

# It's all happening stateside

## A BUSY FEW MONTHS FOR US MEMBERS

A delegation of US Society members will be descending on Scotland in September, for a once-in-a-lifetime luxury trip hosted by none other than veteran whisky writer Charles MacLean. We hope they can pop into one of the Edinburgh venues on their way through.

US branch co-managing directors Gabrielle Shayne and her sister Lauren Mayer have also launched their own website, "The Whisky Sisters", with the aim of spreading the single malt whisky word across the country.

Finally, plans are afoot for the next leg of the US branch's Whisky Extravaganza, which will see the roadshow hit Boston, Chicago, Washington DC, Philadelphia, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle and Fort Lauderdale (details on page 32).



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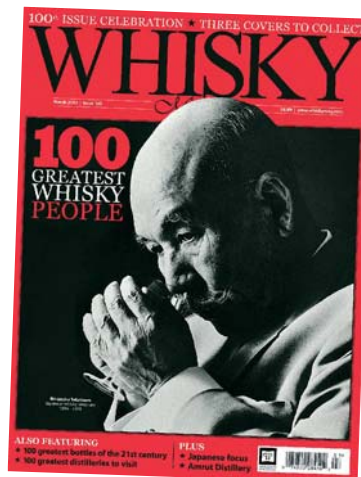
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