Tanqueray ten gets its name from being made in Tanqueray's number 10 still, affectionately known as "Tiny Ten". It is distilled in small batches using whole citrus fruits.*

**GINMARE | £4.5**

Spain | Black olives and shallot

*Inspired by Mediterranean flavours, the key botanicals for Gin Mare are arbequina, olive, rosemary, thyme, basil and mandarin, producing an interestingly herbaceous and vegetal, yet citrusy gin.*

**AVIATION | £4-**

America | Juniper and lavender

*Founded in 2006, Aviation was inspired by the classic cocktail it shares a name with, and was created to perfectly compliment it. Recently purchased by Ryan Reynolds, Aviation is seeing a massive increase in popularity.*

# tonic.

When three-quarters of your drink is the tonic... you want it to be the best! This page showcases all of the tonic waters we stock, and we've even given you a nudge as to our preferred Gin to go with it!

## **FEVERTREE ORIGINAL**

Pairs perfectly with Loch Ness Gin

## **FEVERTREE SLIMLINE**

Pairs Perfectly with Porters Tropical Old Tom Gin

## **FEVERTREE MEDITERRANEAN**

Pairs Perfectly with Gin Mare

## **FEVERTREE AROMATIC**

Pairs Perfectly with Whitely Neill Rhubarb & Ginger

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## **WALTER GREGOR MINT & CUCUMBER**

Pairs Perfectly with Hendricks Orbium

## **WALTER GREGOR SPICED**

Pairs Perfectly with Bathtub Gin

## **WALTER GREGOR RASPBERRY**

Pairs Perfectly with Thompson Bros

## **WALTER GREGOR APPLE & CINNAMON**

Pairs Perfectly with Caorunn

# scottish whisky.

The favoured drink of generations of Scottish families, whisky has been around almost as long as the springs that supply the soft Scottish water that goes into making it.

Our selection is borne of years of both research and indulgence, and we feel privileged to share our choices with you today.

## **MONKEY SHOULDER | £3.5**

Speyside | Light/Medium body, Malty biscuits and vanilla

*Originally a vatted malt of Balvenie, Kininvie and Glenfiddich, hence the three monkeys on the bottle.*

## **BENRIACH 10 | £4-**

Speyside | Light/Medium body, Gentle spice with summer fruits

*Though they've closed a few times BenRiach has been around since 1898, most recently closing in 2002, only to reopen in 2004. Only a few years later BenRiach is now a globally recognised, award winning distillery.*

## **BENRIACH 10 CURIOSITAS | £4-**

Speyside | Light/Medium body, lightly smoked almond with dried apricot

*BenRiach are one of the few distilleries that have their own malt room allowing them to be as experimental as they want with their three separate types of distillate; peated, unpeated and triple distilled.*

## **BENROMACH 10 | £4-**

Speyside | Light bodied, apple crumble and cinnamon

*Benromach strictly use traditional aging techniques such as limiting the cask storage to three high, and only using carefully selected, ex-bourbon and sherry casks.*

## **GLENFIDDICH 12 | £4-**

Speyside | Light bodied, poached pear and green apple skin

*One of the very few family run distilleries left in Scotland, the 12 is their trademark whisky worldwide. Glenfiddich pioneered the Single Malt market and were also the first distillery to start doing commercial tours.*

**GLENFIDDICH IPA | £6-**

Speyside | Medium bodied, zesty, custard cream

*The first in their experimental series, they teamed up with a local brewery, providing them ex-whisky casks in order to create a barrel aged IPA. Once the IPA was ready, Glenfiddich reclaimed those casks and used them again, to finish their whisky in.*

**GLENFIDDICH PROJECT XX | £6-**

Speyside | Medium Body, cacao nibs and Turkish delight

*The second in Glenfiddich' experimental series, Project XX is a blend of whiskies selected in secret by the 20 ambassadors of Glenfiddich, blended together by the highly renowned Brian Kinsman.*

