

The Plough at Bolnhurst Wine List

I am delighted to be supplying the wines to The Plough. I hope you find the choice of wines eclectic and interesting, and ultimately high quality, which is exactly what Martin and his teams food deserves. Jayne and Michael are great to work with as they get as excited as I do finding a new interesting wine and have no preconceptions, this I hope ultimately rewards you the consumer. Please choose with confidence. Happy eating and drinking.

Cheers!

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FIZZ BY THE GLASS - 175ml/75cl Bottle

Prosecco, Frassinelli Conegliano –Valdobbiadene, Italy 11.5% £6.95 /£27.95
Fresh dry apple; a perfect aperitif

Lunetta Rose Spumante, Trentino, Italy 11.5% £6.25 /£25.95
Light, dry, really lovely summer drinking, delicate cherry and strawberry flavours, candy coloured with soft persistent bubbles. Really well made from an interesting blend of Chardonnay, Merlot and Teroldego

Gallimard Brut NV Champagne 12% £11.95 / £54.00
Aged & rounded, good fruit, crisp acidity & a long biscuity finish.... great bubbles from Les Riceys in the Southern Aube

WINE BY THE GLASS, BOTTLE OR CARAFE

To share a 375ml measure ask for a carafe

WHITE

125ml /175ml /250ml /75cl

501 Joyau Gros Manseng-Chardonnay Cotes de Gascogne, 2016 France vg £4.00 / 5.60 / 7.50 / 20.95
Crisp, tangy, with melon, apricot, grapefruit and subtle white peach, 12%

502 The Underworld, Grenache Blanc, 2016, South Africa v £4.60 / 6.20 / 8.40 / 23.95
Lime, white peach and a hint of dried herb, pithy with fresh stone fruit and gently nutty, partly aged in old oak, really tasty 13%

503 Pazo de Monterrey Godello, 2016 Monterrei, Spain vg £4.80 / 6.50 / 8.80 / 24.95
Aromatic with ripe apple & pears, a touch of white spice, fresh fruity and elegant 13.5%

504 Apello Sauvignon Blanc, 2016 Marlborough, New Zealand £4.90 / 6.60 / 8.90 / 25.95
Zesty, dry, refreshing acidity, peach, passion fruit, green pepper and citrus; great value Marlborough Sauvignon 13%

505 ‘Duque de Viseu’ Carvalhais, Dao, 2016, Portugal v £4.60 / 6.30 / 8.50 / 24.00
Off dry, fresh fruit flavours, spice & creamy vanilla with crisp acidity, traditional grape varieties, Encruzado, Malvasia Fina, Bical make a delicious white Dao 12.5%

506 Boutinot Macon-Charnay, Reserve Personelle 2014, France £5.20 / 7.00 / 9.40 / 26.95
Classic unoaked white burgundy, lovely peachy aromas lead to a long, lingering, full ripe citrusy finish, great food match 13%

ROSE

516 Percheron, Grenache Rose, 2017, South Africa £3.50 / 5.00 / 6.60 / 18.95
Really elegant dry rose, delicately floral with wild red fruits and zesty pink grapefruit acidity 14.5%

517 Rimauresq ‘Rimo’ 2016, Cotes de Provence Rose, France £5.00 / 6.75 / 9.75 / 27.95
Spiced red fruit and herbs, minerally, floral, fresh and well balanced blend of Grenache, Cinsault and Syrah pleasant aperitif, great with light grilled meats as well as fish 13%

RED

508 Borsao, Garnacha, Campo de Borja, 2016, Spain v £4.20 / 5.60 / 7.50 / 21.00
Red berry fruits and warm spice flavours, juicy, easy drinking and a versatile food match 14%

509 Swartland Winery, Granite Rock Blend, 2014, South Africa 13.5% £4.60 / 6.20 / 8.30 / 23.50
Spiced cherry & fresh raspberry, savoury with soft tannins, a juicy blend of Rhone style varieties, Mourvedre, Carignan, Grenache.

510 Murphy Vineyard Big Rivers Shiraz, 2016, Murray River, Australia £4.30 / 5.80 / 7.80 / 22.00
Dangerously easy drinking, smooth, rich, fruity brambly, slightly jammy 14.5%

511 Uggiano Chianti Classico Riserva Prestige, 2011, Italy £4.90 / 6.60 / 8.90 / 25.95
Cherry fruit, dried herb & a touch of oak, juicy enough to drink alone but more impressive with food. Great value 13.5%

512 Florent & Damien ‘Burle ‘Est-ce-que?’ IGP Vaucluse, 2016 Rhone £4.60 / 6.20 / 8.40 / 23.95
Superb quality declassified Gigondas, bright juicy crunchy pure red and black fruit with spice and ripe tannins 13 %

513 Sottano Malbec, 2015, Argentina £5.00 / 6.90 / 9.30 / 26.50
Red & black fruits, spice & hints of chocolate, medium to full bodied, easy drinking and food friendly 13.5%

CHILLED DRY SHERRY BY GLASS or CARAFE

125ml / 300ml carafe

Gutierrez Fino Colasia - Palate cleansing aperitif made in Andalucía Spain 15% £5.50 / £12.00

Romate Amontillado - Intense nutty aromas, slightly sweet 17% £5.50 / £12.00

Valdespino Deliciosa Manzanilla en Rama - Intense mineral aromas, notes of almond & apple 17.5% £7.00 / £15.00

Vegan - VG Vegetarian - V

Magpie Estate

Magpie Estate wines are from the Barossa Valley in Australia and is co-owned by our wine supplier Noel Young, who is also heavily involved in the making and blending of the wines, and his partner in Australia Rolf Binder. Noel and Rolf both love the wines from the Rhone valley in France, and the traditional varieties of the Rhone Valley –Syrah (Shiraz), Grenache, Mourvedre are the mainstays of the range. The aim is to make wines that reflect a sense of place, full flavoured wines with real depth, but not massive, dark, oaky wines- drinkability is the key here, and they are very food friendly styles too. The wines get great press around the world and have attracted a true ‘cult’ following.

