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of GOLD*

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GLENGARRY ELLIOTT ST CNR VICTORIA & ELLIOTT PHONE 379 5858 Manager of Glengarry Elliott St, Steen Andrewes

When I arrived to talk to Steen Andrewes, Manager of our inner city Elliott Street store, the pavement was pullulating with people in pullovers, walls of black suits greeting me as I tried to negotiate my way to either of the two entrances. Feeling a surge of delight that foot traffic in the area had increased to the power of 12 overnight, I was disappointed to discover it was in fact a fire drill, instigated by the inhabitants of the Phillips Fox Tower, at the base of which nestles the store. I wondered if Steen's brief stint as an electrical engineer could help with that dreadful ringing noise...

But no, he's a wine man through and through these days is Steen. His father, Peter, worked alongside us back in the 90s, so perhaps Steen, like Sam Mollooy last month, has a bit of wine in his blood, for it certainly has become his enthusiasm and passion in recent years.

Steen joined us just over eighteen months ago, keen to further his wine knowledge, 'and just to start drinking some better and more interesting wine,' he reckons. After rotating around a few of the stores, gaining experience in the idiosyncratic ways of the folk in our varied suburbs at this end of the island, Steen put his hand up to manage Elliott Street, something he - and we - are pleased he chose to do.

Sitting next to the atrium ('with definitely the best coffee around,' he reliably informs me with his infectious charm) and with its two wide glass entranceways, for a smaller store it has a busier, bigger feel than one might think. The customers almost seem to work to some sort of shift regime; during the day, the tourists from the hotels come and get excited about New Zealand wine. 'We sell heaps of Cloudy Bay and tons of Pinot,' Steen tells me.

Then, come 4pm, the office towers start emptying and dazed desk jockeys flit by for a bottle of the good vino before heading home. 'It is almost like clockwork,' Steen says, particularly on a Friday. Being the day of the week when the commuters sometimes defer their trip back to suburbia, Steen says he finds people keen to stop and talk, the lure of a bottle or two always being open at this time notwithstanding.

With the ability to talk knowledgeably one on one with those keen to find out more, and also the mechanism in place to take an order and ship wine virtually anywhere in the world (a facility made much use of at Elliott Street), Steen has all the bases covered. The busy-ness and buzz of the store reflects that, too. If only he knew how to de-wire a siren...

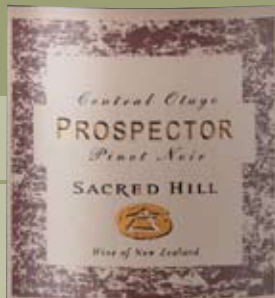
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## MANAGER'S PICK STEEN ANDREWES

### Sacred Hill SPECIAL SELECTION

Prospector Central Otago Pinot Noir 2006 18422

WAS \$49.90 NOW **\$39.90** CASE OF 6 ONLY \$39.40 A BOTTLE



*I drink lots of Pinot Noir, and this is one I recommend a lot. It has full-on, really fantastic ripe fruit flavours, heaps of depth on the palate, and that earthy character that keeps it all interesting. At \$10 off usual retail, it's cool buying as well.*

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# Fearless Buys

A monthly selection of delicious, dependable reds and whites where the palate, not the price tag, packs a punch

## The Ned

Marlborough Pinot Gris 2009

was \$18.90 now **\$14.90** 12242

*Exceptional Pinot Gris*

Peachy keen, sexily spicy and appealingly smooth. Ned blushes a little pink, to remind us of the original skin-tone of the grapes, a doffed cap to pedigree, perhaps. Classic rose petals in a crystal bowl by the front door of the manse aroma (is it rude to stoop and sniff?), the fruit-led palate is weighty yet still razor sharp. Does it stand out against the homogenous offerings that bear Pinot Gris on their label yet deliver dilute imitations thereof? Did Little Red Riding wear a hood?



## Bascand

Marlborough Chardonnay 2007

was \$20.00 now **\$15.90** 11399

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$15.40 A BOTTLE**

*Rich, textured Chardonnay*

Bascand's Scott Berry grew up on the Waipara winery his mother had established; while you and I were setting off Double Happys in Mrs Giles' letterbox, Scott was probably pruning, um, berries. Youth is indeed wasted on the young. Fast forward a decade or two and he's fashioning some rather smart wines from two sites, one in his home town and the other in sunny Marlborough, from which this flavoursome offering pours forth. Rich, textured and mouth-filling, it's ripe and ready.



