

Hello! It's finally February, Spring is quickly approaching as is.....

St. Patrick's Day!!!! Woohoooo!!!

Let's talk whiskey! This month I'm featuring Wilderness Trail Kentucky Whiskey!

This whiskey is made in Danville, Kentucky, just off the famous bourbon trail. This distillery was founded in 2006 by Shane Baker and Pat Heist. Both of whom are highly regarded in the distilling and fermentation business.

One fact that sets Wilderness Trail apart is how they do their mash. Most whiskeys use a "sour mash" process. Wilderness Trail uses an interesting process with "sweet mash". So, with a sour mash process, a previous batch of mash is used to ferment the base of the next batch. With a "sweet mash" process, a new fresh mash is used each time which results in a sweeter mash. Read that twice, cool huh!

Wilderness Trail whiskeys all have a somewhat high abv, so they tend to come across a little "hot". So, sweetness helps make a nice balance. Both the "rye" whiskeys I believe are considered "High Rye" so if you are a "rye" lover, those are for you.

These whiskeys are on special all month to club members at \$4 off a dram, the expressions run between \$19-\$37.

As you all know, **Whiskey Society membership is still open**, so if you have friends that want in, let them know now is the time to sign up!! Hope to see you down at the pub for a dram!!!!

<https://www.wildernesstraildistillery.com/en-us/>

**WILDERNESS TRAIL
YELLOW LABEL**

Notes
Nose: Soft. Acorn squash and sweet nuttiness, like amaretto. Cream soda, brown sugar, and maybe a mild clove note. Hint of mint in background with Honey Smacks.

Palate: Light-moderate mouthfeel with progressing oiliness. Caramel and Honey Smacks before caramel and butterscotch become more defined. Soft cherry and honey.

Finish: Short-medium and a touch grassy. Sweetened, honeyed cream with a touch of mint and vanilla.

Type
Straight Bourbon Whiskey

Distillery
Wilderness Trail

Location
Danville, KY

Mash Bill
64% Corn, 24% Wheat, 12% Malted Barley

ABV
50%

Age Statement
4 Years

Cost
\$59.99 MSRP

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Value
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