The wines are handmade with a lot of love and have slightly irreverent labels. The idea is definitely to have some fun, making them, labelling them and ultimately drinking them!

We at the Plough have sold the wines for many years and they prove very popular with all of us and our customers! We thought it would be fun, and a good way to feature the range of Magpie Estate wines to have a separate page showcasing these.

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| 100 | ‘The Mexican Dancer’ Viognier 2013 | £24.95 |
| | Viognier grapes are picked early to retain good acidity, and partly aged in oak. Grapey with honeysuckle and stone fruits, good weight yet has a lovely freshness, very food versatile too. 13% | |
| 101 | ‘The Salvation’ Gewurztraminer 2016 | £28.00 |
| | From a vineyard near the cooler Eden Valley. This is a lighter fresher style of Gewurztraminer. Lychee, ginger and citrus on the nose. Just off dry with lovely tangy fruit. Loves food with a touch of spice. 13% | |
| 102 | ‘SF2’ Mataro-Grenache 2016 14.5% | £28.95 |
| | A natural wine, made with limited intervention apart for the smallest amount of sulphur and sealed with a crown cap. Bright cherry fruit, spice, white pepper with a palate of rich crunchy damson, black raspberry and cherry, lots of spice and soft tannins...a big juicy unadulterated mouthful of wine, to be drink young, don’t miss out. 93 pts James Halliday | |
| 103 | ‘The Beak’ Shiraz Grenache, 2014 | £25.95 |
| | Juicy vibrant red and black berry fruits a touch of herb, spice and creamy oak, fruit driven, versatile, very drinkable 13.5% | |
| 104 | ‘The Scoundrel’ Grenache Mouvedre-Shiraz 2015 | £28.00 |
| | Juicy, medium bodied, lots of berry fruit, white pepper and spice, easy drinking but with more than enough character to partner dishes such as slow cooked meats, game casseroles, roasted vegetables 13.5% | |
| 105 | ‘The Fakir’ Grenache 2012 | £28.00 |
| | A really savoury, quite soft style of Grenache. Not a big style, aged in French oak, it has berry fruits and spice. Great with lamb, also works well with spice. Soft and smooth. 14% | |
| 106 | ‘The Call Bag’ Mouvedre-Grenache 2010/12 | £28.95 |
| | Bright juicy mulled wine spices alongside black cherry & plum fruit creamy oak & ripe tannins. Drinking really well now 14% | |
| 107 | ‘The Black Sock’ Mouvedre 2012/13 | £29.95 |
| | Has all the classic savoury characters of Mourvedre. Meat, olive, spice, leather but with some classic Magpie Estate juiciness. Aged nearly 2 years in oak, so really quite soft now. Great with red meats and game in particular. 14% | |
| 108 | ‘The Sack’ Shiraz 2015 | £29.95 |
| | Really popular wine from Magpie. Classic generous Barossa Shiraz, but has the Magpie hallmark of ripe red and black berry fruits, soft tannins, a touch of creamy oak giving real drinkability. Great with steak. 14% | |
| 109 | ‘The Gomersal’ Grenache 2013 | £48.95 |
| | Only made in the best years, tiny production from a few rows of a special 55 year old vineyard. Aged in new and older French oak. Lovely meaty, savoury wine with real depth, soft and almost velvety. 14% | |
| 110 | ‘The Malcolm’ Shiraz 2009 | £110.00 |
| | Single vineyard Shiraz, made very rarely and the pinnacle of Magpie Estate Shiraz. Single vineyard, grapes are picked late and aged in new American oak, after a year it goes into new French oak. This is a big yet beautifully balanced Shiraz. Powerful, dark fruits, spice, plain chocolate and toasty oak. Best decanted and best with high quality beef! 15% | |
| 111 | Magpie Estate ‘The Tight Cluster’ Sparkling Shiraz 2008 | £42.00 |
| | Our first ever sparkling Shiraz and it has been getting great reviews. We held back barrels of premium Shiraz for 3 years before the wine underwent a secondary fermentation in bottle for months. Decanted and we added a small amount of fortified Shiraz (port) to finish the wine off. Lots of ripe black berry fruits with spice, it’s just off-dry and great fun. If you have never tried a sparkling red you should. Great with Asian spiced pork, duck, marinated red meats, or just a delicious glass of fizz with a difference. 13.5% | |

FIZZ

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Lunetta Rose Spumante, Trentino, Italy 11.5%	£25.95
Light, dry, really lovely summer drinking, delicate cherry and strawberry flavours, candy coloured with soft persistent bubbles.	
Champagne Cuvée Trianon, RC Lemaire NV	£55.95
Little known producer Gilles Tournant produces this delicately blended Champagne Ideal for any occasion 12%	
Coates & Seely Rose, Hampshire, England	£48.95
Rated as one of England's greatest sparkling rose wines, good as an aperitif and also with food 12%	
Gallimard Brut NV Champagne	£54.00
Aged & rounded, good fruit, crisp acidity & a long biscuity finish.... great bubbles from Les Riceys in the Southern Aube 12%	
Gosset, Brut Excellence NV Champagne 12%	£85.00
The oldest known producer of wine in champagne, going back to 1584. A blend of Chardonnay & Pinot Noir with Pinot Meunier and a high proportion of reserve wines from previous vintages. Versatile & food friendly, Gosset even recommend drinking with red meat	
Gosset Grande Reserve Rose NV 12%	£149.95
Rose hip, redcurrant & peach, crisp, fresh and wonderfully aromatic	

