



BOURBON

Bourbon is a category of spirit that has exploded in variety and availability in Alberta liquor stores. Loaded with complex notes of spice, vanilla, dried fruits and nuts, and a whiff of corn silk, this spirit is as versatile as it is popular. From entry level labels to top shelf rarities, there should be a bottle or two of this American classic in every home bar. *Bruce Soley*

**BEST
IN
CLASS**



**KENTUCKY
OWL WISEMAN
BOURBON**
United States
\$72-78
CSPC 866269



JUDGES SELECTION



**Leopold
Bros 5 Year
Old Straight
Bourbon
Whiskey**
United States
\$111-120
CSPC 868326



**Buffalo Trace
Kentucky
Bourbon**
United States
\$42-48
CSPC 714233



**Brother's
Bond Straight
Bourbon**
United States
\$85-95
CSPC 873258



**Rebecca Creek
Bottled in Bond
Bourbon**
United States
\$105-115
CSPC 891083



BRANDY

Often described as the drink of kings and rappers, brandy could be one of the most misunderstood spirits, as the name is a bit of a catch-all for liquor distilled from grapes as well as other fruit. Our winners are made from three different grapes: folle blanche for Casterede from the Armagnac region of France, ugni blanc for Deau further north in the Cognac region, and moscato for the most northern of them all – Bridgeland Distillery, in Calgary!

Linda Garson

**BEST IN
CLASS**

**CASTAREDE
XO
ARMAGNAC**
France
\$125-140
CSPC 713433



JUDGES SELECTION



**Deau Cognac Napoleon
Cigar Blend**
France
\$115-125 CSPC 820705



**Bridgeland "Artisan
Collection" Moscato
Brandy**
Alberta, Canada
\$60-65
CSPC 889316

