

WHISKEY DRY

Here before you is a menu of Whiskey. Our goal is to tell the entire narrative of Whiskey from historic Scotland to newer regions all over the world. Here, in Kentucky, we tend to drink a lot of Bourbon, and for good reason; it is delicious. But Bourbon is just one chapter in a story that starts hundreds of years ago in Scotland and Ireland with the *uisce beatha* or “water of life.” These are the roots of our longstanding love affair with brown water where we learned all the raw techniques that have continued on for generations.

When the story of Whiskey comes to America, we embolden it with Rye and Wheat and, most importantly, Corn. We drift the barrels down the Mississippi and we tap lime rich water reserves. We fight over Whiskey rights and we even make it illegal.

It moves to Canada where they perfect the art of blending. Today, the love of Whiskey is stronger than it has ever been. And the world of Whiskey has expanded across the globe. It is a living tradition and we are lucky to be a part of it.

Drinking should be fun, not fraught. There isn't a bad Whiskey on this menu. We've included a bunch of staff picks and the reasons why we love them. Feel free to try them or disagree with us. We love the dialogue. We want you to explore the world of Whiskey at your own pace, in your own style.

The only thing we ask is you keep an open mind. The world of Whiskey is wide and vast and we will help guide you through it the best we can. If you don't find exactly what you want, ask us and we will steer you towards something new and delicious. Cheers!

Stacie Stewart, Mara Brown, Noah Rothbaum,
& Edward Lee

OUR COCKTAILS

Bartender's Choice 8
Bourbon, Jagermeister, Birch Beer
*light, bubbly, and herbaceous – this is what you'll get if you ask
for our favorite*

The Commonwealth 12
Bourbon, Sorghum Coffee, Peppercorns, Ale-8
spicy, sweet, and very, very Kentucky

Certain Dark Things 11
Scotch, Fig, Peppercorn, Cassis, Sparkling Wine,
Balsamic
lightly smoky yet bright, savory dark fruit

Black Gold Rush 12
Scotch, Manzanilla, Black Garlic Honey, Peach Jam
tart and sweet, earthy and savory

Coffee & Donut 11
Bourbon, Chili, Coffee, Condensed Milk, Krispy
Kreme Donut
mornings are not the only hard part of the day

Four Ingredient Wonder 10
Bourbon, Lemon, Mint, Bitters
a strong but refreshing sipper

Slushee 9
*there's nothing better to enjoy on a long,
hot, summer day*
*rotates frequently

CLASSIC COCKTAILS

Manhattan/Rob Roy	12
Rye Whiskey or Blended Scotch, Dolin Rouge Vermouth, Orange Peel	
Old Fashioned	10
Bonded Whiskey, Angostura, Demerara Syrup	
Blood & Sand	9
Blended Scotch, Sweet Vermouth, Cherry, Fresh Orange	
Whiskey Sour	10
Rye Whiskey, House Made Sour, Egg White	
Giappone Negroni	12
Oolong Tea Infused Japanese Whiskey, Sweet Vermouth, Campari, Sparkling Sake	

WHISKEY FLIGHTS

1. The Finish Flight, \$30. A collection of whiskies that demonstrate what character can be imparted from the reuse of a barrel to finish the maturation process.
2. The American Flight, \$22. Showcasing the American grains that are essential to great whiskey and what qualities each contributes.
3. The World Flight, \$20. A “Study Abroad” for curious whiskey drinkers.

BEERS

16 ounce pour on Draft

Miller Lite	5
Bell's Two Hearted IPA	6
Kentucky Bourbon Barrel Ale	8
Monnik*	7
Mile Wide*	7

*Seasonally rotated

Bottles/Cans

Off Color Apex Predator Farmhouse Ale, 6.5% 12oz	7
Stillwater Extra Dry Belgian Saison, 4.5% 12oz	6
Boulevard Wheat Unfiltered Wheat Ale, 4.4% 12oz	4
Miller High Life Champagne of Beers, 4.6% 12oz	4
Rhinegeist Bubbles Rosé Ale, 6.2% 12oz	5
Pacifico Clara Mexican Style Lager, 4.5% 12oz	6
Southern Tier 2XIPA Imperial IPA, 8.2% 12oz	7
Left Hand Milk Stout Nitro Stout, 6% 12oz	6

