

WINE

Our wines represent possibly the most value for money you can find on a wine list. We are a business and therefore we do need to make a profit - now & then! Most restaurants will bang a percentage margin on ALL their wines - result? - the better, top end wines end up so expensive that they run the risk of being out of reach to most wine lovers. Not us though, as we use a cash margin approach at the top end, so basically, throw a few more quid into the wine budget & you will be rewarded with some of the best value drinking seen in the area. Well, here goes... happy & prosperous drinking!!

SPARKLING WINES

...CHAMPAGNE & FIZZ...

CONTI D'ARCO PROSECCO, BRUT 11% - Italy

Sparkling with fresh apples, pears and a just a hint of white peach.

£3.95
Btl £21.95

BOLLA SPARKLING ROSÉ 11.5% - Italy

Aromas of meadow flowers with fresh and fruity strawberry and cherry flavours.

Gls £4.95
Btl £24.95

SAINT-EVREMOND BRUT 12% NV - France

Elegant fine structure, appeals to both the mind and the senses

Gls £6.95
Btl £39.95

TAITTINGER BRUT RÉSERVE NV 12% - France

Perhaps the lightest and most elegant of the Grand Marque Champagnes, it's intensely fragrant character, subtle biscuity complexity and superb elegance is due to a predominance of Chardonnay in the blend.

Gls £7.95
Btl £44.95

TAITTINGER PRESTIGE BRUT ROSÉ NV 12% - France

Stylish and dry with delicious summer fruit aromas and a long, full-bodied flavour typical of pinot noir based Champagnes.

Gls £8.95
Btl £49.95

BOLLINGER NV 12% - France

A subtle combination of structure, bubbles like velvet, pear, brioche and spicy aromas, notes of fresh walnut.

Btl £59.95

TAITTINGER COMTES DE CHAMPAGNE

BRUT - 2005 12.5% - France

A Champagne of legendary quality made using only the finest Chardonnay grapes in exceptional years. Delicate, yet at the same time superbly balanced.

Btl £139.95

DOM PÉRIGNON BRUT - 2004 12.5% - France

Long and satisfying on the palate with layers of yeasty, nutty flavours, superbly fat and ripe. Complex, luxury Grand Cru Champagne made only in the best years.

Btl £149.95

LOUIS ROEDERER CRISTAL BRUT - 2006 12% - France

Aromas of green apple, caramel and lemon zest, with concentrated, minerally flavours that announce apples served with cream.

Btl £184.95

WHITE WINES

...LIGHT, FRESH AND DELICATE...

BORSARI INZOLIA, TERRE SICILIANE 12% - Italy

The Inzolia grape is indigenous to Sicily where it produces a delicious, light herbal and lemon aroma with a warm peachy flavour.

Sml £3.95 - Lrg £5.95
Btl £14.95

PARINI PINOT GRIGIO DELLE VENEZIE 12% - Italy

Distinctive nose of wild flowers, with touches of honey and banana, soft, fresh and lively with notes of ripe pear.

Sml £4.95 - Lrg £6.95
Btl £17.95

SOAVE CLASSICO, BOLLA 12% - Italy

Bouquet of apricot and pepper, dry yet with soft acidity and a creamy almond palate, a blending of the highly prized Trebbiano di Soave grape.

Sml £5.50 - Lrg £7.95
Btl £20.95

CHÂTEAU DU CLÉRAY MUSCADET DE SÈVRE

ET MAINE SUR LIE 11.5% - France

Citrus and apple fruit and notes of lime blossom and mint.

Btl £24.95

MENETOU-SALON, LA BARDINE, JOSEPH MELLOT 12.5% - France

Fresh citrus fruit, including grapefruit and herbaceous nuances.

Btl £28.95

CHABLIS, LOUIS JADOT - 2013 13% - France

A fuller style of Chablis, still typically bone-dry, but also with a well-rounded finish and subtle hints of toasty-vanilla oak flavours.

Btl £29.95

...FLAVOURSOME, FRUITY AND AROMATIC...

KLEINE ZALZE BUSH VINES CHENIN BLANC 13.5% - South Africa

Soft and creamy, a hint of ripe exotic fruit and a delicious vanilla sweetness.

Btl £17.95

LUIS FELIPE EDWARDS LOT 66 SAUVIGNON BLANC

Rapel Valley, 12.5% - Chile
Hand harvested, gently pressed to retain the natural fruit aromas and flavour of citrus fruit, melon, pineapple and pear.

