GREENSAND RIDGE

Quality

Beautifully presented, multi-award winning spirits. Honest about what we do and how we do it, we make proper spirits with integrity.

Sustainability

From being Carbon Neutral to making spirits with surplus produce, we lead the industry in our sustainable credentials.

Provenance

We ferment, distil, age, blend and bottle our own spirits in our rural distillery, representing the flavours of our lands in the spirits we make.

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2012 After years of hobby brewing and cidermaking, Will begins Masters in brewing & Distilling

2014 Completes fundraising with a grant from European Agricultural Fund based on ambition to mitigate food waste at the farm gate

2015 Gains lease on a Victorian Coach House, among fruit farms and in sight of the Greensand Ridge, and begins renovations

2015 Distilling licences awarded & Greensand Ridge Distillery is launched. Spirits production begins.

2016 First Spirits releases: London Dry Gin & Raspberry Ghost.

2018 Two cask aged Gins, our Wealden Rum and Apple Brandy released.

2019 Partner with Boutique Bar Brands to take our spirits to new markets

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The UKs Most Sustainable Distillery

Energy

- 100% Renewable Power
- Certified Carbon Neutral for all operations
- Sophisticated heat recovery systems

Waste

- Total non-recyclable waste = 1 black sack every 6 weeks.
- All solid organic waste to feed local boar
- All liquid waste to create gas for grid

Resources

- Mitigate food waste by using quality surplus produce or food system byproducts
- Zero chemical use, zero plastic target
- All packaging 100% recyclable

Water

- Water reuse systems to mitigate use and recover energy.
- Currently planning groundbreaking zero energy organic pond cooling system for stills, reducing water use by 85% and introducing aquatic habitat for wildlife

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London Dry Gin 40% 70cl

With our core London Dry Gin we have created a spirit which takes you on a walk out of the distillery, through the fields, orchards and woods of The Weald, capturing those sweet floral and woodland characters in a clean and elegant spirit.

Honey, Rosehips and Gorse Flower provide floral aromas. Oak Moss, Hawthorns and Poppy Seeds provide woodland aromas. Bay Laurel binds floral and herbaceous notes together, and Cobnuts give a luxurious silken mouthfeel.

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Raspberry Ghost 40% 70cl

Our Raspberry Ghost captures the true aroma of Kentish raspberries at the peak of their aromatic ripeness. Named Ghost for the subtlety of the spirit, and in homage to the German name for the distillation technique, Geist.

We only use quality surplus fruit which can't be sold to supermarkets. This is a dry spirit with a clean and fresh raspberry aroma. As you sip, the flavour builds and develops with a surprising length to the finish.

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Wealden Rum 40% 50cl

We lovingly distill our rum from cane molasses, the by-product of UK sugar refining. It is this tradition of using the molasses by-product like this which led us to create our own rum.

We ferment the molasses using non-traditional techniques to achieve a more honey floral flavour profile then classic rums. Aged in oak casks to develop the flavours and allow the spirit to mellow, it’s a spirit to treasure

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Apple Brandy 42% 50cl

We spend long days pressing, fermenting and distilling surplus dessert apples from nearby growers to create a delicate apple spirit which captures the aroma of a country orchard on a late summer's day.

Aromas of apple blossom and characteristic green apple flavours are perfectly married with the vanilla and caramel spiciness of the bourbon cask to leave a smooth sweet finish and the memory of warm apple crumble.

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Rye Cask Gin 40% 50cl

We age an adapted version of our London Dry Gin in Rye Whiskey Casks for up to a year to achieve a perfect balance between the complexity of both the gin and the cask's characters. The resulting hybrid is a unique spirit with complexity, smoothness and depth.

The aromatic quality of our gin is unmistakable, but citrus is more apparent here, balanced by the cask's warm and complex whiskey character with vanilla and toffee-apple aromas dominating.

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PX Cask Gin 41% 50cl

For our PX Cask Gin we allow an adapted version of our award-winning London Dry Gin to rest in European oak casks, previously used to age Pedro Ximénez sweet sherry.

The sweet, spicy and intensely rich character of the PX cask is layered on top of our already complex and aromatic gin to present a fully flavoured spirit, capable of everything from a sipping serve to a big spiced punch.

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