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FEATURED FLIGHTS

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RIFF SHOP 20
Single Malt 2024
Choice of Silver Grove Bourbon or Rye
Choice of Single Barrel Bourbon or Rye

Sip through some of our house favorites. The pours in this flight are all available for purchase in our Riff Shop, including several distillery exclusives you'll only find on site.

GOOD AND MALTED 24
Maltster Wheat
Sherry Finished Malted Rye
Single Malt 2023

Our distillers reached into their brewing and world whiskey backgrounds for inspiration and exploration of malted grains, offering complex and elegant flavors.

WISP OF SMOKE 24
Backsetter Bourbon
Backsetter Rye
Single Malt 2025

A touch of smokey goodness ties these three distinct whiskey styles together.

HIGH NOTE 28
8 Year Single Barrel Balboa Rye
8 Year Bohemian Wheat
First Decade Bourbon

Meet some of our limited production runs, one-off whiskey creations, unique barrels, and rare delights found in our warehouses.

PERENNIAL FAVORITES 20
Winter Whiskey
Silver Grove 2023
6 Year Malted Rye

Three of our most beloved annual releases.

HEIRLOOMS 20
Yellow Leaming
Blue Clarage
Balboa Rye

These whiskeys anchor our exploration of heirloom grains. These grains, unaltered from their original seed lineage, offer a glimpse into flavors of previous generations.

WHSKY NRD 24
Backsetter Bourbon
DUET American Whiskey
High Note Kentucky Straight Wheat Whiskey

Delight in these inventive and esoteric whiskies. Geek out on the rare grains, local heirloom corns and process innovations that bring out the nerd in us all.

RYE OR DIE 26
High Note First Decade Rye
Sherry Finished Malted Rye
Ol' New Riff Rye

A trio for our new and seasoned rye lovers. These older expressions highlight the nuance, and complex flavor of rye.

WHEATERS 24
High Note 8 Year Bohemian Wheat
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Red Turkey Wheat

A few of our riffs on a time honored Bourbon tradition. These "wheaters" bring a new dimension to our rye centric whiskey making style.

BONDED RYE MASTER CLASS 19
Bottled-In-Bond Rye
Balboa Rye
6 Year Malted Rye

Our staple Ryes adhere to the strictest quality standard for any aged spirit on the planet ~ bold, spicy, and bonded.

SILVER GROVE BOURBON 22
Silver Grove Bourbon 2024
Silver Grove Bourbon 2025
Silver Grove Bourbon 2026

In honor of our Silver Grove aging warehouse, sip through three expressions of this distillery exclusive barrel proof bourbon.

SILVER GROVE RYE 22
Silver Grove Rye 2024
Silver Grove Rye 2025
Silver Grove Rye 2026

In honor of our Silver Grove aging warehouse, sip through three expressions of this distillery exclusive barrel proof rye.

8 IS GREAT 26
8 Year Bourbon
8 Year Rye
High Note 8 Year Malted Rye

Sip and celebrate with three expressions of some of our oldest releases.

ADDITIONAL FLIGHTS →

FEATURED FLIGHTS

A DECADE IN THE MAKING 28
High Note First Decade Bourbon
High Note First Decade Rye
Headliner 2024

10 years of hard work = some mighty tasty whiskey. Sip through our first decade of passion, determination and dedication to quality.

BARREL PROOF RYES 22
Kentucky Biscuit Malt
High Note 10 Year Rye
Silver Grove Rye 2025

Rye but make it barrel proof. Get to know some bold high proof expressions of limited release and distillery exclusive ryes.

2024 – 10 YEAR ANNIVERSARY FLIGHT 26
Headliner 2024
Ol' New Riff Bourbon
Silver Grove Rye 2024

Taste through a banner year for New Riff with some of the highlight reel of our 10 year anniversary releases.

SINGLE MALT 20
Single Malt 2024
Single Malt 2025
Single Malt 2026

An exciting and tasty Kentucky Riff to the hallowed traditions of malted barley, our Single Malt is a bold new concept in the time-honored tradition of our state's whiskey regimen. This flight features the project's first three releases.

IN THE CLEAR 16
Kentucky Wild Gin
Bourbon Barrel Aged Gin
New Make

Clearly our distillers explore expressions outside of our whiskies. Give these three a sip.

MALTED RYE 24
6 Year Malted Rye
Sherry Finished Malted Rye
High Note 8 Year Malted Rye

We confess malted rye is a distillery favorite, and we think this flight featuring the different iterations of this nuanced and elegant whiskey will show you why.

