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## BUBBLES... TO EASE THE TROUBLES...

You don't need a special occasion to enjoy a champagne cocktail, because every now and then you want to drink on the fancier side of life, and we don't blame you! In fact, we want to join you!

### French 75

£11

Being named after a piece of field artillery should warn you this is a strong drink, Death's Door Gin and lemon juice all topped off with some of Champagnes finest.

### Classic Champagne Cocktail

£14

Having almost 8 decades of history surely means this beverage must be doing something right. A splash of Angostura bitters on a sugar cube drizzled with cognac and topped with champagne.

### Bellini

£10.5

Peach or raspberry that is the question? Some fruit purée and liqueur swirled together and then capped with Champagne.

## SIGNATURE...

Created by our resident mixologist over the years.

### Cerise Imperial

£9.5

An extremely popular beverage, serving Stolichnaya raspberry vodka, cherry liqueur and cranberry juice long with plenty of ice all topped with sparkling wine.

### Cerise Martini

£9.5

Named for the venue, this drink combines every cherry-flavoured item we have in the bar, the resulting flavour is predictably intense cherry.

### Baron Samedi

£10

A drink garnished with flamed cinnamon always keeps this Cerise creation popular. Dark 8 year old rum mixed with lime juice and honey, all served long with ginger beer.

### The Forbury

£9.5

Short, sweet and incredibly popular. Disaronno liqueur, apricot liqueur and apple juice all shaken with some lemon juice for balance.

### Bohemian

£9

Feels like a classic, but actually created here at Cerise, Briottet blackberry liqueur is stirred down with a sweetened style of gin and the tiniest hint of chocolate, strong but smooth.



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## SOURS

There are few drinks more delicious or satisfying than a classic Whiskey Sour. It has the perfect balance of sweet and tart with enough alcohol to make it enjoyable. So to help get you started, we pulled together five different variations on the Sour that show you just how versatile the formula is. We guarantee you won't be disappointed!

### Whisky Sour

£9

A classic drink from history, we only make ours with egg white; it's the only way to harmonise the whisky of your choice with the lemon juice and sugar.

### Clover Club

£9

A hefty pour of gin, egg white and fresh raspberries all mixed together creating a zesty yet velvety straight-up drink.

### Envious Sour

£9.5

Don't be jealous, get even! This potent mix of Chartreuse green and a splash of crème de menthe is almost too easy to drink, one for your enemies maybe.

### Honey Berry Sour

£9

Davna Polish honey vodka and Chambord raspberry liqueur shaken hard with lemon and an egg white, trust us – this works.

### Maple-Williams Sour

£10.5

America meets Canada in this balanced twisted classic.; Some citrus juice, Auchentohan Whisky, maple syrup to sweeten and a splash of chestnut liqueur.

### Amaretto Sour

£10

Because of the smooth Amaretto taste, the 'Tosolini' Amaretto Sour is the female variant of the Whiskey Sour. The combination of apricot pits and lemon makes it a perfect drink for any moment. The sweetness and a little bit of sour with the lemon is an absolute recommendation!

### Pisco Sour

£9

This sour, made with Chilean brandy, holds a special place on the menus of bars in South America and old San Francisco, you should expand your taste buds!

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## MARTINIS

'A dry martini,' he said. 'One. In a deep champagne goblet.'

'Oui, monsieur.'

'Just a moment. Three measures of Gordon's, one of vodka, half a measure of Kina Lillet. Shake it very well until it's ice-cold, then add a large thin slice of lemon peel. Got it?'

'Certainly monsieur.' The barman seemed pleased with the idea.

'Gosh, that's certainly a drink,' said Leiter.

Bond laughed. 'When I'm ... er ... concentrating,' he explained, 'I never have more than one drink before dinner. But I do like that one to be large and very strong and very cold, and very well made. I hate small portions of anything, particularly when they taste bad. This drink's my own invention. I'm going to patent it when I think of a good name.'

— Casino Royale, Chapter 7: Rouge et Noir

We've listed a couple of our favourite below if you need inspirations to start with one...

## Aviation #2

£9

Aviation Gin, lemon juice and maraschino liqueur are all combined with a tiny drop of violette liqueur making this drink very floral.

## Millionaire

£9.5

Fresh lime juice with white rum, apricot liqueur and sloe gin make this tangy beverage an easy sipper.

## VV&A

£9

Floral and then some! Violette liqueur (think Parma Violet sweets) a drop of aniseed and a large measure of vodka, like marmite you'll have a strong opinion about this one!

## Bloodhound

£9

A favourite gin drink of the team at Cerise, fresh strawberries crushed into a perfect gin martini; sweet and dry vermouths and plenty of gin.

## Titanium Martini

£9.5

You don't need many of these, Tanqueray 10 gin, Benedictine liqueur and just a hint of smoke from a peaty whisky all garnished with a flamed orange peel.

## Espresso Martini

£9.5

We LOVE our version of the Espresso Martini, Tia Maria, Gold Rum, Vanilla and a shot of Espresso.

## Martini

£9.5

A drink needing little introduction, your preferred vodka or gin, lovingly stirred down with a splash of vermouth and a single drop of orange bitters.

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## OUR TIMELESS CLASSIC'S

Styles of cocktails come and go, and local variations spring up depending on where they are made, changing seasons, climate, culture... even so, there is definitive 'drinks' that haven't changed for years and never will.

### Wibble

£9.5

A modern classic created by D. Bradsell during the 1970's, sloe gin and grapefruit juice are shaken hard with Crème de Mure making a dangerously drinkable beverage.

### The Corpse Reviver

£10.5

The Corpse Reviver family of cocktails are intended as 'hair of the dog' hangover cures, hence the name. Most of the corpse reviver cocktails have been lost to time, but this one has survived to the present day, made with Death's Door Gin.

### Old Fashioned

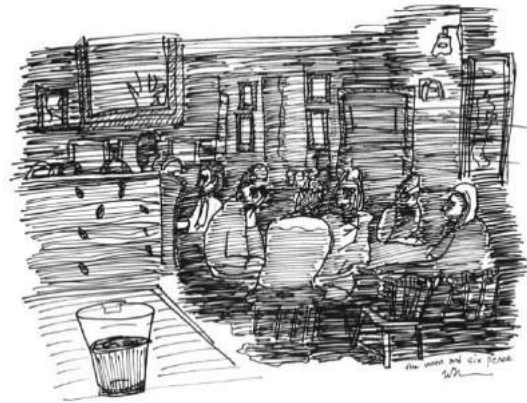
£9.5

A drink so old that it defines all other mixed drinks: Whisky, bitters and the smallest drop of a dry cherry liqueur make this strong sipper one to savour, choose your whisky.

### The Last Word

£10

A true classic, green chartreuse herbal liqueur, lime juice, maraschino liqueur and gin all in equal measures; Greater than the sum of its parts.



### Daiquiri

£9

The ultimate rum drink, just 3 parts; sugar, fresh lime juice and any rum of your choice. We recommend keeping it this simple, but a few flavoured variations can be made.

### Manhattan

£9.5

One of the oldest drinks around, plenty of whisky and some vermouth stirred together with bitters, let us know how sweet you'd like it and which whisky too.

### Boulevardier

£10.5

A bitter aperitif drink comprising of Campari, bourbon and sweet vermouth, drinking this is a time-warp to 1930's New Orleans.

### Rosaritas Sling

£9

Disturbingly similar to the recipe for a truly 1980's drink; the tequila sunrise. Lunazul tequila mixed with orange juice, passionfruit fruit purée and drizzled with blackcurrant liqueur.

