#### **Grand Cafe Villandry**

#### Wine List

This is a wine list consisting of carefully selected wines from all parts of the world. My philosophy regarding the selection is focused around style and beauty of wine rather than country.

The list offers a selection to choose from on all levels. From an easy drinking, everyday wine to the more serious and classical, to the more adventurous and natural characters. With the Coravin we are able to offer more premium wines by the glass for those who feel like a glass of something special. For two friends wanting a little more than a glass each we suggest a carafe of your favourite wine by the glass.

Our wine list starts with bubbles to refresh the palate and get the appetite going, moving on to light, zesty whites to complement seafood and starters, through to rich, tannic and juicy reds to balance the richness of, say, a juicy steak. And of course there is the touch of sweetness at the end of the list.

For those times when you have a special bottle that you would like to share with your friends in Villandry please just enquire about corkage options.

Please note that vintages are subject to change. 125ml glasses available upon request

Santé bonheur!

Monique

## Champagne of the Month



Devaux is a dynamic Champagne house that specialises in Pinot Noir. Their style is dictated by their location in the sunnier southern part of the region, where Pinot Noir dominates and produces wines that are full, rich and expressive, without losing the finesse of classic Champagne. Devaux only use the initial lightly pressed juice (the cuvée) and age all their wines on their lees for at least three years (twice the minimum requirement), giving both complexity of flavour and an integrated fine mousse.

The ideal form of bubbles to take us into the spring!

DEVAUX BY THE GLASS:	<u>125ml</u>	<u>75cl</u>
Champagne Devaux Grand Reserve NV Pinot Noir 70 % & Chardonnay 30 % A crisp Champagne with notes of apple and stone fruits such as white peach and apricots with a touch of brioche on the finish.	10.95	59.00
Champagne Devaux Cuvee D Rose NV Pinot Noir 55 % (with 10 % vinified in red) and Chardonnay 45 % Classic red rose fruits of redcurrant and raspberry with a hint of apricot and floral flavours. A sparkling rose with great finesse.	15.00	85.00





White Wine by the Glass

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	<u>125ml</u>	<u>175ml</u>	500ml Carafe
Soave, Alpha Zeta 2016 Verona, Italy 100% Garganega giving a crisp, dry white wine with some apple and pear flavours.	4.60	6.20	19.00
Ernst & Co Chenin Blanc 2016 Stellenbosch, South-Africa A light, fresh style of Chenin Blanc with citrus notes of ruby grapefruit, satsuma and	6.10 lime.	8.10	22.00
Albariño, La Liebre y la Tortuga 2016 Rias Baixas, Spain Creamy rhubarb, grapefruit and a splash of lemon. Sunshine in a glass.	6.70	9.30	27.00
Cape Point Sauvignon Blanc 2016 Cape Peninsula, South Africa A touch of Semillon and oak ageing give roundness and body under the fresh notes of tropical fruit, grapefruit, and lime.	6.90	9.60	28.00
Riesling, Stefan Winter 2016 Rheinhessen, Germany Wonderful aromas of lip-smacking notes of peach, lime and apricot. Dry style of Ries	7.00 sling.	10.20	29.00
JM Meyer Chardonnay 2016 Elgin, South Africa From one of the naturally coolest vineyard locations in South Africa with an alti (500m – 700m above sea level), which benefits the location through naturally location for producing among the finest aromatic white wines in the Country.	ower	12.50	35.00
Lismore Age of Grace Viognier 2015 Elgin, South Africa Honeysuckle and orange blossom and a textured palate of apricot, kiwi and pineapple. A sensual and exotic experience.	9.90	12.80	36.00
Chablis, Domaine du Cèdre Doré, Louis Moreau 2015 Burgundy, France A fresh Chardonnay with citrus and pear flavours and a chalky minerality.	5 10.00	13.50	39.00

