

# THE WINE LIST

## HOUSE WINES

### WHITE WINE

Ancora Pinot Grigio - Italy	12.75
	175ml glass 3.40
From Piemonte in the cool foothills of the Italian Alps. Delicate, crisp & dry and extremely good value.	
Vistamar Chardonnay – Chile	12.75
	175ml glass 3.40
White peach and melon aromas with a tantalizing palate of ripe fruit and a hint of creamy oak.	
Peunte del Inca, Sauvignon Blanc – Chile	12.75
	175ml glass 3.40
Hints of citrus fruits on the palate, giving this wine a fresh taste. Ideal to have with seafood & fish	
Chenin Blanc, Rocheburg, Western Cape – South Africa	12.75
	175ml glass 3.40
Light & refreshing – made from South Africa's most popular wine grape variety.	

### RED WINE

Avanti Shiraz Malbec, Bodegas Borbore, San Juan – Argentina	12.75
	175ml glass 3.40
Richly coloured and scented easy drinking blend, with Shiraz taking centre stage.	
Puente del Inca Cabernet Sauvignon – Chile	12.75
	175ml glass 3.40
A slightly spicy red wine from the Cachapoal Valley with hints of red fruits. A wine to have with cheese & red meats.	

Vistamar Merlot – Chile	12.75
175ml glass	3.40
Soft and juicy merlot, with earthy, plummy aromas. Intensely fruity on the palate to give a lasting finish.	

## ROSÉ WINE

Monte Arcos Garnacha, Campo de Borja, Spain	12.75
175ml glass	3.40
Youthful, fruity, dry rose, blended from the local Garnacha grape & merlot to produce a fresh & lively wine.	

## WHITE WINE

### AUSTRALIA

- Racers & Rascals Chardonnay 2005/06 Yarra Valley** 18.95  
 Brisk citrus fruits and melons notes, mingle with tropical flavours. Clean and crisp finish, a top class Chardonnay with no oak interference.
- Madfish Semillon Sauvignon 2007 - Western Australia** 19.95  
 The aromas are typical of a blend of these two varieties – the Semillon provides honeysuckle and a refreshing citrus lift to the white, while the Sauvignon Blanc adds lively tropical fruits with hints of grassy notes.
- The Hermit Crab Viognier Marsanne 2006 D'Arenberg – McLaren Vale** 21.10  
 The Hermit Crab exhibits fresh & tropical fruit with pineapple, mango & honeysuckle. The youthful palate is immediately luscious with those tropical fruits, honeysuckle & stone fruit flavours balanced by fresh grapefruit & light butter tastes.
- Eagles Point Colombard Chardonnay 2007 – Victoria** 13.95  
 The combination of the fresh appley Colombard works very well with the fuller style of the Chardonnay, to give a crisp, fruity dry white.

### FRANCE

- Vouvray, Domaine de Vaufruges, 2008 Chereau Carre – Loire** 17.95  
 Perhaps the ultimate aperitif – reminiscent of waterfalls & meadow grasses, with delicate apple sweetness, yet fine supporting structure for a long finish.