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## BARTENDER'S CHOICE

A blend of Bartenders Favourites both New and Old cocktails.

### English Rose £9.5

Old as the hills but still refreshing and floral. Gin and lemon juice with Lillet fortified wine and a single drop of grenadine for some colour.

### French Blade £9

Summer in a glass, traditional Polish flavoured vodka, elderflower cordial and some vanilla sugar mean this drink is sweet and moreish.

### Dram For Diana £9.5

A good measure of gin, some raspberry vodka and almond syrup combined in a wine glass and topped with tonic water.

### Pulque Fiction £9.5

To honour Quentin Tarantino, this blood-coloured drink uses pomegranate molasses and tequila stirred down with apricot liqueur.

### Berry Cobbler £9.5

A strange yet delicious drink; Courvoisier VS, blackberry liqueur a drop of citrus juice and... red wine. Trust us, served with plenty of crushed ice this is remarkably refreshing.

## A CLEAN BREAK

Exciting drinks...

### Passion Berry £6

Tangy and sherbet; passionfruit and raspberry purées all churned with orange and cranberry juice.

### Chef's Choice £6

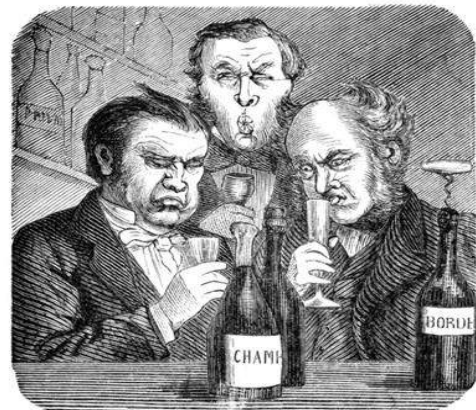
Slightly sparkling and great for a sweet-toothed driver, vanilla sugar syrup and lime juice topped with apple and ginger beer.

### St. Clements £5

A simple yet delicious combination of orange juice and bitter lemon, served long over ice.

### Bloody Shame £6

The classic Bloody Mary, just without the vodka. We're sure this will be good enough to persuade you back for a boozy concoction in the future



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## Bottled Beers

**Fuller's Honey Dew**          500ml          £6.5  
Light and golden with a zesty edge and a bitter-sweet flavour.

**Sierra Nevada Pale Ale**      350ml          £6  
It has a deep amber color and a exceptionally full-bodied, complex character.

**Brooklyn Lager**              355ml          £5  
Amber gold in colour with a flowery and hoppy aroma.

**Goose Island IPA**            355ml          £5  
Orange color, grapefruit and melon aroma, soft caramel body with a dry bitter finish.

**Asahi (Draught)**    £2.5/£5  
It's an extremely light beer, look out for the taste of rice and malt as well as its famously dry finish.

**Peroni**                              330ml          £5  
Refreshingly dry lager with malt flavours.

**Pacifico Clara**                  330ml          £5  
A golden, well-carbonated and refreshing Mexican lager beer crying out for a nice, juicy slice of lime.

## Bottled Ciders

**Orchard Pig Charmer**          500ml          £6  
A rich aroma of deep tannins from West Country cider apples! A gently sparkling cider with a mellow apple sweetness, a citrus tang and a crisp refreshing finish.

**Orpen's Craft**                    330ml          £5  
Crisp dry cider slightly tart golden honey finish.

**Rekorderlig**                    500ml          £5.5  
This Strawberry and lime cider is bright in colour with a good balance of sweetness and acidity.





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| <b>Champagne and Sparkling</b>                              |   | 125  | <b>Wines by the Glass – Rosé</b> |   | 125  | 175   |      |
| <b>Wines by the Glass</b>                                   |   |      | 2014                             | La Lande Cinsault Rosé<br>South West France | £4.3   | £6    |      |
| NV  | Prosecco Frizzante Spago Trevis<br>Ruggeri, Italy         | £7   | 2014                             | Berta Rose Chiaretto IGT<br>Veneto, Italy   | £6   | £8    |      |
| NV  | Grand Brut, Laurent Perrier<br>Champagne, France          | £12  | 2014                             | Más Amor Rosado, Massard<br>Cataluña, Spain | £6.2   | £8.5  |      |
| NV  | Cuvée Rosé, Laurent Perrier<br>Champagne, France          | £15  | <b>Wines by the Glass – Red</b>  |   | 125  | 175   |      |
| <b>Wines by the Glass – White</b>                           |   | 125  | 175                              | 2013  | Artolas Red, Vidigal<br>Lisbon, Portugal                   | £4.3  | £6.1 |
| 2014  | Colombard Comté, La Lande<br>South West France            | £4.1 | £5.8                             | 2009  | Biferno Rosso Riserva DOC<br>Molise, Italy                 | £4.9  | £6   |
| 2014  | Artolas White, Vidigal<br>Lisbon, Portugal                | £4.4 | £6.2                             | 2013  | Moraleda Garnacha, Vintae<br>Navarra, Spain                | £4.8  | £6.5 |
| 2015  | Petit Chenin, Ken Forrester<br>Western Cape, South Africa | £5.5 | £7.4                             | 2014  | Cabernet Sauvignon<br>Western Cape, South Africa           | £5    | £6.9 |
| 2014  | Fiano, Mandrarossa<br>Sicily, Italy                       | £5.2 | £7.1                             | 2014  | Reserve Malbec, Bodegas<br>Mendoza, Argentina              | £6    | £8.5 |
| 2015  | Sauvignon Blanc, Yealands<br>Marlborough, New Zealand     | £6.4 | £7.5                             | 2014  | Negroamaro del Salento<br>Puglia, Italy                    | £6.4  | £9   |
| 2014  | Cirò Bianco Greco, Librandi<br>Calabria, Italy            | £6.5 | £9                               | 2010  | Rioja Crianza<br>Rioja, Spain                              | £7    | £9.5 |
| 2014  | Riesling, Madfish<br>Western Australia                    | £7   | £9.2                             | 2011  | La Barry Red, Martin Meinert<br>Devon Valley, South Africa | £7.2  | £9.5 |
| 2012  | Vouvray Sec, Sylvain Gaudron<br>Loire Valle, France       | £7.5 | £10                              | <b>Wines by the Glass – Dessert</b>         |  | 75    |      |
| <b>Please ask a member of the team for a full wine list</b> |   |      |                                  | 2012  | Clos Dady, Sauternes<br>Bordeaux, France                   | £8    |      |
|   |   |      |                                  | 2011  | The Noble Riesling, d'Arenberg<br>McLaren Vale, Australia  | £6.25 |      |

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## A BIT about gin.....!

Gin and its Lowlands cousin Genever are white spirits that are flavored with juniper berries and botanicals. The spirit base of Gin is primarily grain (usually wheat or rye), which results in a light-bodied spirit. !

Botanicals can include anise, angelica root, cinnamon, orange peel, coriander, and cassia bark. All Gin and Genever makers have their own secret combination of botanicals, the number of which can range from as few as four to as many as 47. !

The origins of Gin are rather murky. In the late 1580s a juniper flavoured spirit of some sort was found in Holland by British troops who were fighting against the Spanish in the Dutch War of Independence. They gratefully drank it to give them what they soon came to call "Dutch courage" in battle.

Today, the juniper flavoured liquor is England's unofficial national spirit and we would agree that there are few things more refreshing than sipping on a crisp gin and sparkling tonic so go ahead, enjoy it.

## Perfect Gin and Tonic

It takes more than a great Gin to make a brilliant Gin and Tonic...

We only use best tonic water for the cleanest and most pure taste...

Garnishes are individually matched to each gin to bring out the very best of its flavour...

