



wine  press

fine dining restaurant

wine list

Classic – White Wines

Here we've grouped all the old favourites - wine styles and grape varieties with which you will be familiar.

	175ml	250ml	Bottle
Pinot Grigio, "La Castagna" ITALY From premium, sub-Alpine vineyards, delivering intense richness. Absolutely top quality.	5.95	8.00	23.00
Chenin Blanc, William Robertson SOUTH AFRICA Rich and ripe, with full-bodied texture. Just off-dry. Excellent with pork dishes.	5.95	8.00	21.00
Sauvignon Blanc, "Riviera" FRANCE Classic French style. Plenty of up-front fruit with a crisp, refreshing finish.	5.95	8.00	23.00
Godello, Capricho Val de Paxarinas SPAIN The ripe, textural palate has a stone fruit minerality and a lengthy finish.	8.00	10.75	32.00
Bourgogne Aligoté, Domaine Henri Prudhon FRANCE A rich texture with voluptuous flavours and a hint of integrated oak.	7.00	9.50	28.00
Sauvignon Blanc, Auntsfield Single Vineyard NEW ZEALAND Intense ripe fruit flavours of passion fruit juice and white peach, with citrus notes of lime and mandarin.	8.25	10.50	31.00
Gavi, La Battistina ITALY The wine is juicy, with weighty fruit and a zippy, citrusy, mouth-watering feel.	6.50	8.75	26.00
Chablis, Domaine de la Motte FRANCE A wonderfully fresh wine with a silky smooth, long and dry mineral finish, with wonderful aromas of delicate flint and baked apple.	8.50	12.00	34.00
Chassagne Montrachet Blanc, Philippe Colin FRANCE This is elegant, with a supple texture and clean flavours of peach, apple and grapefruit.			60.00
Chardonnay "Russian River" Ramey USA Honey, apricot pit, mint, butter and dried flower blossom are some of the signatures. This is a real overachiever in its class.			50.00

Contemporary – White Wines

This section gives you the opportunity to explore unusual grapes, and exciting new regions delivering fantastic flavours.

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Julia Florista White, Vidigal PORTUGAL A clean, fruity wine with plenty of zip and beautiful aromas.	4.95	6.75	19.00
Picpoul de Pinet, Domaine de la Serre FRANCE A delightfully fresh white, full of vitality with a backbone of minerality and a zippy, clean acidity.	6.25	8.50	24.00
Grechetto, Terre di Faiano ITALY With hints of mango, raw honey and sage on the nose. In the mouth it is dry and earthy with flavours of pears, plums and melon.	6.50	8.50	25.50
Chardonnay “El Pulpo” Sal de Fiesta SPAIN Delicious dry white with a delicate aroma of ripe fruit. Perfect with seafood.	5.95	7.50	22.00
Malagouzia “Kalgoeri” Domaine Papagiannakos GREECE Subtle spicy fruit and herb flavours with crisp acidity.	8.50	12.00	33.00
Tour de Belfort, Cuvée Classique FRANCE A lovely, refreshing blend of Chardonnay, Sauvignon and Semillon from our own estate. We're very proud of it.	6.25	8.50	24.00
Riesling Reserva, Emiliana CHILE The palate has a limey richness with mineral tones and a lovely mouth-watering lime zest finish.	6.50	8.50	25.00
“Vuurberg” White Chenin, Semillon SOUTH AFRICA It is positively packed with rich, bright, fresh stone fruit and minerality with a core of stoney acidity and a relentless finish.	9.00	13.00	35.00
Gruner Veltliner “Von den Terrassen” Joseph Ehmoser AUSTRIA Savoury and spicy with very fine fruit and clear structure.	8.75	12.50	32.00
“Catnip Viognier” Rusty Mutt, McLaren Vale AUSTRALIA There is an abundance of fruit, spice, citrus and hints of green pepper held together with zesty acidity, finishing on a clean dry citrus note.	8.50	12.00	34.00
Winbirri Bacchus NORFOLK An elegant nose of grapefruits, passion fruits and floral characters. Tropical fruits backed with a clean crisp finish.	7.75	9.95	29.50

