



# DISTILLED SPIRITS AWARDS

2025 RESULTS CATALOGUE

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201

EXHIBITS

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43

EXHIBITORS

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21

JUDGES

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7

STEWARDS

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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of the lands throughout Australia, from whom we learn, as we cultivate a greater connection of place and each other.

We pay respect to Elders past and present.

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## OUR MISSION TO SHOWCASE THE VERY BEST OF OUR HOMEGROWN SPIRITS, LIQUEURS AND BITTERS.

The Perth Royal Distilled Spirits Awards were established in 2019 to showcase the very best of our homegrown spirits, liqueurs and bitters. Australia's finest distilleries are invited to take part in their respective categories to celebrate the craftsmanship, skill and hard work behind every bottle. competition and wishes them every success in the future.

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## BILL LARK

Chief Judge

Together with his wife Lyn, in May of 1992, Bill Lark established Lark Distillery. Bill was also a founding member of the Australian Distillers Association and the Tasmanian Whisky producers Association. In 2008 he was a founding Director of Starward Distillery (Victoria Valley Distillery) and a few years later in 2012, Bill co-founded Old Kempton Distillery.

During 2013 he was named 'Ministers Champion' at the Tasmanian Tourism Awards and 2014 saw Lark Distillery awarded both the Telstra Tasmanian and Australian Small Business of the Year. 2015 was a big year for Bill who was personally awarded the Hospitality Ministers Award for Excellence for his 'Contribution to the Industry'. That same year, Bill became inductee no. 28 into the World Whisky Hall of Fame in the UK making him the first Australian Inductee.

Bill has previously been involved in the judging of several Australian Spirit Awards and in February 2019, was appointed Head Judge of the inaugural Australian Gin Awards and Head Judge for the Tasting Australia Spirit Awards in South Australia. Currently, Bill is engaged as the Global brand Ambassador for Lark Distilling co.





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## POINTS FOR AWARDS

Colour / Appearance	10
Nose	20
Palate	40
Balance	10
Finish	20
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>100</b>

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## POINTS ALLOCATIONS

### **Gold**

#### **90.0 + points**

An outstanding exhibit that displays the correct balance of taste, aroma and appearance appropriate for the style, and excellent technical merit.

### **Silver**

#### **82.0 – 89.9 points**

An excellent exhibit that displays the correct balance of taste, aroma and appearance appropriate for the style, and a high level of technical merit.

### **Bronze**

#### **74.0 – 81.9 points**

A quality exhibit with the correct balance of taste, aroma and appearance appropriate for the style, and the absence of major faults.



# Special Awards



CHAMPION DISTILLERY

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**Old Young's**

Henley Brook, WA



**Flying Foam**

BEST NEW EXHIBITOR

**Flying Foam**

Jolimont, WA

**ST AGNES**

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**DISTILLERY**

CHAMPION SPIRIT

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**St Agnes Distillery**

**St Agnes XO 15**

Renmark, SA

# Champions



CHAMPION VODKA  
**Old Young's  
Smoked Vodka**  
Henley Brook, WA



CHAMPION GIN  
**Variations Distillery  
Premium Gin**  
Pinjarra, WA



CHAMPION WHISKEY  
**Woodlands Distillery  
Single Malt Single Cask**  
Porongurup, WA



CHAMPION RUM  
**Urban Jungle Spirits Co  
White Rum**  
Jolimont, WA



CHAMPION BRANDY  
**St Agnes Distillery  
St Agnes XO 15**  
Renmark, SA



CHAMPION  
ALTERNATIVE SPIRIT  
**Little Stiller Distillery  
Coffee Vodka**  
Mandurah, WA



CHAMPION LIQUEUR  
**Sin Gin Distillery  
Sloe Gin 2023**  
Leederville, WA



CHAMPION READY TO DRINK  
**Matso's Broome & Sunshine Coast  
Matso's Vodka Lemon Lime Crush**  
Palmyra, WA