# Red Wine by the Glass

	<u>125ml</u>	<u>175ml</u>	500ml Carafe
Notios Red 2015 Peloponnese, Greece Agiorgitiko (85%) and Syrah (15%) From the infamous, modern Greek pioneers Gaia Wines based in the Peloponnese islands this refreshing, juicy red full of crushed red berries is ideal for sunny afternoon	6.40	8.80	23.00
Ernst & Co Pinotage 2015 Stellenbosch, South-Africa Ripe black and red berries with notes of sweet spices, dried herbs and coffee. Soft with a bit of richness. South-Africa's very own grape!	6.50	8.90	24.00
Secateurs Red blend 2014 Swartland, South Africa A blend of Shiraz, Grenache & Cinsault a perfumed wine with notes of pepper, smoke and plenty of ripe red fruit.	6.60	8.95	25.00
Mas Brunet Cuvée du Mazet 2014 Languedoc, France A beautifully perfumed, juicy, southern France blend of mostly Syrah and Grenache. A combination of lightness of touch with fruit intensity.	6.80	9.20	26.00
Ernst & Co Pinot Noir 2015  A more full bodied style of Pinot Noir with plenty of fruits including red cherries and dark plums as well as dark chocolate. The oak influence comes through in flavours of spicy cloves, cinnamon and vanilla.	7.00	9.95	29.00
Rioja Lindes de Remelluri, 2013  Viñedos de Labastida  Tempranillo, Garnacha, Graciano and Viura  Lindes means borders and they are made from organic vineyards in the surrounding villages Labastida, the grapes from which used to be blended into the main wine but are now given the credit they deserve.	9.80	13.50	38.00
Chateau Falfas 2011 Cotes de Bourg, Bordeaux From one of the few bio-dynamic estates in Bordeaux. A Merlot dominated blend with a touch of Malbec giving plenty of dark forest fruits and plums. Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc & Malbec	9.95	13.90	40.00

### **Coravin Wines**

Hand selected wines by our Sommelier. By using the latest preservation system we are able to offer premium wines by the glass.

	<u>125ml</u>	<u>175ml</u>
COS Cerasuolo di Vittoria Classico 2014 Vittoria, Sicily	10.00	14.00
This blend of Nero d'Avola & Frappato is surprisingly light & fresh given the baking hot climate of the island of Sicily. Bio-dynamic and unoaked,		
this red is all about aroma and an exhilarating dry intensity rather than weight and power.		
Weiler Schlipf Spätburgunder CS 2013 Baden, Germany	10.50	14.50
Concentrated, dark cherry-flavoured with assertive acidity and strong backbone.		
Very much a Burgundian style with plenty of depth and length		
Dujac Fils Morey-St-Denis 2012 Burgundy, France	20.00	29.00
Lovley dark red fruit on the nose is followed by black cherries on the palate.		
'This is a delicious, uncomplicated wine' « Jasper Morris MW »		

# **Sparkling Wines**

Some fun bubbly to lift the spirits and make any occasion a celebration

	<u>125ml</u>	<u>75cl Bottle</u>
A Laurance Sparkling Rosé NV Loire, France A delicious blend of Chenin Blanc, Grolleau Gris, Cabernet Franc and Chardonnay. A glass filled with strawberry flavours.		29.00
La Jara Prosecco Frizzante NV A light sparkling wine with notes of freshly cut apples and pears. 'Immensely classy' « Matthew Jukes »	7.00	34.00
Jenkyn Place Brut 2010  Hampshire, UK  60% Chardonnay; 32% Pinot Noir; 8% Pinot Meunier  Tropical fruits, quince and baked bread. With the talented young Irish winemaker,  Dermot Sugrue, behind this wine there is guaranteed quality.	9.95	57.00
Jenkyn Place Sparkling Rosé 2009 From North Hampshire Downs this blend of Pinot Noir and Chardonnay		60.00

is a classy Champagne-like sparkling, but proudly English.

# Champagne

The product that has become the appellation for celebrations.