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| 6.  | <b>Muscadet de Sevre et Maine sur lie 2007 Domaine de Brouardiere</b>   | 19.10 |
|     | One of the most popular wines from the Loire valley, a crisp dry wine with an attractive & delicious bouquet. Ideal with white meats & seafood.   |       |
| 7.  | <b>Macon Lugny Les Genievres 2007-Louis Latour</b>  | 22.95 |
|     | Excellent Chardonnay from the Maconnais, ripe and fruity with well balanced acidity and good length of flavour.   |       |
| 8.  | <b>Gewurztraminer Tradition 2007, Cave de Turckheim, Alsace</b>   | 20.95 |
|     | Gewurz may mean spicy in German but here is a very French style of wine. Delicious bouquet with fruity flavours, rich & complex aromas, made to complement cheeses & desserts or ideal as an aperitif.  |       |
| 9.  | <b>Chablis 2007 – Simonnet – Febvre</b>   | 25.75 |
|     | Classical Chablis ~ . dry, medium bodied wine, fresh, light and flinty with citrus fruit, clean and refreshing.   |       |
| 10. | <b>Pouilly Fume Domaine de Maltaverne 2007</b>  | 29.50 |
|     | A super example of properly made Sauvignon – ripe and concentrated gooseberry fruit with hints of citrus and tangy herbaceous edge (but pure and rounded, not unripe and overly grassy) finishing with mineral characters and crisp dry length. |       |
| 11. | <b>Roc de Chateaufieux Sauvignon Blanc 2007 – Touraine, Loire</b>   | 18.50 |
|     | Dry and zesty, sauvignon blanc from the Loire. Modern in style, but with all of the classic hallmarks of its more expensive neighbours. A real bargain.   |       |

## WHITE WINE

### GERMANY

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| 12. | <b>Dr. L. Riesling Qba 2007 – Dr Loosen</b>   | 18.75 |
|     | Dr Loosen is one of Germany's finest producers of Riesling. A great Riesling with wonderful balance between fruit and acidity. It makes a wonderful aperitif or drink with fish and shellfish or blue cheese. |       |

### ITALY

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| 13. | <b>Pinot Grigio 2008 Bottega Vinai</b>   | 20.95 |
|     | This straw-coloured Pinot Grigio is rich & round with distinct floral notes on the nose. On the palate it shows honeyed, nutty flavours balanced by crisp, lemony acidity. A top-notch Pinot Grigio. |       |

14. Gavi, Terra Rossa 2008, La Zerba, Piemonte 25.95  
Gavi as the legend – delicate, elegant, generous. Just gorgeous, almost white in colour with a high toned breezy freshness. Principal taste is fresh fruit, then tropical passion fruit & almonds.

## SPAIN

15. El Coto Blanco 2008, Rioja 15.95  
Intense aromas of flowers and green apples, this wine is fresh and fruity and only about 12% in alcohol. A delightful glass on wine. Un-oaked.

## SOUTH AFRICA

16. Durbanville Hills Sauvignon Blanc 2007, Durbanville 13.95  
Durbanville is one of the coolest climates in the Cape winelands, this is reflected in the style of this excellent wine. Seamlessly layered flavours ranging from tropical fruit to fig, lime, guava and gooseberry, leading up to a crisp finish. **OUT OF STOCK**

17. Indaba Chenin Blanc 2007, Western Cape 14.95  
Indaba is the traditional Zulu forum for sharing ideas. This crowd-pleasing quaffer strikes the perfect balance between mouthwatering fruit and crisp acidity. It's packed with luscious tropical, citrus, and white stone fruit, accented with a touch of honey.

## NEW ZEALAND

18. Whitehaven, Sauvignon Blanc 2008, Marlborough 20.25  
Exciting gooseberry zest from the start. Dramatic ripe flavours still deliver sauvignon "cut" in the palate. Quality, depth & length follow showing a wine of real class

## RED WINE

### NEW ZEALAND

20. Stoneleigh Pinot Noir 2008, Marlborough 24.10  
Excellent crops of small berried fruits combined with the classic Marlborough Pinot Noir fermentation & ten

years of French oak aging produces this wine of fragrant red berry bouquet coupled with savoury spices.  
The soft supple palate has lingering sweet fruit & fine velvety tannins

