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TWO W.L. WELLER BOURBONS RECEIVE DOUBLE GOLD MEDALS AT NORTH AMERICAN BOURBON & WHISKEY COMPETITION

Thirteen Buffalo Trace Whiskies Honored

FRANKFORT, KY (Sept. 17, 2020) – W. L. Weller Antique 107 and W.L. Weller 12 Year Old each received a Double Gold medal at the 2020 North American Bourbon & Whiskey Competition (NABWC). Eleven other Buffalo Trace whiskies were also awarded medals, including four Gold medals and seven Silver medals.

Double Gold medals went to

- W. L. Weller 12 Year Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey
- W. L. Weller Antique 107 Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey

Gold medals went to

- Col. E. H. Taylor, Jr. Small Batch Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey
- W. L. Weller C.Y.P.B. Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey
- Stagg Jr. Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey
- Old Charter Oak French Oak Barrel Aged Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey

Silver medals went to

- Buffalo Trace Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey
- Eagle Rare 10 Year Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey
- Col. E. H. Taylor, Jr. Single Barrel Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey
- Col. E. H. Taylor, Jr. Straight Rye Whiskey
- W. L. Weller Special Reserve Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey
- W. L. Weller Full Proof Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey

• Elmer T. Lee Kentucky Straight Bourbon Whiskey

The NABWC promotes excellence in bourbon, whiskey, and moonshine through a doubleblind competition and is based on a 100-point scale. The spirits are judged by styles and price categories, and this year's competition was judged virtually in light of COVID-19.

For more information about the 2020 NABWC, visit <u>http://whiskeycomp.com/</u>. For more information about Buffalo Trace brands, visit <u>https://www.buffalotracedistillery.com/</u>

About Buffalo Trace Distillery

Buffalo Trace Distillery is an American family-owned company based in Frankfort, Franklin County, Kentucky. The Distillery's rich tradition dates back to 1775 and includes such legends as E.H. Taylor, Jr., George T. Stagg, Albert B. Blanton, Orville Schupp, and Elmer T. Lee. Buffalo Trace Distillery is a fully operational Distillery producing bourbon, rye and vodka on site and is a National Historic Landmark as well as is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The Distillery has won 35 distillery titles since 2000 from such notable publications as Whisky Magazine, Whisky Advocate Magazine and Wine Enthusiast Magazine. Its Col. E. H. Taylor, Jr. Four Grain Bourbon was named World Whiskey of the Year by "Jim Murray's Whiskey Bible 2018" and its William Larue Weller and Thomas H. Handy Sazerac were named 2nd and 3rd finest whiskeys in the world, respectively, in the "Jim Murray Whiskey Bible 2020." Buffalo Trace Distillery has also garnered more than 1,000 awards for its wide range of premium whiskies. To learn more about Buffalo Trace Distillery visit <u>www.buffalotracedistillery.com</u>. To download images from Buffalo Trace Distillery visit http://www.buffalotracedistillery.com/media.