WINES

Sparkling

NV Mionetto Prosecco Brut
Veneto, IT 9 gl / 35 btl

Rosé

2018 Fleurs de Prairie
Cote de Provence, FR 8 gl / 30 btl

White

2016 Benziger Sauvignon Blanc
California 8 gl / 30 btl

2015 Stellina di Notte Pinto Grigio
Veneto, IT 8 gl / 35 btl

2017 Kung Fu Girl Riesling
Columbia Valley, Washington 7 gl / 26 btl

2015 Mer Soleil Chardonnay
Santa Barbara, CA 9 gl / 34 btl

Red

2016 Cupcake Pinot Noir
Central Coast, California 6 gl / 20 btl

2016 Imagery Cabernet Sauvignon
Napa Valley, California 10 gl / 38 btl

2016 Killka Malbec
Mendoza, Argentina 10 gl / 38 btl

2014 Altos Ibericos Crianza
Torres, Spain 9 gl / 34 btl

WHISKEY

All standard drinks are 2 ounce pours

Bourbon

Bourbon is the most famous of all American whiskies. While the preponderance is made in the great state of Kentucky, bourbon can actually come from any of the 50 states. By law, bourbon must be made from at least 51-percent corn and aged in an unused charred oak barrel.

Bardstown

1792 Small Batch \$10

Elijah Craig Small Batch \$8

Evan Williams Black Label \$6

Evan Williams Bonded \$6

Evan Williams Single Barrel \$8

Ezra Brooks Black Label \$8

Henry McKenna 80° \$8

Henry McKenna Single Barrel 100° \$8

🍷 Johnny Drum \$8

Staff Pick “This bourbon is the great equalizer. Sure to please any imbibers from a seasoned veteran to a rookie whiskey drinker, and needs nothing more than a tiny cube of ice.”

Kentucky Vintage \$8

Makers 46 (Loretto) \$10

Makers Mark (Loretto) \$8

🍷 Makers Mark Cask Strength (Loretto) \$14

Ed Pick “I know Maker’s is a commercially successful brand so how in the hell can they actually make good brown water? It’s a sweeter bourbon which is typically off-putting to me but in this higher proof, the flavor actually has room to breathe and the sweetness comes off as seductive.

Maker’s Mark Private Select “Chef Lee’s Hooch” (Loretto) \$16

🍷 Noah's Mill \$12

Ed Pick “From the Willet Family, this is 114 proof bourbon is for serious drinkers, rich walnut and burnt hay notes, it is complex without being.”

Old Bardstown Bonded \$8

Old Fitzgerald 80° \$6

🍷 Rebel Yell \$6

Ed Pick “If it was good enough for Keith Richards, it’s good enough for me.”

Rowan’s Creek

Very Old Barton \$6

Willet Pot Still \$12

Yellowstone Select (Lebanon) \$12

Clermont

Bakers 7yr \$12

Basil Hayden's \$12

Jim Beam Black Label \$8

👉 Jim Beam Bonded \$6

Ed Pick "Jim Beam got me through college and afterwards, I drank stuffy, luxury bourbons, but the older I get, the more I love and respect the raw, unapologetic style of this Bottled in Bond original."

Jim Beam Devil's Cut \$8

Jim Beam Double Oaked \$8

Jim Beam Single Barrel \$10

Jim Beam White Label \$6

Knob Creek 100° \$8

Knob Creek Single Barrel \$12

Old Grand Dad 80° \$6

👉 Old Grand Dad BIB \$8

Mara Pick "I always have a bottle of OGD at home. Nothing beats this bourbon after a long day. A nice long, sweet finish with a little spice makes it endlessly drinkable."

Old Grand Dad 114°

Frankfort

Ancient Age \$6

👉 Ancient Age 90° \$8

Mara Pick "If I'm spending the evening with friends, this is the bourbon I am passing around. It's a solid sipper with lingering flavors of corn and baking spices and enough of a dry finish to keep you wanting more."

Buffalo Trace \$8

Stacie Pick "Never mind the parade of outstanding whiskies that comes from this distillery – the namesake bourbon is near perfect. Toasty, caramel, not too sweet, not too spicy, and a green grassy note at the end. My favorite for a Boulevardier."

