

THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF WINE

WHITE 125 / 175 / 250 / BTL

AROMATIC & FRAGRANT

GRENACHE BLANC 20

LA LOUPE • FRANCE
4.00 / 5.40 / 7.10 / 20.00

SAUVIGNON BLANC 20/21

LA PLAYA VINEYARDS • CHILE
4.70 / 6.25 / 7.95 / 24.00 / 47.00 MAG

PICPOUL DE PINET 20

SEL ET DE SABLE • FRANCE
5.60 / 7.55 / 9.85 / 29.50

PINOT GRIGIO 'PORTENOVA' 20

SACCHETTO • ITALY
4.95 / 6.45 / 8.65 / 25.00

VINHO VERDE 20

AB VALLEY WINES • PORTUGAL **VF**
5.50 / 7.40 / 9.75 / 29.00

ELEGANT & COMPLEX

SAUVIGNON BLANC 19/20

SMITH & CO • NEW ZEALAND
6.40 / 8.50 / 11.00 / 33.50

CHENIN BLANC 20/21

BACKSBERG ESTATE CELLARS • SOUTH AFRICA **C**
4.90 / 6.40 / 8.40 / 24.75

GAVI DI GAVI 20

CONTI SPERONI • ITALY
39.50

BOLD WITH BAGS OF FLAVOUR

CHARDONNAY RESERVE 20

VIU MANENT • CHILE
5.20 / 6.70 / 8.75 / 26.00

SPARKLING 125 / BTL

ADD A LITTLE SPARKLE

PROSECCO SPUMANTE

AZZILLO • ITALY
6.35 / 28.75

PROSECCO BAROCCO ROSÉ

BOTTER • ITALY
29.95

CLASSIC CUVÉE BRUT

NYETIMBER • ENGLAND
55.00



ROSÉ 125 / 175 / 250 / BTL

THINK PINK

GRENACHE OF BAROSSA ROSÉ 19/20

ROGERS & RUFUS • AUSTRALIA
5.45 / 7.40 / 9.75 / 28.50

CINSAULT LANGUEDOC ROSÉ 20

LA VIGNEAU • FRANCE
4.70 / 6.25 / 7.90 / 24.00

PROVENCE ROSÉ 'GOLD LABEL' 20

CHÂTEAU DE FONSCOLOMBE • FRANCE
35.50

RED 125 / 175 / 250 / BTL

SPICY & COMPLEX

SHIRAZ CABERNET SAUVIGNON 19/20

TERRE D'OR • FRANCE
4.00 / 5.40 / 7.10 / 20.00

SHIRAZ 19

WAKEFIELD ESTATE • AUSTRALIA
5.60 / 7.55 / 9.75 / 29.00

BORDEAUX SUPERIEUR MERLOT 18

CHÂTEAU LE BRETON • FRANCE
5.60 / 7.55 / 9.75 / 29.00

MALBEC GRAN RESERVA 18/19

VIU MANENT • CHILE
5.80 / 7.80 / 10.00 / 31.00

EUROPEAN CLASSICS

RIOJA CRIANZA 'ARIENZO' 16/17

MARQUÉS DE RISCAL • SPAIN
6.25 / 8.40 / 10.95 / 33.00

PINOT NOIR 'VALMOISSINE' 18/19

LOUIS LATOUR • FRANCE
5.90 / 8.00 / 10.25 / 31.50 / 62.50 MAG

SMOOTH, SOFT & WARMING

MONTEPULCIANO D'ABRUZZO RISERVA 17/18

TOR DEL COLLE • ITALY
5.20 / 6.85 / 8.70 / 27.00

CABERNET MERLOT 'ROCKY ROAD' 15/17

MCHENRY HOHNEN • AUSTRALIA **OB**
6.80 / 9.30 / 12.00 / 35.00

MERLOT RESERVE 19/20

VIU MANENT • CHILE **VF**
4.80 / 6.30 / 8.25 / 24.80

FLEURIE 18

HENRY FESSY • FRANCE
38.00

VF / VEGAN FRIENDLY **C** / CARBON NEUTRAL **B** / BIODYNAMIC **O** / ORGANIC

LOTS OF TASTING (SLURP) HELPED US DECIDE ON OUR SELECTION SO WE HOPE YOU ENJOY IT! - THE HIPPO CREW

WINES BY THE GLASS: ABV 11-15%



WINE PUTS LIFE INTO PERSPECTIVE.

Ernest Hemingway, novelist, short story writer and war correspondent, thought wine was the most civilized thing in the world, whereas the Greek philosopher Diogenes – known as the Cynic – enjoyed wine most when someone else was paying for it!

Whatever your own view on life may be, I tend to back the Hemingway philosophy and moreover find that wine stimulates conversation, breaks down barriers and although it is a much used phrase, a day without wine really is like a day without sunshine. And there is no doubt that it aids the digestion.

Although the soil, the grape variety, the climate and the yield remain paramount, we read now of growers following organic or biodynamic principles and of talented winemakers searching for more minerality or intensity of flavour and finesse, but retaining the expression and uniqueness of the local terroir and yet, where possible, being faithful to family traditions. But what really counts is 'how does the wine taste in the glass?'

Our staff will be pleased to guide you in your choice, according to the menu of the day.

A VOTRE SANTÉ!

John Clevely. M.W.

JOHN CLEVELY, MASTER OF WINE

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FREEHOUSES



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