

## THE BLACK LIST – our limited availability wine



### CHAMPAGNE & METHODE TRADITIONELLE

<b>Nautilus</b> – Brut, NV, <i>Marlborough, New Zealand</i> _____	70
<b>Louis Roederer</b> – Brut Premier, NV, <i>Reims, France</i> _____	120

### WHITE

<b>Vinoptima</b> – Ormond Reserve Gewurztraminer, 2010, <i>Gisborne</i> _____	55
<b>Millton</b> – ‘Opou River’, Chardonnay, 2015, <i>Gisborne, New Zealand</i> _____	65

### RED

<b>Domaine des Sénéchaux</b> – Chateauneuf-du-Pape, 2011, <i>Provence-Alpes-Côte d’Azur, France</i> _____	149
<b>Zuccardi</b> – ‘Series A’ Malbec, 2015, <i>Mendoza, Argentina</i> _____	65

## PINOT NOIR



<b>Mount Edward</b> – 2015, <i>Central Otago, New Zealand</i> _____	16	40	77
<b>Pegasus Bay</b> – 2014, <i>Waipara, New Zealand</i> _____	19	47	92
<b>Julicher</b> – ‘99 Rows’, 2014, <i>Martinborough, New Zealand</i> _____	15	36	70
<b>Burn Cottage</b> – ‘Moonlight Race’, 2014, <i>Central Otago, New Zealand</i> _____			85
<b>Felton Road</b> – ‘Bannockburn’, 2015, <i>Central Otago, New Zealand</i> _____			120

New Zealand arguably produces some of the finest Pinot Noir in the world, and each region showcases its own unique expression. Canterbury and the Waipara valley offer wines with rich dark berry flavours and spicy, earthy notes. Central Otago Pinot Noirs often show sweet, softer red fruit characteristics, whilst Martinborough’s offerings are usually more savory, focussed around darker fruits and long fine tannins.

## DESSERT WINE & PORT



<b>Visner di Pergola</b> – <i>Vino Viscilole, Montepulciano, 2015, Marche, Italy</i> _____	10
<b>Grand Maison</b> – <i>Monbazillac, 2015, Dordogne, France</i> _____	9
<b>The Boneline</b> – <i>Noble Riesling, 2012, Waipara, New Zealand</i> _____	12
<b>Churchills</b> – <i>LBV Port, 2008, Portugal</i> _____	12
<b>Grahams</b> – <i>10yr Tawny Port, NV, Portugal</i> _____	16

Vino Viciolole is a traditional Italian dessert wine, flavoured with cherries.

The sour cherries are macerated with the wine with around 10% of the kernels, which impart a delicious marzipan aroma, before undergoing a second fermentation with added sugar to harmonise and balance the flavours.

## CHAMPAGNE



**Veuve Cliquot** – Brut, NV, *Reims, France* \_\_\_\_\_

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**Egly Ouriet** – Brut Tradition Grand Cru, NV, *Ambonnay, France* \_\_\_\_\_

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## SPARKLING WINE & METHODE TRADITIONELLE

**Seresin** – ‘Moana’, 2010, *Marlborough, New Zealand* \_\_\_\_\_

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**The Hermit Ram** – ‘Ancestral Method’, Sauvignon Blanc, 2010, *Canterbury, New Zealand* \_\_\_\_\_

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**Jansz** – ‘Premium Rose’, NV, *Tasmania, Australia* \_\_\_\_\_

13 65

**Vallformosa** – Cava, NV, *Barcelona, Spain* \_\_\_\_\_

12 65

The flavor profile of many sparkling wines, rely on how they are fermented. Méthode traditionnelle, for example, undertakes a second fermentation after bottling. The rest on the yeast cells (Lees) lends the wine the classic, creamy rich, brioche and biscuit flavour. Ancestral Methode on the other hand, completes its first fermentation in the bottle, resulting in bright, interesting flavours and the wines maybe slightly cloudy due to no filtration, fining or preservatives added.

## CHARDONNAY



<b>Domaine Daniel Seguinot</b> – Chablis, 2015, <i>Burgundy, France</i> _____	14	34	68
<b>Felton Road</b> – ‘Block 6’, 2015, <i>Central Otago, New Zealand</i> _____			120
<b>Greywacke</b> – 2015, <i>Marlborough, New Zealand</i> _____	15	36	70
<b>Craggy Range</b> – ‘Gimblett Gravels’, 2016, <i>Hawkes Bay, New Zealand</i> _____	16	38	75
<b>Bogle</b> – Chardonnay, 2015, <i>California, USA</i> _____	12	32	60

Chardonnay is very much a wine makers grape and vintner techniques can have a big impact on the final style of the wine.

Our Californian chardonnay is big, creamy and full-bodied with aromas of tropical fruit, melted butter and baking spice.

The other end of the spectrum would be our French example – the famed Chablis. It’s classically un-oaked, with zippy acidity and a flinty mineral quality, truly representative of the Chablis region of Burgundy, France.