WHITE- Crisp, dry fresh and easy drinking 75cl Bottle

1 L'Ormarine 'Duc de Morny' Picpoul de Pinet, 2016, Languedoc France	£21.95
Grapes in the right terroir. Fruity and concentrated remaining fresh with slight saline edge, superb with fish 12.5%	
2 CaVit'Terrazze della Luna' Pinot Grigio, Trentino Nosiola 2016, Italy	£21.00
Delicate fresh apple fruit balanced with zesty acidity, textured and slightly nutty with crisp green edge 12%	
3 Alasia Gavi del Comune di Gavi, 2016, Italy	£26.95
Grape with pineapple a touch of spice and crisp lemony acidity, packed full of fruit and great value 13%	
4 Larry Cherubino 'Apostrophe' 'Stones Throw' Riesling-Gewurztraminer, 2015	£28.95
Off dry, aromatic, really zesty lime, apple, apricot with a clean fresh finish 12%	
5 A Mano Fiano-Greco, 2016 Italy	£24.50
Fresh, floral with exotic fruit flavours of white peach and apricot and crisp acidity 13%	
6 Emiliana Adobe Reserva Organic Gewurztraminer 2015/16, Chile 13.5%	£22.50
Lychee, musk & spice, stone fruits, almost tropical with mango and peach then a real grapey character and a dry fresh finish	
7 Feudo Maccari Grillo, 2016, Sicily	£26.00
Perfumed wine with ripe apples, grapes and peach, tangy zesty acidity, its body and depth make a good food wine it is also delicious to drink on its own, works well with seafood, delicate light starters, white meats and copes with spices 13.5%	
8 Petxina Wines 'Blau Cel' Xarel-lo-Macabeu, 2016,Catalunya, Spain vg (Organic)	£26.00
Aromatic white fruit, lemon zest, stone fruits and saline minerals, almost salty great with grilled sardines, mackerel 13%	
9 Monte Schiavo Verdicchio Coste Del Molino, 2016, Marche Italy	£23.95
Rich, full flavoured concentrated peachy fruit and grapefruit tang, aromas of honey & almond, great with seafood 13.5%	
10 Chablis, Domaine Fournillon 2015, France	£33.95
Crisp, fresh, citrus & limey acidity. Good depth & classic slatey minerality. Early drinking Chablis that is very enjoyable 12.5%	
11 Riesling, Pewsey Vale, 2016, Eden Valley, Australia	£34.95
Intense flavours of limes, lemons, grapefruit, and a hint of tropical fruit. Soft natural acidity, Dry but not austere 12.5%	

WHITE – Soft, rounded & aromatic		75cl Bottle
12	Sierra Grande Chardonnay, 2016, Casablanca Valley, Chile Un oaked, pure, clean, crisp with ripe tropical fruits white peaches and mango 13%	£18.95
13	Lopez de Haro, Rioja Blanco, 2015/16, Spain 12.5% Soft pear & citrus, hints of banana & dates, mouth filling and balanced, good with grilled fish light spice or roast white meat	£21.00
14	Loosen Brothers Riesling, 2014/15 Mosel, Germany A medium dry white with a lovely lime and apricot fruit slightly spritzzy, very refreshing 8%	£24.95
15	Kurt Angerer Gruner Veltliner ‘Kies’, 2016, Austria Fresh zesty stone fruits, tangy citrus, white peach and white pepper, a hint of spritz; really delicious! 12.5%	£24.95
16	Contesa Caparrone Pecorino Colline Pescaresi, 2016, Italy Fresh, aromatic, hints of pear drops leading to grapey, peachy flavours with hints of citrus, fabulous with fish 12.5%	£24.50
17	Pinot Blanc Reserve Caves de Turckheim, 2015 Alsace, France Pineapple, pear, peach, a soft spice & mineral palate with more pear drops, Delicious aperitif or with light spice and fish 12.5%	£23.95
18	Yealands Estate Single Vineyard Pinot Gris, 2016, Awatere Valley, New Zealand Off dry style, not too blousy, delicious balance of fruit, spice & crisp acidity, ripe pear leading to peach, great with seafood, chicken and any dish with a hint of spice 13.5%	£32.95
19	Mon Vieux ‘Hells Heights’ Sauvignon Blanc, 2015, South Africa 14.5% Old vines, 450m above sea level on granite soil, wild fermented, unfiltered, aged in new French oak barrels. Ripe pear, fresh honey, tropical fruits, peach, mango, mandarin & citrus, nutty oak add length, extra complexity and a gently creamy finish.	£26.00
20	Pieropan Soave Classico 'Calvarino', 2014, Italy Pieropan makes great Soave; this single vineyard wine is seriously impressive. From old, low yielding Garganega grapes, it's got a richness to it, a lovely stone fruit and honey intensity, yet is round and minerally. 12.5%	£45.95
21	Beau Constantia ‘Pierre’ Sauvignon Blanc – Semillon 2016, South Africa White peach, passion fruit, lime zest, flinty acidity, an incredible concentration of flavour with rich creamy texture. Bonsai vines grown at 350 metres seemed to defy the vintage conditions, one of Tim Atkins wines of the year 13.5%	£48.00
WHITE- Zesty, fresh, sauvignon & sauvignon style		75cl Bottle
22	Dona Paula, Sauvignon Blanc, 2016 Mendoza, Argentina ‘Consistently the best sauvignon in Argentina, crunchy vibrant boiled sweets and grapefruit with a zesty lemongrass finish. An excellent alternative to New Zealand sauvignon blanc 12.5%	£22.50
23	Arousana ‘Luzada’ Albarino 2016, Spain Classic Albarino with saline notes, peach, stone fruits and citrus, crisp zesty lovely clean style 12.5%	£23.95
24	Errazuriz Aconcagua Costa, Sauvignon Blanc, 2016, Chile Seriously enjoyable, full bodied, extremely long; citrus & tropical fruits quite perfumed yet crisp, dry with saline and minerally feel adding freshness to the wine. From the coastal influenced Aconcagua Costa region, 13%	£27.95
25	Ca dei Frati ‘I Frati’ 2015, Lugana, Italy Delicious Lugana. Crisp, tangy with white peach & honeyed citrus, rich fruit balanced with good acidity. Excellent aperitif and delicious with creamy fish dishes 13%	£38.95
26	Dog Point Sauvignon Blanc 2016, Marlborough, New Zealand Exotic pear and passion fruit, crisp lively grapefruit, really aromatic, focused and fresh. 93/100 James Goode 13.5%	£38.95
27	Pouilly-Fume, Domaine Bel Air, 2015, Loire, France Classic style, a minerality and depth underlines the quality of the fruit. Excellent texture that can so often be missing. Saline notes add to the complexity and ensure its drinkability with food 13%	£37.95
28	Pre Sémelé, Sancerre 2016, Loire, France 13% Classic green citrus with herbaceous notes. Crisp and clean with purity and minerality. Zesty lime citrus, hints of ripe fruit, herbaceous with mouth-watering acidity and a lovely stony finish. Great example of high quality Sancerre loads of character	£38.95