## RESULTS

Award	Exhibitor	Commercial Name	Suburb	State
<b>VODKA</b>				
<b>Class 1 - Pure</b>				
Gold	Flying Foam	Hesperia Pure Vodka	Jolimont	WA
Gold	Mahogany Inn and Distillery	Spirits of Mahogany Joe's Jump	Mahogany Creek	WA
Gold	Lizard Dragon Distillers	Lizard Dragon Vodka	Clarkson	WA
Gold	Vod-E	Vod-E	Doubleview	WA
Silver	Banks and Bloom	Ice Vodka	Wangara	WA
Silver	Banks and Bloom	Flux Vodka	Wangara	WA
Silver	HHH Spirits	Hhh Vodka	Bickley	WA
Silver	Little Stiller Distillery	Signature Vodka	Mandurah	WA
Silver	Old Young's	Old Young's Pure No 1	Henley Brook	WA
Silver	Urban Jungle Spirits Co	Urban Jungle Spirits Co Vodka	Jolimont	WA
Silver	White Light Beverages	White Light Vodka Original	Prahran East	VIC
Bronze	Flying Foam	Moresby Range Pure Vodka	Jolimont	WA
Bronze	StoneBarrel	Tattarang Springs Australian Grain Vodka	Perth	WA
<b>Class 2 - Flavour Distilled</b>				
Silver	Esperance Distillery Co	Coastal Vodka	Esperance	WA
Silver	Fine & Dandy Drinks	Lychee + Lemongrass Vodka	Beaconsfield	WA
Silver	Spirit of Little Things	Yuzu Vodka	Cottesloe	WA
Bronze	Melaleuka Farm Merchants	Tipsy Cow Vodka	Piara Waters	WA
<b>Class 3 - Flavour Infused</b>				
Gold	Old Young's	Old Young's Smoked Vodka	Henley Brook	WA
Silver	Fine & Dandy Drinks	Mandarin Vodka	Beaconsfield	WA
Silver	Old Young's	Old Young's Pavlova Vodka	Henley Brook	WA
Bronze	Melaleuka Farm Merchants	Written Warning Vodka	Piara Waters	WA
<b>Class 4 - Contemporary</b>				
Silver	Spirit of Little Things	Signature Vodka	Cottesloe	WA
Bronze	Beelu Forest Distilling Company	Saprock Vodka	Mundaring	WA
<b>GIN</b>				
<b>Class 5 - London Dry</b>				
Gold	Sin Gin Distillery	Greed	Leederville	WA
Gold	StoneBarrel	Tattarang Springs Botanical Gin	Perth	WA
Gold	Variations Distillery	Variations Distillery Premium Gin	Pinjarra	WA
Silver	Australian Distilling	Gingin Gin	Henley Brook	WA
Silver	Ningaloo Distillery	Ningaloo Gin	Exmouth	WA
Silver	Old Young's	Juniper Society Halloween Harvest	Henley Brook	WA
Silver	Lizard Dragon Distillers	Utopia	Clarkson	WA
Silver	Urban Jungle Spirits Co	Urban Jungle Spirits Co Gin	Jolimont	WA
Silver	White Light Beverages	Triple G Gin	Prahran East	VIC
Bronze	Flying Foam	Hesperia Gin	Jolimont	WA
Bronze	Old Young's	Old Young's 1829 Gin	Henley Brook	WA