**GLENFIDDICH FIRE AND CANE | £6-**

Speyside | Medium Body, Campfire nuts and cherry

*The more recent release from Glenfiddich is a rare, peated expression, aged in American oak and finished in rum casks.*

**BALVENIE 14 CARIBBEAN CASK | £6-**

Speyside | Light to medium bodied, candied pineapple and fruitcake

*Using their original malt room from 1929, Balvenie is an iconic distillery that proudly do everything themselves from cooper to cask to bottling. The Caribbean cask is a slightly older, rum cask finished version of their 12 year old.*

**AUCHENTOSHAN THREE WOOD | £6.5**

Lowland | Medium Body, fresh raspberries and fudge

*Using their three big stills, Auchentoshan use an old fashioned method of triple distilling their whisky, and utilise the highest cut point in Scotch, during the third distillation, to create a gentle spirit. The Three Wood is finished in bourbon, oloroso and PX sherry casks.*

**TOMATIN CASK STRENGTH | £6.5**

Highland | Light body, Gingerbread with subtle berries

*Our most local distillery, Tomatin which houses an incredible 12 stills, rivals Loch Lomond in sheer scale. Sitting at 57.5%, this expression is cask strength and was aged in a mixture of previously held bourbon and oloroso sherry casks.*

**LAPHROAIG TRIPLE WOOD | £6.5**

Islay | Medium body, smokey Christmas cake

*Laphroaig is known around the world as a big, smokey whisky, and has been around since 1810. During prohibition in America, Laphroaig managed to convince Americans that their Whisky had “medicinal purposes” and could actually be prescribed to you by a doctor, at a time where alcohol consumption was illegal! The three wood uses previously held bourbon casks, quarter casks and oloroso sherry casks*

**TALISKER PORT RUIGHE | £6.5**

Island (Skye) | Medium Body, velvety smokey bramble

*Talisker, oddly enough, started off with two brothers trying to bring sheep from the Isle of Eigg to Skye. The Port Ruighe pronounced ‘Portree’ is named after the main hub in Skye, and is a mixture of peated and unpeated distillate finished in Port casks*

**MACALLAN 12, SHERRY CASK | £7-**

Speyside | light body, raisins, sultana and gently floral

*Macallan are passionate when it comes to doing everything meticulously to the point that they ensure every tree they turn to cask is just right. This discontinued and rare 12-year-old edition started its life off in American oak casks and was finished in sherry casks from a partnered bodega.*

**ARBEG UIGEADAIL | £7-**

Islay | Heavy body, dark fruits with sweet tropical smoke background

*Uigeadail pronounced u-gi-dal is the name of one of the lochs where Ardbeg source their water from and is a big sherry bomb. Distillation in the South of Islay around the time Ardbeg was established was mostly illegal, but after some time operating in the shadows, Ardbeg came clean in 1815.*

**GLEN SCOTIA 15 | £7-**

Campbeltown | Light to medium, cinnamon, cardamom, gentle stone fruits

*Proudly keeping to their roots, Glen Scotia’s processes remain almost exactly the same as they were back in 1832. This includes a 70-hour fermentation time, which contributes to this fruity, new make. The 15 is aged in carefully selected American oak casks*

### **LAGAVULIN 16 | £7-**

Islay | Medium body, big caramel smoke with gentle oaky background  
*Lagavulin is a famously big, oily and smokey whisky. The journey of its creation starts at its (soon to reopen) sister distillery Port Ellen's malt room. Lagavulin's distillation process is very important to its character, and the stills are designed to have as little copper contact as possible in order to produce big, robust spirit to the point the Lyne arms of the still drop entirely vertically.*

### **DALMORE 15 | £7**

Highland | Light bodied, sultanas and strawberry yoghurt  
*Dalmore 15 utilises as many as 15 different cask types in its creation, from all shapes and sizes, from sherry casks to bourbon casks. Famous master blender Richard Patterson and his team work hard blending them all together to create this creamy, fruity 15-year-old.*