	<u>125ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Champagne Devaux Grand Reserve NV Pinot Noir 70 % & Chardonnay 30 % A crisp Champagne with notes of apple and stone fruits such as white peach and apricots with a touch of brioche on the finish.	10.95	59.00
Collard-Picard Cuvee Prestige Brut NV Chardonnay, Pinot Meunier and Pinot Noir "A sip is a proper sliver of luxury" - Victoria Moore (The Telegraph) The best grower Champagne we have tasted in a very long time — a wonderful discovery!		69.00
Champagne Billecart-Salmon Brut reserve NV From one of the few remaining family run Champagne houses, a classic combination of Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Pinot Meunier from three different years.		74.00
Champagne Devaux Cuvee D Rose NV Pinot Noir 55% (with 10% vinified in red) and Chardonnay 45% Classic red rose fruits of redcurrant and raspberry with a hint of apricot and floral flavours. A sparkling rose with great finesse.	15.00	85.00
Champagne Louis Roederer NV Full and generous texture with a fresh, festive finesse.  A full, complex wine that is both modern and powerful, whilst remaining a great classic.		93.00
Cuvée Nicolas Francois Billecart 2002 Champagne Billecart-Salmon An expression of the house motto: "finesse, balance and elegance." Aromatic complexity with notes of brioche and a persistent freshness.		149.00
Pol Roger Cuvée Sir Winston Churchill 2000  Named after the great man who was an admirer of Pol Roger and drank it in pints.  Gloriously elegant, rich and complex with notes of citrus, apples, stone fruit and brioche.  Full textured and nutty with a citrus acidity		210.00

**Crisp and dry**A great way to get the appetite going and a perfect match with seafood

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Soave, Alpha Zeta 2016 Verona, Italy 100% Garganega giving a crisp, dry white wine with some apple and pear flavours.	6.20	19.00	25.00
Ernst & Co Chenin Blanc 2016 Stellenbosch, South-Africa A light, fresh style of Chenin Blanc with citrus notes of ruby grapefruit, satsuma and lim	8.10 e.	22.00	28.00
Verdicchio Dei Castelli Di Jesi "Di Gino" 2015 Marche, Italy From a bio-dynamic estate, a rich and textured wine with notes of nuts, apples and pear	s.		33.00
Marsanne, Tahbilk 2014 Victoria, Australia The classic Rhone Valley white variety that is beautifully expressed in this part of the wo	orld.		35.00
Albariño, La Liebre y la Tortuga 2016 Rias Baixas, Spain Creamy rhubarb, grapefruit and a splash of lemon. Sunshine in a glass.	9.30	27.00	36.00
Riesling, Stefan Winter 2016 Rheinhessen, Germany Wonderful aromas of lip-smacking notes of peach, lime and apricot. Dry style of Riesling		29.00	39.00
Chablis, Domaine du Cèdre Doré, Louis Moreau 2015 Burgundy, France A fresh Chardonnay with citrus and pear flavours and a chalky minerality.	13.50	39.00	49.00
Chablis 1er Cru Fourchaume, Louis Michel & Fils The Fourchaume vineyard extends continuously over more than three kilometres, with exception of one enclave which is found in the Grand Cru valley. This wine, known as "V is from this very enclave. A delicious Chablis with notes of rose, white pepper, and lyche with textural finesse and roundness	aulorent",		78.00

# Fresh and fruity

Versatile fresh wines that match pretty much any light dish.

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Santo Isidro de Pegoes 2016 Peninsula de Setubal, Portugal Fernao Pires with a touch of Arinto and Moscatel A super light and refreshing white wine with notes of lime, lemon and tangerine.			21.00
Secateurs Chenin Blanc 2016 Swartland, South Africa A creamy, textured Chenin has fragrant floral notes, with honey-tinged apricots lifted with lime zest flavours. There's also a pinch of spice that comes through on the long finish.			33.00
Sauvignon de Touraine, Domaine de la Rochette 201 Touraine, France Crisp gooseberries, limes and even a little tomato leaf. An energetic Sauvignon with plenty of elegance.	5		36.00
Cape Point Sauvignon Blanc 2016 Cape Peninsula, South Africa A touch of Semillon and oak ageing give roundness and body under the fresh notes of tropical fruit, grapefruit, and lime.	9.60	28.00	37.00
Sauvignon Blanc, Saint Clair 2016  Marlborough, New Zealand  Passionfruit and blackcurrant leaf with a floral lift.  All you could possibly want from a Kiwi Sauvignon.			38.00
Vouvray, Catherine Pierre Breton 'La Delittante' 201 Loire, France Chenin Blanc. Pineapple, lime citrus and lychee fruit with a luscious palat	4		42.00
Saumur Blanc, L'Insolite, Thierry Germain 2015 Loire, France 100% Chenin Blanc from a bio-dynamic estate in Saumur-Champigny. Green apples, lime and honeyed peaches.			55.00