HEADLINER FLIGHT 28
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New Make

Tasting Room exclusive spirits distilled for good use and some using local ingredients perfect for our Tasting Room cocktail program.

2025 THE HITS 26
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High Note First Decade Rye

A toast to the top of the charts-this curated flight features some standout whiskies of 2025, handpicked for their bold character, innovative mash bills, and crowd-leasing complexity.

2026 THE HITS 26
High Note 10 year Bourbon
Duet
2026 Headliner

A toast to the top of the charts-this curated flight features some standout whiskies of 2026, handpicked for their bold character, innovative mash bills, and crowd-leasing complexity.

HEADLINER 2025: THE B SIDE 27
10 Year Rye Whiskey 115.5 Proof
8 Aroostook Rye 116.4 Proof
10 Year Balboa 119.9 Proof

Featuring the tasty supporting acts that made up our Headliner 2025. These lab labels are some true standouts that make up this headlining whiskey!

*Please note due to the limited quantity, these expressions are only available in this flight.

THE CONFLUENCE PROJECT VOL. 1 KENTUCKY STRAIGHT WHEATED WHISKEY 25

A rotating selection of three single barrels from our inaugural Confluence Project, crafted in collaboration with Chattanooga Whiskey. This stand out collection of single barrels are a 100% wheated mashbill aged for six years. Each barrel showcases a unique proof ranging from 116.9 to 122.8 — a true snapshot of our shared journey in flavor.

THE AQUIFER COLLECTION 26
8 Year Backsetter Bourbon
High Note 8 Year Single Barrel Balboa
Lab Label 8 Year Aroostook Rye

Experience exclusive pours found only in the Aquifer Tasting Room. These distiller picks and lab labels hit the perfect note, balancing artistry and boldness across single-barrel and barrel-proof whiskies.

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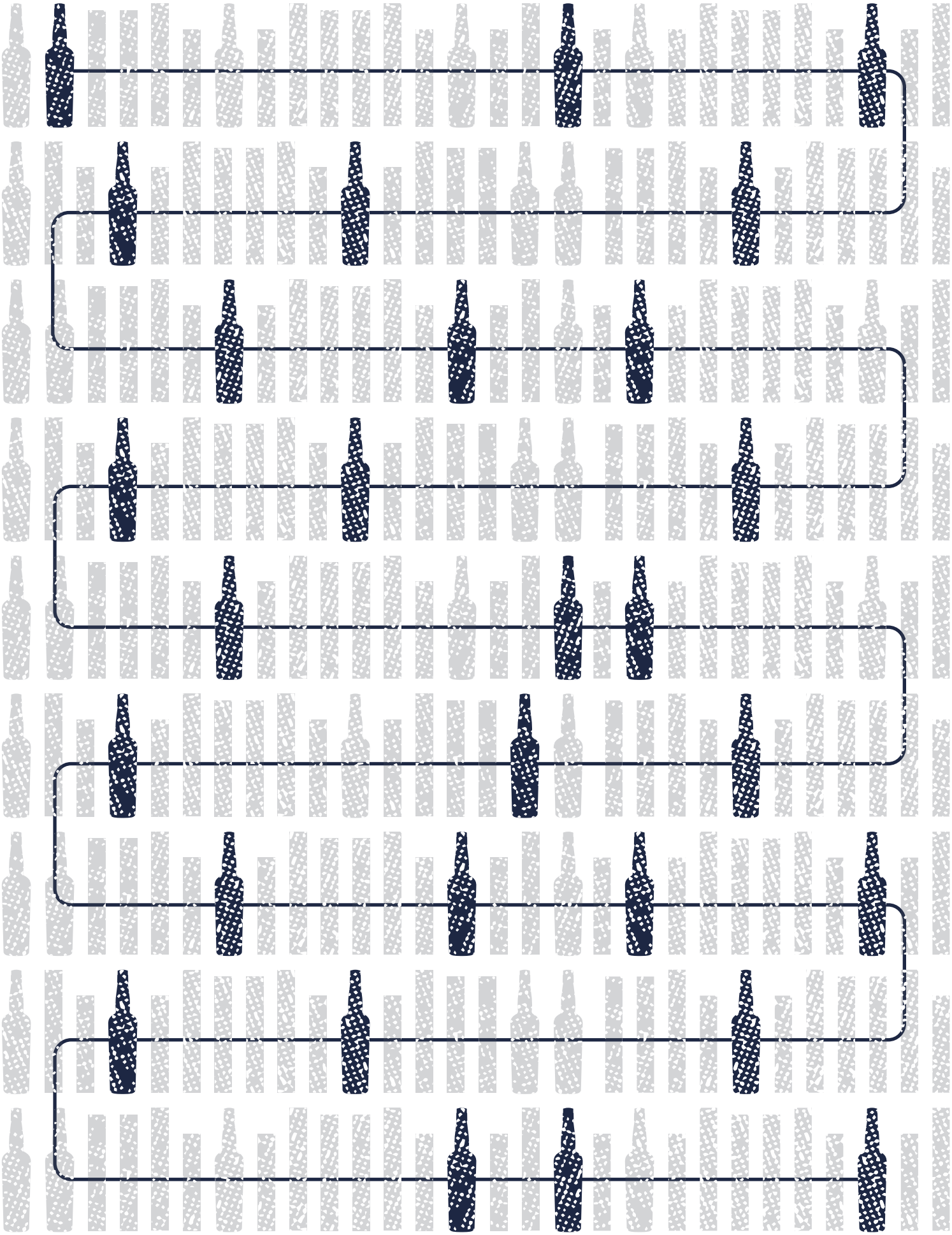