## Te Mata Woodthorpe

Hawke's Bay Sauvignon Blanc 2009

was \$22.00 now **\$17.90** 19125

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$16.90 A BOTTLE**

*Consistently excellent*

The site where neat rows of Te Mata grapes stare balefully at the sun and ripen has at various times been a colonial settlement, a militia encampment and a staging post. Having recovered from this Sybil-like history, it has been consistently producing excellent fruit for excellent wines for some years now. This dashing Sauvignon does a delightful dance on your tongue, all wild herbs, zingy citrus and passionfruit, fired through with a musket-rattling enthusiasm and energy that reminds you why Sauvignon Blanc is so damn appealing.



## Farmer's Market

Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2009

was \$19.90 now **\$15.90** 11550

*Exciting new brand & new wine*

If you taste a better 2009 Sauvignon Blanc this summer I'll eat my ten gallon farmer's hat. Excellent, ripe Marlborough fruit has been harnessed and hitched into a brilliantly made wine, all zingy, tropical and refreshing, while a tiny touch of fruit sweetness ensures varietal aggression is tamed and your passage is smoothed, so to speak. Exciting new brand, brilliant new wine, be the first to get amongst it. Leaders, not followers, people!



## Brookfields Ohiti Estate

Hawke's Bay Cabernet Sauvignon 2007

was \$19.90 now **\$16.90** 11279

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$16.40 A BOTTLE**

*Brilliant Cabernet Sauvignon producer*

What do you say, Timaru?! Is this the best value NZ Cabernet ever? What will it be, the Brookfields or the bag? Compared to this cracking Cabernet, the bag pales into woeful insignificance. While most red wine specialists have thrown their lot in with the predictably ripening Merlot, Brookfields remind us that the words 'straight Cabernet' and 'fully ripe' can nestle comfortably in the same sentence. Deal of the century.



## Aspire

Hawke's Bay Pinot Noir 2007

was \$24.90 now **\$18.90** 14013

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**

*Sub-\$20 Gimblett Gravels Pinot*

Matariki have blazed a comet's tail of glittering success across the wine-drinking firmament for some years now; the presence of a sister brand, Aspire, to meet demand with more modern, um, aspirations is a smart and welcome move. How else could you get a generous, fulsome, largely Gimblett Gravels-derived Pinot for less than \$20? By wishing on a star, mebbe? Soft, warm, mouthfilling. Splendid.



## Allan Scott

Marlborough Rosé 2009

was \$21.90 now **\$18.90** 17370

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**

*Fresh and lively Pinot-derived rosé*

Freshness and vigour are the key to a good rosé. Colours flying, Allan Scott's latest Pinot-derived summery incarnation satisfies such criteria with barely an effort, so freely does it give of its vivacious and charming strawberry and darker boisterous berries. Weighty enough to carry a silver salver of hors' d'oeuvres, it begs you to lively up yourself; chill it slightly, and track down an open field. Delicious.







# Feature Winery

## GISSSELBRECHT PRINCES OF ALSACE



Claude Gisselbrecht and his mother



In a region like Alsace, where the great vineyards are divided amongst different producers, we should perhaps have a feature 'Grand Crus vineyard' or two, rather than a Feature Winery. While Alsace remains a bit of a mystery to a lot of French wine drinkers, the vineyard names are sometimes familiar; Furstentum, Frankstein, Schlossberg, for instance; and surely, what with all this dependence on terroir, the land is the key to the wine.

Well, yes and no. As a winemaker I once spoke to said, 'you can't put in what God left out.' If it's not good land, you can do what you like, you won't make top-flight wine from it. By the same token, I think we've all tasted very average wines from very good sites and wondered quite how the producer got it so horribly wrong. In Alsace, the producer is key to your vinous happiness.

Herewith Gisselbrecht, then, one of the little guys of Alsace who prize terroir and tradition above all, and who make some of the most exciting wines to come out of the region. There are some large-scale producers in Alsace, and while they produce some good, solid Pinot Gris, Riesling and so forth to meet volume demands, these wines are a blend of sometimes twenty or more vineyards.