## ROSE & ORANGE WINE



<b>The Elder</b> – Pinot Noir Rose, <i>Martinborough, New Zealand, 2017</i> _____	13	33	65
<b>Felton Road</b> , Vin Gris, 2016, <i>Central Otago, New Zealand</i> _____			75
<b>Black Estate</b> – ‘Home’, Pinot Noir Rose, 2017, <i>Waipara, New Zealand</i> _____			70
<b>Cambridge Road</b> – ‘Down the rabbit hole’, 2016, <i>Martinborough, New Zealand</i> _____			68
<b>Millton</b> – ‘Libiamo Field White Blend’, 2016, <i>White Blend, Gisborne, New Zealand</i> _____	18	42	80

Orange wine is an increasingly popular style of wine, with more and more people giving in to curiosity and becoming converts! It is, essentially, a white wine made in a similar process to a red, where the grapes are left in contact with skins, thus imparting the orange hue. The results are unique and can be quite varied, with slightly oxidative and rich savory qualities, we find our orange wines are best enjoyed with food.

## WHITE WINES – crisp, refreshing, focussed



<b>Maior de Mendoza</b> – ‘Fulget’, Albariño, 2016, <i>Rías Baixas, Spain</i> _____	13	33	65
<b>Delibori</b> – Pinot Grigio, 2016, <i>Veneto, Italy</i> _____			55
<b>Seresin</b> – ‘Reserve’, Sauvignon Blanc, 2011, <i>Marlborough, New Zealand</i> _____	16	38	75
<b>Folium</b> – Sauvignon Blanc, 2016, <i>Marlborough, New Zealand</i> _____	13	33	65
<b>Black Estate</b> – ‘Damsteep’, Riesling (Dry style), 2016, <i>Waipara, New Zealand</i> _____	14	34	68
<b>Misha’s Vineyard</b> – ‘Limelight’, Riesling (Off dry style), 2014, <i>Central Otago, New Zealand</i> _____	14	34	68
<b>Tamellini</b> - Soave, 2016, <i>Veneto, Italy</i> _____	13	33	65

If you're after that cold, crisp glass of white wine but want to try something different to your usual Sauvignon Blanc, then we may have just the thing! Albariño is a white grape varietal that is native to the Rías Baixas region of Spain.

Its's dry, crisp and refreshingly citrusy with a subtle saltiness.

## WHITE WINES – unctuous, rich, bold



<b>Hawkshead</b> – Pinot Gris, <i>Central Otago, New Zealand, 2015</i> _____	12	32	60
<b>Albert Mann</b> – Pinot Gris, 2015, <i>Alsace, France</i> _____	16	38	75
<b>Domaine Vincent Carême</b> – Vouvray, 2014, <i>Loire Valley, France</i> _____			105
<b>Jamsheed</b> – ‘Beechworth’, Rousanne, 2016, <i>NSW, Australia</i> _____	16	40	77
<b>Alpha Domus</b> –‘Wing Walker’ Viognier, 2014, <i>Hawkes Bay, New Zealand, 2014</i> _____	13	33	65

Our Rousanne by Jamsheed is an interesting and exciting wine, fresh and vibrant with luscious buttery texture and racy acidity. If full-bodied whites such as Chardonnay are usually your thing, then this Australian varietal may be right up your alley, with aromas of peach, melon, honey, mineral and spice. Also fantastic enjoyed with food!



## RED WINES – elegant, light, structured



<b>Jauma</b> – ‘Like Raindrops’, Grenache, 2011, <i>McLaren Vale, Australia</i> _____			85
<b>Le Bessole</b> – Valpolicella - Classico Superiore, 2016, <i>Verona, Italy</i> _____	17	38	78
<b>Bozeto de Exopto</b> – Tempranillo / Garnacha, 2016, <i>Rioja, Spain</i> _____	13	33	65
<b>Barbazul</b> – Syrah / Cabernet / Merlot, 2014, <i>Cádiz, Spain</i> _____	13	33	65

The Grenache grape is typically known for its bright, juicy flavours of ripe red fruit, candied plums, warm spice and jam, it’s often seen as a component in both many well known Spanish blends and in wines of the infamous Southern Rhone in France.

Our Australian Grenache- Like Raindrops by Jauma is a blend of Grenache from different vineyard sights over the McLaren Vale and is a beautiful expression of the Grenache style.

Look out for a velvet texture, fine tannin and pretty flavours of crushed berries, red fruit compote and exotic florals.

## RED WINES –sumptuous, lush, rich



<b>Cypress</b> – Syrah, <i>Hawkes Bay, 2015 New Zealand</i> _____	12	32	60
<b>Elephant Hill</b> – Merlot / Malbec, 2015, <i>Hawkes Bay, New Zealand</i> _____	13	33	65
<b>Man O’ War</b> – ‘Ironclad’ Bordeaux Blend, 2012, <i>Waiheke Island, New Zealand</i> _____	15	36	70
<b>Mitolo</b> – ‘The Jester’ Shiraz, 2015, <i>McLaren Vale, Australia</i> _____	13	33	65
<b>Sidus</b> – Sangiovese / Montepulciano, 2013, <i>Montecucco, Tuscany, Italy</i> _____	16	38	75

Sangiovese is one of Italy’s most widely planted grapes but it’s in Tuscany that it is its most prominent and can get to its most distinguished expression. Montecucco in Tuscany is a wine-growing region that has been drawing a fair amount of attention recently for its high quality and great value classic Italian style reds. The Sidus Montecucco is intensely fruity with hints of cherry and wild berries on the palate, complex and structured with firm tannins and a ripe juicy finish.