# **Aromatic & floral with a possible hint of spice**Ideal wines to match with a range of fruity or spicy dishes

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Heraldique Cuvee Prestige Blanc 2015 Languedoc-Roussillon, France A rich, exotic southern French blend of the Rhone varieties Marsanne and Viognier, with Vermentino. It shows intensely perfumed aromas, with spicy, exotic flavours and an attractive hint of anise. A great match with any light seafood or chicken dish as well as cheese.			23.00
Horgelus Sauvignon & Gros Manseng 2016 Gascony, France This classic duo of grapes will seduce you with its intense notes of exotic and citrus fruits, with a streak of minerality and freshness.			26.00
Davenport Horsmonden White 2014 East Sussex, UK A refreshing blend of five German grape varieties giving some tropical, spicy flavours. Proof that we can make delicious wine here in England!			39.00
Grüner Veltliner, Loimer 2015 Kamptal, Austria Fresh and crisp with apple, citrus and white pepper. A great food wine.			43.00
Mas de Daumas Gassac Blanc 2013 Languedoc, France A glorious blend of over a dozen grapes, of which the main players are Viognier, Chardonnay, Chenin Blanc, Petit Manseng & Marsanne. Medium- bodied with complex fruit aromas and a touch of honey, whilst showing freshness and minerality.			48.00
Lismore Age of Grace Viognier 2015 Elgin, South Africa Honeysuckle and orange blossom and a textured palate of apricot, kiwi and pineapple. A sensual and exotic experience.	12.80	36.00	49.00
Zibbibo, Marco de Bartoli Pietra Nera 2012 Pantelleria, Sicily Muscat of Alexandria expressing lemon zest with white flowers. Dry, yet immensely aromatic. A real wine lovers wine			54.00

#### Luscious & rounded Chardonnay

A premium white grape variety that is a challenge to some of the greatest winemakers

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
JM Meyer Chardonnay 2016	12.50	35.00	48.00
Elgin, South Africa			
From one of the naturally coolest vineyard locations in South Africa with an altitude	2		
$(500m-700m\ above\ sea\ level),$ which benefits the location through naturally lower	r		
temperatures and higher rainfall. Elgin is emerging as a wonderful, naturally-favora	able		
location for producing among the finest aromatic white wines in the Country. $ \\$			
Saint-Veran Domaine De Croix Senaillet 2015 Burgundy, France			51.00
A fresh style of Chardonnay from an organic estate based in the village of Davayé. White and citrus fruit with subtle oak.			
Chardonnay, Hamilton Russell 2015 Hemel-en-Aarde Valley, South-Africa			59.00
A New-World wine with old-world restraint and finesse.  Structured, mineral-tinged with length and complexity.			
Chardonnay, Sandhi, Sonoma 2014 Santa Maria, USA			74.00
Expressive aromatics and generous texture are balanced by hints			
of lime peel making this a vibrant wine with good structure whilst showing plenty of restraint, balance and salinity.			
Côte de Nuits, Fixin, Alex Gambal 2012 Burgundy, France			75.00
A stylish, complex Burgundy with lemon zest, chalk, carrot cake and flint on the palate, f notes of toasted walnut and butter on the finish giving it a grounded earthy quality.	followed by		
Puligny-Montrachet, Etienne Sauzet 2014 Burgundy, France			127.00
From the pedigree of Chablis Premier Cru vineyards.			
White stone fruit, green apple, chalk, and a steely acidity with a textural finesse and roun	ndness.		

#### Rosé

#### Pretty in pink

Hugely popular in summer, but no need to be forgotten in winter

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	<u>75cl Bottle</u>
AA Badenhorst Secateurs 2016 Swartland, South-Africa Cinsault & Grenache	8.70	23.00	32.00
${\it Cranberry, redcurrant, pink grapefruit, blood orange, strawberries~\&~cream.}$			
Domaine des Jeanne Signature 2014 Cotes de Provence, France Cinsault, Grenache and Syrah A charming Provence rosé with red fruits and a touch of spice			33.00
Château L'Aumerade 2016 Cotes de Provence, France Cinsault, Grenache and Syrah. A charming Provence rose with red fruits and	8.90	24.00	35.00
Chateau d'Esclans Whispering Angel 2016  A delicate, top quality rose made from Grenache, Rolle, Cinsault, Syrah and M Château d'Esclans make one of the region's finest rosés right in the heart of Pr	Nourvedre.		53.00