## AUSTRALIA

21. **Runamok Fireship Red 2006** 13.95  
Full flavoured, but soft and spicy with black fruits intermingled with savoury notes and a little black pepper.
22. **Norfolk Rise – Cabernet Sauvignon 2006 South Australia** 19.95  
An immensely dark wine with bright fresh fruit & firm lingering tannins. Matured for 14 months in 1 year old French & American barriques.
23. **Bremerton Selkirk Shiraz 2006, Langhorne Creek** 28.75  
The grapes for the Selkirk Shiraz are 100% Langhorne Creek and estate grown. It has a deep, vibrant colour and offers distinctive varietal characters; a rich aroma of blackberries, complemented by spicy oak nuances. A layered, well-balanced palate structure and a persistent finish, provides a frame for the full bodied berry fruit flavours and touches of spice.
24. **Matilda Plains Cabernet Shiraz 2006 Langhorne Creek** 18.50  
Carefully blended to provide a generous and well balanced palate displaying Mouthfilling fruit, complementing soft, well integrated tannins and a lingering finish.
25. **Eagles Point Cabernet Merlot 2006, Victoria** 13.50  
Rich and soft with blackcurrant and ripe plummy flavours, backed by a soft tannic finish. A real find.

## CHILE

26. **Torreón de Paredes Reserve Merlot 2007 – Chile** 19.50  
A lovely nose of dark plums and bitter chocolate. The palate is smooth and voluptuous with plums and dark fruits integrated with fine grain tannins
27. **Andes Peaks Reserva, Carmenère 2006 – Chile** 14.25  
Refined, complex & elegant, suggests delicate aromas of dark plums, blackcurrants & chocolate with hints of coffee notes. A delicate hand harvested wine, oak aged in French & American barrels.

# RED WINE

## FRANCE

28. Cotes de Beaune – Villages 2005, Louis Jadot , Burgundy 32.25  
An elegant wine, developing red & black fruit aromas. It has a mellow texture with very elegant tannins helping it to age well. Perfect with delicate meat dishes as well as most cheeses
29. Fleurie 2007 Cuvee L'Ancienne, Beaujolais 21.95  
Ripe, red fruit flavours with hints of strawberry and morello cherries. Full and firm grip on finish.
30. Chateau Des Lumieres Morgon 2002 Louis Jadot, Beaujolais 30.45  
"Ce vin morgonne" refers to a robust, generous style and a heady bouquet of wild cherries which sets the wine of Morgon apart among the Beaujolais. A fine wine which is well balanced and delicious
31. Cotes du Rhone 2007 Darriaud, Rhone 15.50  
Soft red berry fruits – raspberries and strawberries, with a hint of spice and approachable tannins..
32. Chateauneuf du Pape 2004 Chateau des Fines Roches 32.95  
A complex wine that has warm, red, spicy fruit & damson aromas, dense dark cherry fruit on the palate; structure, richness and a touch of elegance on the finish.
33. Lizard Shiraz VDP D'Oc 2007 13.95  
A full bodied, smooth wine, rich in ripe spicy flavours, ideal with red meats and cheese.
34. Chateau Pierrail 2006, Bordeaux Superieur, Bordeaux 23.50  
Smoky dark wine, stirring & waking. Carries a forest signature of wild berries & sweetly charred timber. Very rewarding.
35. Clos de la Cure St. Emilion Grand Cru 2005, Bordeaux 39.95  
The 2000 vintage has ripe dried fruit with smokey, gamey edges, is quite full bodied & rich with a touch of oak, velvety tannins & fine length.

## ITALY

36. Convivio Montepulciano d' Abruzzo 2007 14.25  
This generously flavoured red captures the warmth of southern Italy. Selected Montepulciano grapes from low yielding vineyards give rich plum & cherry fruit characters with spice & complexity from eight months aging in oak barrels

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| 37. | <b>Il Merdione Primario Barrel-aged Negro Amaro 2003</b>  | 16.95 |
|     | Power and concentration on the palate – the wine has spicy aromas of plum, coffee bean and vanilla. It has a rich complex palate and a long finish with flavours of bitter chocolate.   |       |
| 38. | <b>Chianti Classico Villa Paglia 2005</b>   | 23.95 |
|     | A pure, traditional Chianti with brambly, bitter cherry fruit, cedary, spicy black notes, succulent acidity & well integrated tannins.  |       |
| 39. | <b>Barolo Revello 2004 - Araldica</b>   | 38.95 |
|     | Made from the Nebbiolo grape grown on the Langhi hills around Barolo. Following 3years ageing in oak casks the wine develops a light red colour with hints of orange, the nose is complex & spicy, full bodied & rich on the palate with sweet tannins and a dry finish. This Barolo complements game & mature cheeses. |       |