WHITE - Big, rich & full**75cl Bottle**

- 30 Tenuta Ulisse Trebbiano d'Abruzzo, 2015 Sicily, Italy £26.95**
Packed full of bright fruit, ripe apple to the fore, both green and red with a hint of peach, pineapple and limey citrus on the crisp finish. Zesty and full of energy; great fruit intensity. 12.5%
- 31 Mon Vieux 'Aquifer' Semillon 2015, South Africa £27.95**
Rich, textured, nutty, with lemon and tangy stone fruit, grapefruit & limey acidity, slightly smoky and great length Fabulous Semillon from 51 year old vines, wild yeast fermented, aged in French oak and bottled unfiltered. 13.5%
- 32 De Martino Reserva Chardonnay 'Legado' 2016, Limari Chile £28.95**
Citrus aromas accented by nutty nuances and subtle oak, fresh, zippy, limey acidity a good match for rich meaty fish and creamy sauces even fish and chips 13.5%
- 33 Chateau de Campuget '1753' Viognier IGP Gard, 2016, Provence, France £32.00**
Elegant in every way, hints of orange marmalade apricots and ripe white peach, lime citrus and a hint of spice, rounded with textured oak and crisp clean mouthwatering finish 13 %
- 34 Vuurberg, White 2016, Western Cape, S Africa £36.95**
Apples, pears and creamy vanilla oak fresh mandarin fruit acidity textured and mineral, a blend of Chenin Blanc-Viognier-Semillon-Roussanne- Grenache Blanc and Verdelho 14% 93 points Decanter
- 35 Bouchard Finlayson 'Crocodile's Lair' Kaaimansgat Chardonnay 2015, S Africa £36.95**
Deliciously rich and full of leesy barrel fermented fat consumed by texture and intensity but not imbalanced as the acidity maintains a spine, and is evident if not masked by the gorgeous peachy cream fruit. 13.5%
- 36 St Clair Family Estate, Omaka Reserve, Chardonnay 2015, Marlborough £49.00**
An intensely flavoured, full bodied chardonnay with balancing acidity holding freshness. Ripe peach and honeysuckle, complex stone fruits, citrus, a hint of spice and savoury oak 14%
- 37 Montagny, 'Les Crets' Domaine Feuillat, Juillot 2015, Burgundy France £39.50**
Chardonnay in that clean, crisp disciplined style we love, floral notes with a round elegant texture 13%
- 38 Pouilly Fuisse, Domaine Saumaize Michelin, 2015, France £58.00**
Rounded and generous with ripe grapefruit lemon and pineapples, textured and nutty 13%
- 39 J Lohr Arroyo Vista Vineyard Chardonnay 2013/15, California £52.00**
Superb single vineyard Chardonnay. It's a rich complex full wine, with honey, creamy oak, peach and citrus fruit. All in great balance, it's textured, long and complex. 14.5%
- 40 Meursault, 'Les Tillets' Christian Bellang, 2015 Burgundy, France £75.00**
A forward quite powerful Meursault full of pear and white peach fruit intertwined with savoury, smoky notes and underpinned by mineral grip. Long and refined in the mouth with some nutty oak adding complexity. 13%

ROSE**75cl Bottle**

- 41 Contesa Cerasuolo d'Abruzzo, 2016, Italy £23.95**
Berry fruit and sweet pomegranate, slight spritz with a lovely cherry finish 13%
- 42 Rioja Rosado, Sierra Cantabria 2016, Spain £25.95**
Fresh and fragrant with nuances of strawberry, blackberry, raspberry and pomegranate, intense lively fruit finish. Mainly Viura with Garnacha and Tempranillo 13%
- 43 Sancerre Rose, Domaine du Pre Semele 2016, Loire, France £35.95**
Mouth-wateringly fresh, dry, delicate with softly stated fruit flavours, strawberry, raspberry, blossom & zingy minerals 12.5%

RED WINES

Most of our bottles of red are kept in a temperature controlled cabinet which is set at 18 degrees centigrade if they are not kept in our cellar. Red wines ideally should be served between 15 and 18 degrees centigrade depending on the style of wine. We are always happy to chill or bring your wine up to room temperature if this is not to your taste, please just ask...

HALF BOTTLES - RED

37.5cl Bottle

Domaine de Gry-Sablon Dominique Morel Fleurie Vieilles Vignes, 2016, France £19.00

Elegant red fruit bursting with velvety tannins recommended with white meats, lamb cutlet, fish and goats cheese 12.5%

Crimson Pinot Noir 2016, Ata Rangi, Martinborough, New Zealand £23.00

Spice, liquorice, red fruits, cranberry and rosehip a vibrant expression of pinot noir, silky tannin, long and seductive 13.5%

Fontodi Chianti Classico 2013, Tuscany, Italy £25.00

Perfume of sour cherry and plums lead to leather and tobacco, juicy fruit, supple tannins end with a fine mineral note. 14%

RED-Light, juicy, & easy drinking

75cl Bottle

44 Sierra Grande Pinot Noir, 2016, Chile £19.00

Ripe fruits, plums and wild strawberries balanced with subtle smoky notes and long lingering finish 14%