### Red Wine

### Light & delicate

Versatile wines for when the dishes range from vegetables to beef

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Beaujolais, Domaine Dupeuble 2016 Burgundy, France 100% Gamay showing bright cherry, strawberries and raspberries with a sprinkle of herbs and spices			38.00
COS Cerasuolo di Vittoria Classico 2014 Vittoria, Sicily This blend of Nero d'Avola & Frappato is surprisingly light & fresh given	14.00		53.00
the baking hot climate of the island of Sicily. Bio-dynamic and unoaked,			
this red is all about aroma and an exhilarating dry intensity rather than			
weight and power. Nero d'Avola gives the tannins and the earthiness and			
Frappato adds the floral aromas and juiciness.			

#### **Pinot Noir**

# The grape of charm and elegance

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Edoardo Miroglio SOLI 2014 Thracian Valley, Bulgaria A soft, pretty Pinot Noir from Bulgaria that could easily be mistaken for a Burgundy with its effortless charm and grace.			33.00
Ernst & Co Pinot Noir 2015  A more full bodied style of Pinot Noir with plenty of fruits including red cherries and dark plums as well as dark chocolate. The oak influence comes through in flavours of spicy cloves, cinnamon and vanilla.	9.95	29.00	39.00
Borthwick Vineyards 2015 Wairarapa, New Zealand Traditional Burgundian techniques and minimal handling has produced a Pinot Noir with an intense bouquet of cherries and plums. Flavors of tobacco and spice complement a rich silky palate with a purity of fruit and finely integrated tannin structure.	nt		45.00
Weiler Schlipf Spätburgunder CS 2013  Baden, Germany Concentrated, dark cherry-flavoured with assertive acidity and strong backbone.  Very much a Burgundian style with plenty of depth and length.	14.50		49.00
Crystallum Peter Max 2015 Walker Bay, South-Africa A proudly South-African Pinot from the Finlayson brothers. Earthy strawberries on a vibrant palate that is fresh as well as complex.			68.00
Yabby Lake Single Vineyard 2013  Mornington Peninsula, Australia  'Mix of dark cherry, plum, and spice with fine tannins running throughout giving texture, structure and flavour. Glorious drive and length' « James Halliday »			83.00
Kutch 2012 Sonoma Coast, USA Sweetly aromatic nose with warm red cherry, pomegranate and blackberry on the palat Ripe and savoury.	re.		90.00

#### Pinot Noir (continued...)

#### The grape of charm and elegance

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Felton Road Bannockburn 2012 Central Otago, New Zealand Violets and roses with a potpourri of spice box elements. A textural, rich palate of vibrant red fruit. Clean and direct.			96.00
Nuits-St-Georges, Domaine Thibault Liger-Belair 2009 Burgundy, France Chalky minerality, pungent sweet red fruits, spices and tobacco. Beautiful example of the renowned Burgundy style.			98.00
By Farr Sangreal Geelong 2010 Victoria, Australia A sweetness and meaty flavours on the palate followed by minerally overtones enhanced by toasty oak. Firm yet delicate flavours with a long and savoury textured finish. Great weight and persistence on the palate.			102.00
Dujac Fils Morey-St-Denis 2012 Burgundy, France Lovley dark red fruit on the nose is followed by black cherries on the palate. 'This is a delicious, uncomplicated wine' « Jasper Morris MW »	29.00		110.00
Domaine de la Cote Single Vineyard 2011 California, USA Deep and rich, laced with violets, sweet berry fruit, smoke. Superb purity and an overric sense of elegance and grace. Sublime and sophisitcated. Only 100 cases made that year.	ling		135.00
Charmes-Chambertin Grand Cru, Domaine Tortochor Burgundy A feminine wine with notes of red fruit, liquorice and leather. Silky tanins and a touch of smoke giving complexity and finesse.	t 2001		154.00
Domaine des Lambrays Clos des Lambrays, Grand Cr Burgundy, France A bright and energetic wine showing an abundance of soft strawberry fruit with a dash of pepper and vanilla spice over a floral bouquet. Soft and ripe.	u 2007		230.00

