

Sparkling Wines

Prosecco - Ca Bolani -

27.50

Veneto - Italy -

(glera)

Bright, light clear straw yellow. Pleasantly fruity and with a good aromatic intensity. Extremely harmonious and pleasant with a hint of sweet almond, typical of Prosecco grapes.

Champagne - Moutard -

57.00

Champagne - France -

(chardonnay)

Moutard's Brut Reserve is 100% Chardonnay, aged more than three years in Moutard's caves. On the nose it is delicately fruity and has an easy appeal, with a light peachiness. On the palate there is a lovely ripeness and limpid weight of pear and peach fruit, with a soft, pillowy mousse and a sense of fruit purity and roundness, this remains deliciously soft and drinkable.

Franciacorta rosé - Bellavista -

75.00

Lombardia - Italy -

(chardonnay & pinot noir)

Franciacorta is a small wine-producing area in Lombardia northern Italy. It is famous for its high-quality sparkling wines, which are made very much in the image of Champagne. Delicate shades of pink are studded with tight and persistent streams of bubbles. The nose opens with intense white peach that mellows into wild strawberries, golden apple, rosehip and a hint of toast. On the palate, the wine is dry with well balanced, fresh acidity. An elegant background of blackcurrant and sweet almond flavours linger on the finish and Bucci's favourite...!!!

R de Ruinart - Ruinart -

85.00

Champagne - France -

(chardonnay, pinot noir & pinot Meunier)

One of the oldest Champagne houses, founded in 1729, Ruinart was the first house to export Champagne. A classic Champagne that was sought-after and hard to come by. Elegant and subtle; one of the jewels in Champagne's crown.

Pol Roger nv - Pol Roger -

75.00

Champagne - France -

(pinot noir & chardonnay)

Founded in 1849 by Monsieur Pol Roger, today the firm is still family owned and run by Christian de Billy and his son Hubert and their cousin Christian Pol Roger. Pol Roger own some 70 hectares in both the Côte de Blancs and Vallée de la Marne which supply 40% of their needs and their Champagne is consistently in the top half dozen in terms of quality. Sir Winston Churchill who loved it, memorably described Pol Roger's residence as 'the world's most drinkable address'. This is the perfect aperitif Champagne: clean, floral, elegant and with a delicious biscuity flavour. Party Champagne par excellence but an indulgent treat with fish and chips too. 'Followww up...!!

Cristal - Louis Roederer -

250.00

Champagne - France -

(chardonnay & pinot noir)

Established in 1776, Champagne Louis Roederer is one of the few remaining completely independent family-owned, great Champagne houses. ***Cristal was first created in 1876 for Alexander II of Russia, and is viewed by many as the first prestige cuvée. As the political situation in Russia at the time of his rule was unstable, the Tsar feared assassination. He ordered that champagne bottles for his Three Emperors Dinner be made clear, so that he could see the bubbles and also to prevent hiding a bomb within them, as could happen with a typical dark green bottle.***

Louis Roederer then offered to create an exceptional white crystal bottle to house the best selection from the 7 finest vineyards of his estate. This wine was only produced in the "great" years when the ripeness of the Chardonnay and Pinot Noir enabled a subtle, precise balance. The wine is the region's most prestigious

White Wines and Rosé

House

19.50

Soave - Zenato -

24.50

Verona - Italy -

(garganega)

Straw yellow with an intense but delicate bouquet.

Angimbé - Cusumano -

26.00

Sicily - Italy -

(insolia & chardonnay)

Medium bodied, with good intensity and a flamboyant fruit cocktail finish.

Southern Right - A. Hamilton Russell -

28.00

Western Cape - South Africa -

(sauvignon blanc)

Displays ripeness and drive, citrus oil, white peach, and salted butter notes offset by bracing fleur de sel and thyme accents. The long, rapier finish pulls you back for another sip.

Rosé cru classé - Château de L'Aumerade -

29.50

Provence - France -

(grenache, syrah & cinsault)

This salmon-pink rosé will transport you to the sunny beaches of the French Mediterranean. Fresh and fruity, with bright strawberry. This is a soft textured rosé.