45 False Bay Shiraz, 2016, South Africa £19.00

Wild yeast fermented perfumed with red berry fruit, young, bright creamy style, brambly with a hint of spice easy drinking easy drinking not too heavy great with food 14%

46 Bodegas Adria 'Vega Montan' Mencia Joven, 2016, Spain £23.50

A 'joven' style Mencia from Galicia, from 50 years old vines and aged on lees for 2 months, unoaked and bottled young. Bright fresh deep wild strawberry leads to plum and hints of liquorice, meaty, savoury with spice and herbs on the finish great served with a light chill 13.5%

47 Chateau de Belleverne 'La Basse-Cour' Beaujolais Villages 2015/16, France £23.95

Juicy, bright but not light weight, red and black cherries, plum and spice, full and crunchy good with lamb and richer white meats 13%

48 Recchia Valpolicella Classico 'Masua di Jago' 2015, Veneto, Italy £26.50

Refreshing style with bright crunchy fruit, cherries with dried herb and ripe tannins a hint of bitter sweet on the finish 13%

49 Macia Batle 'Anada' 2015, Mallorca, Spain £26.95

Cracking! Young, juicy red fruits, a hint of spicy vanilla oak, crunchy ripe tannins, for summer drinking. A blend of local varieties Mantenegro and Callet with Cab Sauvignon and Syrah. 14%

50 Planeta 'Plumbago' Nero d' Avola 2015, Sicily £30.95

Lighter more herbal style of Nero d'Avola. Bright, clean with lots of berry fruits, herbs and a hint of olive. Fresh minerals with a savoury feel that works with a variety of dishes 13.5%

51 Chateau des Tours Brouilly 2015, France £29.95

A text book Brouilly, deliciously crunchy & bright with a lovely purity of red berry fruits, bright strawberry and cherry 12.5%

52 La Crema by Byron Pinot Noir, Sonoma County 2013, California £37.95

Aromas of red cherry, raspberry, pomegranate and sweet tobacco. Multi-layered flavors of red, blue and black berry fruit, plums, cherries and a hint of blood orange underpin subtle layers of exotic spice and toast. Fine tannins and balanced acidity drive a long finish 13.5%

53 MOKO black Pinot Noir 2015, Marlborough, New Zealand £29.95

Attractive cherry and raspberry nose, hints of dried herbs and spice. Good acidity not too over extracted. Fresh crunchy berry with a lick of oak in the wine making lending a soothing creaminess to the whole. Poised and textural 13%

RED -Rich but Soft, Medium weight**75cl Bottle**

- 54 Cape Heights Merlot, 2016, South Africa** **£18.95**
A really juicy Merlot, full of plum and berry fruits, easy drinking and great with a wide variety of dishes 14.5%
- 55 Ego Bodegas ‘Pirapu’ Monastrell-Syrah, 2015, Jumilla, Spain** **£22.00**
Intense potent black fruit, toasty oak maturation, fruity with delicious tannins, immensely enjoyable, indulgent red 14%
- 56 Ontanon Rioja Vina Ecologica 2015, Spain** **£22.50**
Delicious, organic, modern, but very much a rioja in flavour, typical roasted meats with berry and cherry fruits on a quite perfumed nose, bright juicy style, spends just 5 months in American oak 13.5%
- 57 La Masseria Primitivo, 2015, Puglia, Italy** **£25.00**
Voluptuous, sweet black cherries and plums, toasty oak herbs and sweet spice, great with rich meat dishes and cheese 14.5 %
- 58 Spice Route Mouvedre, 2014, Swartland, South Africa** **£27.95**
Delicious, rich and savoury with perfumed black cherry a hint of nutmeg, creamy oak but not heavy 14.5 %
- 59 Cara Nord Cellar ‘Mineral’ del Montsant, 2014, Spain** **£28.95**
Juicy blend 80% Carignan and 20% Garnacha, sweet berry fruits, spice, oak, hints of liquorice, a lovely full flavoured mouthful of red, would work well with slow cooked meats 14%
- 60 Massaya ‘Le Colombier’ Beqaa Valley, 2015, Lebanon** **£28.95**
Solid rich berry fruits, spice and pepper, elegant, ripe and slightly perfumed from grape varieties we are familiar with cinsault, grenache noir, tempranillo and syrah, really enjoyable, easy drinking 14.5%
- 61 Beau Constantia ‘Pas de Nom’, 2015, Constantia, South Africa** **£35.95**
Delicious blend of Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Malbec, Cabernet Sauvignon and Petit Verdot. Full flavoured with a really pleasant freshness, black cherry, black berry, spice and creamy oak, a hint of smoke, rich long finish with a touch of liquorice 14.5%
- 62 Recchia ‘Le Muraie’, Valpolicella Ripasso. Classico Superiore 2014, Veneto, Italy** **£39.00**
Intense blackberry, cinnamon, roasted coffee, liquorice and dark chocolate a hint of spice and creamy oak, good balancing acidity great with robust food or cheese.14.5%
- 63 Cline ‘Ancient Vines’ Mouvedre, 2014, Contra Costa County, California** **£36.00**
Deep plum and concentrated cherry a hint of Eucalyptus and chocolate, quite peppery and meaty a delicious round mouth feel with soft tannins recommended with grilled lamb or pork and copes with a little spice15.5%
- 64 Kooyong ‘Massale’ Pinot Noir, 2016, Mornington Peninsula Victoria, Australia** **£45.00**
Elegant and silky, bright and juicy with lovely delicate oak, pure raspberry and dark cherry fruit. one of Matthew Dukes top 100 Australian wines works really well meaty fish, chicken or lamb13%
- 65 Holm Oak Pinot Noir, 2015 Tasmania Australia** **£54.00**
Raspberry, cherry, spice, a touch of stalkiness and rosy perfume, with a little bit of chocolate and oak in the mix too. Medium bodied, a little nervy, sappy and really fresh, fine almost silky tannin, juiciness of mixed red berry flavours, plenty of spice, good acidity on a long clean finish. 13%
- 66 Monthelie, Domaine Berthelemot 2013, Burgundy** **£55.95**
Young but from a really good vintage. Bright plum and cherry fruit almost chocolaty oak with a delicious meaty savouriness. A modern style, really appealing chunky burgundy 13.5 %
- 67 Brezza Barolo Classico, DOCG 2012, Piedmont Italy** **£65.00**
Really impressive, if slightly less complex, being quite young for Barolo it is advised to consume at an early age with its expressive nose and elegant style, dried cherries herbs and liquorice in an open accessible style 14.5%
- 68 Argiano Brunello di Montalcino, 2012, Italy** **£69.95**
Dark cherry, moist earth, tobacco and grilled herb, succulent with bright acidity 2012 showcases the special micro climate on the southern flank of Montalcino and warm climate Sangiovese.. Have this decanted 14.5%