Eagle Rare \$13

E.H. Taylor Small Batch \$16

Woodford Reserve (Versailles) \$10

Woodford Reserve Double Oaked (Versailles) \$14

Lawrenceburg

Four Roses Single Barrel \$12

Four Roses Small Batch \$10

Four Roses Original Label \$8

Russel's Reserve \$10

Russel's Reserve Single Barrel \$16

Wild Turkey 81° \$7

Wild Turkey 101° \$8

Wild Turkey Longbranch \$10

Wild Turkey Rare Breed \$12

🍷 Wild Turkey Kentucky Spirit \$14

Mara Pick "I have never in my life seen a Kentuckian who didn't have a gun, a pack of cards, and a jug of whiskey." -Andrew Jackson

Louisville

🍷 Angel's Envy \$12

Ed Pick "This is a smooth as silk bourbon, finished in Port barrels which is unusual but it mellows out the bourbon just enough to make it perfect for day drinking or pair it with a dessert."

Bulleit 10yr \$10

Bulleit 90° \$8

Bulleit Barrel Strength \$14

Jefferson's Reserve \$14

Jefferson's Small Batch \$10

Jefferson's Ocean \$16

Jeptha Creed (Shelbyville) \$11

Larceny \$10

Michter's US*1 Very Small Batch \$12

Michter's US*1 Original Small Batch Sour Mash \$13

🍷 Old Forester \$8

Noah Pick "It doesn't get older than Old Forester. It's the first American whiskey to come from the distillery in a sealed bottle. The whiskey has been made since 1870. Order a glass and see why it's enduringly popular."

Old Forester Signature \$10

Old Forester 1870 Original Batch \$12

Old Forester 1897 Bonded \$12

Old Forester 1920 Prohibition \$12

Rabbit Hole \$14

Rabbit Hole PX \$16

Outside Kentucky

David Nicholson 1843 (MO) \$10

Redemption Bourbon (IN) \$8

Middle West OYO Bourbon (OH) \$14

New Riff (KY/OH) \$8

Pritchard's Double Barrel (TN) \$18

High West American Prairie Bourbon (UT) \$10

Smooth Ambler Contradiction (WV) \$14

Yellow Rose Outlaw Bourbon (TX) \$18

American Rye Whiskey

After nearly disappearing, the rye whiskey category has come roaring back to life during the past few years. Bartenders and drinkers prize the spirit's rich and spicy flavor. It works wonderfully in Manhattans and Whiskey Sours, as well as in many other classic whiskey cocktails.

Barrel Rye \$12

Bulleit Rye \$8

Bulleit 12yr Rye \$14

George Dickel Rye \$8

High West Double Rye \$10

High West Rendezvous Rye \$16

Jim Beam Rye \$8

Knob Creek Rye 100° \$10

Michter's US*1 Rye \$12

Minor Case Sherry Finished Rye \$12

Old Forester Rye \$10

👉 Old Overholt \$7

Ed Pick "One of only a few whiskies that existed before Prohibition – I like history and I like this Rye – it's not the best out there but you should drink it - it will make you smarter."

Peerless Rye \$22

Rabbit Hole Rye \$16

Redemption Rye \$8

👉 Rittenhouse Rye \$8

Noah Pick "Rittenhouse is the gold standard for American rye whiskey. It's hard to find a better or more complex rye, especially at this price. While it was originally produced in Pennsylvania it's now made in Kentucky. Try it in a delicious Manhattan."

Russel's Reserve Rye \$12

👉 Sazerac \$8

Mara Pick "Classic New Orleans. Laissez les bon temps rouler."

Templeton 6yr Rye \$14

Wild Turkey Rye 101° \$8

Wild Turkey Rye 81° \$8

Woodford Rye \$11

American Whiskey & Single Malts

Not all American whiskeys fall under the category of Bourbon or Rye. What is exciting about American whiskeys is that it does not adhere to any longstanding tradition. It can do whatever it wants and some of the most exciting innovations in the whiskey world is coming from these producers.