Our 'Copa' glasses enhance the aromas and take your drink to the next level!

## Hayman's London

£4

A Classic style London Dry Gin. Best with Lemon and Fever Tree Light Tonic.

## Plymouth

£4.2

Eucalyptus led with notes of Juniper, Lavender and Camphor. Enjoy this Gin with slices of Lemon and Lime and Fever Tree Indian Tonic.

## Hayman's Sloe

£4

On the nose it is Bright with Ripe Berries and Orange. Best served over ice or with a Mediterranean tonic and caramelised lime wheel.

## Aviation

£4.7

'Clean Aroma with heavy Juniper notes. Try it with a celery stick, mint and Fever Tree Indian Tonic.

## Portobello Road

£4.2

An elegant Floral Nose with Juniper, Served with Fentiman's Herbal Tonic and grapefruit.

## Sipsmith

£5.3

A medium-full bodywith soft notes of pink peppercorn. Served Fever Tree Indian Tonic and Blueberries.

## Martin Millers

£4

Aromatic with light spices. Served with slice of Orange and Fenitman's Light Tonic.

## Tanqueray Rangpur

£4.5

Is made with Rangpur limes which are thought to be a cross between lemons and mandarin oranges. Served with lime leaf and Fever Tree Indian tonic.

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**Tanqueray No. Ten** £5  
Focused on Juniper with a complex flavour. Serve with twist of lime and Fever Tree Indian Tonic.

**Beefeater 24** £4.5  
Clean aroma, delightfully complex. Served with Mediterranean Tonic, juniper berries and grapefruit.

**Hayman's Old Tom** £4.3  
The taste is Juniper-led, hints of Orange Peel. Can be enjoyed neat over ice or with Lemon and Light Tonic.

**Bathtub** £5  
Bold Palate of Cinnamon, Cloves and Cardamom. Pair with Orange and 1724 Tonic.

**Hendricks** £4.8  
A classic Gin infused with Rose Petals and Cucumber. Complimented perfectly with Fever Tree Elderflower or Fever Tree Light and cucumber.

**Death's Door** £6  
Smooth palate, light citrus and a liquorice finish. Served with Fever Tree Indian or Light Tonic, slice of pear and coriander.

**Gin Mare** £5  
A Spicy and Herbaceous gin. Mediterranean Tonic and slices of orange and grapefruit.

**William Chase** £4.3  
Refreshing finish with plenty of Juniper, Citrus and a hint of Toffee. Compliment with Orange and Fever Tree Indian or Light Tonic.

**Caorunn** £4.5  
Juniper and Citrus notes balanced with Black Pepper. Try it with a Slice of Apple and Fentiman's Light Tonic.

**Monkey 47** £6  
Hits of fresh citrus and ripe juniper on the nose, followed by a vegetal and slightly wooded finish that's extremely complex and robust. Served with cranberries and lime and Fever Tree Indian Tonic.

**Warner Edwards** £5.2  
It's based on barley spirit which is flavoured with eleven botanicals sourced from farms in Wales and England. Served with lime wedge and Fever Tree Indian Tonic .

**Gin 209** £4.8  
A Citrusy Gin with Orange Zest, Cardamom Spice and Lavender as the predominate notes. Served with Fever Tree Indian or Light Tonic and Grapefruit and nutmeg to garnish.

**Old English** £5.3  
On the nose is a clear juniper aroma with light citrus notes and green woody hints of pepper spice and herbs. Served with licorice, juniper berries and Fever Tree Indian Tonic.

**Ophir** £4.5  
Key notes of Cumin and Cardamom. Complimented with Orange Peel and 1724 Tonic.



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## No.3

£5.4

Grapefruit and Orange zest led, a Fruity Gin with bursts of spice. Cerise Bar recommend you try it with Grapefruit and Fentiman's Rose Lemonade.

## Brockmans

£5

This delicious gin is made with Bulgarian coriander, blueberries and blackberries as well as bittersweet Valencia orange peels. Served with Fever Tree Indian Tonic, blackberries and slice of ginger.

## Elephant Gin

£8

Inspired by Africa, 5 of its 14 botanicals are sourced from there; Devil's Claw, Buchu, Lions Tail, African Wormwood & Baobab. Served with Fever Tree Indian Tonic and fresh green apple.

## Glendalough Seasonal Small Batch

£5.75

A complex aroma of summer meadows - elderflower and primrose with notes of fresh citrus and ripe green apples. Served with Fever Tree Indian Tonic, juniper berries and orange!

## Masons Yorkshire

£5.5

Dry notes of Yorkshire Tea on the nose are complimented well by Citrus Tones on the palate. Enjoy with Fever Tree Indian or Light Tonic and a Slice of Lemon.

## FEW American

£8.25

Unlike any other gin, this offering from FEW Spirits is made using white whiskey (un-aged Bourbon) Served with orange and Fever Tree Indian Tonic.

## Sacred Cardamom

£4.25

is a handmade gin produced in small batches in London. Each of its twelve organically sourced botanicals are macerated with the highest quality. Served with coffee beans and Fever Tree Indian Tonic.

## FAIR

£5.5

Soft and delicate palate moving to a fresh, strong juniper flavor with an exquisite balance of selected spices. Served with juniper berries and Indian Tonic.

## Bulldog

£4

Bursting with Floral & Citrus flavours that tantalise the senses. To maximise the flavours in the Gin, we keep the garnishes simple with slices of Lime and Fever Tree Indian Tonic.

## Ungava

£5

A fantastically Canadian dry gin, sharper and with more pine flavour than most giving in to layers of tart berries and semi-sweet floral flavours. Served with Fever Tree Indian Tonic and Grapefruit.

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## Vodka

### Stolichnaya Red

£4

Filtered three times, once with quartz, then charcoal and then quartz again for a pure but original flavour.

### Reyka

£4.3

Vodka produced in Iceland using a process that includes the filtration through lava rock. This is made from a mixture of wheat and barley.

### Stolichnaya Vanilla

£4.1

Infused with Madagascan vanilla for a fresh creamy flavour.

### Grey Goose

£6

From Cognac in France, this breakthrough wheat-based small-batch ultra-premium vodka. Clean and fresh, with a smooth, creamy texture.

### Snow Leopard

£4.8

A Polish vodka, premium vodka made in small batches. 15% of the profits go to wildlife charities to help protect the highly endangered Snow Leopard.

### Belvedere

£5.3

A bottle of glorious quadruple-distilled rye vodka of extraordinary purity.

### Davna Bison Grass

£4

Is made to a traditional recipe in Poland. The grass is harvested in the summer from the Bialowieza forest, spread out and gently heated, whilst having alcohol poured over it. Spicy and sweet flavoured vodka.

### Davna Cherry

£4

A Polish vodka combined with hand-picked Polish cherries, vanilla, almonds and cinnamon to give a flavoursome spirit.

### Ketel One Citroen

£4

Probably the best Lemon vodka on the market, Ketel One Citroen is made by blending natural lemon and lime extracts with 'normal' Ketel One.

### Davna Hani Honey

£4.5

A premium Polish grain vodka flavoured with aromatic Linden honey from the blossom of the Linden Tree, helped by bees kept in the Polish highlands.

### Ketel One

£4.3

A meticulously-crafted vodka from a Dutch distillery that has remained a family business for ten generations since 1691.

### Stolichnaya Elit

£6

Stolichnaya Elit is made using freeze filtration. The result is stunningly smooth vodka with a wonderful flavour of aniseed and spice.