Sml £5.25 - Lrg £7.50
Btl £18.95

CALLIA SELECTED TORRONTÉS, SAN JUAN 13.5% - Argentina

Very floral and dry with restrained tropical fruit on the nose leading into a finish dominated by spice and lychee notes.

Btl £21.95

VIDAL SAUVIGNON BLANC, MARLBOROUGH

12.5% - New Zealand
Classically crisp and herbaceously intense with great complexity, a mingling of passion fruit and melon flavours.

Sml £5.95 - Lrg £8.50
Btl £22.95

TENUTA DEL PORCONERO FALANGHINA Campania, 13% - Italy

Organically produced, the nose is dominated by floral notes, the palate shows notes of dried herb, citrus and peach.

Btl £24.95

DOMAINE ZINCK "PORTRAIT" PINOT GRIS 12.5% - France

Dry with a refreshing palate that carries aromas of greengage, green apple and a touch of spice and smokiness.

Btl £26.95

TE AWA "LEFT FIELD" ALBARIÑO 13.5% - New Zealand

Citrus flowers, melon and peach, the palate shows some richness, backed by stone fruit and lime.

Sml £7.95 - Lrg £10.95
Btl £26.95

...JUICY, RICH AND POWERFUL...

BERRI ESTATES UNOAKED CHARDONNAY

13.5% - South-Eastern Australia
A crisp style with a fresh, yet ripe lemon character with no oak-ageing.

Sml £4.95 - Lrg £6.95
Btl £17.95

FLAGSTONE "NOON GUN" CHENIN-SAUVIGNON

-VIOGNIER Western Cape, 13% - South Africa intense, aromatic, tropical fruit flavours spiked with a wedge of orange peel and a sprinkling of baking spice.

Btl £19.95

CHÂTEAU DU SEUIL, GRAVES BLANC - 2012 12.5% - France

Rich, supple yet vigorous white Bordeaux with a floral bouquet of citrus fruits and honey and a touch of vanilla from oak barrel ageing.

Btl £34.95

CLOUDY BAY SAUVIGNON BLANC,

MARLBOROUGH - 2013 13.5% - New Zealand
Layers of pure striking flavours combining the distinctive grassy aromas and surprising redcurrant spiciness and fresh lemon zest.

Sml £10.50 - Lrg £14.95
Btl £39.95

LUKE DONALD COLLECTION CHARDONNAY,

CARNEROS - 2012 14% - USA
Shows green apple and stone fruit aromas on the nose, the broad palate is supplemented by notes of clove and cinnamon.

Btl £44.95

PULIGNY-MONTRACHET, LOUIS JADOT - 2011 13% - France

Distinctively Côte de Beaune, overflowing with generous rich barrique character and stylish stone-fruit charm.

Btl £59.95

ROSÉ WINES

BORSARI MERLOT ROSÉ 12% - Italy

Merlot makes a great rosé, light and refreshing with a pleasant summer-fruit fragrance and flavour.

Sml £3.95 - Lrg £5.95
Btl £14.95

PARINI PINOT GRIGIO ROSÉ

DELLE VENEZIE 12% - Italy

Soft, coppery-pink rosé, delicate and fruity bouquet, soft and fresh on the palate.

Sml £4.95 - Lrg £6.95
Btl £17.95

GREENWOOD PASS WHITE

ZINFANDEL California, 10% - USA

Medium-dry, rather than the usual medium-sweet versions available, shows plenty of watermelon, strawberry and redcurrant fruit.

Sml £5.95 - Lrg £7.50
Btl £18.95

JLC LAVANDES ROSÉ LES VINS

MÉDITERRANÉE 12.5% - France

A light, refreshing, dry rosé with a subtle red-fruit character, dominated by powerful herbaceous aromas.

Btl £24.95
Magnum £34.95

RED WINES

...SOFT, SMOOTH AND LIGHT...

BORSARI CABERNET SAUVIGNON 12% - Italy

Bright, soft berry-fruits with juicy damsons, a smooth, easy-going red.

Sml £3.95 - Lrg £5.95
Btl £14.95

GRANFORT MERLOT, PAYS D'OC 13.5% - France

A rich, juicy southern French wine using this popular variety originated from Bordeaux.

