

## Scotch Malt Whisky Society Bottlings

Echoes cask No 63.77 18yo Speyside 1<sup>st</sup> fill Ex Bourbon Barrel – Intricacy was the overall impression here. No single flavour dominated, instead a complex, deeply mesmerising dive into older styles of malt. Speyside. 1<sup>st</sup> fill ex-bourbon barrel. **52.0% £8.00**

Plumbs Glistening in the Sun Cask No 82.26 9yo Speyside 2<sup>nd</sup> fill Ex Bourbon Barrel – Sweetness and fresh carpentry at first. Then thickets of dense spices, mechanical workshops, glazed meats and dark, fruity Asian sauces. Highland. 2<sup>nd</sup> fill ex-bourbon barrel. **62.4% £5.50**

Defies Belief! Cask No 93.168 18yo Campbeltown Refill ex Bourbon Barrel – Paraffin fire starters on a peated hearth in a blackhouse cooking lamb surf and turf, followed by a yeasty salinity with a balanced sharpness. Campbeltown. Refill ex-bourbon hogshead. **57.3% £10.00**

A Sheep in Wolf's Clothing Cask No 113.40 8yo Speyside 2<sup>nd</sup> fill ex Bourbon Barrel – A refreshing start delivered roses, carnations and fresh coconut before a spice-driven palate fused dark rum, liquorice, and tobacco in duck fat. Speyside. 2<sup>nd</sup> fill ex-bourbon barrel. **63.8% £5.50**

Orcadian Nights Cask No 4.285 20yo Highland Refill Bourbon Hogshead – A taut, powerful, precise, and brilliantly evocative example of this make. Single malt originally from bourbon hogsheads, married in this cask. Highland. Ex-bourbon hogsheads and refill ex- bourbon hogshead.

**55.2% £17.00**

Rekindled Romance Cask No 53.376 Islay ex Bourbon Hogshead – Fresh and floral before familiar aromas of sweet peat smoke found us back on terra firma as we were reminiscing joyfully about how we first met. **57.1% £7.50**

A Preternatural Good-Striker Cask No 112.74 12yo Highland 1<sup>st</sup> fill Bourbon Hogshead – Celtic diety with the god Sucellus (“the one who strikes well”) came to mind, with legendsaying that he ferries souls to the underworld. Highland. Ex-bourbon hogshead and 1<sup>st</sup> fill Moselle oak hogshead.

**56.8% £7.50**

Judgement Time Cask No 107.19 7yo Speyside 2<sup>nd</sup> fill Ex bourbon Barrel – White roses or white pepper? Banana smoothie or jalapeño pepper? Diluted however mouth-coating, juicy with a pleasingly dry finish.

**63.2% £7.00**

Petals and Peaches Cask No 82.23 8yo Highland 2<sup>nd</sup> fill Ex Bourbon Barrel – Floral notes of roses, jasmine, and honeysuckle joined by lychees, mandarins, and peaches before Turning into dark berries, burnt sugar and ice cream. Highland. 2<sup>nd</sup> fill ex-bourbon barrel. **63.5% £7.00**

Red Bread Cask No 95.47 8yo Speyside 2<sup>nd</sup> Fill Barrique charred red wine hogshead- sweet and spicy cinnamon, sweeties, gingerbread and flaked almonds. **63.5% £5.50**

Subtle Complexity Cask No 42.58 26yo Highland 2<sup>nd</sup> fill Ex Bourbon barrel - A lot of head-scratching from baffled panel members; crisp green apples at first followed by a gentle sweetness wrapped around toasted hazelnuts and almonds. A picture developed of a ship's captain in his bourgeois study in the 15th century looking out to sea and wondering what lies behind the horizon. On the palate; mellow, incredibly elegant with flavours of pipe tobacco, black olive **51.4% £26.00**

**Armagnac Fruit Shop Raid** – Muscovado, caramel, cinnamon, angelica, and ripe quince. Warm and inviting, ripe fruit sits with light tannins giving way to the depth of age.

**61.3% £10.00**