Pecorino - Gran Sasso -

30.50

Abruzzo - Italy -

(pecorino)

Straw-yellow in color and has an elegantly floral bouquet of acacia and jasmine, sometimes spiced with a faint hint of licorice.

Greco di Tufo - Vesevo -

31.50

Campania - Italy -

(greco di tufo)

The refreshing, crisp white wines are known for their aromatic notes of lemons, pears and toasted almonds and a lingering mineral finish.

Pinot Grigio - Livon -

31.80

Friulli-Venezia Giulia - Italy -

(pinot gris)

Straw yellow with slight ash grey reflections. On the nose it has a fragrant bouquet, recalling vanilla and lime flowers. On the palate it is strong with a long finish.

Lugana - Santa Cristina -

36.00

Lago di Garda - Italy -

(lugana)

An intense wine with elegant floral and citrus fruity notes particularly of peach, pineapple and grapefruit. It's got a good body and with a pleasantly mineral taste & spiced finish.

Iselis - Argiolas - 37.00

*Sardinia - Italy -
(nasco & vermentino)*

Straw yellow, ample, harmonious scent, with notes of yellow blossoms, tropical fruits and underlying light mossy notes. It's full-bodied with a creamy finish and hints of vanilla.

Spitfire - Kim Crawford - 39.00

*Marlborough - New Zealand -
(sauvignon blanc)*

Amazingly powerful aromas. Lemon meringue pie, sweet passion fruit, melon, and tropical fruits with hints of crushed tomato leaf. Palate has intense complex flavors of citrus balanced with ripe tropical fruits of passion fruit and white peach.

Erbaluce di Caluso - Ferrando - 41.50

*Piemonte - Italy -
(erbaluce)*

A beautiful medium bodied wine with hints of mountain flowers and stone fruits. The flavour is fresh with good body and balance.

Pouilly Fuissé - Domaine Ferrand - 49.00

*Burgundy - France -
(chardonnay)*

This Burgundian Chardonnay is very Old World style ripe, supple and of medium body, this classic expression of Pouilly-Fuissé shows vibrant Chardonnay fruit flavors with notes of melon and minerals, gently touched with oak, ending in a fresh, silky and buttery finish.

Gavi di Gavi - La Scolca - 68.00

*Piemonte - Italy -
(cortese)*

Pale straw in colour, with delicate greenish highlights. On the nose intense fruity and flowery notes. Almonds and hazelnut on the palate. Medium to full bodied, with a very long and rich, crisp finish.

Lowengang - Alois Lageder - 68.00

*Alto Adige - Italy -
(chardonnay)*

Known as the 'Ferrari of wine makers'. This chardonnay is quite simply one of Italy's finest. A light, delicate wine with aromas of peaches, melons and pineapples with a concentrated and smooth texture.

Red Wines

House	19.50
Benuara - Cusumano -	26.00
<i>Sicily - Italy -</i>	
<i>(nero d'avola & syrah)</i>	
<i>This wine is a superb blend of Nero d'Avola and Syrah that has strong body, a vinous nose of wild fruits and a full bodied taste on the palate.</i>	
Costera - Argiolas -	33.50
<i>Sardinia - Italy -</i>	
<i>(90% cannonau, 5% bovale, 5% carignano)</i>	
<i>Intense purple - red in colour. Lots of dried berries, rosemary and thyme on the nose. Full bodied, delicious fruit and a clean finish. Plenty of delicious grenache characters.</i>	
Yume - Caldora -	39.00
<i>Abruzzo - Italy -</i>	
<i>(montepulciano)</i>	
<i>This is a well made Montepulciano, with aromas of ripe pears, apples and stone fruits. The palate is soft and round with a light creaminess and balanced acidity. Easy drinking and great value.</i>	
Ripassa - Zenato -	43.50
<i>Veneto - Italy -</i>	
<i>(corvina, rondinella, & corvinone)</i>	
<i>Deep ruby red colour. Elegant, complex aromas of ripe fruit. In the mouth, soft, rich flavours typical of the best Valpolicella, lengthening into a pleasantly bitterish finish.</i>	
Cabernet Sauvignon Lot #37	46.00
- Garage wine co -	
<i>Maipo Valley - Chile -</i>	
<i>(cabernet sauvignon & cabernet franc)</i>	
<i>This bright, intense red wine is full of blackcurrants and dark berry fruit flavors, with hints of summer herbs, tobacco and cracked black pepper. texture is firm and the finish is long, smoky and gentle.</i>	
Vino Nobile di Montepulciano	51.50
- Tenuta Valdipiatta -	
<i>Tuscany - Italy -</i>	
<i>(prugnolo gentile, merlot & cabernet Sauvignon)</i>	
<i>Ruby red in colour with garnet inflections. Full bodied bouquet with spicy notes typical of Prugnolo Gentile and violet, blackberry and raspberry. Full and persistent on the palate with a noticeable tannic presence and an acidity that supports the general structure of the wine. The oenologist Eric Boissenot also consults for Lafite, Latour, Margaux and Palmer.</i>	
Chianti Classico Riserva	52.50