### **JURA 18 | £7.5**

Island | Medium to heavy body, stewed stone fruit with shortbread  
*Jura is an island just north of Islay over history its shared many inhabitants from the Vikings to the Celts, Jura itself is a name deriving from a Nordic language meaning deer island. The 18-year-old is aged in American oak and then finished in wine casks from Bordeaux.*

### **SPRINGBANK 15 | £7.5**

Campbeltown | Light to medium body, white pepper, toffee, dried banana  
*Springbank make three separate whiskies in their one distillery, and are uniquely distilled two and a half times, imparting a spicy-malty character found only in the hallowed ground that is Campbeltown.*

### **DALMORE CIGAR MALT | £9-**

Highland | Medium body, marzipan and sherry  
*The Dalmore Cigar malt was actually designed to be paired with a medium or light bodied cigar, so its sweet characteristics very much shine through here. This expression is rumoured to have been inspired by the storage of Navy sea mines in Dalmore's warehouse during World War 2.*

### **GLEN SCOTIA 12, SINGLE CASK | £9-**

Campbeltown | Light body, gentle cedar notes with coconut and fresh hay  
*This limited-edition, single cask expression is a great example of how wood effects whisky even at a young age. Glen Scotia is actually located close to the site of the original Scottish parliament.*

**HIGHLAND PARK 18 | £12-**

Island (Orkney) | Cloves and buttery mango

*Highland Park is the most northern distillery in Scotland with a rich history filled with stories of islanders and Vikings. The 18 has a gentle sherry influence to make it a rounded, mellow whisky.*

**BRUICHLADDICH OCTOMORE 10 | £17-**

Islay | Light body, leather bacon and peanuts

*Bruichladdich reopened with a boom as one of the most experimental distilleries Scotland, with their 'grain to glass' ethos. The Octomore range are proudly the smokiest whiskies in the world. To date they have only released two, ten-year-old Octomore, and this one is their first release.*

**BALVENIE 21 PORTWOOD | £18-**

Speyside | Medium body, rich silky, winter berries

*The 21 year port wood is a legendary whisky created by David Stewart MBE the Balvenie malt master for over 50 years. A whole 21 years in previously held port casks, allow the subtly peated new make to shine through.*

**DALMORE KING ALEXANDER III | £21-**

Highland | Medium body, sweet rose and raspberries with toffee background

*King Alexander is the reason that Dalmore has a stag for a logo and is a mixture of wine and sherry casks to fully compliment this rich, limited, new make.*

**GLENFIDDICH WINTER STORM | £25-**

Speyside | Medium body, cloudberry and gooseberry

*The third and limited release of the experimental series, twenty-one-year-old Glenfiddich is finished in imported Canadian ice wine casks.*

**MACALLAN RARE CASK BATCH 1 | £25-**

Speyside | Medium body, dried berries and grassy

*A limited release Macallan, aged in a mixture of refill European, American and sherry casks. Macallan revamped their distillery recently and now is heavily modernised both inside and out. They have embraced modern technology to ensure consistency in their whisky and to offer a different guest experience at the distillery itself.*

**TOMATIN 30 | £25-**

Highland | Medium to heavy body, dark honeycomb and dry hazelnuts  
*Tomatin 30 year old is aged and balanced in a mixture of virgin American oak and previously used bourbon casks to ensure that although this is a very old expression, the essence of our most local distillery, still shines through.*

**BRUICHLADDICH BLACK ART 06.1 | £30-**

Islay | Heavy body, papaya and dried strawberries  
*Bruichladdich release this as a vintage whisky every year, aptly called Black Art because the distillery have worked hard to ensure strict secrecy with regard to exactly what casks have been used in its creation. They would rather keep the drinker guessing for themselves. This 26 year old, now discontinued expression was once described as “So good, it must be the Devil’s work”*

