

Wines by the Glass

APERITIFS

125ml / 175ml

Adnams Champagne Brut NV, Blin et Cie. Vincelles, France (12.5% abv)
Chardonnay 20% Pinot Meunier 80%

£7.25 / £10.50

Lively, a touch of brioche on the nose, followed by firm apple flavours on the palate giving way to a gutsy, full-bodied 'pinot meunier' fruitiness.

Prosecco Asolo Superiore DOCG Veneto (11% abv) Gleva

£5.75 / £8.25

The great success story of the world of sparkling wine in the last decade. From an amphitheatre shaped vineyard, Baio, an organic Prosecco. Pear, stone fruits, fine persistent bubbles, leading to a clean dry finish.

Manzanilla Solear – Barbadillo, Palamino Fino 100% (15% abv)

100ml **£5.50**

The classic bone dry, slightly salty/savoury dry sherry. Perfect with fat olives and native oysters. If there is a better aperitif, please tell me.

WHITE

Jean des Vignes Blanc Sec Vin de Pays du Gers 2021 (11% abv)

£4.25 / £6.25

Plaimont Coopérative, St. Mont, SW France. Colombard & Ugni Blanc

Lovely clean fruit flavours given a lightly floral lift by Colombard grapes and produced by this highly regarded Plaimont co-operative.

Dr. L. Riesling 2020 Loosen Bros OFF DRY. Mosel, Germany (8.5% abv) Riesling

£5.00 / £7.50

Ernie Loosen is the doctor in question and the Riesling is grown on the steep terraces of the Mosel. Racy acidity balances the clean, green fruit flavours of this off-dry quaffer.

Forrest Estate Sauvignon Blanc 2021 Marlborough, New Zealand (13.5% abv)

£5.75 / £8.75

Larger than life describes the entire Forrest family and this wine, similarly, is packed with vivacious personality, vibrant tropical fruits and refreshing acidity - irresistible.

Quinta do Crasto Branco 2021 Douro Valley, Portugal (12% abv)

£5.50 / £8.25

Gouveia, Rabigato and Viosinho.

Fermented in temperature controlled stainless steel tanks allows the subtleties of these grapes full expression - aromatic, with hints of quince and lime.

Mâcon Chardonnay 2020 Domaine Paul Talmard Burgundy, France (13% abv)

£5.50 / £8.25

Grown in the eponymous village of Chardonnay in the heart of 'chalkland Mâconnais' this un-oaked favourite of ours and the Wine Society has lovely ripe fruit flavours and a long clean finish. The Talmard family are the creators of this polished gem.

Endrizzi Pinot Grigio 2021 Trentino, Northern Italy (12.5% abv)

£5.50 / £8.25

The driest of our wines by the glass, this organic full flavoured Pinot Grigio has a clean long lasting minerality.

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RED

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Cruz de Piedra, Garnacha 2020 Calatayud, Spain (14% abv)

£4.25 / £6.50

From 60-year-old untrained bush vines a Garnacha showing hedgerow fruits, ripe tannins, medium to full bodied, with a hint of liquorice on the finish. Medium to full bodied.

Forrest Estate Pinot Noir 2019 Marlborough, New Zealand (12.5% abv)

£6.50 / £9.50

A blast of raspberry fruit on the nose heralds the arrival of vibrant red-fruits, with a touch of eucalyptus and a savoury finish.

Quinta do Crasto Tinto 2019 Douro Valley, Portugal (14% abv)

£5.50 / £8.25

Tinta Roriz, Touriga Nacional, Tinta Barocca, Touriga Franca

With the decline of port sales following WW2 the imaginative Rocquette family decided to make red table wine from their 'grade A' port grapes. This is their junior wine, medium bodied but stuffed with black ripe plummy fruit and a lovely balance and elegance.

Le Bio Balthasar 2020 Minervois, France (13.5% abv) Grenache 20%, Syrah 80%.

£5.50 / £7.50

Just what we expect from the Minervois, masses of sweet damson (Syrah) fruits and clean refreshing redcurrant (Grenache), with a touch of the Garrigue.

Morrellino di Scansano, Endrizzi 2019 Maremma, Tuscany, Italy (14% abv)

£6.00 / £8.75

Sangiovese From the Maremma region in Tuscany, black cherry fruit, underpinned by ripe tannins with an intriguingly spicy finish.

Château Trébiac 2018 Graves, Bordeaux, France (14% abv)

£6.00 / £8.75

Cabernet Sauvignon 30%, Merlot 70% Bold, assertive young claret with plenty of ripe tannins and balancing savoury fruit acidity. For 'les Rosbifs'.

ROSÉ

Forrest Estate Rosé 2019 Marlborough, New Zealand (12.5% abv) Malbec, Pinot Noir

£5.50 / £7.75

Full throttle summer flavours from Malbec, Pinot Noir blend. Takes no prisoners.

Bois des Fees 2021, Domaine Tour Campanets Côteaux d'Aix en Provence, France (13% abv) Grenache 20%, Syrah 40%, Cabernet Sauvignon 40%

£6.75 / £9.25

Our most popular pretty, pink Provence rose ever. Cold maceration and fermentation help preserve the vivacious fruitiness of this cuvée.

Château L'Aumerade 2021 Provence Rosé (12.5% abv) Cinsault 35%, Grenache 35%, Syrah 30%

£6.75 / £8.75

Bold tangerine flavours, followed by soft red fruits and a lemon balm finish.

AIX 2021 – Provence Rosé (13% abv) Grenache 100%

BOTTLE
£38.50

Ultra cool design and packaging introduces a lean clean example of this style – 'summertime and the living is easy fish are jumping and the cotton is high'... Floral and raspberry fruit aromas lead into red berries on the palate with a touch of thyme running out.

Sancerre Rose 2021 la Louée Domaine Sylvain Bailly Bué, Cher, Loire, France

£38.50

(13% abv) Pinot Noir 100% Grapes grown on Jurassic clay-limestone 'marns' and 'caillottes' give a salmon pink wine with fruity, floral aromas and clean, crisp acidity with pronounced length of flavour.

Billecart-Salmon Rosé (12% abv) Pinot Noir 30%, Pinot Meunier 30% Chardonnay 40%,

£95.00

Beautifully married mature flavours from this top quality boutique champagne house. A taste of luxury. The French reign suprême?