

## PRESIDENT DOUGLAS HYDE (1860-1949)

Douglas Hyde was the 1st President of Ireland from 1938-1945. He was sworn into office on 26th June 1938, which was the very 1st presidential ceremony in Ireland's long and rich history.

Hyde pays homage to the first leader of our Free State. Hyde Irish Whiskey was created to deliver complex Presidential flavour notes that are a celebration of Ireland's unique history, heritage and provenance.

### SIGNIFICANT HYDE YEARS

The years on the various HYDE expressions are significant dates associated with Douglas HYDE or the HYDE family heritage:

- 1640** Establishment of the Hyde Family Pub outside Bandon in West Cork, Ireland
- 1860** Douglas Hyde's birth year
- 1893** Foundation of Cumae na Gaeilge promoting the use of the Irish language
- 1916** The start of the Irish Rebellion
- 1922** Establishment of the Irish Free State
- 1938** Douglas Hyde's inauguration as President of Ireland

## WHY IS HYDE SO UNIQUE?

- ▶ Premium, small batch, hand crafted Irish Whiskey range
- ▶ Multi-award winning Irish whiskey range (Over 40 Medals)
- ▶ The HYDE family have been selling Irish whiskey for over 10 generations
- ▶ Matured in innovative cask types (Rum, Burgundy, Port, Madeira, Beer etc.)
- ▶ Matured under bond at Little Island, County Cork, Ireland
- ▶ Diverse Single Malt, Single Grain, & Blended Whiskey range
- ▶ Triple distilled in traditional copper stills and column stills
- ▶ Limited edition expressions of only 5,000 bottles
- ▶ Non-chill filtered for a more complex taste
- ▶ 46% Vol./Alc. for a fuller flavor experience
- ▶ Always a full, rich whiskey taste with a long smooth Finish



## IT'S ALL ABOUT THE WOOD

We hand pick our oak casks from around the world

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### SHERRY CASK FINISH

250L toasted Oloroso Sherry 'Hogshead' casks from Jerez de la Frontera, Cádiz, in Southern Spain.

### DARK RUM CASK FINISH

200L Char flamed dark Rum casks from the Island of Barbados in the Caribbean.

### BURGUNDY CASK FINISH

228L Ex-Burgundy vintage red wine casks (Pinot Noir) from the Cote d'Or vineyards near Dijon, France.

### BOURBON BARRELS

200L ex-bourbon barrels from Kentucky in the United States of America.

### STOUT CASK FINISH

200L Ex-Bourbon white oak cask from Kentucky in the USA which Cotton Ball Irish Stout has aged in for three months.



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IRISH WHISKEY



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PREMIUM IRISH WHISKEY  
A TRUE TASTE OF IRELAND



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## BONDERS AND PURVEYORS OF IRELAND'S FINEST WHISKEY

HYDE Irish Whiskey has been one of the leading success stories of the Irish Whiskey Renaissance.

*At HYDE our focus is on the art of wood management and whiskey cask maturation. As such, our motto is "It's all about the wood"*

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We age several different Single Malt, Single Grain, and Blended Irish Whiskey expressions, all of which feature unique maturation journeys and finishes.

As independent Irish Whiskey Bonders, we carefully hand select only the very finest Irish whiskey which we then blend, mature, and finish to our own very strict HYDE specifications in a wide variety of hand selected oak casks from around the world.

We primarily mature and finish our HYDE Irish whiskey in Sherry, Rum, Bourbon and Burgundy casks but we also experiment with Port, Madeira, Cognac and IPA Beer casks. We mature and finish our HYDE Irish Whiskey under Bond at Little Island, County Cork, Ireland.

The time and effort that we put into our wood management and the sourcing of high quality vintage oak casks from around the world is what results in HYDE winning so many international awards for our unique Irish whiskey taste.





# HYDE FAMILY HERITAGE

## 10 GENERATIONS OF WHISKEY PURVEYORS



The HYDE family has been involved in the Irish drinks business for over ten generations, since 1640. The HYDE's were well known bar owners at 'Tinker's Cross' just outside Bandon in West Cork, from 1640 to 1962.

Here the Hydys would sell fine Irish whiskey and draught Murphy's Irish Stout straight from wooden oak casks that they would tap with a wooden mallet and a brass tap.

This same HYDE Bar was also the HYDE Blacksmith's forge for over 300 years. The HYDE family were Vintners and blacksmiths here for over ten generations.