### Medium-bodied, juicy reds

#### A crowd-pleaser for a variety of meat dishes

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Albizu Tempranillo 2015 Rioja Alavesa A youthful Tempranillo, bursting with sweet damson and soft plum fruit.			22.00
Montepulciano D'Abruzzo, Gran Sasso 2015  Abruzzo, Italy  Pure Montepulciano with intense, ripe fruit bouquet  with supple tannin supporting the juicy fruit.			29.00
Notios Red 2015 Peloponnese, Greece Agiorgitiko (85%) and Syrah (15%) From the infamous, modern Greek pioneers Gaia Wines based in the Peloponnese islands this refreshing, juicy red full of crushed red berries is ideal for sunny afternoons.		23.00	32.00
Ernst & Co Pinotage 2015 Stellenbosch, South-Africa Ripe black and red berries with notes of sweet spices, dried herbs and coffee. Soft with a bit of richness. South-Africa's very own grape!	8.90	24.00	33.00
Mas Brunet Cuvée du Mazet 2014 Languedoc, France A beautifully perfumed, juicy, southern France blend of mostly Syrah and Grenache. A combination of lightness of touch with fruit intensity.	9.20	26.00	35.00
Antonio Camillo, Morrelino di Scansano 2015  Maremma, Italy  From a lesser known DOCG region this is a different expression of the  Sangiovese grape with its freshness and super ripe, red cherry and strawberry flavours.			36.00
Chianti Rufina, Fattoria Lavacchio 'Cedro' 2014 Tuscany, Italy 90% Sangiovese, 5% Canaiolo Nero, 5% Ciliegiolo An organic wine with Chianti's signature notes of sour cherry and sweet plum with a serious touch of class.			40.00
Morgon, Jean Paul Thevenet 2015  Beaujolais, France Rustic and spicy yet also refreshing and loaded with the minerality . 100% Gamay.			47.00

#### Medium-bodied, juicy reds (continued...)

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Rioja Lindes de Remelluri, 2013 Viñedos de Labastida Tempranillo, Garnacha, Graciano and Viura Lindes means borders and they are made from organic vineyards in the surrounding villages Labastida, the grapes from which used to be blended into the main wine but are now given the credit they deserve.	13.50	38.00	49.00
Barbera d'Asti Superiore, Trinchero 2012 Piedmont, Italy The cousins of Trinchero make some of the most profound examples of Barbera. Cherry, dried strawberries, peppery plums with a touch of herbaciousness.			49.95
Chianti Classico, Fontodi 2014 Tuscany, Italy Red cherries, liquorice, tobacco, rich, dusty spices and meaty with inner floral notes.			56.00
Mas de Daumas Gassac Rouge 2014 Languedoc, France 80% Cabernet Sauvignon with the rest of the 20% consisting of indigenous grape varieties such as Grenache, Cinsault, and Tempranillo. Plenty of dark fruits such as plums and cherries, with a dash of pepper and spice. Full-bodied and lusciou	15.00		59.00
Adi Badenhorst Cinsault 2015 Swartland, South-Africa An ephemeral Cinsault. Stunningly scented, light and vibrant.			68.00
Chateau Musar 2001 Bekaa Valley, Lebanon From the most written about wineries in the world with its history and difficult harvests taking place amid gunfire and shelling. A blend of Cinsault, Cabernet Sauvignon and Carithis is a wine often compared to Bordeaux or Rhone. Rich, plummy and spicy with flavoured cherry, chocolate, olives and figs.	gnan		96.00
Barbaresco, Gaja 2011 Piedmont, Italy A Nebbiolo with sensual complexity. Aromas of forest fruits, plums, licorice, mineral and Long and complex finish with silky tannins and ripe fruit. Velvety and smooth. Pure eleg			219.00

#### Classic Bordeaux

That synergy between Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, and Petit Verdot that is sought after all around the world

