

FEATURED WHISKY CO's

MORTHLACH The very 1st distillery to be established in Dufftown the heart of Speyside. Various expressions came over different stills & processes so it does not have a single style. 1st of new distillery releases

LONGMORN runs at full capacity year round producing malts for blenders including Chivas Regal. 16 year only brand expression

TOMATIN Among the highest distilleries in Scotland only makes peated spirit for a week each year, Cu is peated to 15ppm

BUNNAHBHAIN An Islay distillery that is known for its fruity styles, smokiness ranges throughout their expressions, Toiteach is described as “heavily peated”

TAMNAVULIN Closed from 1995 - 2007 this distillery's 22 year old expression was produced prior to the current ownership

GLENMORANGIE pioneers in the field of wood finishes. 6th in the Private Edition series, annual releases of handcrafted, specially detailed whiskies.

LAPHROAIG the best selling Islay whisky, now owned by Suntory of Japan, after they bought Beam Global! Distribution leads Sales and they are fully Global now!

Tasting Spirits

Using this method you should look for three distinct sets of flavors or tastes in your whisky

1st AROMA / NOSE

* Breathe over your glass with mouth & nose open to allow as much air as possible to reach your olfactory nerves!
Swallow the air, and then slowly exhale and let your mind wander while deciding on the flavors you taste.

2nd PALETTE / TASTE

* Take a sip to your mouth, swirl & “chew” the spirit as you coat the inside surfaces of your mouth, again breathe through, swallow and exhale, again decide on tastes, flavors & textures.

3rd DILUTE & RE-TASTE

* Take the straw in your water glass and put your finger over the top, transport the water to your whiskey glass and drop in. The addition of a drop of water is known as “cracking” the spirit. This allows molecular bonds to break, freeing up a new range of aromas & flavors to be tasted and noted!

Remember that there can be a difference between Tasting & Drinking with friends. When you have an opportunity to try a new spirit, brand or label, try these steps.

Pub Tasting

Autumn Series

November 3rd, 2015

TRINITY HALL

IRISH PUB



**15 Year Old 200th Anniversary Edition
Friends of Laphroaig Bottling**

*We are Dallas' Whiskey Pub
Over 250+ Whiskies available on the good
days, sometimes fewer after a busy weekend
and never “just before” a delivery!*



MORTLACH, RARE OLD
43 .4% No Age Statement

Nose: Sugary biscuits (maybe Nice biscuits), baked apple and crushed nuts. Fudge and herbal, leafy notes persist.

Palate: Rich and full, spicy notes of cinnamon sticks + oak, vanilla, raisin and biscuit-y notes paired with dark jam (Jammy Dodgers?).

Finish: Warm and drying, cinnamon, pepper



TOMATIN - CU BOCAN
46% - No Age Statement

Nose: A springy citrus blend of oranges and grapefruits which leads into a fresh, floral bloom.

Palate: Smoke starts to seep through slowly, growing ever so slightly the longer it's on the tongue. Subtle sweet chillies pop up, as well as a nutty note or two.

Finish: Medium, with a final flash of the spectral smoke



TAMNAVULIN
48% - 22 Years Old

Nose: Quite soft with a proliferation of cereals and barley. Notes of malt extract with a juicy sweetness, a herbal note develops with cut spearmint leaves.

Palate: Very well-balanced, sherried speyside style with soft herbs, eucalyptus oil & barley sugar.

Finish: Clears the palette quickly, lingers a while with warming & oak



LONGMORN
48% 16 YEAR

Nose: Fresh and green. apple peel hints of citrus and herbal notes, notes of balsa wood, calvados

Palate: Rich and compact. Notes of lemon zest and a leafy greenness. A good level of tannins develops

Finish: Long and dry with a zesty



BUNNAHABHAIN TOITEACH
46% - No Age Statement

Nose: Lovely gentle peat, hints of spice warmth and complexity. Some fruit, smoke.

Palate: Spiced heat opens with sweet fruits, dates, sweet smoke, cracked black pepper.

Finish: Long, house style comes through amid the smoke.



GLENMORANGIE TUSAIL
48% - 22 Years Old

Aroma: Deep earthy, robust aromas of malty, biscuity tones, with a backbone of nut toffee.

Taste: ginger, cinnamon, and dates in molasses, notes of peaches, oranges. smoked pears.

Finish: Tusail lingers on with a mouth-coating finish.
