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ULTIMATE SPIRITS CHALLENGE
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BOULARD X.O. LIMITED EDITION MIZUNARA CASK FINISH PAYS D'AUGE CALVADOS (FRANCE), 42% ABV

95 Extraordinary,
Ultimate Recommendation

TASTING NOTE:

Big flavors of apple and pear cider, clearly holding their character through the influence of the cask, here bringing flamed orange peel, toasted cinnamon, and a hint of fresh vanilla. The finish is long and complex, with a slight bitter tannin.

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BOULARD V.S.O.P. PAYS D'AUGE CALVADOS (FRANCE), 40% ABV

94 Excellent,
Highly Recommended

TASTING NOTE:

An impressive mix of savory and aromatic aromas is abundant on the nose. Baked white cherries, golden peach, raisins, and fresh rosemary are all layered in a complex flavor profile on the palate. The incredibly long finish lingers for minutes after each sip.

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BOULARD V.S.O.P. SMALL BATCH NO. 1 BOURBON CASK FINISH PAYS D'AUGE CALVADOS (FRANCE), 44% ABV

92 Excellent,
Highly Recommended

TASTING NOTE:

Vibrant and expressive aromas of baked cherries, sliced plum, and apple pie lift from the glass. The flavors become even more vivid on the palate. Golden raisin, fennel, and honeycomb are matched with fragrant notes of wildflowers that keep blossoming through the impressively long finish.

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BOULARD V.S.O.P. SMALL BATCH NO. 1 RYE CASK FINISH PAYS D'AUGE CALVADOS (FRANCE), 40% ABV

91 Excellent,
Highly Recommended

TASTING NOTE:

Abounding with notes of juicy apples, toasted hazelnuts, charred wood, and caramel on the nose. The palate shows a rich texture that lifts the flavors of apple pie tincture, bay leaf, and raisins. Acacia honey and chamomile tea show though in the long finish.

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