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HALL OF FAME

ONE OF OUR GREATEST HITS POURED TO ITS LAST DROP AND NOW RETIRED TO OUR HALL OF FAME

2018

BOTTLED-IN-BOND BOURBON (B) ($)

1/2 OZ 6

2 OZ 8

Release Date: August 2018

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Butterscotch rounding into fresh oak, with hints of vanilla and rye spice.

Palate: Broad, fulsome mouthfeel, leading to a sweeter vanilla accent, before a gathering of rye spices (clove, cinnamon, mint, dark berry) into the finish.

BOTTLED-IN-BOND RYE [R] ($)

1/2 OZ 6

2 OZ 8

Release Date: August 2018

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Spicy and detailed, showing mint, black pepper and vanilla with hints of orange and oak.

Palate: Cinnamon spice, vanilla and sweet toffee moving into a bold mouth feel with rich Rye spice, caramel and toasted oak. Complex flavors drink older than four-year-old.

2019

BALBOA RYE [R]

1 OZ 8

2 OZ 16

Release Date: November 2019

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 95% Heirloom Balboa Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof : 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Clean ripe oak, controlled and even. With time, develops waxy/honeyed (yet not sweet) fruits. Water yield colorful (black-blue-red skinned) rye fruits and spice.

Palate: Rounded and full-bodied, midpalate of spiced fruit compote.

2020

BACKSETTER BOURBON (B)

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: May 2020

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Rich oak at the forefront, before a smokiness develops alongside typical confection. It opens considerably with water, yielding a broad field of grain, roasty-nutty confection and rye spice amid a smoky, smoldering backdrop.

Palate: Remarkably soft-textured at entry, with the peat more immediate than in the nose. Juicy and zesty, it quickly develops a spicy rye top note at midpalate joined by smoke, oak, sweet corn and grassy rye. The finish pings between smoky peat and a peppery-clove rye note.

BACKSETTER RYE [R]

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: May 2020

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Considerable peat at the front, hinting at fruit and grassy rye. A splash of water detonates into a profound bouquet, as the peat retreats into stylish layers beneath a soaring top note of grassy rye and subtle cinnamon spice.

Palate: Medium-to full-bodied, rounded and chewy, again with quite a bit of peat, but it is a lovely peat at that, in fact absolutely gorgeous peat that Islay would be proud of. A midpalate of sugared fruit and cinnamon-allspice heads to a finish of wafting smoke, stylishly dovetailed with the rye spice.

MALTSTER MALTED WHEAT (B)

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: October 2020

Age Statement: 5 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 18% Floor Malted Wheat, 10% Unmalted Wheat, 7% Dark Wheat

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Darker grain-husk and bready notes, oaky, tending dry with a bit of confection;water bring hints of dark fruit.

Palate: Large-scaled & full-bodied, dryish and plenty of oak backed by grainy depth; that dark fruit (currant) appears in the mid-palate, party hidden by the oak; finishing with hints of wood spice, bread crust, grassy-grainy minerals.

WINTER WHISKEY (B)

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: November 2020

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 20% Malted Oats, 7% Pale Ale Malt, 5% Steel Cut Raw Oats, 3% Chocolate Malt

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Forward and well-oaked, emergent dark cocoa; water adds a melange of dry cocoa notes and a unique spicy quality.

