

PRESS RELEASE

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Summerdown English Peppermint Tea wins Gold in Great Taste Awards

We are delighted to announce our English peppermint tea has won two star gold in the prestigious Great Taste Awards. Launched only in the autumn of 2007, our unusual and delicious peppermint tea is already making its mark. The Guild of Fine Food's annual Great Taste Awards are the UK's largest and most rigorous independent evaluation of fine food and drink.

Over the last decade, Summerdown has reintroduced traditional Black Mitcham peppermint to this country, relearning lost farming skills from America and combining them with the latest technology at our farm in the foothills of the Hampshire downs.

What we have developed is a rare single estate peppermint oil, which is used to infuse our dried peppermint leaves during the manufacture of our peppermint tea to produce a taste that has been lost for generations. Bright, fresh and aromatic, it is very different from the harsher, blended, imported peppermint of the past 60 years.

Summerdown also produce chocolate peppermint creams, chocolate mint crisps and peppermint travel sweets. See our website for details.

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The taste of pure English mint revived for the 21st century