

STARWARD



STARWARD UNEXPEATED

70CL | 48%

AUSTRALIAN SINGLE MALT WHISKY FINISHED IN PEATED CASKS

Starward Unexpeated is an Australian single malt whisky from the Starward Distillery in Melbourne that has been finished in casks that had previously held heavily peated whisky from Islay in Scotland. A delicate balance between floral and coastal, this is a whisky in which Australia and Scotland collide.

JUICY TROPICAL FRUITS, COASTAL BONFIRES, AND DARK CHOCOLATE

The whisky opens with notes of juicy tropical fruits including mangoes, pineapple and guava, along with rich coastal bonfires and dark chocolate. On the palate there is fresh raspberry and yellow peach with a distinct maritime character. The finish is long and drawn out with oaky spice, vanilla, and a touch of cracked black pepper.

FINISHED IN PEATED CASKS

Following its signature Starward maturation in Australian red wine barrels, Unexpeated is finished in barrels that had previously held heavily peated whisky from Islay, adding a distinct smoky character and bringing the northern and southern hemispheres together.

A DISTINCTLY AUSTRALIAN WHISKY

Starward was born out of a simple vision: to create a whisky that reflects Australia's unique character. All ingredients are sourced within a day's drive from the distillery; the barley comes from Victoria and South Australia and is malted in Geelong. Melbourne's notoriously variable climate also affects maturation, with temperature swings of up to 12.5°C in a day, ageing the whisky in 'Melbournian years.'

CREATED WITH INNOVATIVE PRODUCTION METHODS

Renowned for their innovation, Starward represents a new generation of whisky makers, with many of the production choices borrowed from craft brewing – brewer's yeast is used for complexity, and a darker malt is chosen to deliver more biscuity characteristics and a luscious mouthfeel.



BEST ENJOYED NEAT

Starward Unexpeated can be served neat or on the rocks to fully showcase the complexities of the two types of maturation. It also works well in classic cocktails like a Penicillin to show off its smoky credentials.


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