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Award	Exhibitor	Commercial Name	Suburb	State
Bronze	Sin Gin Distillery	Gluttony	Leederville	WA
Bronze	St Agnes Distillery	Blind Tiger Organic Rare Dry Gin	Renmark	SA
Bronze	StoneBarrel	Tattarang Springs Australian Dry Gin	Perth	WA
Bronze	Wild Lot Distillery	Fortuna	Karridale	WA
<b>Class 7 - Navy Strength/ Distillers Cut</b>				
Gold	Little Stiller Distillery	Saint Marie	Mandurah	WA
Gold	St Agnes Distillery	Blind Tiger Navy Strength Gin	Renmark	SA
Silver	Old Young's	Old Young's Common Gin	Henley Brook	WA
Silver	Sin Gin Distillery	Mutiny	Leederville	WA
Silver	Spirit of Little Things	Navy Gin	Cottesloe	WA
Silver	Lizard Dragon Distillers	Tanami	Clarkson	WA
Bronze	Ningaloo Distillery	Ningaloo Gin Navy	Exmouth	WA
Bronze	Wandering Distillery	Wandering Distillery Naval Gazing Gin	O'connor	WA
<b>Class 8 - Contemporary</b>				
Gold	Old Young's	Juniper Society Fiesta	Henley Brook	WA
Gold	Old Young's	Juniper Society Tropical Heatwave	Henley Brook	WA
Gold	Old Young's	Juniper Society Serenity	Henley Brook	WA
Gold	The Packing Shed Distilling Co.	Garden Party Floral Gin	Bickley	WA
Gold	Lizard Dragon Distillers	Ellery	Clarkson	WA
Silver	Banks and Bloom	Signature Gin	Wangara	WA
Silver	Banks and Bloom	Flux Gin	Wangara	WA
Silver	Black Cockatoo Distillery	Signature Gin	Nedlands	WA
Silver	Blackwood Valley Distillery	Grounded Gin	Samson	WA
Silver	Blackwood Valley Distillery	Cripps Pink Gin	Samson	WA
Silver	Carmel Distillery	Hills Dry Gin	Kalamunda	WA
Silver	Little Stiller Distillery	Signature Gin	Mandurah	WA
Silver	Little Stiller Distillery	Pink Gin	Mandurah	WA
Silver	Old Young's	Juniper Society Nectar	Henley Brook	WA
Silver	Old Young's	Juniper Society Pine And Dandy	Henley Brook	WA
Silver	Sin Gin Distillery	Original Sin	Leederville	WA
Silver	Sin Gin Distillery	Perth Pink	Leederville	WA
Silver	Spirit of Little Things	Signature Gin	Cottesloe	WA
Silver	Spirit of Little Things	Australian Botanical Gin	Cottesloe	WA
Silver	Spirit of Little Things	Chardonnay Gin	Cottesloe	WA
Silver	Wandering Distillery	Wandering Distillery Rosemary Gin	O'connor	WA
Silver	Wandering Distillery	Wandering Distillery Signature Gin	O'connor	WA
Silver	Wandering Distillery	Wandering Distillery Odyssey Gin	O'connor	WA
Silver	Wandering Distillery	Wandering Distillery Miss Mi Gin	O'connor	WA
Bronze	Beyond Distilling	Beyond Distilling X17 Gin	Cowaramup	WA
Bronze	Beyond Distilling	Beyond Distilling Citrus Bomb	Cowaramup	WA
Bronze	Damaged Goods Distilling Co.	Final Squeeze Citrus Gin	Herne Hill	WA
Bronze	Little Stiller Distillery	Peach Gin	Mandurah	WA
Bronze	Mahogany Inn and Distillery	Spirits Of Mahogany New World Gin	Mahogany Creek	WA
		Settler's Sin		

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Award	Exhibitor	Commercial Name	Suburb	State
Bronze	Old Young's	Juniper Society Dirty	Henley Brook	WA
Bronze	Old Young's	Juniper Society Green	Henley Brook	WA
Bronze	Old Young's	Juniper Society Berrylicious	Henley Brook	WA
Bronze	Sin Gin Distillery	Wrath	Leederville	WA
Bronze	Sin Gin Distillery	Lust	Leederville	WA
Bronze	Spirit of Little Things	Australian Dry	Cottesloe	WA
Bronze	StoneBarrel	Tattarang Springs Australian Citrus Gin	Perth	WA
Bronze	The Packing Shed Distilling Co.	Lawnbrook Citrus Gin	Bickley	WA
Bronze	Lizard Dragon Distillers	Oldman Saltbush	Clarkson	WA
Bronze	Wandering Distillery	Wandering Distillery Nomad Gin	O'Connor	WA
<b>Class 9 - Barrel Aged</b>				
Silver	Old Young's	Old Young's Old B.a.g	Henley Brook	WA
Bronze	Blackwood Valley Distillery	Whisky Barrel Gin	Samson	WA
Bronze	Old Young's	Juniper Society New Holland Genever	Henley Brook	WA
Bronze	Wild Lot Distillery	Oak & Dagger	Karridale	WA
<b>Class 10 - Fruit Flavoured</b>				
Gold	St Agnes Distillery	Blind Tiger Mandarin Gin	Renmark	SA
Silver	Variations Distillery	Variations Distillery Rose Gin	Pinjarra	WA
Bronze	30 Knots Spirits	30 Knots Sloe Gin	Wandina	WA
Bronze	Fine & Dandy Drinks	Berry Gin	Beaconsfield	WA
Bronze	Ningaloo Distillery	Ningaloo Gin Raspberry	Exmouth	WA
Bronze	Spirit of Little Things	Blood Orange Gin	Cottesloe	WA
Bronze	Spirit of Little Things	Pinot Noir Gin	Cottesloe	WA
Bronze	Thieves Collection	Running With Thieves Botanical Gin	Fremantle	WA
<b>Class 11 - Other</b>				
Gold	Flying Foam	Hesperia Botanical Gin	Jolimont	WA
Silver	Flying Foam	Moresby Range Botanical Gin	Jolimont	WA
Silver	Old Young's	Juniper Society F*ck That's Fancy	Henley Brook	WA

