

SPECIAL TRASH TALK

RUBBISH ROW: SCOTCH

✘ I realize some of you who, like me, are sitting right across the pond from Soldier Field might imagine this is just a special NFC North Edition of Monday Night Football Trash Talk.

But this is different.

I need your help.

You see, on Wednesday I leave for a little trip to Scotland with my mom. The highlight of the trip will be a train trip through the West Highlands.

Now, I'm telling you this now not just so you can plan the party you're going to throw once bmaz takes over Wednesday night or Thursday morning (if we're all lucky Mary may do a post or two, too). And to warn you all, in case bmaz continues [the Sharktopus kick he's been on](#).

But also because I'm going to drink some Scotch.

I don't actually drink Scotch—haven't drank it since college, when one of the rich kids bought a case of Dewars. But I'm going to do so this week because—well, I'd be stupid to pass up this opportunity. And since a few of you often delve into ~~trash talking~~ argy bargy over Scotch in normal trash talk threads, I thought I'd put this one up so you can all offer your best advice about what I should try. And what I need to know about proper Scotch drinking (because this is the sort of train where one drinks Scotch properly, I think).

Oh, and as for football? When it concerns any NFC North game, I only care about rooting against the old Geezer! Even if he's not playing. May Urlacher and Woodson have superb games.

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