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Chateau Bellacroix 2014 Bordeaux			32.00
A Bordeaux Superieur made from Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon. A hint of violets, blackcurrant and tobacco.			
Château Damase 2011 Bordeaux			35.00
100% Merlot following a St Emilion style. A fruity, easy-drinking Bordeaux.			
Chateau Falfas 2011 Cotes de Bourg, Bordeaux From one of the few bio-dynamic estates in Bordeaux. A Merlot dominated	13.90	40.0	0 51.00
blend with a touch of Malbec giving plenty of dark forest fruits and plums.			
Domaine du Grand Ormeau, Lalande-du-Pomerol 20 80% Merlot, 10% Cabernet-Franc and 10% Cabernet Sauvignon Polished tannins and generous aromas of black cherries and raspberries, with a touch of oak. A real charmer.	10		53.00
Clos Des Menuts Grand Cru 2011 St Emilion			59.00
85% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon and 5% Cabernet Franc. Cherries, blackberries and blackcurrants followed by earthier notes of undergrowth. On the palate, notes of coffee, toast, and pepper - amongst other spices. Silky smooth.			
Brulieres de Beychevelle 2013			68.00
66% Cabernet Sauvignon, 34% Merlot Aged and bottled at Château Beychevelle from grapes grown in vineyards to the			
south of St. Julien in the Haut-Médoc. Medium to full-bodied in style with attractive, rich, plummy berried fruit aromas as well as excellent balance, structure and length,			
$violets\ and\ black\ currant\ fruit, licorice, cedar\ wood\ and\ Christmas\ fruit cake$			

#### Classic Bordeaux (continued...)

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	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Reserve de la Comtesse, Pichon-Lalande 2006 Pauillac Beautiful, velvety, seductive with sweet black cherry and black currant fruit intermixed with notions of forest floor and roasted herbs. It is the second wine of Chateau Pichon-Lalande.			110.00
Clos du Marquis 2006 St Julien Exhibiting lovely cassis fruit intermixed with underbush, earth and subtle background 'Aromatic, then relatively sweet and charming' «Jancis Robinson»	d oak.		155.00
Château Montrose 1995 St Estephe Powerful as expected from Montrose, yet more accessible than most years. 'Rich and exotic. Terrific example' « Robert Parker »			298.00
Château Palmer 1996 Margaux Earthy black truffle aromas mingled with dark cherry, leather, tar and black olive. 'Great balance. Long finish' « L.P. Brown, Wine Advocate »			369.00
Château Lynch-Bages 1990 Pauillac 'The majestic, classically Bordeaux aromatics of black currants, cedarwood, herbs and spice are followed by a full-bodied, voluptuously textured, rich, intense wine with			568.00

superb purity as well as thrilling levels of fruit' « 99/100 Robert Parker »

#### More full bodied

# No hiding from these wines - perfect winter warmers

	<u>175ml</u>	<u>500ml</u>	75cl Bottle
Santo Isidro de Pegoes 2016 Peninsula de Setubal, Portugal A rich, full-bodied wine made from the local Castelao grape variety. gentle plum and cherry flavours, with subtle spice and luscious tannins			21.00
Secateurs Red blend 2014  A blend of Cinsault, Shiraz, Grenache, Mourvedre and Pinotage giving a perfumed wine with notes of pepper, smoke and plenty of ripe red fruit.	8.95	25.00	34.00
A Mano Primitivo 2013 Puglia, Italy Youthful and red fruit-driven with some spice and smoke from the oak.			35.00
Corbieres Chateau Durfort 2013 Languedoc, France 60% Syrah and 40% Grenache Noir Vibrant purple in the glass, liquorice, rasberry and crushed black currant leaf. Very smooth - deep and dense, with notes of dark chocolate and coffee.			36.00
Chateau Beauchene "Premier Terroir" 2010  Cotes-du-Rhone, France  Classic blend of Grenache, Syrah, and Mourvèdre.  Fresh cherry, raspberry, violet and spice with notes of liquorice, tar and smoke with the overriding impression that this is a Cotes-du-Rhone of freshness, minerality & purity	7.		40.00
Domaine d'Andezon, Les Vignerons D'estezargues 2015 Cotes du Rhone Villages 90% Syrah, 10% Grenache A meaty, powerful red with plenty of dark fruits, richness and complexity.			43.00
Keermont Companion 2012  Stellenbosch, South Africa  A delicious blend of Merlot, Peitit Verdot, Cabernet Franc, and Mourvedre, giving intense aromas of dark fruit, spice and cloves, with hints of cedar, like a cigar box. Powerful palate of rich, ripe spicy fruit; Firm youthful tannins with a good natural acid backbone. Ripe fruit, herbs and spice follow through to the finish which is long, dry and succulent.			48.00