### WHISKY

#### Class 12 - Single Malt

Gold	St Agnes Distillery	Camborne Single Malt Shiraz Cask	Renmark	SA
Silver	HHH Spirits	Single Malt Whisky	Bickley	WA
Silver	St Agnes Distillery	Camborne Single Malt Apera Cask	Renmark	SA
Silver	Thieves Collection	Gold Edition Whisky	Fremantle	WA
Silver	Whipper Snapper Distillery	Whipper Snapper Single Malt	East Perth	WA
Bronze	Carmel Distillery	Tokatoka	Kalamunda	WA
Bronze	St Agnes Distillery	Camborne Single Malt Tawny Cask	Renmark	SA
Bronze	StoneBarrel	Tattarang Springs Single Malt Tequila Cask Whisky	Perth	WA
Bronze	Woodlands Distillery	Single Malt	Porongurup	WA

## RESULTS

Award	Exhibitor	Commercial Name	Suburb	State
<b>Class 13 - Blended</b>				
Silver	Whipper Snapper Distillery	Upshot Bandit	East Perth	WA
<b>Class 14 - Single Barrel or Cask</b>				
Gold	Whipper Snapper Distillery	Upshot	East Perth	WA
Gold	Woodlands Distillery	Single Malt Single Cask	Porongurup	WA
Silver	Hunter Island Distillery	Hunter Island Tasmanian Pot Still Whisky	Hobart	TAS
Silver	Whipper Snapper Distillery	Whipper Snapper Wheat	East Perth	WA
Silver	Whipper Snapper Distillery	Upshot Rainbow Corn	East Perth	WA
Bronze	Whipper Snapper Distillery	Whipper Snapper Rye	East Perth	WA
<b>Class 15 - Peated</b>				
Bronze	St Agnes Distillery	Camborne Single Malt Peated Cask	Renmark	SA
<b>Class 16 - Cask Strength</b>				
Silver	Whipper Snapper Distillery	Upshot Cask Strength	East Perth	WA
<b>Class 17 - Other</b>				
Silver	Thieves Collection	Gold Edition Bourbon Style	Fremantle	WA
Silver	Woodlands Distillery	Wheat Whisky	Porongurup	WA
Bronze	Whipper Snapper Distillery	Project Q	East Perth	WA
<b>RUM</b>				
<b>Class 19 - Dark/Gold - Under Proof</b>				
Silver	Roaring Forties Distillers	Red Tail Rum	Forest Grove	WA
Silver	Whipper Snapper Distillery	West Coast Rum	East Perth	WA
Bronze	30 Knots Spirits	30 Knots Rum	Wandina	WA
Bronze	Thieves Collection	Distiller's Reserve	Fremantle	WA
<b>Class 20 - Spiced/Flavoured</b>				
Silver	Roaring Forties Distillers	Red Tail Spiced Rum	Forest Grove	WA
<b>Class 21 - White Rum</b>				
Gold	Urban Jungle Spirits Co	Urban Jungle Spirits Co White Rum	Jolimont	WA
<b>BRANDY</b>				
<b>Class 24 - Grape Brandy - 2 - 5 years</b>				
Bronze	St Agnes Distillery	St Agnes Vs	Renmark	SA
<b>Class 25 - Grape Brandy - Over 5 years</b>				
Gold	St Agnes Distillery	St Agnes XO 15	Renmark	SA
Bronze	St Agnes Distillery	St Agnes Bartenders Cut	Renmark	SA