RED - Ripe, spicy and structured & full bodied	75cl Bottle
69 MAN. Family Wines ‘Bosstok’ Pinotage 2015, South Africa	£22.95
A modern style that showcases the Pinot Noir-like characteristics of Pinotage. Perfumed juicy bright fruits and sweet oak flavours; holds its own with most bold dishes even some spice. Bosstok refers to the untrellised bush-vine vineyards, growing close to the ground producing lower yield concentrated fruit 14%	
70 Listening Station Malbec , 2016, Australia	£21.95
Lots of big black fruits, minty and spicy easy drinking and great with grilled meats 14%	
71 Tenuta Ulisse ‘Unico’ Montepulciano D’Abruzzo 2015, Italy	£27.95
Fabulous full bodied yet bright and fresh with dense black and red berry and cherry fruits, spice and hints of chocolate 14%	
72 Perez Cruz Cabernet Sauvignon Reserva , 2014, Maipo Valley, Chile	£27.95
Cassis, black pepper and classic herb, big bodied and concentrated yet fresh and easy drinking 13.5%	
73 Klein Zalze Malbec, Vineyard Selection , 2016, Stellenbosch, South Africa	£28.95
Dense and full of deep cherry and plum spice, savoury meat notes a touch of sweet oak with a bright juicy feel 14.5%	
74 Chateau Mayne-Vieil, Fronsac 2014, Bordeaux, France	£28.95
A great vintage of this wine - powerful, concentrated and already well-knit but still youthful. Packed with intense black mulberry flavoured fruit and firm but smooth tannins, the ripe fruit makes this very drinkable now.	
75 Chateau de Laussac ‘Cuvee La Fleur’ Castillon , 2015, Bordeaux, France	£32.00
Just 4-5 km of St Emilion, 75% Merlot, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon. Perfumed with violets, plums, black cherry creamy oak and ripe tannins with a hint of Cabernet Franc herbal freshness. Approachable modern claret 13.5%	
76 Hancock & Hancock Shiraz-Grenache , 2014/15, McLaren Vale, Australia	£32.95
Ripe dark raspberry plum fruits, with liquorice and spice light to medium weight bright, fresh with a dry finish 14%	
77 Louis. M. Mortini, Sonoma County, Cabernet Sauvignon , 2014, California	£36.00
Great value, earlier drinking style of Californian Cabernet Sauvignon, cassis, plum, spice and toasty oak, full bodied, quite floral and perfumed, atypical for modern California, great with grilled meats also good on its own 14%	

RED - Ripe, spicy and structured & full bodied

75cl Bottle

All bottles below are kept at cellar temperature, please allow time to prepare

- 78 Chateau Noailles, Medoc Cru Bourgeois, 2009 Bordeaux France £36.00**
Great value mature Medoc. The vines are 20-25 years of age on average, 55% Cabernet Sauvignon, 40% Merlot and 5% Petit Verdot. Xavier Pages has a new modern winery and with him at the helm this is a property starting to produce good succulent earthy claret in a lovely forward style 14%
- 79 Rancho Zabaco Sonoma Heritage Vines Zinfandel, 2014 California £31.95**
Jammy blackberry and spicy black pepper with caramelized flavours and toasty notes complementing the dark, rich fruit approachable mouth feel; a versatile partner to a wide range of foods slightly lighter style to the Dry Creek 14%
- 80 Camins del Priorat' 2016, Priorat, Spain £39.95**
Medium bodied, really juicy core of savoury red berries, dense plum fruits, ripe tannins & lots of spice, integrated oak. Very approachable 14.5%
- 81 Valenciso Reserva Rioja 2010, Rioja Spain £47.95**
A beautiful, supple, dense Rioja, drinking beautifully. Meaty with deep berry fruit aromas, hints of cedar, oak and spice. Produced purely from Tempranillo, and aged in new French oak barriques for 16 months, this wine shows all the elegance of the variety, medium-full bodied and smooth. Meaty with sweet berry fruits think strawberry and raspberry with cherry too, integrated oak and good acidity. 14.5%
- 82 Cline 'Nancys Vines' Old Vine Zinfandel 2015, Contra Costa County, California £39.95**
Plump red fruits with coffee and chocolate, liquorice and pepper, ripe fruit and soft tannins make this a mouth-wateringly rich and elegant wine, 15%
- 83 Amarone Masua Di Jago, Reccia 2013, Veneto, Italy £51.95**
A full rich, balanced and velvety palate with an abundance of deep cherry flavours and a hint of spice 16%
- 84 Chateau Clos de la Cure, Grand Cru, St. Emilion, 2012, Bordeaux £57.95**
Juicy, figgy red and black fruits with some drier cedar streaks on the palate and lovely grippy tannins. This dense Merlot-dominant Bordeaux maybe youthful still, but is quietly classy and a versatile food match, though particularly good with a rack of lamb. 15%

SWEET WINE by the bottle

(For sweet wines by the glass see the main menu)