- Castellare -

Tuscany - Italy -

(sangiovese & canaiolo)

This producer does follow trends like some wineries who experiment blending French grapes with local grapes. A strong commitment to Tuscan (chianti) wine values helps to produce an exotic dark fruit, licorice and mint flavor, all of which comes to life in a sumptuous style that has a rich creamy finish.

Noa - Cusumano -

56.50

Sicily - Italy -

(néro d'avola, merlot & cabernet sauvignon)

Named after the first recorded winemaker himself, Noah, this is the flagship wine of the Cusumano range. This harmonious, soft red possesses gorgeous balance in its dark fruit, liquorice, spices and sweet oak, with terrific intensity and long, polished finish.

Sondraia - Poggio al Tesoro -

59.50

Bolgheri - Italy -

(merlot, cabernet franc & cabernet sauvignon)

*One of the most exciting estates in recent years. A vineyard next to the acclaimed Ornellaia estate, producing spectacular 'super tuscan' wines at a fraction of the cost...!! **Like top-tier Super-Tuscans, it has a dark, intense, ruby red color with a slight purple edge. It is rich and warm with dark fruit flavors, silky tannins and a generous, persistent finish. This is a wine you would be proud to serve to any discerning dinner guest.***

Pinot Noir - T. Hamilton Russell -

60.00

Hemel-en-Aarde valley - South Africa -

(pinot noir)

Back in 1975, advertising executive Tim Hamilton-Russell bought 170 hectares (400 acres) of undeveloped land not far from Hermanus, and only a short distance from the cold Atlantic ocean. And in 1976 he planted a vineyard, he managed to get some Chardonnay vines (which were very hard to come by at the time), and some Pinot Noir (also rare), and he pioneered what is now one of the most exciting wine regions in the Cape: Hemel-en-Aarde. This vintage saw the benefit of a new racking regime. Very pure, supple and fine. Linear and silky with lovely fruit. Sappy cherry fruit. Stylish and quite profound, showing great precision and purity.

Black Label - Wynns -

64.50

Coonawarra - Australia -

(shiraz)

One of Australia's oldest winery dating back to 1861. This wine is rich & complex, full to medium bodied with flavours of red berries, spices and chocolate. The spicy and floral notes persist onto the palate to give this unique wine a Coonawarra flavour.

PSI - Dominio de Pingus -

67.50

Ribera del Duero - Spain -

(tempranillo)

Having established Pingus as a new benchmark for greatness in Spanish wine, Peter Sisseck has embarked on a new quest: to produce a wine that captures the soul of Ribera del Duero. And thus Ψ PSI was born. It has a tightly wound bouquet with fresh blackberry, blueberry and vanilla essence. It is fresh and natural with precise dark berry and balsamic notes towards the finish. It represents the best PSI to date.

Brunello di Montalcino

88.00

- Casanova di Neri -

Tuscany - Italy -

(sangiovese grosso)

Brunello di Montalcino is a beautiful wine and this producer is one of the worlds finest producer. A refined and elegant red with gorgeous aromas of ripe cherries, blackberry, smoke, leather and fresh floral notes.