Palate: Lovely dryness with a sweeter inner core, surprisingly delicate, and the dry cocoa jousts with oak and that unusual spice.

2021

RED TURKEY WHEAT (B)

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: November 2021

Age Statement: 5 years

Mash Bill: 70% Corn, 25% Red Turkey Wheat, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Gristy-grainy-bready with a balance of oak and confection, dark fruits and a top note of citrus emerge in time.

Palate: Chewy and remarkably zesty, even citrusy, with moments of dark stewed fruit, moderately sweet and well-balanced, black cherry skin into the finish.

6 YEAR MALTED RYE (R) ($)

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: May 2021

Age Statement: 6 years

Mash Bill: 100% Malted Rye

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Savory, floral fruit, powdered sugar, balanced oak and vanilla fruits (plum skin, pear), everything complex and layered.

Palate: Plum, rounded medium-full palate; finely dovetailed elegant spices; saltwater taffy, fruits, clove and an interesting toasty-malty note.

2022

SHERRY FINISHED MALTED RYE (R)

1 OZ 10

2 OZ 20

Release Date: May 2022

Age Statement: 6 years

Mash Bill: 100% Malted Rye finished in Oloroso and Pedro Ximenz Sherry Casks

Proof: 112.7 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Slow development of dark fruits, buttery sherry oak, walnut skin, lifted rye spice above it all with a touch of vanilla; splash of water yield multiple fruit tones.

Palate: Full-bodied and broad; savory, surprisingly dry entry leads to sappy sherry backed with malty grain ; well-integrated between sherry oak and grain character although it's wickedly friendly straight up, you can add water to emphasize sherry notes, or less water for more rye.

AROOSTOOK KENTUCKY-GROWN STRAIGHT MALTED RYE (R)

Release Date: October 2022

Age Statement: 6 years

Mash Bill: 100% Aroostook Kentucky Grown Malted Rye

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Opens with thick-cut fruit and vanilla confection, big and broad, quickly develops rye spices. Water turns it drier, husky, with the fruits again, and menthols.

Palate: Medium-full bodied, with dark fruits and grassy cereal rye with details of mint, clove and red fruit skin.

MALTSTER BOURBON WITH CRYSTAL MALT AND MALTED RYE R

Release Date: October 2022

Age Statement: 6 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 20% Malted Rye, 15% T50 Crystal Malt

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: So much toasty, husky toffee, quite forward and expressive, lovely emergent rye spice, cocoa nib, also rye notes of faint menthol, faint red fruits-dang, it is complicated. It relaxes with a splash of water, with more core maltiness, creamier toffee/dulce de leche/cocoa.

Palate: Drier than the nose might suggest, medium-full bodied, all that husky detail again, gentle rye spices leading up to the finish.

2023

SILVER GROVE BOURBON 2023 B

1 OZ 8

2 OZ 16

Release Date: April 2023

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 113.5 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: A large-scaled aroma of considerable depth offers considerable cinnamon, along with toasty vanilla oak; with water, develops wood spice, fruits, and faint spearmint.

Palate: Medium-full; notes of caramel, blue fruit, and nuanced/profound spices of clove and mace are framed in a lovely, rounded body, ending in a long, savory finish.

YELLOW LEAMING B

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: May 2023

Age Statement: 5 years

Mash Bill: 65% Heirloom Yellow Leaming Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Dense and deep, very typical of New Riff Bourbon.

Palate: Open, corn-forward, classic and aromatic, strong spice. Balanced, juicy finish.

BLUE CLARAGE B

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: May 2023

Age Statement: 5 years

Mash Bill: 65% Heirloom Blue Clarage Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Subtle spices of clove, faint root beer/sarsaparilla, caramelized citrus; and indeed a whiff of blue corn tortilla.

Palate: Long finish is savory, juicy, dry but rich.

SINGLE MALT 2023 S

1 OZ 10

2 OZ 20

Release Date: September 2023

Age Statement: 7 years

Mash Bill: 100% Malted Barley-5 Mashbills, 11 Barley Varieties, 6 cask types for aging

Proof: 113.9 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Broad, deep and heady, with many barrel notes (oaky, sherried oak, toast); with time, it develops rich malty fruit grains; a splash of water advances complicated grainy detail, showy grassy-mineral malt, dark fruit, cacao nibs, orange-lemon citrus, and a wish of smoke.

