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# Glenglassaugh Sandend Single Malt Bourbon, sherry and Manzanilla Casks 50.5% ABV, NAS

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**Nose:** We're met with delightful notes of buttery fudge, vanilla ice cream, candied mango, and salted papaya.

**Palate:** Tablet, mango, and toasted vanilla trickle throughout, backed by boiled pineapple sweeties and creamy barley.

**Finish:** Grapefruit and juicy berries, more vanilla and butterscotch, and a distant coastal breeze.

**Color:** Pale Yellow Yellow Summer Gold Green-Gold Bronze Amber Mahogany

**Nose:** Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

**Palate:** Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Balanced  
Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy  
Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 78

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: J Gray

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**Nose:** Waves of coastal character with sweet layers of tropical fruit and herbaceous peat, toffee, milk chocolate, and sweet soy sauce.

**Palate:** Chocolatey malt supports grilled pineapple and treacle toffee, while that sticky soy and smoky peat tangle beneath.

**Finish:** Maritime peat smoke drifts softly alongside peppery oak, stewed berries, charred tropical fruits, and rich oak. Seaweed, salted liquorice, and dark chocolate-coated salted almonds linger.

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Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

dry cranberries

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 85

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Score: 04

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Jim

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Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 87

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Jim

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Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

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Score: 88

Notes: MAYBE serve AFTER dinner  
with dessert.

Name: Mick T. Moore

Meeting Date: 7/20/2024

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Score: 87

Notes: I would Buy this

Name: Mark T. Moore

Meeting Date: 7/20/24

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Peat Crest?

**Palate:** Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Balanced  
Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy  
Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

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Score: 82

Notes: Gets your attention, needs work to tone down alcohol

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**Nose:** Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat *chocolate*

**Palate:** Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Balanced

Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 86

Notes: Quite delicate. Catchy oak system.

Name: Frank

*\$173.99 per 250 ml*



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May be  
\$50-60

# Glenglassaugh Portsoy Single Malt

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Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 84

Notes: Opens up Nicely with a little H<sub>2</sub>O.  
Not the smoothest, but drinkable

Name: Richard Nail

Meeting Date: 7/20/24

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# Glenglassaugh Sandend Single Malt

## Bourbon, sherry and Manzanilla Casks 50.5% ABV, NAS

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**Finish:** Grapefruit and juicy berries, more vanilla and butterscotch, and a distant coastal breeze.

**Color:** Pale Yellow Yellow Summer Gold Green-Gold Bronze Amber Mahogany

**Nose:** Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

**Palate:** Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Balanced  
 Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy  
 Alive Balanced <sup>with H<sub>2</sub>O</sup> Abrasive Assertive <sup>with H<sub>2</sub>O</sup> Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling <sup>Bit not with H<sub>2</sub>O</sup> Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 80

Notes: Much More Balanced + Flavorful  
with a little alcohol

Name: RICHARD NAIL

Meeting Date: 7/20/24

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# Glenglassaugh Sandend Single Malt Bourbon, sherry and Manzanilla Casks 50.5% ABV, NAS

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Peat ↑ Alcohol

**Palate:** Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Balanced  
Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy  
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**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 83

Notes: Better w/ H<sub>2</sub>O but not good enough for me.

Name: Jeff Roy

Meeting Date: 7/20/2024

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Score: 85

Notes: Typical High Alcohol experience, but good qualities emerge with a little H2O

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Peat Caramel

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Name: Mike

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Peat

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Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Soft  
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Score: ~~78~~ 79

Notes: not much distinction hard to identify

Name: DON WARD

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Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 84

Notes: A BIT TOO MUCH PEAT, CHOCOLATE

Name: DON WARD

NOT SO BAD, BUT I JUST WANT ONE & DONE



Meeting Date: 7/20/24

## Glenglassaugh Sandend Single Malt Bourbon, sherry and Manzanilla Casks 50.5% ABV, NAS

After laying silent for over two decades, the Glenglassaugh stills were fired back up in 2008, and in 2023, a brand new core range is ready! The distillery sits on the rugged north Aberdeenshire coast, nestled behind the beautiful surfer's haven, Sandend Bay. Master blender Rachel Barrie has fond childhood memories of time spent at Sandend and even learned to surf there, and now the bay is honoured in the form of this unpeated single malt. Matured in a combo of bourbon, sherry, and manzanilla casks, it's bursting with notes of tropical fruit and tablet, with delicate coastal salinity in the distance.

**Nose:** We're met with delightful notes of buttery fudge, vanilla ice cream, candied mango, and salted papaya.

**Palate:** Tablet, mango, and toasted vanilla trickle throughout, backed by boiled pineapple sweeties and creamy barley.

**Finish:** Grapefruit and juicy berries, more vanilla and butterscotch, and a distant coastal breeze.

**Color:** Pale Yellow Yellow Summer Gold Green-Gold Bronze Amber Mahogany

**Nose:** Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

**Palate:** Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Balanced  
Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy  
Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: 80

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Rachel Lockard

Meeting Date: 7/20/2024

## Glenglassaugh Portsoy Single Malt Sherry, Bourbon and Port Casks. NAS. 49.1% ABV

After two decades of silence, the Glenglassaugh distillery reawoke in 2008, and now it's time to discover a brand new single malt, produced under the expert direction of master blender Rachel Barrie. Portsoy is a richly peated single malt, named after the coastal distillery's neighbouring harbour village. Matured in a selection of sherry, bourbon, and Port casks, it boasts a satisfyingly smoky, maritime character with waves of tropical fruit, salted liquorice, sticky soy, and chocolate.

**Nose:** Waves of coastal character with sweet layers of tropical fruit and herbaceous peat, toffee, milk chocolate, and sweet soy sauce.

**Palate:** Chocolatey malt supports grilled pineapple and treacle toffee, while that sticky soy and smoky peat tangle beneath.

**Finish:** Maritime peat smoke drifts softly alongside peppery oak, stewed berries, charred tropical fruits, and rich oak. Seaweed, salted liquorice, and dark chocolate-coated salted almonds linger.

**Color:** Pale Yellow Yellow Gold Greeny-Gold Bronze Deep Amber Mahogany

**Nose:** Floral Citrus Grass Honey Coconut Malty Oak Nutty Molasses Sherry Sweet Smoky Pungent Sea Air Peat

**Palate:** Woody Zesty Vanilla Oily Peppery Raisins Intense Grassy Caramel Berries Balanced

Chocolate Floral Citrus Honey Coconut Nutty Sherry Sweet Smoky Malty Peat Rich/Earthy Salty

Alive Balanced Abrasive Assertive Delicate Bland

**Body:** Light Medium Full Smooth Rich Creamy Textured Big Crisp Mouth-coating Silky Velvet

**Finish:** Short Medium Long Abrupt Bitter Intense Tingling Robust Oaky Crisp Delicate

**Length of finish (minutes):** 1 1.5 2 2.5 3 3.5 4 4.5 5

Score: ↓

Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Rick Harker

Smoky