### Zubrowka

£5

One of the best Polish vodkas available, flavoured with a special kind of aromatic bisongrass that is so prized that it costs £400 per kilo. Zubrowka is simply outstanding with apple juice, especially the posh cloudy stuff.

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## **Mamont Siberian** £7

A real Siberian product from start to finish, this uses pure Siberian water and Siberian wheat. Triple filtered through Siberian birch charcoal, local cedar nuts are added as a finishing touch.

## **Adnams Longshore** £5

A higher proof vodka from Southwold brewers Adnams. Distilled from a barley base and then bottled at a perky 48% for extra kick.

## **Crystal Head** £7

The bottle is made by Bruni Glass in Italy, and the kosher-certified vodka is made with pure Newfoundland water and filtered through 500-million year-old crystals known as Herkimer diamonds.

## **Cîroc Coconut Vodka** £7

One of Cîroc's first flavored vodkas, Cîroc Coconut is distilled five times and infused with coconut and tropical fruit. It has a creamy and smooth taste with a slightly fruity finish.

## **Black Cow Vodka** £6

The creation of West Dorset dairy farmer Jason Barber, Black Cow claims to be the world's first pure milk vodka, made from nothing but pure whole milk.





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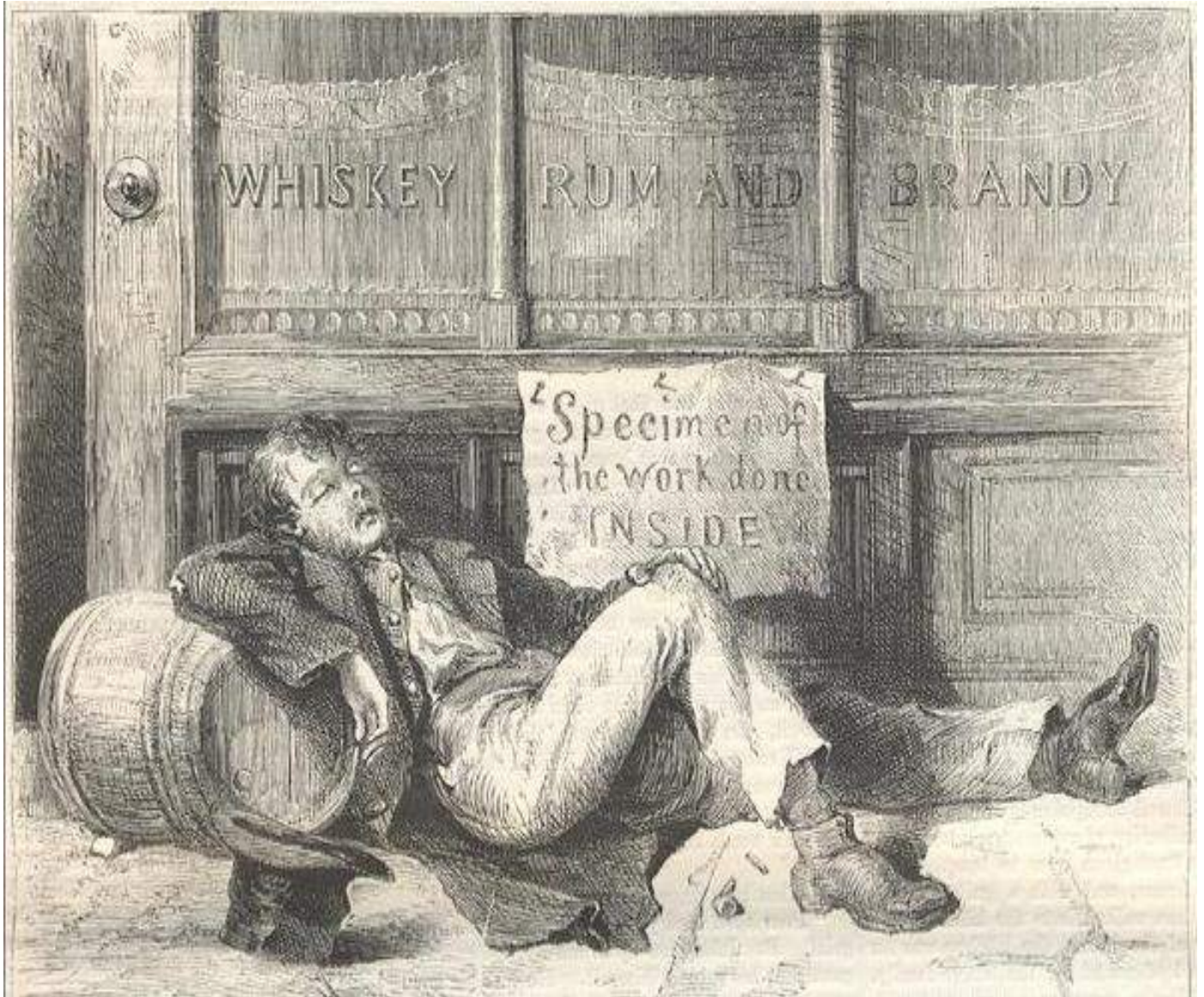
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## Rum

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|--|-------------|---|-------------|
| <b>El Dorado 5 Years Old</b>   | <b>£4</b>   | <b>Blackwell Black Gold Fine Jamaican Rum</b>   | <b>£5</b>   |
| This is a terrific rum from Guyana's Demerara Distillers Ltd. El Dorado 5yo is tastier than any rum this age.  |             | Made from Jamaican sugar cane and distilled by Jamaican workers, this is colourful, rich and complex.   |             |
| <b>Bacardi 8 Year Old</b>  | <b>£5</b>   | <b>El Dorado 3 Years Old</b>  | <b>£4</b>   |
| Refined and crafted sipping rum for the mature palate, Bacardi has a rich and complex flavour.   |             | El Dorado 3yo is an extremely sexy Guyanese rum from top producer. Deliciously sweet and smooth.  |             |
| <b>Appleton Estate VX</b>  | <b>£4</b>   | <b>Sailor Jerry Spiced</b>  | <b>£4.2</b> |
| The universally-lauded flagship brand for AE, this is an exceptional blend of several rums.  |             | This is the latest version of Sailor Jerry rum, this version contains less vanilla and lime.  |             |
| <b>Atlantica Platino</b>   | <b>£4.5</b> | <b>Plantation 5 Year Old</b>  | <b>£4.7</b> |
| The plata version of Atlantico's massively popular rum, already a hit across the USA.  |             | This Barbados 5yo is packaged in a dumper bottle, and with an age statement rather than a vintage.  |             |
| <b>Diplomatico Reserva</b>   | <b>£6</b>   | <b>Trois Rivieres Blanc</b>   | <b>£5</b>   |
| Venezuelan dark golden rum, distilled from molasses in a copper pot still before 12 years of ageing.   |             | A powerful traditional rhum agricole from Martinique.   |             |
| <b>Gosling Black Seal</b>  | <b>£4</b>   | <b>Don Papa Spiced</b>  | <b>£4.8</b> |
| A brilliant dark rum for mixing, produced in Bermuda since 1806. Rich and well balanced.   |             | Distilled in small batches from sugar cane grown on the Philippines island of Negros. This is packed with vanilla flavours and a hint of spice.   |             |
| <b>Pusser's 75% Overproof</b>  | <b>£4</b>   | <b>Santa Teresa 1796</b>  | <b>£7</b>   |
| It's taken a while, but Pusser's have finally ventured into the spiced rum category. Made using Caribbean spices, this is complex, with notes of ginger. |             | Venezuelan rum aged in a solera system. Santa Teresa 1796 has established itself in top bars as one of the best South American rums in the world. |             |
| <b>Atlantica Resevra</b>   | <b>£5</b>   | <b>Skipper Demerara</b>   | <b>£5</b>   |
| Atlantico's Reserva rum, solera aged and already a hit with bartenders across the World.   |             | A historic rum brand, Skipper is a dense, dark molasses-based rum made in Guyana. Aged up to 7 years.   |             |

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## Whisky

### Highlands

Highlands are by far the biggest region, therefore embraces wide variations. Malts tend to be light bodied, delicate whiskies with complex aromas and a dry(ish) finish that is sometimes spicy, and sometimes has a trace of salt. Some are faintly peaty like Highland Park, however in others the smoke is more like Lapsang Suchong tea with earthy tones and complexities that really please the palate.