Palate: Straight-up, the oak is forward and layered (oloroso sherry, red wine, brandy, new oak), chewy texture, and drying but not tannic; with water, a strikingly juicy entry, bright fruit and citrus peel; it is dryish but not tannic and tinged with sweetening fruits a BIG Kentucky-style body, savory-soft thick-cut texture with red and dark fruit, cocoa powder, grassy-nutty malt, a shading of sherry oak and a suggestion of smoke.

HIGH NOTE 8 YEAR BOHEMIAN WHEAT B

1 OZ 11

2 OZ 22

Release Date: October 2023

Age Statement: 8 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 18% Floor Malted Wheat, 10% Unmalted Wheat, 7% Dark Wheat

Proof: 117.9 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Inspired by some of their favorite wheat beers, the distillers at New Riff created a Bavarian Dunkelweizen-style Bourbon mash bill, featuring floor-malted Bohemian wheat - the cornerstone of great wheat beer. Together with raw, unmalted wheat and a measure of roasted dark wheat, it creates a unique riff on one of the classic styles of Bourbon.

Palate: Honeyed dark fruits with a peppered, toasty-bready finish.

HIGH NOTE 8 YEAR MALTED RYE R

1 OZ 11

2 OZ 22

Release Date: October 2023

Age Statement: 8 years

Mash Bill: 100% Malted Rye

Proof: 118.2 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

100% Malted Rye whiskeys are still a rare thing in Kentucky and in American whiskey more generally. This whiskey is perhaps the oldest Kentucky Malted Rye ever bottled, it bears the unmistakable savor of a fully matured whiskey, crossed with the delicate spice of Malted Rye.

Palate: Wood-spiced stone fruits, dusted w/ cardamom, cedar and citrus zest.

2024

SILVER GROVE BOURBON 2024 B

1 OZ 8

2 OZ 16

Release Date: April 2024

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 116.2 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Dark red fruits and rye spice, rounding into aged oak, with hints of vanilla and cinnamon.

Palate: Deep, full mouthfeel, flowing briefly into dark brown sugars, then wood spices and tannins.

SILVER GROVE RYE 2024 R

1 OZ 8

2 OZ 16

Release Date: April 2024

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 116.4 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Plump, oily rye grains, huge mint, black pepper, with hints of citrus, caraway and oak.

Palate: Up front cinnamon spiciness, hint of vanilla and singed toffee. Delightfully aggressive, complex oak and rye flavors.

OL'NEW RIFF BOURBON B

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: May 2024

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 60% heirloom corn (Yellow Leaming and Blue Clarage), 26% heirloom Balboa rye, and 14% 2 Row malted barley

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Rich oak at the forefront, before a smokiness develops alongside typical confection. It opens considerably with water, yielding a broad field of grain, and rye spice amid a smoky, smoldering backdrop.

Palate: Remarkably soft-textured at entry. Juicy and zesty, it quickly develops a spicy rye top note at midpalate joined by smoke, oak, sweet corn and grassy rye.

OL'NEW RIFF RYE R

1 OZ 9

2 OZ 18

Release Date: May 2024

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 65% Balboa Heirloom Rye 20% Heirloom corn (Yellow Leaming and Blue Clarage) 15% two-row malted barley

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Fresh oak, muddled sweet mint with a touch of citrus, lightly roasted coffee.

Palate: Spicier oak, macerated darker fruits and berries.

HEADLINER BLEND

ONLY AVAILABLE IN FLIGHT:

- Decade in the Making
- 10 Year Anniversary

Release Date: July 2024

Age Statement/Mashbill:

45% 10 Year Old Bourbon Whiskey

20% 9 Year Old Bourbon Whiskey

30% 9 Year Old Rye Whiskey

5% 7 Year Old Single Malt Whiskey

Proof: 100 Proof

Bottled-In-Bond Without Chill Filtration

Since our founding in 2014 we've focused on making great whiskey as a vehicle for good. Our inaugural Headliner release exemplifies this mission - sampling our full distilling catalog to create a supergroup of whiskeys. 2024 Headliner is anchored by our first ever bourbon whiskey, now ten years old. Our 2024 release reflects our flagship bourbon mashbill, vatting together 65% Bourbon Whiskey, 30% Rye Whiskey and 5% Single Malt Whiskey. The resultant blend highlights a rich

balance of rye spice, warmth from the extra years in the barrel and touch of dark fruit. With proceeds from each bottle going to benefit three local organizations, the Brighton Center, Green Umbrella and the Horizon Community Fund, this is a blend worthy of top billing.

