

ANCIENT WARRIOR IS GIN- SPIRATION

The team behind Wild Knight English Vodka and Nelson's Gold have launched a sister gin, and it's fit for a Queen.

East Anglia is the land of the Iceni, the ancient British tribe led by Warrior Queen Boadicea who is famed for her uprising against Roman rule in the first century – and now 2,000 years later she has a gin named in her honour.

Fittingly, Boadicea is hand crafted in East Anglia, and distilled from Royal Norfolk barley.

The blue bottle is a nod to the woad ancient Britons used to dye their bodies ahead of battle, while the liquid's unique finish comes from a sumptuous recipe of ancient botanicals. Brand owner Steph Brown explains: "We are distilling it using Norfolk barley as a base and infusing it with delicious botanicals like nettle, which dates back to Iceni times."

Boadicea is 40% ABV and retails at £30 for a 50cl bottle. See boadiceagin.co.uk.