Classic – Red Wines

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	175ml	250ml	Bottle
Shiraz, “Bushranger” AUSTRALIA Relatively light, with sweet, brambly fruit. Nice, approachable style with a soft texture.	5.75	8.00	22.00
Merlot, “Riviera” FRANCE Light, easy-drinking style. An excellent all-rounder with enough weight to match a wide range of foods.	5.75	9.50	23.00
Cotes du Rhone “Reserve du Fleur” FRANCE Excellent, modern and very gluggable style. Fruit driven with only a splash of oak.	7.00	9.00	26.00
Rioja Reserva, Navajas SPAIN Traditional style, and instantly attractive. The best fruit was “reserved” in expensive oak barrels. Very up-front flavour.	7.50	10.00	29.00
Fleurie, Chateau Gaillard FRANCE Full of raspberry, strawberry and black cherry mixed with a twist of black pepper and silky smooth tannins.	8.50	11.00	31.00
Shiraz Jim Jim “The Down-Underdog” AUSTRALIA This soft textured, big, sunny, red fruit-filled Shiraz has everything you want.	8.25	10.50	30.00
Merlot, Meerlust Estate, Stellenbosch SOUTH AFRICA Juicy plum and mulberry fruit abound on the nose, with lifted spiciness, hints of chocolate and a beefy edge.	9.00	12.50	35.00
Rasteau “Les Banquettes Escarpees” FRANCE Brimming with red and black fruits, underpinned by spice and mocha and the tannins smoothed out by careful oak aging.	9.00	12.50	34.00
Chateau Laroque, St Emilion Grand Cru BORDEAUX Serious claret from an estate normally only seen in France. Attractive, approachable style, fruit and tannin in perfect balance.			60.00
Beaune Rouges “Bonnes Feuvres”, Sebastien Magnien FRANCE A ripe, concentrated wine with intense and powerful flavours, a firm structure but maintaining the necessary silky purity and elegance.			45.00
Barolo, “La Serra” Marcarini ITALY Appears elegant, light and fragrant in the glass, but the flavours – all violet and truffle – pack a powerful punch, and last forever.			65.00

Contemporary – Red Wines

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Julia Florista Red, Vidigal PORTUGAL Exquisite blend with soft, velvety structure. A modern style with the emphasise on delivering smoothness not grip.	4.95	6.75	19.00
Tour de Belfort, Cuvée Classique FRANCE A family wine from our French vineyard which has won some serious awards. A crisp and delicious blend of Malbec and Cabernet Franc.	7.00	9.00	26.00
Monastrell “Goru Organic” Ego Bodegas SPAIN Smooth texture, with savory red fruits, soft round tannins, well-balanced acidity and a pure finish.	6.50	8.75	25.00
Carmènere, Vineyard Selection CHILE The “lost” grape of Europe rediscovered in Chile delivers a rich, minty, leafy style. Like Merlot with more weight and structure.	6.25	8.50	24.00
Malbec “Black Label” Coaba ARGENTINA Our richest and most powerful red wine with dark, brambly fruit and plenty of oak.	7.50	10.00	29.00
Pinot Noir, “Santa Digna” Torres CHILE Intense and elegant aromas, with elements of cherry and spices. The palate is delicate, fresh, with notes of vanilla.	8.25	10.50	30.00
Cabernet Sauvignon Reserve, Domaine Astruc FRANCE The taste is harmoniously balanced between fruit and soft tannins. This wine has a good structure and a long finish.	7.25	9.50	27.00
Sette Vigne Vino Rosso ITALY Full bodied yet subtle, velvety, elegant and incredibly layered. The aroma recalls cocoa, dark fruit, spices and roasted coffee beans.	7.50	10.00	28.00
Pinot Noir, Whitehaven NEW ZEALAND Instantly attractive, up-front style. A cracking all-rounder with light, flavoursome fruit. Perfect with chicken.	8.75	12.00	33.00
Organic Evolution Red “4th Edition”, Sokol Blosser USA Notes of red summer berries, sweet spice and crushed violets. Very approachable on the palate with great acidity and a refreshing texture.	8.75	12.00	32.00
Winbirri Pinot Noir NORFOLK Lighter-style with a purple hue, it has a delicate balance of fruit and silky tannins.	7.75	9.95	29.50

The Rosé Zone...