HIGH NOTE BISCUIT MALT RYE R

1 OZ 8

2 OZ 16

Release Date: October 2024

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 51% Rye, 26% Corn, 23% Weyermann Abbey Malt

Proof: 109.4 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Dank spicy pine, mint chocolate, honey.

Palate: Eucalyptus syrup, rich maltiness, cedar plank.

Finish: Super-zesty finish of rye spice, intensely dry.

SINGLE MALT 2024 S $

1 OZ 10

2 OZ 20

Release Date: October 2024

Age Statement: 7 years

Mash Bill: 100% Malted Barley-5 Mashbills, 11 Barley Varieties, 7 cask types for aging

Proof: 109.4 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Broad, deep and heady, with many barrel notes (oaky, sherried oak, toasty) with time, it develops rich malty fruity grains and cacao nibs.

Palate: Straight-up, the oak is forward and layered (oloroso sherry, red wine brandy, madeira, new oak) chewy texture, and drying but not tannic.

HIGH NOTE BALBOA SINGLE BARREL RYE R

1 OZ 11

2 OZ 22

Release Date: October 2024

Age Statement: 8 years

Mash Bill: 95% Heirloom Balboa Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 119.4 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Palate: Deep wood spice layered over balanced floral notes of hibiscus and lilac, finishing with a pleasant strawberry rhubarb bitterness.

8 YEAR BACKSETTER BOURBON B

1 OZ 11

2 OZ 22

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 117.8 Proof

This barrel proof expression of Backsetter Bourbon was released in support of local non-profit ArtsWaves. The unique artwork on the bottle was designed by local Cincinnati artist, Adoria Maxberry.

Since 1927, ArtsWave has been the engine for the arts in our region supporting 150+ arts organizations, projects, artists and festivals like BLINK, right here in Northern Kentucky and across the Cincinnati region.

Join New Riff by lifting a glass in support of ArtsWave. Scan the QR code to learn more and support the arts.

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2025

SILVER GROVE BOURBON 2025 B $

1 OZ 8

2 OZ 16

Release Date: April 2025

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 110.3 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Maple sugar, blackberries and rye bread, with lightly spiced oak and cinnamon.

Palate: Mouthful of honeyed dark fruits, a touch of brown sugar and baking spices.

SILVER GROVE RYE 2025 R $

1 OZ 8

2 OZ 16

Release Date: April 2025

Age Statement: 4 years

Mash Bill: 95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 110.2 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Fresh spearmint, raspberry jam and whipped butter, with hints of citrus, ginger bread.

Palate: Cloves and oak up front, sweet orange, anise, and tannic wood spice.

SINGLE MALT 2025 (S)

1 OZ **10**

2 OZ **20**

Release Date: May 2025

Age Statement: 7 years

Mash Bill: 100% Malted Barley-3 Mashbills, 6 Barley Varieties, 6 cask types for aging

Proof: 115.2 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Broad, deep and heady, with many barrel notes (oaky, sherried oak, toasty); with time, it develops rich malty fruity grains; a splash of water advances complicated grainy detail, showing grassy-mineral malt, dark fruit cacao nibs, orange-lemon citrus, all balanced with a generous layer of smoke.

Palate: Straight-up, the oak is forward and layered (oloroso sherry, red wine, Madeira, new oak), chewy texture, and drying but not tannic; with water, a strikingly juicy entry, bright fruit and citrus peel; it is dryish and tinged with sweetening fruits; a BIG Kentucky-style body, savory-soft thick-cut texture with red and dark fruit, cocoa powder, grassy-nutty malt, a shading of sherry oak and an introduction of warm smoke.

HIGH NOTE FIRST DECADE BOURBON (B)

1 OZ **12**

2 OZ **24**

Release Date: May 2024

Age Statement: 10 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 120.5 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Proof Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Cinnamon coffee cake and stewed fruits, subtle mint, cigar box and wood spice.

Palate: Think and juicy cherry cola, fruit leather, well structured with tannic rye and oak spice.

HIGH NOTE FIRST DECADE RYE [R]

1 OZ **12**

2 OZ **24**

Release Date: May 2025

Age Statement: 10 years

Mash Bill: 95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 120.5 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Proof Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Big spearmint, dark raspberries, root beer float, notes of spicy cinnamon.

Palate: Big body of mature oak with a sweet core, intense mid palate of juicy plums and spearmint.