#### Glenmorangie Signet £20

Some of the spirit in Signet has been made using a unique heavily-roasted Chocolate Malt that really beefs up the rich flavours.

#### Oban 14 years £5.4

Honey and citrus tones and a hint of smoke with spice. A truly glorious malt, bursting with character.

#### Dalmore 25 Year Old £59

Demerara sugar, maple syrup, bitter chocolate, spiced gingerbread, peel and chocolate truffles.

#### Dalmore Cigar Malt Reserve £15

Rich caramel and shortcake biscuits on the nose, which develop into a caramel explosion on the palate. Hints of charred orange peel, and perfectly balanced sherry tones. A more-ish finish that is clean and rich.

#### Dalmore 15 Year Old £22

The Dalmore 15 year old is smooth, rich and well rounded; the epitome of The Dalmore house style.

#### Aberfeldy 12 Year Old £5.5

Clean and polished malt with a touch of honey and spice. Creamy finish with spiced vanilla notes.

#### Glenmorangie Nectar D'OR 12 Year Old £8.5

Glenmorangie's Nectar d'Or is finished in Sauternes casks for 12 years. This is sweet and spicy with notes of ginger, nutmeg lemon meringue and honeycomb.

### Lowlands

Typically have a dry finish, which makes them excellent aperitifs. The dryness comes from the malt itself, not from peat (Lowlands tend to use unpeated malt). Their aromatic intensity is low, and tends to be grassy or herbal, with grainy and floral notes.

#### Auchentoshan 10 years £6

Western Warm vanilla nose with lemon zest and marshmallows.

#### Glenkinchie 12 years £6.5

Acacia honey creeps in with gentle warmth. The palate is very fruity with Madeira and sweet stewed fruits.

#### Haig Club £7

A light and sweet grain whisky, Haig Club is superb over ice, in long drinks or in short cocktails – it's an easy-drinking dram that will win anyone over.

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## Island

Balance is a recurring theme. It is hard to categorise them, indeed the fact they are a category of their own is most probably for geographic ease rather than for discerning between styles. There is often, however, a marked salinity, particularly in whiskies from the Isle of Jura, with their oily nature.

### Talisker 18 Year Old £19

One of our all-time favourite malts, from one of Scotland's greatest distilleries, Stunning balance of peat, spice and sweetness.

### Talisker 10 Year Old £5.8

Intense coastal spicy, peaty character. A truly elemental malt. Has a finish that has a distinctive cracked black pepper hit.

### Scapa 14 Year Old £28

Fruit notes and Calvados, hints of dried hay and ground almonds with a little fruit salad.

### Isle of Jura Superstition £6

Superstition is a unique whisky created from the marriage of traditional Islay style peated barley and a selection of aged malts.

### Isle of Jura 16 Year Old £12

A delicious and sophisticated dram with impressive depth and almost perfect weight. Rich honey sweetness.

## Islay

Generally opposite to the characteristics of Speyside, tending to be dry and peaty; behind the smoke however, they can have gentle mossy scents and some spice. The southern Islay distilleries produce powerfully phenolic whiskies, with aromas redolent of tar, smoke, iodine and carbolic. Famously, during the American prohibition, Laphroig wasn't banned due to its "medicinal" properties.

### Laphroaig 10 Year Old £5.5

Full-bodied, smoky gem, with a residual sweetness and a hint of salt amidst seaweedy, peaty characters.

### Lagavulin 16 Year Old £8.5

Lapsang Souchong tea and pipe tobacco, fish boxes and kippers. Medicinal yet slightly sweet on the finish.

### Bowmore 12 Year Old £4.8

The heart of the Bowmore range, the 12 year old exhibits some beautiful coastal notes with a gentle peat, it is the balance that the floral element presents that makes this a great entry bottling for Bowmore.

### Ardbeg 10 Year Old £6

A whirlwind of peat and complex malty flavours. Quality 'entry-level' single malt. Good body.

### Caol Ila 12 Year Old £7

Refined, powerful dram with a compensating oiliness. A balanced peaty-beauty.



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## Speyside

Speysides are essentially sweet whiskies, famous for their elegance and complexity. They have little peaty character (although some have a whiff of smoke) and can be highly perfumed: scents of carnations, roses, violets, apples, bananas, cream soda and lemonade.

### Balvenie 12 Year Old £6

After-dinner malts, extra complexity and richness are a result of a second maturation in fresh sherry casks.

### Craigellachie 13 Year Old £7

The distillery is known for its meaty character, and the 13-year-old is sweet, spicy and slightly smoky.

### Mortlach Rare Old £9

Has a golden amber color, along with an aroma of toffee, fudge, wood spices and dried fruits.

### Glenfiddich 15 Year Old £6

Three different types of casks is married together in a wooden vat, which is constantly topped up in solera style.

### Balvenie 14 Year Old £7

This is a sweet and luscious Balvenie taking plenty of sweetness from the rum casks used to age it.

### Macallan Gold £8

Assertive vanilla and citrus. Along with ginger and cinnamon, while soft oak tones reveal toasted apples.

### Balvenie 17 Year Old £12

Sherry influence, oak-spices, medium-length depth without being overpowering.

### Glenfiddich 18 Year Old £9

An elegant nose, faintly sweet, scented with apple and wood. Glenfiddich 18yo is a robust and full bodied yet soft and smooth dram.

### The Macallan Rare Cask £48

It's comprised of whiskies drawn from 16 different Sherry cask styles. A high proportion of these casks are first fill, and has resulted in a rich, spicy Speyside single malt, bursting with honey, raisin, root ginger and decadent chocolate notes.

### Glenfiddich 12 Year Old £4.9

Distinctively fresh with a characteristic sweet, fruity flavour. Develops into creamy butterscotch with subtle malt and oak flavours, leading to a long and mellow finish.

### The Macallan Sienna £14

The nose is more intense than the Gold and Amber expressions, with some orange peel, vanilla and subtle spices. Dried fruits on the palate which leads to a fruity and slightly spiced finish with a touch of anise.

### Macallan 18 Years Old £90

The palate of this 20yr old reveals the character of being so long in an ex-Bourbon barrel: fat malt, rich, wood notes and crisp coconut and butterscotch.

### Macallan Gold £8

A lemon citrus nose, with zesty orange peel and oaky vanilla notes. Overall a slightly sweet and malty whisky, easy going and fresh.

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## Whiskey around the world

**Gentleman Jack** £5

The only whiskey in the world to be double mellowed through maple charcoal - once before and once after maturation.

**Suntory Hakushu** £7

Hakushu is a herbal and gently smoky single malt. Its crisp and vibrant feel, unique in a single malt, enlivens and liberates your senses.

**Yamazaki 12 Year Old** £9

Medium-bodied, malty and mildly spiced, with a drying, increasingly nutty finish.

**Hibiki 17 Year Old** £15

There are notes of honey and wax, resin and oak. Notes of gentle smoke and cacao, hints of cooked fruit.