Moscato D'Asti, Alasia, 2016, Piemonte Italy (70cl)	£19.50
Luscious, softly sweet and lingeringly floral Light sweet refreshing end to a meal, very good with panna cotta 5%	
Pink Moscato, Innocent Bystander, 2015, Victoria Australia (37.5cl)	£12.95
Semi sweet bubbles, pink frothy and fun 5.5%	
Il Cascinone Moscato Passito 'Palazzina' 2013 Italy (37.5cl)	£18.50
Late harvest Muscat grapes dried on 'grattici' traditional Italian rush mats. Ripe apricot and acacia honey long fresh and lingering citrus; beautifully crafted 13%	
Chambers Rutherglen Liqueur Muscat, NV Australia (37.5cl)	£30.00
Decadent liqueur Muscat. Rich, grapy, raisiny with a rich nutty finish 17.5%	
Jean-Christophe Barbe, Chateau Laville Sauternes 2013, France (37.5cl)	£45.00
Rich, intense still fresh on the palate. Classic, apricot, marmalade and almonds. 13.5%	
Quady Essencia Orange Muscat 2014/15, California (37.5cl)	£28.95
Made from 100% Orange Muscat and lightly fortified. This little known variety works, really well with chocolate or rich fruit based desserts, orange blossom perfume, apricot aromas, lingering bitter sweet orange on the palate 15%	
Domaine de Grangeneuve Monbazillac, 2011, France (50cl)	£23.95
White blossom, honeysuckle and baked pear goes well with fruit or creamy desserts. 13%	
'Nostalgia' Rare NV, D'Arenberg, Australia (37.5cl)	£36.95
Dried fruits, toasted almonds and walnuts, opening up to apples and pears with a hint of cinnamon spice, there is toffee, dried figs and burnt butter on the palate with a fantastic balance of freshness, it is silky clean and tangy with a great lingering length. Great with cheese, or chocolate or just on its own at the end of a meal 20.5%	
SWEET SHERRY	
Pedro Ximenez 'Cardenal Cisneros' Romate	£39.95
Very rich dessert wine or stand alone dessert 18%	
PORT	
Quinta do Crasto LBV 2012	£50.00
Deep purple with very inviting, sweet aromas of raisin and blue fruits. Bold and sweet fruited with just a hint of cake and spice, oak influence is minimal 20%	
Quinta do Vallado 10 year old Tawny Port (50cl)	£25.00
Fresh rich and velvety, dried fruit, praline and orange confit with a hint of tobacco 19.5%	
Croft Quinta da Roeda Vintage Port 2002	£56.00
A slightly lighter style from Croft with nutty aromas and a core of rich black fruits 20.5%	

Recommended Digestif list

Cognac (35ml)

Maxime Trijol VSOP Grande Champagne **£6.50**

Nose: Vanilla, spice and some dried fruit on the initial aromas, developing to include a little apricot and oak.

Palate: Well-structured body, mellow and rich on the palate, but also fruity with a light and elegant touch. Finishes well with a little tickle of fire from the spirit.

Domaine de la Grolette Tres Vieille Reserve Borderies Cognac **£8.00**

Nose: Violets pear and toasted almonds

Palate: Dried fruit with spice and soft tannin

This house has carefully selected the finest cognacs that have been aged in Limousin oak casks for 20 to 30 years to represent the 'Tres Vieille Reserve'.

Ragnaud Sabourin Alliance 35 Fontvieille Grande Champagne **£15.00**

Nose: Delicate, elegant, sweet spice and vanilla.

Palate: Dried fruit and orange rind on the palate, rich and unctuous with a well developed and complex finish.

As near to perfection as you can get from one of the most prestigious private estates in Grande Champagne.

Armagnac (35ml)

Baron de Sigognac 10 ans d'age Bas Armagnac **£6.00**

Nose: Very supple with notes of cinnamon and nutmeg, sweet vanilla notes and a lovely array of fresh flowers and orange peel.

Palate: Rich and earthy with notes of preserves and peels, butterscotch, sweet spices, oak.

Castarede 1974, Bas Armagnac **£10.50**

Nose: This Armagnac distilled in 1974 has a very aromatic nose with hints of vanilla and spice.

Palate: It is wonderfully well balanced, with a light shade of vanilla and fine elegant fruit

Calvados (35ml)

Calvados, Domaine Dupont VSOP Pays d'Auge **£6.00**

Nose: Wonderfully fresh on the nose, flaky pastry and cherry bakewells.

Palate: Very creamy - lots of yummy vanilla fudge to this one. Red and green waxy apple peel too.

Rum (35ml)

Mezan Vintage Barrique Aged Jamaica Rum XO **£6.00**

Nose: Pungent nose, fresh banana and sweet spice, light style with complex spice,

Palate: Hints of tobacco and long lingering finish.

This Jamaican Rum was pot distilled at the famous Hampden Distillery.

Mezan Vintage Barrique Aged Trinidad Rum 1991 **£6.00**

Nose: Rich nose of liquorice and very ripe fruit.

Palate: Candied peel, burnt rubber and sweet spice. Quite rich and very long.

This Trinidadian Rum was column distilled at the now closed Caroni Distillery

Mezan Vintage Barrique Aged Trinidad Rum 2007 **£6.00**

Nose: Zingy coconut, tobacco leaf, toasted oak and citrus

Palate: Lemongrass, black pepper, light spice with honey and oak

Whisky (35ml)

Scotch Single Malt

Speyside

Benriach 12 year old Sherrywood £5.00

Nose: Baked apples, rich toasted spices, some sweet citrus

Palate: The sweet, sticky Pedro Ximénez sherry cask makes its presence felt, lovely rich ripe raisins & sultanas

Benromach 10 year old £5.00

Nose: Dark chocolate, creamy vanilla, dates & peat smoke

Palate: Dark fruit, smoke & oak

Aberlour 16 years Cask Matured £6.00

Nose: Creamy with sweet raisin aromas and a spicy nuttiness.

Palate: A smooth blend of floral and spicy flavours, paired with a sweet plum fruitiness and gentle oakiness.

