

## Craft Distillers Spirit Comp 2025

### Winners by Brand

| Company                             | Brand / Name                            | Category  | Award               | Score | Judge Comment  |
|-------------------------------------|---|---|---------------------|-------|--|
| <a href="#">Bacan Liquors, LLC</a>  | Bacan Guaro / Bacan Guaro<br>29%        | Guaro   | Best of Class       | 95    | Best of Class, Double Gold. Clean; fresh and hints of anise.           |
| Bacan Liquors, LLC                  | Bacan Guaro / Bacan Guaro<br>24%        | Guaro   | Silver              |       |  |
| <a href="#">disobedient spirits</a> | Disobedient Spirits / Liberty           | Small Batch Bourbon 10 years and younger, Ultra Premium | Gold                | 91    | Well made; layered; tobacco; oak; citrus peel.                         |
| disobedient spirits                 | Disobedient Spirits / Shagbark          | Flavored Whiskey, Premium                               | Bronze              |       |  |
| <a href="#">Blackhat Distillery</a> | Duelers / Duelers Midnight              | All Other Agave Spirits                                 | Best of Class       | 91    | Gold. Oak; tobacco; caramel finish; well balanced.                     |
| Blackhat Distillery                 | Duelers / Duelers Dark Double Oaked     | All Other Agave Spirits                                 | Silver              |       |  |
| <a href="#">Spirit of Gallo</a>     | Familia Camarena / Tequila Silver/Plato | Silver/Gold (Non-Aged) Tequila                          | <b>Best Tequila</b> | 94    | Best of Class; Gold. Traditional; clean finish, great in mixed drinks. |
| Spirit of Gallo                     | Familia Camarena / Tequila Anejo        | Anejo Tequila   | Silver              |       |  |
| Spirit of Gallo                     | Familia Camarena / Tequila Reposado     | Reposado Tequila  | Silver              |       |  |

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| <a href="#">Garrison Brothers</a> | Garrison Brothers / Garrison Brothers Cowboy 2024 | Small Batch Bourbon 10 years and younger, Luxury | <b>Best of the Best<br/>Best Whiskey</b> | 99 | Best of Class. Flavor; balanced; almond; caramel; vanilla; maple and fennel.   |
| Garrison Brothers                 | Garrison Brothers / Garrison Brothers HoneyDew    | Small Batch Bourbon 10 years and younger, Luxury | <b>Best Small Batch Bourbon</b>          | 98 | Best of Class, Double Gold. Yummy! Excellent sipper; craft productions; balanced.  |
| Garrison Brothers                 | Garrison Brothers / Garrison Brothers Guadalupe   | Small Batch Bourbon 10 years and younger, Luxury | Double Gold                              | 96 | Caramel; vanilla; light summertime drink.  |
| Garrison Brothers                 | Garrison Brothers / Garrison Brothers Sonora      | Small Batch Bourbon 10 years and younger, Luxury | Double Gold                              | 97 | Spices; caramel; yummy and delicious.  |
| Garrison Brothers                 | Garrison Brothers / Garrison Brothers Balmorhea   | Small Batch Bourbon 10 years and younger, Luxury | Gold                                     | 92 | Light; silky; butterscotch.  |
| Garrison Brothers                 | Garrison Brothers / Garrison Brothers Lady Bird   | Small Batch Bourbon 10 years and younger, Luxury | Gold                                     | 93 | Powerful; delicious; umami; savory.  |
| Garrison Brothers                 | Garrison Brothers / Garrison Brothers Small Batch | Small Batch Bourbon 10 years and younger, Luxury | Gold                                     | 91 | Delicious; earthy and savory.  |
| <a href="#">Spirit of Gallo</a>   | High Noon / Vodka Ice Tea Original                | Ready to Drink Vodka Base                        | <b>Best Ready to Drink</b>               | 94 | Best of Class, Gold. Fresh and clean taste. Smooth with good body, and subtle flavors citrus and spice. A spot on ice tea for grown ups. |
| Spirit of Gallo                   | High Noon / Vodka Peach Seltzer                   | Ready to Drink Vodka Base                        | Gold                                     | 92 | Taste like biting into a fresh peach. Refreshing and very well balanced. Makes you want more.  |