**GLENDRONACH 25 1993 | £30-**

Highland | Heavy bodied, almond fruitcake with tropical caramel  
*Long discontinued, and heavily sought after, this is a rather stunning, well-sherried single malt from GlenDronach. Distilled in 1993, the whisky was laid to rest in Pedro Ximénez and Oloroso sherry casks. Twenty-five glorious GlenDronach years passed, then master blender Dr. Rachel Barrie selected the casks to create this expression, which has been bottled at 48.2% ABV. The Spanish oak in which it rested has imparted a rich golden hue to the liquid - and, of course, an exceptional flavour profile.*

**GLEN MHOR 1980 | £35-**

Highland | Light bodied, toffee and coconut  
*Founded in 1892 the Glen Mhor distillery operated for nearly 100 years before closing in 1983 and was subsequently demolished, immortalising any whisky it produced into the “ghost drams” hall of fame. This is certainly one of the very last bottles remaining, and of those, most are independent bottlings the rest is likely hidden in someone’s private collection! Glen Mhor took their water supply directly from Loch Ness and was also the first distillery to install a Saladin box.*

**GLEN ALBYN 1976 | £50-**

Highland | Light bodied, nutmeg and honeycomb  
*Neighbouring distillery to Glen Mhor, Glen Albyn is an incredibly hard to find whisky. Another inverness distillery lost to demolition, it operated from 1846 through to 1988. What makes this dram even more exceptional is the fact that for much of its life, Glen Albyn operated fairly silently, malting barley for a neighbouring brewery, only occasionally producing whisky of its own.*

### **MILLBURN 1974 | £60-**

Highland | Medium bodied, candied figs and cinnamon

*Millburn started up as a mill in 1805 but became an official distillery twenty years later. Originally named 'The Inverness Distillery' they soon changed it to Millburn after sourcing their permanent water supply from the burn by the mill. In 1876 Millburn went through a full renovation to switch up the mill and turn it into a full, operational distillery. Unfortunately, the Scotch whisky crisis of the 80s hit hard, and Millburn was one of many distilleries forced to close in 1985. If you drive out of Inverness, you will spot a premier Inn, which is built on the remains of Millburn distillery. This is a once in a lifetime dram, and completes our collection of the 'holy trinity' of Inverness's closed distillery whiskies.*

## scottish whisky (grain).

These examples of distilling masterpieces are distilled from a blend of malted grains rather than pure malted barley. The result is a more complex yet palatable dram.

### **COMPASS BOX HEDONISM | £6.5**

Scotland | Medium body, Victoria sponge cake

*Hedonism is a blend of single grain whiskies from across Scotland. Compass Box started out when a stock broker, who enjoyed whisky, became bored of the rules that he saw as restricting the market, and so set out to blend together, and sell whisky with the motto, "no more boring Scotch".*

### **ARBIKIE RYE | £20-**

Highlands | Medium to heavy, dried chilli, raspberries and bbq pineapple

*With under 1000 bottles produced, this is the first rye to be made in Scotland in over 100 years and is set to be the pioneer of a new trend, with many other distilleries hot on Arbiekie's tail, waiting to release their own ryes. This has been aged in bourbon casks and finished in PX casks to give a fruity hit.*

# american whiskey.

Some purists will argue that whisky made in America (Whiskey) is not considered equal to that from our homeland. However we believe that variety is the spice of life, and you can only make your own decision when you have fairly compared the two. Slainte!

## **JACK DANIELS** | £3.5

Tennessee | light to medium body, spiced pear and cinnamon  
*Starting distillation just after the civil war Jack Daniels himself was a runaway who moved in with a priest who taught him how to distil. From small production to worldwide domination came almost overnight after Frank Sinatra appeared on stage at a show, swigging from a bottle of Jack.*

## **BUFFALO TRACE** | £3.5

Kentucky | medium body Braeburn apples and custard  
*Built in 1857, the Buffalo Trace distillery claims to be the oldest continuously-operating distillery in the United States, producing some truly remarkable whiskeys over the years including the legendary Pappy Van Winkle, and George T Stagg. This Buffalo Trace bourbon was Introduced in 1999, and although fairly common, is produced in batches of just 40 casks at a time. The casks are stored in the middle level of their barrel house, where the temperature goes rapidly up and down throughout the year, contributing to the unique finished product.*