**Bushmills Black Bush** £4.2

It combines a uniquely high proportion of malt whiskey matured in former Oloroso Sherry casks with a sweet, batch-distilled grain whiskey. This recipe gives rich fruity notes and deep intense character.

**Sazerac Rye** £6.5

Aromas of clove, vanilla, anise and pepper. Subtle notes of candied spices and citrus. The big finish is smooth with hints of liquorice.

**Rittenhouse 100 Rye** £6.5

Very popular with rye aficionados, this must be tried by American whiskey enthusiasts.

**Teeling Small Batch** £7

This is a delicious small-batch blend with a very high malt content. Interestingly enough, it's also been matured in rum casks for added spice.

**Tullamore Dew** £4.5

Light sweet citrus and green apple combined with vanilla undertones followed by some toasted wood which evolves into a delicious vanilla sweetness.

**Hibiki Harmony** £13

Is a blend of Japanese malt and grain whiskies from Yamazaki, Hakushu and Chita. Presented in the brand's trademark 24-faceted bottle representing the Japanese seasons, this is light, approachable and moreish with enticing notes of orange peel and white chocolate.

## Pisco

Pisco is a grape brandy produced in Chile and Peru. It came about in the 16th century, when the conquistadores who had colonised the region began to grow grapes to make wine. The results were then distilled to create pisco. Sip it neat.

**Capel Transparent Pisco** £6

Double distilled and triple filtered, this Pisco from Capel is a deliciously elegant expression, featuring floral and citrus notes, as well as a hint of lychee. The grape variety used in the Capel Double Distilled Transparent Pisco is the Pedro Ximenez grape.

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## Blended Scotch

Roughly nine out of 10 bottles of Scotch sold around the world are blends – that is, a mix of grain and single malt whiskies. These products are the lifeblood of the industry and the liquid expression of an art form that borders on alchemy: combining myriad components to create one harmonious and consistent whole.

### Compass Box Great King Street £5.5

Incredibly quaffable, an excellent whisky, and a definite crowd pleaser.

### Monkey Shoulder £4.5

A superb blended malt whisky from William Grant, made with single malts from the company's three neighbouring distilleries in Dufftown. The result is a smooth, creamy, supple and very malty Scotch.

### Naked Grouse £5

An interesting addition to the Famous Grouse range, this was aged in first fill sherry casks, and is based around malt whisky from Highland Park and Macallan.



## Bourbons

### Evan Williams Extra Aged £4.2

A darkly hued sour mash bourbon, aged for seven years. Rich flavours like leather, vanilla and toffee.

### Jim Beam Double Oak £5

A new take on the classic Kentucky bourbon matured in not one, but two freshly charred American oak barrels.

### L&G Woodford Reserve £5

Superbly smooth, flavoursome Bourbon, rich and full-bodied with a sophisticated range of flavours.

### Eagle Rare 10 Year Old £5.5

A single barrel, Kentucky straight bourbon whiskey which has a sweet, oaky nose and full, complex body.

### Jim Beam £4

Jim Beam bourbon undergoes distillation at lower temperatures and is distilled to no more than 62.5%, the White label is aged for four years and has quite a high percentage of rye in the mashbill.

### Knob Creek Rye £5.5

has made its way to our fair shores, bringing with it a flavour profile that strikes a wonderful balance between your classic, spicy rye whiskeys and your sweeter, vanilla-fuelled high-rye-content bourbons.

### Elijah Craig 12 Year Old £5.2

Quite thick and full. There is a beautiful sweetness with notes of toasty oak, toffee & spicy stewed fruits.

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## Cognac, Brandy and Armagnac

### Courvoisier VS

£4.5

Legend Has it that Napoleon held Emmanuel Courvoisier's cognac in such high esteem that he took with him hundreds of bottles to enjoy during his years in exile. With aromas from the eau de vie and the wood, with full taste and character that leaves a clean and fresh finish on the palate. Great entry cognac.

### Courvoisier VSOP

£7

A classic cognac, this is matured for between 8 and 12 years in a selection of Tronçais and Limousin oak barrels.

### Courvoisier XO

£18

A new bottling of Courvoisier XO, a brilliant example of well-aged, expertly blended and altogether delectable Cognac. Featuring very old eaux-di-vie from the Grande Champagne, Petite Champagne and Borderies regions, Courvoisier have created a stunning, timeless classic Cognac.

### Metaxa 7 Star Amphora

£6.5

A self-confident spirit! METAXA 7\* is a very sophisticated member of the METAXA family. Wine distillates aged up to 7 years give METAXA 7\* a spirit of distinction, with a gold colour and a full-bodied, raisin, sweet taste. Enjoy the heavenly mellow taste served neat or on the rocks, with tonic or your favourite mixer.

### Trésor

£46

is a very old blend of around 1000 eaux-di-vie aged for more than two generations. A blend of Ugni Blanc and Colombard grapes from the Grande Champagne region. This is rich and complex and a superb sipping Cognac.

### Royal Blend

£60

The black edition of Tesseron XO Royal Blend is made using a blend of very old Grande Champagne Cognacs. These are married together and aged in new oak for the first few months before being transferred to older barrels. Presented in a hand-blown decanter, this is an excellent example of aged Cognac.

### Extreme

£125

It is so rare that even specialists only speak of it as a memory of flavours long sought and never found. Velvety and supple on the palate, its exceptional mellowness is matched only by its infinitely complex depth. Its "rancio" nose, the result of long years of ageing in oak casks, is smooth and harmonious. It opens up in waves of countless secondary aromas, whose tones get stronger and stronger, and then ends with a nice, soft finish. Its exceptionally long-lingering taste is an irrefutable pledge of quality.

### Baron de Sigognac 10 YO

£6

A quality aged Bas Armagnac from a famous house. Made by the Guasch family, who grow both Baco and Ugni Blanc grapes.

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| Liqueurs   | 50ml  |      | Aperol  | 11% | £5 |
|--|-------|------|---|-----|----|
| <b>Bailey's Irish Cream</b>  | 17%   | £6.5 | Is a low-strength aperitif, recipe including both rhubarb and orange along with herbs and roots.  |     |    |
| Delicious blend of whiskey and smooth Irish cream.   |       |      |   |     |    |
| <b>Mozart Dark Chocolate</b>   | 17%   | £8   | <b>Pimms No 1</b>   | 25% | £6 |
| Combination of cocoa and vanilla, with some of the cocoa spirit aged to enhance the flavour          |       |      | The classic English summer drink, Pimm's No.1 is an institution in the UK, where it is enjoyed with lemonade, mint and various fresh fruits.  |     |    |
| <b>Mozart Gold Chocolate</b>   | 17%   | £8   | <b>Disoronno Amaretto</b>   | 28% | £8 |
| Chocolate cream liqueur, Mozart Gold is guaranteed to set sweet-toothed souls' hearts a-flutter.     |       |      | Disaronno shows intense marzipan and Battenberg cake flavours on the palate.  |     |    |
| <b>Frangelico Hazelnut</b>   | 20%   | £4.5 | <b>Tosolini Limoncello</b>  | 28% | £7 |
| Legendary Italian hazlenut liqueur made to a recipe dating back around 300 years.                    |       |      | Bepi Tosolini Limoncello is a fantastic yellow colour and has a very natural lemon flavour.   |     |    |
| <b>Chambord Raspberry</b>  | 16.5% | £9   | <b>Briottet Liqueurs</b>  | 40% | £8 |
| A five-star liqueur, made with 'black raspberries' and other bramble fruits, infused in aged cognac. |       |      | <b>Velvet Falernum</b>  | 11% | £5 |
| <b>Tuaca Vanilla</b>   | 35%   | £9   | Taylor's Velvet Falernum is a mix of citrus and spice which is also excellent on its own over ice.  |     |    |
| A premium amber-gold liqueur made with brandy, vanilla essence and citrus fruits.                    |       |      | <b>Grand Marnier</b>  | 40% | £9 |
| <b>Mandarine Napoleon</b>  | 38%   | £9   | Is an orange-flavoured cognac liqueur, blend of Cognac brandy, distilled essence of bitter orange, and sugar.                                 |     |    |
| A high-quality Belgian liqueur made with tangerines, Cognac and a secret recipe of botanicals.       |       |      | <b>Luxardo Maraschino</b>   | 32% | £9 |
| <b>Xante Pear Liqueur</b>  | 38%   | £9   | An authentic maraschino made to a recipe dating from 1821 using the Marasca cherry. Aged for two years in Finnish oak vats prior to bottling. |     |    |
| Ultra-stylish cognac-based pear liqueur.   |       |      |   |     |    |