## RED WINE

### LEBANON

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| 40. | <b>Chateau Musar 2000/01 -Bekaa Valley</b>  | 44.50 |
|     | This wine is the living testament of what Serge Hochar has achieved,making wine in the war torn Lebanon. A blend of 2/3rds Cabernet and 1/3 <sup>rd</sup> Cinsault to produce a truly world class wine. It is dark ruby in colour, with chocolate and tobacco on the nose. Very complex, rich red fruits, spices and olives. Very harmonious and well balanced. |       |

### SOUTH AFRICA

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| 41. | <b>False Bay Pinotage 2008</b>  | 14.50 |
|     | Pinotage is a cross between Pinot Noir and Cinsault and is native to South Africa.This wine is a heady mix of fruit, rich chocolate & plums, supported by soft tannins~ delicious with roasted or grilled meats |       |

### SPAIN

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| 42. | <b>Nuviana Tempranillo-Cabernet 2008, Huesca</b>  | 14.25 |
|     | A wine which is single- handedly shining a light on its quiet corner of Aragon. Has an "ooh" factor of soft, ripe fruit at the very first sniff & holds a fresh lean, long line of flavour perfectly. |       |
| 43. | <b>El Coto Rioja Crianza 2006, Rioja</b>  | 20.25 |
|     | Made from the Tempranillo grape variety, a modern style Rioja with great finesse. Good fruit backed by creamy smooth vanilla oak flavours. Long, warming finish.                                      |       |

44. **Coto De Imaz Gran Reserva 2000 Rioja** 41.50  
Deep shiny ruby red, mature and elegant. Its aromatic structure shows itself step by step after being opened. Initial toasty traces give way to a sequence of spicy aromas, animal hints (leather) and dried fruits that stay in the after-taste, enlarging the previous complex, aromatic sensations in the palate.

## PORTUGAL

45. **Quinta do Vale D. Maria 2000 Douro** 36.25  
A deep coloured, full bodied red wine, full of ripe, soft tannins, combines a long fruity finish with a predominance of mature red fruits.

## ARGENTINA

46. **Obvio Malbec 2004** 13.50  
Deep violet in colour with an array of black and red fruits. This racy little Malbec is the perfect companion to a juicy Steak.

## SPARKLING WINES

- Camel Valley Brut – Cornwall** 38.95  
An award winning sparkling wine made in Cornwall at the Camel valley vineyards. Very Good.

- Lunetta Prosecco – Italy** 16.25  
A deliciously light and fruity Prosecco with hints of apple and peach on the nose and a fresh, softly sparkling palate.

# CHAMPAGNES

Veuve Clicquot Ponsardin Brut N.V.

55.95

Veuve Clicquot "Yellow Label" has been patiently aged in chalk cellars in Reims which date back to Roman Times.

## HALF BOTTLES

### RED

Chateau Pierrail Bordeaux Superieur 2006 – France

£12.95

### WHITE

Sancerre Chavignol les Comtesse 2007 - France

£21.95

Muscadet de Sevre et Maine sur lie 2006 – France

£11.75

Gewurztraminer Cuvee St Remy 2006 France

£13.50

## An excellent dessert wine to round off your meal

Tabali Late Harvest Muscat - 2005 D.O. Limari valley, Chile

£14.95

Golden yellow in colour, this Late harvest is prepared from the Pink Muscat variety. Great intensity on the nose, where fresh papaya outstands with floral hints & honey..

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