## **WOODFORD RESERVE** | £4-

Kentucky | Medium body, roasted wheat and honey  
*Woodford Reserve's roots date back to 1797, behind a County Courthouse in Kentucky. By 1831, Scotsman Dr James Crow, who was an apt chemist, was hired as their Master Distiller. He spent a lot of time refining and innovating fermentation and distillation methods and techniques.*

## **EAGLE RARE 10** | £5-

Kentucky | Medium body, caramel and nutmeg  
*Eagle Rare is an older version of Buffalo Trace and their casks have been rested higher in the warehouse creating a little woodier and sweeter finish.*

**SAZERAC RYE | £5-**

Kentucky | Light to Medium body, gentle spices and orange peel  
*Inspired by, and named after the famous cocktail and coffee house Sazerac.  
They are one of the largest producers of rye in the world. Though this was  
created to work well in a Sazerac cocktail, this is a also great dram on its own.*

**HUDSON BABY BOURBON | £6-**

New York | Medium bodied, fruitcake and popcorn  
*Hudson are the first legal distillery in New York since prohibition and like to  
do things a little differently. They age in tiny 9 litre casks and play music to  
them to encourage the whiskeys' contact with the wood in a process they have  
termed 'sonic maturation'.*

**JACK DANIELS SINGLE BARREL RYE | £6-**

Tennessee | Medium to heavy body, apricot and tangerine  
*The first new mash to come out of Jack in 150 years, this is made with 70%  
rye, 18% corn and 12% barley. Being a single cask expression, the virgin  
American oak has a strong, woody influence here.*

## other whiskey.

Some argue that our Nations favourite drink was discovered in Ireland. Some say that the Japanese can do it better. All we know is that after years of investigation... we have enjoyed the journey!

### **JAMESON CASKMATES STOUT EDITION | £4-**

Cork, Ireland | Light bodied, white chocolate and almonds

*Jameson is a household name, and by far the best-selling Irish Whiskey in the world. The Caskmate's editions, however, are their venture into the world of experimental whiskeys, and have produced incredible results. Finished in stout casks, we find that this gains a big, rich, creamy texture along with some interesting flavour notes.*

### **REDBREAST LUSTAU | £6-**

Cork, Ireland | Light to medium bodied, cherries and raspberry

*Redbreast is a triple pot still distilled Irish whisky giving it a silky texture and making it very susceptible to the casks it goes into. This expression is aged in a mixture of American and European oak for 9 to 12 years and is then finished in Lustau oloroso casks.*

### **NIKKA PURE MALT RED | £7-**

Japan | Light to Medium body, Christmas cake and peanuts

*Nikka was the second company in Japan to produce whisky, and was pioneered by Masataka Taketsuru, following his travels to Scotland in 1918 to learn Scottish whisky production processes first hand. The Scottish influence is evident throughout their expressions. They later opened the Miyagiko distillery in the 70's and Nikka Pure Malt Red is a vatted malt of the two.*

### **YAMAZAKI 12 | £10-**

Mishima, Japan | Light to medium body, malty caramel and tea biscuits

*Yamazaki was the very first distillery to open in Japan. The 12 is aged in ex bourbon casks and is specifically designed to be an easy drinking whisky. Yamazaki are the primary Suntory distillery and its whisky is featured in all of its blends. Yamazaki is only ever made in relatively tiny batches, making it harder and harder to obtain, while demand only grows.*

### **KAVALAN SHERRY OAK | £9-**

Taiwan | Medium to heavy body, dark chocolate, raisins, pepper  
*Kavalan use the warm and humid Taiwanese climate to their advantage, where the aging process takes a mere quarter of the time it does in Scotland to achieve the same results. Kavalan hired famous whisky consultant Jim Swan to show them the ropes, and teach them some of his methods, such as STR (shaving, toasting and re-charring) casks. In this instance, the whisky is matured in Spanish oloroso sherry casks.*