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**Tosolini Exprès Coffee**      30%      £7

Exprès is a beautiful Italian coffee liqueur made by Bepi Tosolini. It is made using traditionally-toasted Arabica coffee beans, and the results speak for themselves!

**Tosolini Saliza Amaretto**      28%      £7.5

Formerly known as Amaretto Mascarada, Saliza is a cut above standard-issue amarettos with a delightful lightness and intense yet elegant marzipan flavours. This authentic Amaretto is a refined almond distillate, harmonious, natural and incredibly balanced.

**Campari**      25%      £6

An Italian bitter liqueur aperitif, flavoured with a bewildering array of 68 herbs and spices.

**Drambuie**      40%      £9

Combination of aged Scotch whiskies and heather honey.

**Benedictine**      40%      £8

A classic medium-bodied French herbal liqueur,

**Chartreuse Yellow**      40%      £9

Milder, sweeter, more approachable Chartreuse.

**Chartreuse Green**      55%      £9.5

Most of us recognise from Granny's drinks cabinet. Not to everyone's taste, but for those brave enough to approach with an open mind, this is a delicious liqueur.

**La Fée Absinthe**      68%      £13

La Fée is an absinthe packed with the flavours of traditional Grand Wormwood, Green Anise, Star Anise, Hyssop and Fennel, giving a fresh herbal aroma.

**Galliano**      42.3%      £4.5

Galliano L'Autentico is an Italian liqueur created in 1896 by Arturo Vaccari of Tuscany. It was named for Giuseppe Galliano, who was an Italian war hero. The liqueur is made with vanilla, citrus, ginger and anise.

**Tia Maria**      20%      £7

Tia Maria is a Jamaican coffee liqueur made with Jamaican Blue Mountain beans. It is flavoured with vanilla and sugar.





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## Fortified/Vermouth

50ml

### Noilly Prat

£4

A superior French dry vermouth. The white wine base is allowed to age in the open air during a year of oak maturation before flavouring and fortification.

### Lillet Blanc

£6

A top-drawer white wine-based aperitif from Bordeaux, made with local wines blended with fruit brandies and matured in oak.

### Lillet Rouge

£6

A splendid red aperitif hailing from the Bordeaux region of France, Lillet Rouge is less famous than its Blanc sister.

### Lillet Rose

£6

It's a blend of red and white Bordeaux wines mixed with herb and fruit liqueurs before aging in oak.

### Anitca Formula

£7

From Carpano, home of the first ever vermouth, this highly sought-after red vermouth is made to an original recipe dating from 1786.

### Burmester White Porto

£5

Produced exclusively from white grapes, this wine is obtained by blending different harvests. Initially aged in stainless steel vats, it is a very exotic, fresh and delicate wine.

## Stones Ginger Wine

£5

A fortified wine made from a fermented blend of ground ginger root and raisins.

## Tequila

25ml

### Lunazul Reposado

£4

A Reposado tequila made with 100% agave, Lunazul Reposado tequila is rested in oak and provides "classic, earthy" taste and "smoky finish."

### Lunazul Blanco

£4.3

A 100% agave Blanco tequila from Tierra de Agaves. Lunazul Blanco is a simple, great-quality Tequila. It is double distilled in stills once used in Cognac production.

### Patron Café XO

£4.5

A fiery addition to the Patron range, Café Incendio is a blend of Patron Silver Tequila, Criollo chocolate and arbol chilli peppers. Best served either chilled over ice, or used to add a spicy kick to your cocktails.





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## Cigars

### Partagas Serie D No.4

£26

appearance - oily maduro wrapper is smooth and silky.

construction - flawless construction, well rolled, burns evenly and draw is fairly easy.

flavour - offers flavors of precious wood, cinnamon and smooth finish.

### Cohiba Siglo II

£25

appearance - beautiful mareva; vein-free, firm yet spongy and a deep cedar nose.

construction - exceptionally constructed and crafted cigar that smokes well.

flavour - tasty, creamy, smooth, with grassy flavour combined with hints of fresh beans.

### Montecristo Petit Edmundo

£17.50

appearance - the wrapper's quite oily, not really flawless but it only adds to its charm.

construction - is great, with a slow, self-correcting burn and an impeccable draw.

flavour - notes of dark bitter chocolate, loads of dry cedar flavors with a hint of pepper.

### H.Upmann Coronas Junior

£12.50

appearance - the cigar is a nice tan color with very small veins.

construction – attractive and good draw.

flavour - delicious flavors of wood, spices, sweetness and some hints of nuts.

### 5 Puritos Montecristo

£8

appearance - Excellent construction, with a sheen to the wrapper. Even bunch at the foot.

construction – attractive and good draw.

flavour - Full of flavor and very spicy yet creamy.

### Romeo y Juliet No 3

£15

appearance - perfect construction, no soft spots or bulges anywhere.

construction – consistent high quality of draw and strength.

flavour - Sweet, creamy with hints of chocolate.

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## Soft Drinks/Hot Beverages

|                      |       |      |
|----------------------|-------|------|
| Coca-Cola/Diet-Cola, | 200ml | £2.5 |
| Coca-Cola            | 300ml | £3   |

|                       |       |       |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|
| Fever Tree Selection, | 200ml | £2.75 |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|

Lemonade  
Spring soda  
Ginger Ale  
Slim light tonic  
Ginger beer  
Bitter lemon  
Mediterranean

|                       |       |    |
|-----------------------|-------|----|
| Pago Juices Selection | 200ml | £3 |
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Produced by exclusively processing pure and natural ingredients.

Cloudy Apple  
Orange  
Pineapple  
Cranberry  
Tomato

|         |       |    |
|---------|-------|----|
| Firefly | 330ml | £4 |
|---------|-------|----|

Delicious Natural Still Drinks. Fruit juices, botanical extracts and absolutely nothing artificial.

### Bramley Apple and Ginger

Get your Britishness back with this scrumptious mix of Bramley apples and blackberries infused with revitalising ginger - You'll be singing Jerusalem before you know it...

### Kiwi, Lime and Mint

Another "quick lime and soda" that turned into a 2-o'clocker? Tropical kiwis and zesty limes with a hint of mint. You'll be shaking your maracas in no time. Olé!

### Pomegranate and Elderflower

Snoozing through life? Not a good look... Embrace the day with juicy pomegranates, summery elderflowers and a pinch of kola nut. Tackle life with your eyes open. It's better that way.