# More full bodied (continued...)

#### No hiding from these wines - perfect winter warmers

<u>175ml</u>	500ml	75cl Bottle
'Tommy Ruff', Tommy Shobbrook, Shiraz/Mouvedre 2012 Barossa Valley, Australia Natural, wild fermented, unfiltered, and unfined. Incredibly delicious.		59.00
Shaw & Smith Shiraz 2013  Adelaide Hills, Australia  A cool climate Shiraz where balance is more important than power.  Blueberry and mulberry with dry spice and earthy notes with plenty of ripe, round tannins.		67.00
Clonakilla, Shiraz/Viognier 2011 Canberra, Australia Greatly influenced by Cote-Rotie, Tim Kirk has become renowned for producing the very best of that style in Australia. Mulberry, spicy floral fruit flavours with a supple mouthfeel finish. Elegant and soft tannins.		98.00
Barolo, Massolino Parafada 2010 Piedmont, Italy The beloved Nebbiolo grape. Robust, rich and austere with notes of tar and spice under the floral and berry flavours.		124.00
Ridge Monte Bello Cabernet Sauvignon 1998 San Francisco Bay, USA Predominantly Cabernet Sauvignon, this is a Bordeaux style and world famous after the 1971 vintage was entered in the famous Judgement of Paris tasting in 1976 where it came 5th. The wine strikes a perfect balance between French elegance and Californian exuber Consistently delicious.	ance.	260.00
Sassicaia 2008 Tuscany, Italy The leader of Super Tuscans this vintage of Bordeaux style wine is super powerful, but still pure, fine and elegant.		270.00
Ornellaia 2000 Bolgheri, Italy A Super Tuscan from an outstanding vintage. Ripe currants, berries and cherries and super silky tannins.		560.00

# **Dessert Wine**

### Sweet treats — something for everyone

	<u>100ml</u>	<u>Bottle</u>
Domaine de l'Ancienne Cure, 2011 (375ml)  Monbazillac, France  Part late-harvest, part botrytis – peaches & cream  meets crème brûlée.		19.95
Chateau Filhot, Sauternes 2009 (375ml) Graves, France Honeyed, marmaladey and persistent.		43.00
Pinot Gris Vendange Tardive, Domaine Bott-Geyl 2010 (750ml) Alsace, France Candied lemon peel, spice and honey. Concentrated yet lots of finesse. Liquid gold.	10.00	51.00

### **Fortified Wines**

Sweet or salty, some great matches with cheese or a treat on its  $\mbox{\sc own}$ 

	<u>100ml</u>	<u>Bottle</u>
Heredos de Argueso, Sherry (750ml)  Manzanilla, Spain  Firm and crisp with a touch of sea-air tang.	6.80	39.00
Tawny Port, Warre Otima 10yr old (500ml) Douro, Portugal Smooth and rounded with an abundance of nuts, honey and dried fruit. Perfect with dessert, cheese, or indeed on its own.	7.40	38.00
Pfeiffer Rutherglen Muscat NV (500ml) Rutherglen, Australia Luscious, sweet raisened flavours of sultanas, walnut, fruit cake and toffee. Christmas in a glass!		42.00
Delaire Cape Vintage 2013 (750ml) 60% Tinta Barocca and 40% Touriga Nacional A Port style wine, matured in 20-year old oak barrels for 12 months and was released only after a further 18 months of bottle maturation. Uplifting and beautifully weighted. Polished red berry fruit is crisp and spicy. Comforting and delicious.		49.00
Marco de Bartoli Vecchio Samperi Ventennale NV (750ml)  Marsala, Italy  From one of the best producers of Marsala this 100% Grillo is NOT a fortified  wine, but it could fool one with its dry, sherry-like character.  An intense wine with flavours of chestnuts, brazil nuts and orange peel.  A fantastic match with hard cheeses as well as shellfish.		81.00

Goes without saying that it is an ideal apertif.