Brothers Alan and Conor Hyde are the first generation of Hyde's not to be born in the HYDE pub in West Cork, Ireland, but they still continue the HYDE reputation for bonding and purveying some of Ireland's finest Irish whiskey.



Above: 1941: Left to Right: John Hyde & his son Jerry Hyde at HYDE Pub Tinker's Cross, Bandon, West Cork.



Above: HYDE Bar at 'Tinker's Cross', Bandon, West Cork, Ireland.

Today the HYDE family continue that tradition and passion for the age old craft of 'Bonding' and purveying smooth Irish whiskey to their very strict standards. HYDE whiskey is matured and 'finished' at a bonded warehouse in Little Island, County Cork, on Ireland's Wild Atlantic Southwest Coast.



Above: Left to Right: Peter Hyde & Conor Hyde.  
#10GENERATIONS

Conor Hyde carefully hand selects only the very finest Irish whiskey, made by only the very best Irish whiskey distilleries, which is then 'finished' in a variety of vintage oak casks sourced directly from distilleries and bodegas around the world.



Above: Original Cask Tapping Spigots from the HYDE Bar at Tinker's Cross, West Cork, Ireland.



Above: Conor Hyde, Bonded Warehouse, Little Island, County Cork, Ireland.

### TASTING NOTES



HYDE NO.3  
THE ÁRAS CASK

Single Grain  
Irish Whiskey  
6 year old  
Bourbon Cask Matured

**NOSE**  
Cinnamon and clove with succulent sweet caramel flavours. Complex and spicy with sweet American bourbon notes.

**TASTE**  
Robust single grain spices with a touch of cracked black pepper give way to a buttery vanilla and charred oak taste.

**FINISH**  
Long and satisfying, ending with a silky combination of oak and barley.

46% alc./Vol.



HYDE NO.4  
PRESIDENT'S CASK

Single Malt  
Irish Whiskey  
6 year old  
Rum Cask Finish

**NOSE**  
Fantastic interaction between toffee, spices, cinnamon and sultana, with a rich backdrop of rum. Sweetness, nutty. Porridge oats and barley. Caramelised sugar and tropical fruit.

**TASTE**  
Smooth, spicy, bittersweet vanilla, toffee, cinnamon, apricots, and chocolate, with an overtone of rum and sultanas in the finish.

**FINISH**  
Dark nutty character and beautiful spices.

46% alc./Vol.



HYDE NO.5  
THE ÁRAS CASK

Single Grain  
Irish Whiskey  
6 year old  
Burgundy Cask Finish

**NOSE**  
Spiced with notes of red berry fruit, vanilla, and toasted oak.

**TASTE**  
A creamy nutty palette entry with notes of sweet custard, apple peel, red berries and orange blossom honey.

**FINISH**  
A nice long satisfying finish of plum, jam and spice ending with a silky combination of oak and barley.

46% alc./Vol.



HYDE NO.6  
PRESIDENT'S  
RESERVE

Blended Irish Whiskey  
18 year old Single Malt &  
8 year old Single Grain  
Sherry Cask Finish

**NOSE**  
Delightfully floral notes of vanilla, sweet, honey, caramel, chocolate, and mixed fruit, infused with spices.

**TASTE**  
Wonderfully smooth yet complex, creamy yet fruity with notes of caramel, honey, apricot, and apple, with a silky rich texture.

**FINISH**  
Rich & Oaky. It lingers in the mouth with a rich long finish.

46% alc./Vol.



HYDE NO.7  
PRESIDENT'S CASK

Single Malt  
Irish Whiskey  
6 year old  
Sherry Cask Finish

**NOSE**  
Delightful notes of peaches & cream, vanilla, barley malt softness, with citrus, sweet, honey, caramel, chocolate, orange, lemon, banana, & infused with spices.

**TASTE**  
Wonderfully smooth yet complex, creamy yet fruity with notes of caramel and Manuka honey, apricot, plum, and a silky malt texture.

**FINISH**  
Rich, Spicy & Oaky. It lingers in the mouth with a long rich finish.

46% alc./Vol.



HYDE NO.8  
HERITAGE CASK

75% Single Grain;  
Bourbon Cask Matured  
25% Single Malt  
Sherry Cask Matured

**NOSE**  
A distinctive full bodied malty aroma with sweet vanilla and roasted coffee bean overtones.

**TASTE**  
Sweet, hoppy, biscuit taste, with a distinctive roasted coffee bean twist.

**FINISH**  
Sweet caramel, perfectly balanced with a long, smooth, creamy finish.

43% alc./Vol.