## Water Still/Sparkling

|                            |       |      |
|----------------------------|-------|------|
| The Forbury Filtered Water | 750ml | £4   |
| Whitehole Spring           | 750ml | £5   |
| Whitehole Spring           | 330ml | £2.5 |

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|-------------------|----|
| Speciality Coffee | £4 |
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Cafetière/Cappuccino/Caffè Latté/Americano  
Mochachino/Machiato/Espresso Double  
Espresso Single

£2.5

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|----------------|----|
| Loose Leaf Tea | £4 |
|----------------|----|

English Breakfast/Gunpowder Green Tea/Earl Grey  
Peppermint/Chamomile/Rose Congou/Mango  
Banaspatty/Jasmine Mao Feng/Darjeeling First Flush  
Balance/Blackcurrant and Hibiscus

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All Day Dining 10am-11pm

## Small Plates

### Snacks

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|---|----|
| Hummus and Flat Bread                         | £4 |
| Sweet Potato Wedges,<br>Avocado and Lime Mayo | £5 |

### Fish

|                               |    |
|-------------------------------|----|
| Chilli and Black Pepper Squid | £6 |
| Spicy Crab Cake, Citrus Dip   | £5 |

### Meat

|                                       |     |
|---------------------------------------|-----|
| Sautéed Chicken Livers, Grilled Bread | £5  |
| British Charcuterie Plate             | £15 |

## Sandwiches

### Hot

All hot sandwiches are served with triple cooked chips and rocket salad. Our sandwiches are made using quality breads. Choose from either white or wholemeal bread.

|                                     |       |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Forbury Club Sandwich               | £12.5 |
| Grilled Aubergine and Brie Sandwich | £10.5 |
| Pulled Pork, Apple, Slaw, Ciabatta  | £12.5 |

### Cold

|                                  |       |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| Smoked Salmon and Cucumber Bagel | £10.5 |
| Pastrami, Gherkins, Green Kraut  | £10.5 |
| Egg Mayonnaise and Salad         | £8    |

## Meals

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|--|-------|
| Soup of The Day  | £6.5  |
| Chicken Caesar Salad   | £10.5 |
| Tuna Niçoise   | £12.5 |
| Battered Cod and Chunky Chips,<br>Crushed Peas, Tartare Sauce          | £13   |
| Grilled Beef Burger, Pineapple, Bacon<br>Beetroot Relish, Chunky Chips | £15   |
| Wild Mushroom Risotto,<br>Parmesan Shavings                            | £14.5 |
| Chicken Supreme, Creamed Potato,<br>Mixed Vegetables, Red Wine Jus     | £15   |

## Grill

|   |        |
|---|--------|
| 8oz Ribeye Steak, Tomato Chutney                                    | £23.95 |
| Chunky Chips, Béarnaise or Peppercorn Sauce                         |        |
| 8oz Pork Cutlet, Tomato Chutney,<br>Chunky Chips                    | £21.95 |
| 6oz Fillet Steak, Caramelised Beer Onions,<br>Spinach, Chunky Chips | £28.95 |

## Dessert

|   |       |
|---|-------|
| Dark Chocolate Brownie, Vanilla Ice Cream | £6    |
| Banana Parfait, Peanut Butter Choux Bun   | £6    |
| Selection of Cheeses, Fig Chutney         | £10.5 |
| Fruit and Toasts                          |       |

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The afternoon tea tradition originated in the early 1800s from Anna, the 7th Duchess of Bedford. Tea was served with bread and butter in the afternoon to avoid hunger between lunch and dinner.

This practice then became a British norm which saw the inclusion of fancy pastries, sandwiches and scones served with clotted cream and preserves.

*Monday to Sunday 2pm to 530pm*

## Cream Tea - £12.50 per person

*Warm Raisin and Plain Scones served with Strawberry Jam and Clotted Cream*



## Full Afternoon Tea - £24 per person

*Selection of home-made Finger Sandwiches.*

*Salmon and Cream Cheese*

*Tuna Mayonnaise*

*Honey Glazed Wiltshire Ham and Whole Grain Mustard*

*Smoked Chicken and Tarragon Mayonnaise*

*Cucumber and Cream Cheese*

*Egg Mayonnaise*

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*Warm Raisin and Plain Scones served with Strawberry Jam and Clotted Cream*

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*Selection of Cakes*

## Laurent-Perrier Champagne Afternoon Tea - £35 per person

*Full Afternoon Tea enjoyed with a glass of Laurent-Perrier Brut Champagne*

*Our menu contains allergens. If you suffer from a food allergy or intolerance, please inform a member of the team upon placing your order.*

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## Private Hire - Booths

### Private Rooms

For those that are looking for more of an exclusive feel for special occasions, we have a number of spaces available for Private Hire.

### Saloon or Snug – Private Booths

The best seats in the house, park your drinks and your party right next to the bar with a short walk to the night life in Reading, for those who want to be in the thick of it. The Snug has seating for a maximum of 8 guests and the Saloon has seating for a maximum of 10 guests, although this can be booked for larger parties.

### B "Seven"

Opposite the Snug, mini booth seating with 4 bar stools which can accommodate up to eight guests. Right next to the bar!!!

### Library

Fancy elevating your evening in a luxury private room within the original Shire Hall! Keep it close and intimate, far from prying eyes in our Library which has lounge seating for up to eight guests, although this can be booked for larger parties of up to 30 guests.

### 'Cerise' – By invitation only

Exclusive hire of Cerise for those wanting make their night extra special. Please contact one of our events and sales team with any booking enquiries for prices, terms and conditions.

### The Penthouse - The ultimate place to celebrate in Reading

If you are looking for something on a larger scale, the Penthouse is the ultimate apartment for luxurious living and partying. Full length glass windows provide spectacular views across the city skyline with generous balconies. With its own sauna, Bang and Olufsen sound and visual system and luxurious interior, the Penthouse is the premier place to stay and party in Reading.

Offering two double bedrooms, one which features a roll top bath within the room, a large, open plan kitchen/dining space.

With as much or as little service as is required, the apartment affords total privacy or the full works – our chef can even prepare your food in the privacy of a fully equipped chef's kitchen which is perfect for entertaining.

**34** - A discretionary service charge of ten percent will be added. All prices include VAT.

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## ALCOHOL BY VOLUME

Champagne 12.0%-13.0%

White Wine 12.0%-14.0%

Red Wine 12.0%-14.5%

Beers 0.05%-5.1%

Vermouth 14.7%-18.0%

Campari 15.0%

Pernod 40.0%

Ricard 45.0%

Sherry 15.5%-17.5%

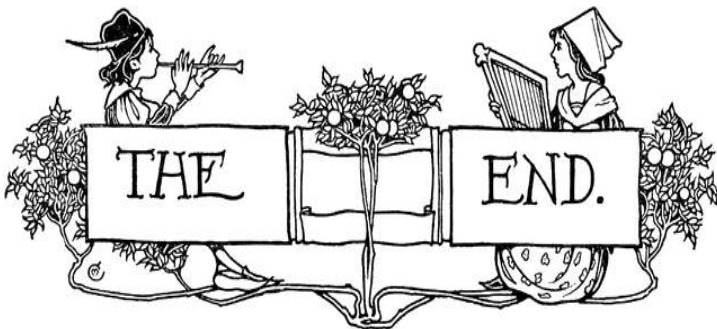
Gin 37.5%-49.3%

Vodka 37.5%-40.0%

Rum 37.5%-40.0%

Whiskies 40.0%-58.7%

Cognac 40.0%-47.0%



In accordance with the Weights and Measures Act of 1985, the measure for sale of Gin, Vodka and Whisky in these premises is 25ml or multiples thereof. Champagne is sold by the glass measured at 125ml. Still Wines are sold by the glass measured at 125ml and 175ml.