Tomintoul Aged 16 years £6.00

Nose: Medium-bodied and punchy, dried grass, rooty earth

Palate: Boiled sweets, espresso, ground almonds, granary toast with melted butter, vanilla fudge

Balvenie 12 year old Single Barrel – First Fill £6.50

Nose: Toasted, sweet nose with charred oak and spice. Hints of maple syrup and allspice, a little vanilla and sweet coffee.

Palate: A complex, thick palate with allspice and toffee apples. Cooked fruit and baking spices, hints of creamy caramel.

Glenfarclas 15 year old £6.50

Nose: Intense, powerful sherry, Pedro Ximenez?

Palate: Raisins, sherry, orange peel, walnuts & dates

The Glenlivet 15 year old French Oak Reserve £6.50

Nose: Rich oak, fudge & madiera

Palate: Full & rich with winter spice, cinnamon & cloves

Campbelltown

Longrow Aged 18 years £10.50

Nose: Apple peels, and smoke. Earthy peat,

Palate: Peaty, notes of spice, very oily, hints of orange zest, pepper and chilli.

Islay

Ardbeg Uigeadail £8.50

Nose: Multifaceted, notes of peat and little flourishes of dark sugar, freshly ground espresso beans, cereal notes.

Palate: Led by sweet, ripe fruit and black forest honey. A good helping of malt, powerful peat and smoked barley.

Octomore 6.1 Aged 5 Years Scottish Barley £15.00

Nose: Deep smoke, sweet vanilla, coconut, chewy treacle toffee and some meaty savoury aromas

Taste: Gentle, full bodied malt, meaty bbq, smoked fish, delicately spiced and sweet

Island

Arran 14 year old **£5.50**

Nose: Very fragrant and perfumed on the nose, with peaches, vanilla and mild oak.

Palate: Smooth and creamy on the palate, with spicy summer fruits, apricots, and hazelnuts.

Highland Park 18 year old **£12.00**

Nose: Ripe floral notes and fresh blossom, honeyed exotic fruits

Palate: Creamy and full with fruit conserves, creamy cinnamon and allspice, notes of toffee

Isle of Jura 21 year old **£13.00**

Nose: Full and fragrant. Notes of toffee and fudge, a touch of vanilla with a spread of sweet nuts.

Palate: Good body with notes of winter cake, damson jam, marzipan, cooked fruit with winter spice and fudge.

Highland

Glencadam 10 year old **£5.50**

Nose: Crisp, herbal, berries and barley,

Palate: Sweet, creamy vanilla, gently infused oak.

Oban 14 year old **£7.50**

Nose: Rich sweetness and fruits - oranges, lemons and pears, sea-salt, peaty smokiness.

Palate: Late autumn fruits - dried figs and honey-sweet spices, smoky malty dryness.

Old Pulteney Aged 21 years **£11.50**

Nose: Apple, butterscotch, malt, bananas

Taste: A sweet start, then sour fruit, green apple and cinnamon, vanilla, dry wood

World Whisky

Ireland

Teeling Single Grain **£5.50**

Nose: Honeyed apple flesh and red grape, sweet and slightly floral with fragrant vanilla and spice.

Palate: There's treacle on the palate, but it's light and buttery with dried cranberry developing.

Teeling Small Batch Whiskey **£5.50**

Nose: Cut grass and orange blossom, allspice, hints of vanilla, apple pie and blackberries

Palate: Spiced rich palate with rose petal jelly and lemon curd, creamy vanilla, hints of dried herbs and cinnamon

Powers John's Lane 12 Year Old Single Pot Still **£6.00**

Nose: Barley, copper, fresh oak, leather, and juicy fruit.

Palate: Very smooth with vanilla, dry spice, chocolate and coffee. There is dark fruit here too, raisins and blackcurrants.

Japan

Nikka Coffey Grain Whisky **£7.00**

Nose: Bourbon-like vanilla and corn notes with a herbal hint of Chamomile.

Palate: Sweet, fruity flavours of melon, grapefruit and thick syrup, balanced by crunchy biscuits and fresh vanilla.

England

English Whisky Co. Chapter 14 Cask Strength Un Peated **£12.00**

Nose: Tropical fruit, toffee, fig, light aniseed

Palate: Fruity, barley sugar, warm spice

America

Pikesville 6 year old 110 Proof Straight Rye **£9.00**

Nose: Dusty spice, cocoa, sweet liquorice, creamy vanilla

Palate: Fruity, spicy rye, sweet liquorice, plenty of oak, cloves

Colonel EH Taylor Small Batch Bourbon **£12.00**

Nose: Caramel apples, cloves, butterscotch

Palate: Corn sweetness, slight spiciness of rye & cinnamon

Holland

Millstone 100 Rye Whisky **£7.50**

Nose: Cedar, fruit scones, orange squash

Palate: Lots of oak, ripe plum, thick sweet lemon, hints of tangy orange.

Sweden

Spirit of Hven Urania Single Malt Whisky **£20.00**

Nose: Fragrant cereal, cracked black pepper, ginger, peach, vanilla

Palate: Oily, ginger, thyme honey, liquorice & herbal hints

Interesting Liqueurs (50ml)

Limoncello Limone, D' Amalfi, Bepi Tosolini **£5.50**

A real natural lemony flavour. It is so natural there is often a colour variation the batches of liqueur changing with the various stages of ripeness of the lemon tree. Drink ice cold after your meal

Amaretto Veneziano Mascarada Bepi Tosolini **£5.50**

Nose: Aromatic nose of freshly ground almonds toffee & orange peel.

Palate: Light and rounded with a fresh almond sweetness leading to a long candied finish

Grappa Monovitigno Lo Chardonnay in Barriques, Nonino **£6.00**

Nose: Refined and elegant, it has a scent reminiscent of bread, vanilla and pastry.

Palate: Notes of chocolate and newly shelled almonds.

Liqueurs (35ml)

Cointreau **£3.60**

Drambuie **£3.60**

Grand Marnier **£3.60**

Tia Maria **£3.60**

Sambuca **£3.60**

Baileys (50ml) **£3.60**