175ml 250ml Bottle

Classic

White Zinfandel, Hawkes Peak	5.50	7.50	20.00
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CALIFORNIA

Distinctly off-dry, with significant residual sugar.
Quite light, with a whiff of summer raspberry.

Tour de Belfort, Cuvee Classique Rosé	6.25	7.95	23.50
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FRANCE

Salmon pink, delicate fresh raspberries with light
aromas of grapefruit.

Sancerre Rosé, La Noue Riffault	9.00	13.00	35.00
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FRANCE

Dry, aromatic rosé made from Pinot Noir. Crisp red fruit
aromas lead into a palate of bright fruit and refreshing acidity.

Contemporary

Chiarretto Rosé La Castagna	5.75	7.50	22.00
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ITALY

Ripe and juicy with strawberry and red currant flavours.
Dry but on the more medium side so makes a good
all-rounder rosé.

Pinot Noir Rosé, Whitehaven	7.50	10.00	28.50
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NEW ZEALAND

Pinot does so well in Marlborough, and the top quality
fruit makes exquisite rosé. All about elegance. Pale, with
food-friendly bite.

English Rosé, Winbirri	6.50	8.50	25.00
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NORFOLK

Just-off dry. Sweet fruit with a spicy finish. Strawberry
aromas with a crisp palate of rounded fruit.

Sherries

50ml

Classic Manzanilla, Fernando de Castilla	3.50
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Classic Dry Fino, Fernando de Castilla	3.50
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Classic Amontillado, Fernando de Castilla	3.50
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PX Sherry, Fernando de Castillo	5.00
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Fizz...

125ml Bottle

Classic

Veuve-Deloynes 7.95 45.00

CHAMPAGNE

Some champagnes are very dry, but this is all about flavour. A biscuity, yeasty, rich style, with just a hint of dryness on the finish.

Taittinger Brut Reserve 11.00 59.00

CHAMPAGNE

One of the truly great names of Champagne. The style is full-flavoured, the emphasis on taste rather than fizz.

Laurent-Perrier Rosé 60.00

CHAMPAGNE

World-beating pink champagne...Hints of red and black fruit – raspberries, black cherries and blackcurrants – with a long finish.

Contemporary

Prosecco, Vispo Allegro 5.50 25.00

ITALY

This is a nice, easy-going style of Prosecco. It has a lovely attractive richness to it – very popular style.

Tour de Belfort, Sparkling White 6.50 27.50

FRANCE

Our family sparkling wine is made out of pure Chardonnay. It is light, crisp and elegant, with considerable body.

Nyetimber Classic Cuvee 9.00 45.00

ENGLAND

Beating the French at their own game, this 'English Champagne' really rivals the ones from across the channel.

Raboso Borgo Alato, (Rosé Prosecco) 5.50 25.00

ITALY

Prosecco has to be white to qualify for the name. They make rosé – they call it Raboso, and it's lovely.

Dessert wines

50ml

Moscato d'Asti "Alasia" 2.50

ITALY

Lovely and light, with relatively low alcohol... Semi-sparkly, it energises the palate at the end of a meal. Perfect with fruit.

Monbazillac, Domaine de Grange Neuve 4.00

BERGERAC

Heavier and richer, it is made in the same way as Sauternes. Great all-rounder. Lovely with gateau-based puddings.

Petit Guiraud, Sauternes 4.00

FRANCE

An unctuous feel, with apricot, date, meringue and almond cream notes all rolled together and lingering through to a rounded finish.



The WinePress fine dining restaurant is located within the Maids Head Hotel