

WINES FOR WINTER

May we recommend the following wines for drinking this winter. Wines are from our current brochure, a copy of which is available on request.

WHITE WINES

Terra de Lobos Fernao Pires/Sauvignon Blanc,
Casal Branco. Portugal. £5.06

A lovely spicy hint of Muscat or Gewurztraminer on the nose followed by ripe apricot fruit in the palate.

Bouchard Finlayson Chardonnay,
Sans Barrique, Overberg. South Africa. £8.78

This classy, unoaked Chardonnay comes from Peter Finlayson, in cool climate Walker Bay near Hermanus. A citrus freshness, mineral edge and complexity.

La Ralle Greco, Basilicata IGT, Alovini. Italy. £7.86

An orange blossom nose the exotic peach and orange flavours which are usually the hallmarks of French Viognier.

Macon-Vergisson, La Roche, Nadine et Maurice Guerrin. Burgundy. £7.89

A very appealing wine with a delicate floral nose and fresh lemon flavours.

Wente 'Morning Fog' Chardonnay, San Francisco Bay. California. £7.76

The palate is full with more tropical fruit and hints of toffee and vanilla.



RED WINES

Altano Douro Red. Symington. Portugal. £5.92

Rich bramble fruit with chocolate undertones and spice. Earlier deans past and present

Allesverloren Tinta Barocca, Swartland. South Africa. £7.82

Tinta Barocca is a Port grape, but here at Allesverloren it is used to make a delicious wine that has an aromatic, elderflower quality.

Finca de Valdemoya Oak Aged Red, de Alberto. Spain. £6.43

A soft and fruity wine, light in style with cherry and coffee notes.

Sarus Shiraz, Barossa Valley. Australia. £7.66

Intense depth of fruit with a prolonged bramble fruit finish.

Chateau Main Gazin, Premiere Cotes de Blaye. Bordeaux. £7.89

Ripe intense wine a pronounced body and bouquet.

Novas Carmenere/Cabernet Sauvignon. Central Valley. Chile. £6.95

Ageing for 9 months in both French and American oak has brought some complexity and depth to the juicy, round fruit.



DESSERT WINE

Moscatel de Setubal. Portugal. £6.62

An unusual, complex wine has flavours of chocolate and raisins and is smooth and sweet with a fresh, dry finish.