Sml £4.95 - Lrg £6.95
Btl £17.50

KLEINE ZALZE GAMAY NOIR Coastal Region, 14% - South Africa

Light and fruity, delicious flavour redolent of fresh strawberry from low yielding vines. Can be served chilled

Sml £5.95 - Lrg £7.95
Btl £19.95

COTES DU RHONE, M CHAPOUTIER 13.5% - France

Aromas of juicy morello cherry, liquorice and peppercorn, the palate is beautifully balanced and rich, with black cherry notes and silky tannins.

Btl £22.95

FLEURIE DOMAINE DE PONCEREAU LOUIS JADOT 13% - France

Elegant, silky, enveloping a plump, ripe berry, mouth-filling character and supple freshness.

Btl £29.95

SANCERRE ROUGE LE CONNÉTABLE DE

JOSEPH MELLOT - 2009 12.5% - France

Blackberry and spicy-oak notes on the nose, the palate is smooth and round, with a light, yet long, finish.

Btl £39.95

...FRUITY, WARMING AND SPICY...

BERRI ESTATES SHIRAZ

South-Eastern Australia, 13.5% - Australia
Medium-bodied and fruity with raspberry, cherry and plum, complemented by vanilla spices.

Sml £5.25 - Lrg £7.50
Btl £17.95

HERENCIA ALTÉS GARNATXA NEGRA Terra Alta, 14% - Spain

Cherry and berry fruit supported by a touch of spice on a smooth, minerally finish.

Btl £21.95

CHIANTI CLASSICO LA PIEVANELLA Trambusti, 13.5% - Italy

A robust wine an intense, ruby-red colour, the nose shows violet, bramble fruit and oak spice, the palate is rustic yet smooth on the finish.

Btl £24.95

TORRES "ALTOS IBÉRICOS" RIOJA CRIANZA 14% - Spain

The nose reveals ripened black fruits and aromas of cocoa and nutmeg, the silky palate combines creamy blackberry with spicy oak notes.

Sml £6.95 - Lrg £9.95
Btl £25.95

SALENTEIN BARREL SELECTION MALBEC

Uco Valley, Mendoza 14.5% - Argentina
Notes of ripe blackberry, blueberry and redcurrant, with subtle hints of violet. The silky palate offers a crisp, balance backed by vanilla on the lingering finish.

Sml £7.95 - Lrg £10.95
Btl £26.95

BAY OF FIRES PINOT NOIR Tasmania, 13.5% - Australia

Complex aromas of sweet ripe red berry fruit alongside star anise, cinnamon spice and floral nuances. Although elegant and supple, the wine shows remarkable power.

Btl £26.95

...POWERFUL, RICH AND INTENSE...

FLAGSTONE "WRITER'S BLOCK" PINOTAGE

Western Cape 14.5% - South Africa
Intense concentrated aromas of wild blueberry and ripe cherry, supported by smoky, spicy undertones, ripe and generous, blackberry and plum flavours.

Btl £26.95

BETHANY G6 SHIRAZ Barossa Valley, 15% - Australia

The aroma is generous and the mouth-feel elegant yet full flavoured, whilst the lingering finish is a delightful blend of blackberry fruit and restrained oak spice.

Btl £27.95

THE FEDERALIST VISIONARY ZINFANDEL - 2011

Dry Creek Valley, 14% - USA
Fruit forward with blackberry and black cherry aromas and spicy notes, the palate is balanced and mouth-filling with a rich texture and long finish.

Btl £34.95

CHÂTEAU DU SEUIL GRAVES ROUGE - 2010 12.5% - France

Good fruit character for a Graves with the Cabernet merlot blend benefiting from new oak which contributes to the bouquet and softens the palate of rich, velvety fruit.

Sml £9.95 - Lrg £14.95
Btl £34.95

CHATEAUNEUF DU PAPE LES BARTAVELLES - 2013

Jean-Luc Colombo, 13.5% - France
On the nose a powerful wine, full, complete and silky with notes of ripe fruit, liquorice and gingerbread. The palate is elegant, rich and deep with mature and velvety tannins.

Btl £36.95

AMARONE DELLA VALPOLICELLA

CLASSICO - 2010 Bolla, 16% - Italy

The traditional method of semi-drying the grapes first ensures an enveloping, velvet richness with marzipan, raisin and date flavours.

Btl £55.95

CHIMNEY ROCK CABERNET SAUVIGNON - 2010

Stags Leap District, 14.5% - USA
Dry, smooth and silky in the mouth, very rich, waves of cherry, blackberry, blueberry, cocoa and sweet cedar flavours, wonderfully elegant.

Btl £69.95