### **AMRUT FUSION | £6-**

India | Medium body, roasted coffee and chocolate shavings  
*Amrut are a massive distillery and make over 30 expressions. Their climate makes for very fast aging, although it can come at a cost. Indian and other hot climates can experience an angels' share of around 15% or more per year, compared to 2% on average in Scotland.*

# brews.

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## **HAPPY CHAPPY | £5.5**

Cromarty, Scotland IPA | 500ml | 4.1%

## **GHOST TOWN | £5-**

Cromarty, Scotland Porter | 330ml | 5.8%

## **RED ROCKER | £5.5**

Cromarty, Scotland Rye IPA | 500ml | 5.0%

## **PERONI | £4.5**

Italy | Lager | 330ml | 5.1%

## **WHITE OUT | £4.5**

Cromarty, Scotland IPA | 330ml | 3.8%

## **LAGER | £4.5**

Cromarty, Scotland Lager | 330ml | 4.4%

## **DAURA DAMM | £5-**

Spain (Gluten Free) Lager | 330ml | 5.4%

## **ESTRELLA | £4.5**

Spain | Lager | 330ml | 4.6%

## **MORETTI | £4-**

Italy | Lager | 330ml | 4.6%

## **THISTLY CROSS | £5-**

Dunbar, Scotland Cider | 330ml | 4.4%

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Strawberry | Cider | 330ml | 4%

## **THISTLY CROSS | £5-**

Elderflower | Cider | 330ml | 4%

# wines.

Hand selected varietals. Great to enjoy with food, or just as an indulgence on its own! If you would like something even more special, please ask your server.

WINES PRICED AT £4.5/125ML | £6-/175ML | £8.5/250ML | £25-/BOTTLE

## **MERLOT**

Botter, Italy – Medium body | fruity | young

## **SHIRAZ**

Il Paradossa, Italy - Full-bodied | spicy | dark

## **CHENIN BLANC**

Still Bay, South Africa – Tropical Notes | Racy Acidity

## **CHARDONNAY**

Canalicchio, Italy – Elegant | Fresh | Fruity

## **ZINFANDEL ROSÉ**

Villa Rosella, Italy – Fruity | Crisp | Sweet

WINES PRICED AT £5-/125ML | £7-/175ML | £10-/250ML | £30-/BOTTLE

## **MALBEC**

Montañés, Argentina - Spicy | Fruity | Rich

## **PINOT NOIR**

Francesca Bay, New Zealand – Berries | Vibrant | Complex

## **PINOT GRIGIO**

Ca' Lunghezza, Italy – Fresh | Crisp | Light Bodied

## **SAUVIGNON BLANC**

La Poderosa, Chile – Green Hints | Citrus | Fruity

## **ROQUESTAR ROSÉ**

Moulin De La Roque, France – Lively | fruity | fresh

# fizz.

*“A single glass of champagne imparts a feeling of exhilaration. The nerves are braced; the imagination is stirred; the wits become more nimble.”*

Winston Churchill

## **PROSECCO**

Santi Nello, Italy – Delicate | Lush | Fruity  
£7-/125ml £30-/Btl

## **PINOT GRIGIO ROSÉ SPARKLING**

Mirabello, Italy – Lively | Delicate | Fruity  
£30-/Btl

## **PROSECCO FRIZZANTE**

Malia, Italy – Intense | Fruity | Refreshing  
£35-/Btl

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## **POL ROGER BRUT NV**

Champagne, France – Well-Balanced | Fresh | Lively  
£70-/Btl

## **TAITTINGER BRUT NV**

Champagne, France – Classy | Floral | Soft  
£125-/Btl

## **DOM PERIGNON ‘06**

Champagne, France – Rich | Toasty | Spicy  
£175-/Btl