



LOCH LOMOND
SINGLE MALT SCOTCH WHISKY

THE OPEN SPECIAL EDITION 2026



OFFICIAL SPIRIT

THE 154TH OPEN, ROYAL BIRKDALE
ARGENTINIAN MALBEC CASK FINISH

Loch Lomond Whiskies: Offizieller Partner der „The Open“

The Open Championship – außerhalb Großbritanniens auch British Open genannt – ist das älteste noch ausgespielte Golfturnier der Welt. Hier wird die gesamte Produktpalette der Loch Lomond Whiskies präsentiert; daher auch der Name „The Spirit of The Open“.

Bekannt als „The Open“, ist die British Open die internationalste aller Profi-Golfmeisterschaften mit Qualifikationsturnieren auf fünf Kontinenten. Die Meisterschaft wird außerdem in 600 Millionen Haushalte in fast 200 Ländern übertragen.

THE OPEN



The Open Special Edition 2026, Argentinian Malbec Finish

This expression uses whisky only from the **unique straight neck stills** and is expertly crafted to create the signature fruit, honey and soft smoke style only found in Loch Lomond Single Malt Whisky. It is first matured in American Oak casks to build the signature with fruit, honey and soft smoke, then finished for 6 months in Argentinian Malbec casks to bring richer dark berries, vibrant red fruits and gentle spice.

Created by Master Blender Michael Henry to celebrate the partnership with The Open, golf's original Championship, the Open Special Edition 2026 is a tribute to the people, places and moments that make The Open exceptional. This Single Malt is non-chill filtered, to preserve its natural character.

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PREMIUM DESIGN &
PACKAGING

The 154th Open Royal Birkdale Special Edition

- **The new travel-poster design** celebrates the Spirit of Royal Birkdale – the joy, anticipation and celebration of fans coming together around the course for The Open.
- This Open Special Edition honours what the Championship means to Loch Lomond: a shared belief in people, place and moments that matter, and everyone who brings this iconic event to life.
- As The Spirit of The Open, Loch Lomond is proud to partner with the world's oldest and most prestigious golf championship, followed by fans worldwide.
- Only a distillery like Loch Lomond could craft a whisky of this style. The innovative Straight Neck stills and in-house cooperage give Loch Lomond complete control over flavour, from spirit character to cask quality.
- Created with Loch Lomond Ambassador Colin Montgomerie and Master Blender Michael Henry, this expression toasts the people, places and moments that make The Open special.
- Bottled at 46% ABV and non-chill filtered.

Tasting Notes

NOSE: Dark berries, redcurrant and citrus zest with vanilla, honey and soft malt.

TASTE: Blackberry, raspberry and peach syrup, layered with crisp apple, toffee sweetness and gentle spice. A subtle thread of smoke runs through the palate.

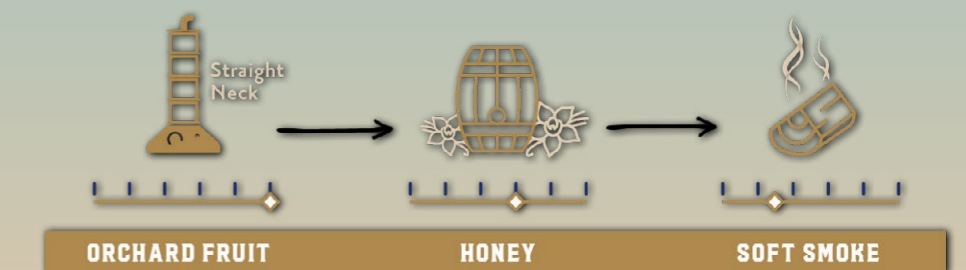
FINISH: Medium length with lingering berry sweetness, soft Oak spice and a light, smoky warmth.

Non-chill filtered 46% ABV



The Signature Style

Like the conductor of an orchestra, our Master Blender Michael Henry understands how to bring together flavours to create a dazzling dram. And, as any conductor or craftsmen, we have shaped our distilling style to be as identifiable as their own work. Through the distilling choices we make, our expressions always deliver fruit, honey and soft smoke. It's a style that's served us well, shaped by our history and is identifiable in every sip of our whiskies.





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