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| Spirit of Gallo                      | High Noon / Vodka Black Cherry Seltzer          | Ready to Drink Vodka Base                   | Gold                         | 91 | Bright and fruit forward. Great flavor and texture.                                |
| Spirit of Gallo                      | High Noon / Vodka Grapefruit Seltzer            | Ready to Drink Vodka Base                   | Silver                       |    |  |
| Spirit of Gallo                      | High Noon / Vodka Ice Tea Peach                 | Ready to Drink Vodka Base                   | Silver                       |    |  |
| Spirit of Gallo                      | High Noon / Vodka Watermelon Seltzer            | Ready to Drink Vodka Base                   | Silver                       |    |  |
| <a href="#">Jettywave Distillery</a> | Jettywave Distillery / Cold Plunge Martini      | Pre-mixed Cocktails of a minimum of 15% abv | Silver                       |    |  |
| <a href="#">Las Vegas Distillery</a> | Las Vegas Distillery / Coffee Liqueur           | Coffee Liqueur                              | <b>Best Liqueur</b>          | 97 | Best of Class, Double Gold. Fresh brewed, nice viscosity with a hint of sweetness. |
| Las Vegas Distillery                 | Las Vegas Distillery / Straight Bourbon Whiskey | Straight Bourbon, Ultra Premium             | <b>Best Straight Bourbon</b> | 97 | Best of Class, Double Gold. Leather; maple sugar and marzipan.                     |
| Las Vegas Distillery                 | Las Vegas Distillery / Gin                      | Gin, Distilled                              | Gold                         | 90 | Subtle sweetness and herbal.   |
| Las Vegas Distillery                 | Las Vegas Distillery / White Rum                | Rum White                                   | Silver                       |    |  |

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| <a href="#">Redwall Distillery</a>                        | Redwall Distillery / Redwall<br>Whiskey Rye Mash                         | American Straight Rye<br>Whiskey                              | <b>Best Straight Rye Whiskey</b> | 96 | Best of Class, Double Gold. Brilliant,<br>salted caramel candy. Savory Spices.        |
| Redwall Distillery  | Redwall Distillery / Redwall<br>Americn Single Malt<br>Whiskey           | Single Malt Whiskey, Luxury                                   | Silver                           |    |   |
| <a href="#">Burner Technology &amp;<br/>Research Inc.</a> | Sunshiner / White Rum  | Rum White   | Silver                           |    |   |
| <a href="#">Uncle Nearest Inc</a>                         | Uncle Nearest / Uncle<br>Nearest 1856 Premium<br>Aged Whiskey            | Tennessee Whiskey, Ultra<br>Premium                           | <b>Best Tennessee Whiskey</b>    | 96 | Best of Class, Double Gold. Sultry;<br>well made; long finish; nutmeg and<br>caramel. |
| Uncle Nearest Inc   | Uncle Nearest / Uncle<br>Nearest 1884 Small Batch<br>Whiskey             | Small Batch Bourbon 10<br>years and younger, Ultra<br>Premium | Double Gold                      | 97 | Delicious; orange spice; integrated<br>with citrus forward.                           |
| Uncle Nearest Inc   | Uncle Nearest / Nearest<br>Green Tennessee Whiskey                       | Tennessee Whiskey,<br>Premium                                 | Gold                             | 93 | Savory; earthy; licorice. Nice and<br>fresh.  |
| Uncle Nearest Inc   | Uncle Nearest / Uncle<br>Nearest Master Blend<br>Edition - BLEND NO: 072 | American Blended Whiskey,<br>Luxury                           | Gold                             | 92 | Richness; white spice; exotic.  |
| Uncle Nearest Inc   | Uncle Nearest / Uncle<br>Nearest Single Barrel<br>Whiskey - Batch 3633   | Tennessee Whiskey, Luxury                                     | Gold                             | 93 | Bold mouth feel; coriander; rich and<br>grain flavors.                                |
| Uncle Nearest Inc   | Uncle Nearest / Uncle<br>Nearest Cognac Cask-<br>Barrel 06               | Special Barrel Finished<br>Bourbon, Luxury                    | Silver                           |    |   |

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| Wolfsbane PTY LTD | Wolfsbane / White Fae  | Gin, London Dry | <b>Best Gin</b> | 94 | Best of Class; Gold. Cinnamon; floral;<br>sweet licorice finish; herbal. |
| Wolfsbane PTY LTD | Wolfsbane / Limoncello | Fruit Liqueur   | Silver          |    |  |