Balcones Baby Blue Corn \$10

Balcones Texas Single Malt \$18

Bernheim Wheat Whiskey \$10

High West Campfire \$16

Johnny Smoking Gun \$12

👉Leopold Bros. American Small Batch \$8

Stacie Pick “The low-proof barreling of this whiskey allows the sweet corn and spicy rye of the mash to personify here. To boot, it has a deliciously fragrant nose of dried corn and hay and a finish that’s slow and rich as molasses.”

Mellow Corn \$6

👉Rieger's Kansas City Whiskey \$10

Stacie Pick “This revival from J. Rieger & Co. has earned itself a place in the history books by claiming its own classification, thanks to the edition of Olorosso Sherry. It’s sweet, spicy, and nutty and has a crisp finish that’s not easy to forget.”

👉Stranahans \$16

Noah Pick “Get a Rocky Mountain high by drinking this delicious and smooth single malt from Denver. Like Scotch, it’s made from 100-percent malted barley but it’s been given a unique American makeover.”

Uncle Nearest \$13

Canadian Whiskey

Canadian whiskey was most famous for the blended whiskey trade that formed after Prohibition forced many distillers to move north of the border. Traditionally, Canadian distillers mash, ferment and distill each grain separately, waiting to blend the finished whiskeys together. (American distillers combine the different grains at the beginning of the mashing process.) But lately, Canadian whiskeys have been improving their quality. Thanks to the rise in popularity of American straight rye whiskey, many Canadian brands are no longer blending rye whiskey but bottling it separately. Of course, sometimes, a nice blended whiskey is just fine too.

Canadian Club \$7

Canadian Club Rye \$8

Crown Royal Northern Harvest Rye \$9

Crown Royal \$10

🍷 Pendleton 1910 Rye \$11

Stacie Pick “This one is doing its part to promote Canada. 100% rye, with a nose of spicy tobacco and old leather, and a not-too-sweet finish of dark fruit.”

Scotch Whiskey

The world of Scotch can neatly be divided into single malts and blends. Single malts are the production of a single distillery; blends contain whiskeys from many different distilleries, along with aged grain whiskey (very similar to bourbon). Both are fine products and can be drunk neat, on the rocks, with club soda or in cocktails. Yes, you read that correctly. Don't believe us? Try the Rob Roy or the Blood and Sand.

Blends

Compass Box Great King Glasgow Blend \$12

Dewars \$8

Dimple Pinch 15yr \$10

Johnnie Walker Red Label \$8

Johnnie Walker Black Label \$12

Johnnie Walker Blue Label \$64

Monkey Shoulder \$10

Campbelltown

Glen Scotia 15yr Single Malt \$28

Springbank \$18

Highlands

Dalmore 12yr Single Malt \$20
Dalmore 15yr Highland Single Malt \$32
Dalwhinnie 15yr \$20
Deveron 12yr \$10
Edradour 10yr \$18
Glengoyne 10yr \$12
Glengoyne 12yr \$14
Glenmorangie 10yr \$12
Glenmorangie LaSanta \$16
Glenmorangie Nectar D'Or \$16
Oban 14yr \$20

Islay

🍷 Ardbeg Islay 10yr \$18

Stacie Pick – If my scotch doesn't make me feel like I just fell off a swing and face-planted into the mulch, it's not worth my time. Smoky and sweet, salty and a little bit vegetal, this is my outside whiskey.

Bowmore 12yr Single Malt \$12

Bowmore 18yr Single Malt \$34

Bruichladdich Classic Laddie Barley \$14

Bruichladdich Islay Barley Rockside Farm \$16

Bruichladdich Octomore \$40

Bruichladdich Port Charlotte Heavy Peat \$16

🍷 Laphroaig 10yr Single Malt \$14

Mara Pick “My first introduction to the world of Scotch and now it's my mainstay. It has the bold, peaty flavor that you expect from an Islay, but just enough sweetness to be appealing to an amateur Scotch drinker like myself.”