HEADLINER 2025 [BLEND]

ONLY AVAILABLE IN FLIGHT:

- 2025 The Hits

Release Date: August 2025

Age Statement/Mashbill:

28% 11-year-old Corn Whiskey

27% 11-year-old Bourbon Whiskey

15% 10-year-old Balboa Rye Whiskey

15% 10-year-old Rye Whiskey

15% 8-year-old Aroostook Malted Rye Whiskey

Proof: 111 Proof

Bottled Without Chill Filtration

To celebrate 11 years of New Riff, we turned back to where it all began,blending our oldest whiskeys into a one-of-a-kind release that could only come from New Riff. Anchored by 11-year-old Corn Whiskey and 11-year-old Bourbon from our very first distillations, the blend is layered with bold, expressive ryes including Balboa, Aroostook Malted Rye, and our flagship Rye. Bottled at 111 proof Without Chill Filtration, it opens with the mellow sweetness of corn and finishes with the bold, spicy signature of Aroostook. Those who are familiar with each of these whiskeys will recognize their individual voices throughout the blend, each one adding its own character to this rich, complex pour that speaks to both our roots and our evolution.

We're proud to donate a portion of proceeds from each bottle sold to Brighton Center, supporting their mission to provide vital programs and services for individuals and families, helping our community grow and thrive.

HIGH NOTE KENTUCKY STRAIGHT [W] WHEATED WHISKEY – CONFLUENCE PROJECT VOL. 1

1 OZ **10**

2 OZ **20**

Release Date: October 2025

Age Statement: 6 years

Mash Bill: 60% Red Turkey Wheat, 24% Appalachian Malted Wheat, 8% Dark Malted Wheat, 8% Caramel Malted Wheat

Proof: 116.9-122.8 Proof

The Confluence Project is a collaborative series with Chattanooga Whiskey. Named for the meeting of two rivers, and in this case, two distilleries, this project begins with a single mashbill, shaped differently by each distillery's philosophy and style of whiskey making. For this inaugural release, both distilleries agreed on a 100% wheated mashbill before setting out to make the whiskey in their own distinct ways.

Each single barrel in this release delivers its own distinct flavor profile, showcasing the unique character of the barrel it came from. As a collection, this release generally presents a bold and layered experience.

2026

SILVER GROVE BOURBON 2026 (B) ($)

1 OZ **10**

2 OZ **18**

Release Date: March 2026

Age Statement: 6 Years Old

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 116.4 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Bright apple blossom and orchard fruits, layered with subtle hints of apple brandy and baked apple.

Palate: Medium-bodied and smooth, with flavors of apple fritter and candy apple leading into a subtle baking spice.

SILVER GROVE RYE 2026 [R] ($)

1 OZ **10**

2 OZ **18**

Release Date: March 2026

Age Statement: 6 Years Old

Mash Bill: 95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 115 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Candied orange with clove and cinnamon, bright and citrusy

with warming spice accents.

Palate: Creamy and layered, with clove studded orange, dark berries, and hints of toffee.

DUET AMERICAN WHISKEY [BLEND]

IN HARMONY WITH RHINEGEIST

1 OZ **10**

2 OZ **20**

Release Date: April 2026

Age Statement: 6 Years Old

Mash Bill: 57% Malted Barley, 37% Raw Barley, 6% Rye. Married together in a massive oak barrel (foeder) traditionally used for beer maturation and rebarreled into used American oak.

Proof: 111.2 Proof

Focusing on barley—the paramount grain in whiskey and beer production—this unique American Whiskey highlights the shared roots of Kentucky's rich distilling tradition and Cincinnati's storied brewing heritage. The majority of the blend was aged traditionally in new American oak barrels with select Spanish oloroso and pedro ximenez sherry casks being incorporated into the final blend. The final blend was then re-barreled into used American oak barrels, allowing the whiskey to harmonize and develop a deeper balance of flavor. DUET is a liquid testament to the delicious, convivial contributions of two Greater Cincinnati favorites.

SINGLE MALT 2026 (S) ($)

1 OZ **10**

2 OZ **20**

Release Date: May 2026

Age Statement: 7 years

Mash Bill: 100% Malted Barley-6 Mashbills, 12 Barley Varieties, 5 cask types for aging

Proof: 111.7 Proof

Bottled at Barrel Strength Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Broad, deep and heady, with many barrel notes (oaky, sherried oak, toasty); with time, it develops rich malty fruity grains; a splash of water advances complicated grainy detail, showing grassy-mineral malt, dark fruit, cacao nibs, orange-lemon citrus, all balanced with a generous layer of smoke.