Amarone - Zenato -

85.00

Veneto - Italy -

(corvina, rondinella, oseleta & croatina)

Considered to be the king of the Veronese wines, this is a generous and pleasing award winning wine. It has a ruby red colour with deep, ethereal bouquet of tobacco and chocolate and smoky, dried fruit aromas. A rich, lingering and spicy palate with strong yet smooth and supple tannins.

Turriga - Argiolas -

90.00

Sardinia - Italy -

(cannonau, carignano, bovale sardo & malvasia nera)

This wine has an intense ruby-red colour, and a full-bodied aroma taking in morello cherry, mulberry, black currant, chocolate and leading to a meaty palate. Powerful yet restrained with excellent length, the palate gives way to a mountain of herbs and liquorice on the finish.

Napanook - Dominus Estate -

105.00

Napa Valley - USA -

(cabernet sauvignon, cabernet franc & petit verdot)

Christian Moueix came to Napa in the 60's and fell in love. He returned back to France to help run the family business, Chateaux Petrus for the next 20 years when he then returned to set up and produce some of Americas finest wines. this particular vintage has notes of blonde tobacco and fresh cedar are integrated with

lacy tannins. On the palate, the wine is bright and finishes with plum and mocha. A beautiful wine for pairing with beef, game or fish.

Tignanello - Antinori -

150.00

Tuscany - Italy -

(cabernet sauvignon & sangiovese)

Very intense ruby red colour. Nicely expressed varietal aromas with hints of black berry fruit. The palate is weighty, dense and vibrant with complex structure thanks to support of the acidity. Long and lingering with hints of chocolate, coffee and marmalade in the aftertaste. The beautifully handled tannin from the wine and wood blend making Tignanello a very complex, stylish and sophisticated wine.

Sassicaia - Tenuta San Guido -

200.00

Tuscany - Italy -

(cabernet sauvignon & cabernet franc)

The 2010 Sassicaia is intensely saline, savory and energetic. Rosemary, sage, plums and black cherry notes meld into graphite, crushed rocks and a host of other more mineral-inflected nuances. Beautifully persistent and chiseled in the glass, the 2010 is ultimately all about energy. This is going to be a fascinating vintage to follow. The name Sassicaia comes from the Italian word for stone – sasso and its meaning can be summed up as stony fields. The vines are protected from sea breezes by the Tenuta San Guido castle and the south-west facing hill they are planted on. There are three vineyards on the estate: Castiglioncello – the original plot of land (1.5 hectares), Di Sotto (13 hectares) boasting clay soil and 40 year old vines and the Aianova (16 hectares) which provides well drained soils of a similar age. Each plot is crushed and fermented separately in steel tanks at 30 degrees for around two weeks and then blended before ageing in oak. Historically they were aged in 60% French and 40% Slovenian oak. Today, however, all barrels are French, 30-40% new oak and aged for 22 months. Here you will find that 70% of the vines are Cabernet Sauvignon and the rest are Cabernet Franc.

Lynch Bages - Chateau Lynch Bages -

240.00

Pauillac - France -

(cabernet sauvignon, merlot, cabernet franc, petit verdot)

Thomas Lynch, whose father John followed James II into exile in 1691 from Galway, Ireland, inherited an estate in the village of Bages through his wife Elizabeth in 1749. The wine is often described as feminine and soft. Château Lynch-Bages remained under the ownership of the Jurine then the Cayrou families for over 100 years. In 1934 the enigmatic Jean-Charles Cazes rented the property from its owners and purchased it in 1937. Known as one of the great characters of the Médoc, Jean-Charles was famous for his love of every aspect of winemaking and commitment to Lynch-Bages. After Jean-Charles' death aged 95 in 1972 running of the Château passed to his son André, former Mayor of Pauillac, and his grandson Jean-Michel Cazes.

This is the pure essence of Pauillac: profound, ripe cassis aromas flow from the glass and herald a palate of cool, spicy, incredibly concentrated blackcurrants, and cream, vanilla and bitter dark chocolate all tightly woven together in a precise core. Lynch-Bages has again performed as well as many of the super-Second Growths. Bucci's favourite...!!!