Laphroaig Quarter Cask \$16

Lowlands

Auchentoshan American Oak \$12

Auchentoshan Three Wood \$18

Offshore

Highland Park \$14

Isle of Jura \$14

Isle of Skye \$12

Talisker 10yr \$18

Speyside

Ardmore Single Malt \$12
Balvenie 12yr Doublewood \$20
Balvenie 14yr Carribean Cask \$26
Balvenie 21yr Portwood Cask \$56
Cardhu 12yr \$14
Cragganmore 12yr \$16
Glenfiddich 12yr Single Malt \$12
Glenfiddich 15yr Single Malt \$20
Glenfiddich 18yr Single Malt \$32
Glenlivet 12yr \$14
Glenlivet 18yr \$30
🍷Glenrothes \$14

Ed Pick “The Speyside is home to most of the popular Scotch Whiskies so it doesn’t always get the street cred it deserves. I like Malt and this is a good example of it without being overpowering.”

Macallan 12yr Sherry Oak Cask \$16
Macallan 12yr Double Cask \$16
Spey River 12yr \$14

Irish Whiskey

Distillers have been making whiskey in Ireland for roughly a thousand years. (The Irish most likely made it first before passing the knowledge along to the Scots.) Just three distilleries existed on the entire island for years, but a recent whiskey boom has resulted in many new distilleries. Irish whiskey runs the gamut, with both blends and single malts, as well as big, smoky spirits and smooth, honeyed bottlings.

Bushmill's \$12
Bushmill's Black Bush \$13
Green Spot Pot Still \$16
Greenore Single Grain 8yr \$16
Jameson \$9
Jameson 18yr \$32
Jameson Cooper's Croze \$18
🍷Midleton Very Rare \$47

Noah Pick “This is one of the finest Irish whiskies you’ll ever taste. It’s made in the south of Ireland at the Midleton Distillery where Jameson, Redbreast and Powers are also produced. It’s delicious neat or on the rocks but doesn’t need much else.”

Powers \$8
Powers John’s Lane \$20

👉 Redbreast 12yr \$16

Ed Pick “The Irish have been getting drunk on whiskey far longer than Kentuckians. This is clean and vegetal like a grassy Irish knoll.”

Teeling Whiskey Co. Small Batch \$16

Tullamore Dew \$8

Japanese Whiskey

Japan has a long history of whiskey starting in the early 20th century with Yamazaki distillery. Japanese whiskey is characterized by a style that mimics Scotch, but with an obsessive striving for perfection that has resulted in techniques revered by master distillers all over the world. Today these precious whiskies are some of the most sought after bottles the world over.

👉 Hibiki Harmony \$18

Noah Pick “To quote Bill Murray in Lost in Translation, ‘for relaxing times, make it Suntory time.’ And the crown jewel in Suntory’s portfolio is the Hibiki line. Try it in a refreshing Highball.”

👉 Nikka Coffey Grain \$18

Ed Pick “A freaky, rich and delicate whiskey, 100% Malted Barley distilled in a Coffey or column still. It’s like sweet, roasted velvet on your tongue.”

Nikka Taketsuru Pure Malt \$18

Suntory Toki 86 \$12

World Whiskey

From South Africa to India to Taiwan to France, distilleries around the world are producing a range of different whiskeys winning acclaim and awards. While some recall Scotch or American whiskeys, many are unique, having been shaped by each individual country's tastes and preferences. The narrative of Whiskey is healthy and will continue to live on in these newer regions that are continuing to spread the good word of whiskey.

Amrut Single Malt (India) \$16

Amrut "Intermediate" Sherry Finish (India) \$22

Bain's Cape Mountain (South Africa) \$10

Bastille Whiskey (France) \$8

Kavalan Classic (Taiwan) \$24

Kavalan Concertmaster (Taiwan) \$24

👉 Paul John Edited Half Peated (India) \$11

Stacie Pick "This sweet, savory, and smoky Indian import is 'half peated', making it a perfect introduction to the world of global whiskey to anyone who is a little gunshy about scotch."

Paul John Peated Cask Strength (India) \$19

Penderyn Single Malt (Wales) \$16

Allocated Whiskey

There are some whiskey and bourbons that are highly sought after and only available in small batches at certain times of the year. Rather than list them all and have you disappointed when we say we are out of it, we have a small list by request only. Please ask your bartender or server if you are interested.

OTHER SPIRITS

Vodka

Wheatley	8
Tito's	10
Grey Goose	12

Gin

Bombay Dry	8
Aviation	10

Tequila

Lunazul Silver	8
Espolón Añejo	10

Rum

Bacardi	8
Sailor Jerry	9