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WINE LIST 2018



Manager's Choice



Champagne, Sparkling Wine and Prosecco

Prosecco Spumante Extra Dry 'Borgo Del Col Alto', NV, Italy **£32.00**

The clean fruity aromatic bouquet contains hints of flowers, honey and apple.

Simonsig Kaapse Vonkel Brut, Stellenbosch, South Africa, 2015 **£42.00**

From one of the most prestigious producers in Stellenbosch, this is a great value new world alternative to Champagne with classic citrus and biscuity flavours, fresh acidity and a long smooth finish.

Champagne Dericbourg Cuvee de Reserve, NV, Champagne, France **£48.00**

A very refreshing and elegant Champagne with delicious notes of citrus fruits.

White

Chenin Blanc, Boatman's Drift, South Africa, 2016 **£27.00**

A pale lemon in colour with a bouquet of apple and white flowers. The palate is crisp with notes of white peach, mango and guava and a fresh and zesty acidity.

Sauvignon Blanc la Petite Abbaye Vin de la Loire, France, 2016 **£30.00**

This Sauvignon Blanc has vibrant aromatics including nettle, gooseberry and elderflower.

Red

Tempranillo Fincas de Azabache, Rioja, Spain, 2016 **£27.00**

Typical character of red fruits such as cherry, raspberry and plum, notes of liquorice.

Claret - Chateau Patache D'Aux Cru Bourgeois, Medoc, France, 2014 **£32.00**

Rich, soft and powerful with black cherries, plums on the palate, backed up with ripe tannins.

Port

Croft Triple Crown Port, NV, Portugal **£32.00**

Attractive, fresh raspberry and cassis aromas; this wine has a heady, almost scented quality to it. The wine is a delicious mouthful of fresh fruit flavours in perfect balance.

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Champagne, Dessert Wine and Port

Champagne | Sparkling Wine

Hindleap Classic Cuvee Brut, Bluebell Vineyard Estates, 2014 £45.00

Fragrant and floral on the nose, the palate has notes of orange zest, citrus and fresh green apple.

Pol Roger, NV, Épernay, France £75.00

A prestigious Grande Marque with elegance and finesse, fantastic citrus, apple and toasty notes.

Dessert Wine

Muscat de Rivesaltes, Chateau de L'Esparrou, Rhone, France, 2016 £27.00

This fragrant, easy drinking dessert wine has a floral scent with hints of honey and raisins. The pleasant sweetness is elegantly balanced with a touch of citrus acidity.

Chateau Les Mingets, Sauternes, France, 2013 £35.00

This wine has a concentrated, luscious character, intense flavours of caramelized fruits, pear melon and almond, rounded and balanced by good acidity on the finish.

Port

Croft LBV Port, Portugal, 2011 £35.00

Intense dark chocolate and rich luscious black berry and cherry fruit aromas. Full, ripe, rounded fat fruit mouthful. Fills the mouth to bursting with juicy black fruit, liquorice and chocolate.

White Wine

Light and Crisp

Comte Tolosan IGP Le Pionnier Blanc, Cote de Gascon, France, 2016 £23.00

These flavours linger on the palate with hints of exotic fruit and vivacious finish.

Pinot Grigio, Il Conti, Italy, 2016 £27.00

Soft, easy drinking Pinot Grigio with fresh citrus and white stone fruit flavours.

Riesling 'Family Vineyard' Wairau River, New Zealand, 2015 £32.00

Carrying delicate notes of lime and citrus blossom. The palate is ripe and succulent displaying characters of lemon sorbet, balanced by fine acidity and a flinty mineral finish.

Fruity or Medium Bodied

Sauvignon Blanc, Los Caminos, Chile, 2017 £23.00

A vibrant aromatic Sauvignon Blanc with a floral bouquet of nettle, grass and grapefruit balanced by citrus, gooseberry, passionfruit and pleasant acidity.

Chenin Blanc, Boatman's Drift, South Africa, 2016 £27.00

A pale lemon in colour with a bouquet of apple and white flowers. The palate is crisp with notes of white peach, mango and guava and a fresh and zesty acidity.