## RESULTS

Award	Exhibitor	Commercial Name	Suburb	State
<b>ALTERNATIVE SPIRITS</b>				
<b>Class 27 - Aquavit</b>				
Silver	Sin Gin Distillery	Aquavit	Leederville	WA
<b>Class 30 - New Contemporary/Other</b>				
Gold	Esperance Distillery Co	Wagtail Aniseed Spirit	Esperance	WA
Gold	Little Stiller Distillery	Coffee Vodka	Mandurah	WA
<b>LIQUEURS</b>				
<b>Class 31 - Fruit Liqueurs</b>				
Gold	Esperance Distillery Co	Naked Limoncello	Esperance	WA
Gold	Sin Gin Distillery	Sloe Gin 2023	Leederville	WA
Gold	Spirit of Little Things	Yuzucello	Cottesloe	WA
Silver	Beelu Forest Distilling Company	Saprock Limoncello	Mundaring	WA
Silver	Beyond Distilling	Myles Beach Limoncello	Cowaramup	WA
Silver	Black Cockatoo Distillery	Mandarin Gin Liqueur	Nedlands	WA
Silver	Carmel Cider Company	Limoncello	Carmel	WA
Silver	Sin Gin Distillery	Lemon Gincello	Leederville	WA
Silver	Spirit of Little Things	Limoncello	Cottesloe	WA
Silver	Swan River Distilling	Swan River Distillery Orangecello	Ascot	WA
Silver	The Packing Shed Distilling Co.	Limoncello	Bickley	WA
Bronze	Blackwood Valley Distillery	Apple Liqueur	Samson	WA
Bronze	Blackwood Valley Distillery	Limoncello	Samson	WA
Bronze	StoneBarrel	Tattarang Springs Limoncello	Perth	WA
Bronze	Swan River Distilling	Swan River Distillery Sloe Gin	Ascot	WA
<b>Class 35 - Coffee Liqueurs</b>				
Silver	Sin Gin Distillery	Coffee Gincello	Leederville	WA
Silver	Wild Lot Distillery	Alter Ego	Karridale	WA
Bronze	Spirit of Little Things	The Hugo Coffee Liqueur	Cottesloe	WA
<b>Class 36 - Other Liqueurs</b>				
Gold	Damaged Goods Distilling Co.	Smashed Apple Aperitivo	Herne Hill	WA
Silver	Sin Gin Distillery	Rosella Gincello	Leederville	WA
Bronze	Blackwood Valley Distillery	Chestnut Liqueur	Samson	WA
<b>READY TO DRINK</b>				
<b>Class 37 - RTD - Low Sugars</b>				
Silver	Matso's Broome & Sunshine Coast	Matso's Low Sugar Ginger Beer	Palmyra	WA
Bronze	Esperance Distillery Co	Watermelon & Waxflower Seltzer	Esperance	WA
<b>Class 38 - RTD - White Spirits</b>				
Gold	Matso's Broome & Sunshine Coast	Matso's Vodka Lemon Lime Crush	Palmyra	WA
Silver	30 Knots Spirits	30 Knots Southerly Gin & Tonic	Wandina	WA

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<b>Award</b>	<b>Exhibitor</b>	<b>Commercial Name</b>	<b>Suburb</b>	<b>State</b>
<b>Class 39 - RTD - Dark Spirits</b>				
Gold	30 Knots Spirits	30 Knots Spiced Dark & Stormy	Wandina	WA
<b>Class 40 - RTD - Cocktails</b>				
Bronze	Matso's Broome & Sunshine Coast	Matso's Nightlife Rum & Lime Ginger Beer	Palmyra	WA
Bronze	Matso's Broome & Sunshine Coast	Matso's Nightlife Strong Ginger Beer	Palmyra	WA
Bronze	Matso's Broome & Sunshine Coast	Matso's Nightlife Vodka Mint Lime & Ginger Beer	Palmyra	WA
Bronze	Matso's Broome & Sunshine Coast	Matso's Chili & Lime Ginger Beer	Palmyra	WA



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