Palate: Straight-up, the oak is forward and layered (Oloroso sherry, Pedro Jimenez, new oak), chewy texture, and drying but not tannic; with water, a strikingly juicy entry, bright fruit and citrus peel w/ chocolate covered cherries; it is dryish and tinged with sweetening fruits; a BIG Kentucky-style body, savory-soft thick-cut texture with red and dark fruit, cocoa powder, grassy-nutty malt, strawberry-mango fruit leather, a shading of sherry oak and an introduction of warm smoke.

AUXILIARY INDEX TIMELINE

NEW MAKE RYE [R]

1/2 OZ **6**

2 OZ **8**

Release Date: March 2014

Mash Bill: 95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 94 Proof

The unaged format of our Rye showcases the honest personality of the water, rye and malted rye used in distillation.

Nose: Remarkably forward and fruity-spicy.

KENTUCKY WILD GIN (G) ($)

1/2 OZ **6**

2 OZ **8**

Release Date: March 2014

Proof: 94 Proof

Copper Pot Distilled Without Chill Filtration

Twelve Botanicals are distilled right in the pot including local ingredients and a typical range of European Gin ingredients.

Nose: Classic gin botanicals with unique spicebush accents.

Palate: Spicy-dry botanical notes backed with Rye New Make richness.

BOURBON BARRELED WILD GIN G $

1/2 OZ 7

2 OZ 10

Release Date: November 2014

Proof: 94 Proof

Copper Pot Distilled Without Chill Filtration

Finished in dripping fresh New Riff Bourbon barrels for five to seven months

Nose: Spicebush and vanilla oak form a tantalizing duo, while wood spices tangle playfully with local juniper fruit and cinnamon-allspice heads to a finish of wafting smoke, stylishly dovetailed with the rye spice (Thai long black pepper, mineral, grain of paradise)

Palate: Supple-sweet and soft, subtle oak tannin serves to amplify the dryness from angelica; orange peel is a bit more prominent.

HIGH NOTE 10 YEAR BOURBON B

1 OZ 12

2 OZ 24

Release Date: June 2026

Age Statement: 10 years

Mash Bill: 65% Corn, 30% Rye, 5% Malted Barley

Proof: 116.9

Nose: Stewed orchard fruits layered with baking spice and seasoned, matured oak, lifted by subtle hints of citrus rind.

Palate: Rich and plump mouthfeel opening into mature oak and structured tannic rye spice, balanced by notes of dark cherry and honeyed peach.

HIGH NOTE 10 YEAR RYE R

1 OZ 12

2 OZ 24

Release Date: June 2026

Age Statement: 10 years

Mash Bill: 95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye

Proof: 118.8

Nose: Bright spearmint, ripe raspberry, and vivid lemon zest interwoven with layered clove spice throughout.

Palate: Juicy and expressive on the palate, with white pepper, and a grassy mineral character balanced by cooling notes of fresh mint.

HEADLINER 2026 BLEND

ONLY AVAILABLE IN FLIGHT:

- 2026 The Hits
- Headliner Flight

Release Date: July 2026

Age Statement: At least 10 Years Old

Mashbill:

50% 11 Year Old Bourbon made with Malted Rye
(65% Corn, 30% Malted Rye, 5% Malted Barley)

25% 11 Year Old Rye
(95% Rye, 5% Malted Rye)

25% 10 Year Old Balboa Rye
(95% Balboa Rye, 5% Malted Rye)

Proof: 118.8 Proof

Barrel Proof Without Chill Filtration

Nose: Rich oak layered with dark fruits and pine, followed by familiar New Riff clove, black pepper, and warm baking spice.

Palate: Rich and balanced, opening with fig, raisin, and honeyed currants before deep oak and dark spice gather across the midpalate.

For the first time ever, every whiskey in Headliner is at least 10 years old. This also marks our first 50/50 bourbon and rye blend, bringing together familiar fan favorites in a way that showcases the best of each whiskey while creating something entirely new. The result is a blend with depth, energy, and unmistakable presence. A whiskey that celebrates what we've believed from the beginning: the best whiskey doesn't ask permission, follow the crowd, or apologize for being different.

Every bottle gives back to Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Cincinnati and Tri-State Trails, keeping our community loud, vibrant, and moving forward.