Muscadet Sèvre-et-Maine Sur Lie 'Les Roches Gaudinieres', Domaine Derame, Loire Valley, France, 2016 **£26.00**

Light bodied with fresh green apple, citrus fruit flavours and crisp acidity. Time on lees adds a gentle roundness and extra dimension to the wine.

Albarino, Charquino, Rias Baixas, Spain, 2016 **£32.00**

Clean, fresh and intensely flavoured, the Charquiño Albarino shows pineapple and passion fruit flavours, combined with citrus and a hint of cut grass.

Complex or Structured

Chardonnay, Rhanleigh, Robertson, South Africa, 2017 **£27.00**

Full of rich and ripe aromas of lemon, lime and a touch of vanilla. This is a crisp and elegant wine with a long finish and subtle hints of oak.

Sauvignon Blanc la Petite Abbaye Vin de la Loire, France, 2016 **£30.00**

This Sauvignon Blanc has vibrant aromatics include nettle, gooseberry and elderflower.

Picpoul de Pinet 'Les Courtelles', Languedoc, France, 2016 **£32.00**

Made from grapes grown close to the Mediterranean shore, this is a bone-dry white wine, with a distinctive combination of nuttiness, peach fruit and stoney flavours.

Classic

Gavi 'Cortese', Tenuta Neirano, Piedmont, Italy, 2016 **£30.00**

The palate is beautifully balanced, with citrus fruit flavours and white blossom.

Chablis, Louis Robin, Burgundy, France, 2016 **£35.00**

Classic Chablis flavours of green apples and ripe, zippy citrus fruits in this textbook example from Louis Robin, all complemented by a creamy texture and an ever so slightly honeyed note on the finish.

Red Wine

Soft

Herault IGP Le Pionnier Rouge, France, 2016 **£23.00**

This soft and fruity wine is a traditional Languedoc blend of Grenache and Carignan.

Hamilton Heights Shiraz, Australia, 2016 **£25.00**

The palate is smooth and soft, with juicy black fruit flavours and a hint of spicy pepper.

Cabernet Sauvignon Merlot, Boatman's Drift, South Africa, 2016 **£27.00**

The palate has flavours of black plum and cherry with touches of sweet spice and vanilla.

Fruity

Merlot, Los Caminos, Chile, 2015 **£23.00**

The palate is rich with black cherry and plum flavours with a hint of mineral character.

Pinot Noir, Cosmina, Romania, 2016 **£24.00**

A beautiful red colour, this Pinot is an instant crowd pleaser packed with juicy red berries and a soft silky finish.

Shiraz Malbec, Avanti, Argentina, 2016 **£28.00**
The palate is full of beautiful ripe cherry fruit from the Malbec.

Big and Bold

Primitivo 'Grifone', Puglia, Italy, 2016 **£26.50**
Dark and intense ruby colour with luscious plums and stewed cherries.

Malbec, Valcheta, Mendoza, Argentina, 2016 **£28.50**
A textbook Malbec from Mendoza, with youthful, ripe blackcurrant aromas and slight hints of dark chocolate, it is a deliciously balanced wine with a pleasing spicy finish.

Complex and Robust

Tempranillo Fincas de Azabache, Rioja, Spain, 2016 **£27.00**
Typical character of red fruits such as cherry, raspberry and plum, notes of liquorice.

St John's Road Motley Bunch GSM, Barossa Valley, Australia, 2014 **£35.00**
A mouth-watering blend of bright red fruits, dark plums and spice with a touch of chocolate and savoury mouthfeel. This is a rich and flavoursome red that is supple yet structured.

Claret - Chateau Patache D'Aux Cru Bourgeois, Medoc, France, 2014 **£32.00**
Rich, soft & powerful with black cherries, plums on the palate, backed up with ripe tannins.

Classic

Maremma Toscana Doc, Tuscany, Italy, 2015 **£28.00**
This wine has a delightful fruitiness with notes of cherries and coco. It is dry and warming with an appealing savoury touch of balsamic on the finish.

Pinot Noir 'Family Vineyard' Wairau River, New Zealand, 2016 **£35.00**
The wine shows aromas of cherry and wild berry fruits, shadowed by supple oak.

Rosé Wine

Carignan, La Loupe Rose, France, 2016 **£25.00**
The palate is crisp and clean with a good citric acidity and flavours of strawberry, raspberry and red cherry.

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