Gisselbrecht, on the other hand, offer the opportunity to try the true, individual expressions of this fascinating region that sits in the eastern foothills of the Vosges Mountains, delighting in the rain shadow and soaking up the sun. And in an area that has been part of Prussia, France, Germany, then back to France again, the fact that the Gisselbrecht family have been tending their terroir since the 17th century is a reassuring show of consistency.

Today the Gisselbrechts all work to capture that ephemeral essence that is the unique delight of great Alsatian wines; Rieslings streaked with citrus and mineral, Pinot Gris that is both unctuous and luscious yet deliciously dry, sparkling wines that delight with their frothy appeal. 'Every taste becomes a discovery, a new experience that is always exceptional,' the family says and, with some new vintage wines having just arrived, now is a very good time to get acquainted with the fine wines from this wonderful producer.

46999	<b>Gisselbrecht</b> Riesling 2008	was \$29.90 now <b>\$24.90</b>
47002	<b>Gisselbrecht</b> Gewürztraminer 2008	was \$38.50 now <b>\$28.90</b>
41213	<b>Gisselbrecht</b> Frankstein Grand Cru Riesling 2002	was \$46.00 now <b>\$34.00</b>
41212	<b>Gisselbrecht</b> Frankstein Grand Cru Gewürztraminer 2004	was \$61.00 now <b>\$54.00</b>
46982	<b>Gisselbrecht</b> Vendages Tardives Gewürztraminer 2007	was \$87.00 now <b>\$79.00</b>

### Gisselbrecht Pinot Blanc 2008

was \$29.90 now **\$19.90** 41247



**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

Pinot Blanc is a white mutation of the rather more revered Pinot Noir, and isn't a variety we see a lot of here. In Alsace it has a little more kudos, favoured for its richness and distinctive apple characters. It's always loathsome to cross-compare varieties, but if you like Chardonnay, try this. Peaches and peach blossom dominate the aromas, while on the palate, freshness and fruit are the key. Rich and refreshing; brilliant with sushi, as it happens.

### Gisselbrecht Crémant d'Alsace Brut NV

was \$36.00 now **\$26.90** 46945



**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$26.40 A BOTTLE**

Pinot Blanc raises its wee head again, providing 95% of the fruit for this charming sparkling, while 5% Pinot Noir would suggest it was an amicable split when the two first grafted off. Nestling together through two fermentations (the second in the bottle, the first in stainless steel tanks), the varieties deliver a smoky, slightly nutty style, with clean fresh fruit spread evenly across a slight toasty character. Precise, razor sharp, and rather elegant.

### Gisselbrecht Pinot Gris 2008

was \$29.90 now **\$24.90** 47001



**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$24.40 A BOTTLE**

Use your first glass of this to dissolve any preconceptions you may bring to the table from a diet of localised versions. Not necessarily better but definitely different to what we're used to, Alsatian Pinot Gris is a global treasure and this, the 'entry level' wine from Willy & Co, a stunning expression. Exotic fruits dipped in honey command your aromatic attention, while the palate is concentrated, oozing with flavours, generous in texture and marathon in length.

### Gisselbrecht Frankstein Grand Cru Pinot Gris 2005

was \$54.00 now **\$44.00** 46978



**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$43.50 A BOTTLE**

Lying between 220 and 310 metres, this vineyard grabs the morning sunshine and ripens the fruit to slowburning perfection. The cooler nights deliver the acid; the winemaking genius of Gisselbrecht keep the wine walking the fine line between the two with perfect balance. This is a powerhouse Pinot Gris, make no mistake, with distinctive white flower aromas and a palate that's alive with spice, honey, fresh fruit and grilled nuts. Big in the mouth, long on the palate. A wondrous expression.





# ChamPagne

YOU SAVE  
**26%**

Drappier  
Carte Blanche Brut NV

was \$59.00 now **\$43.90** 43500



**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$39.90 A BOTTLE**

*Top Ten, Decanter tasting*

This picked up 89 points in Spectator, and out of a Decanter tasting of 100 champagnes slipped comfortably into the top ten, suggesting this is no slug in the quality stakes. Anyone who has drenched themselves in its fruit-meets-pastry shower of delights already knows this. To tempt you further, then, we got our fat felt pen out to ensure it over-delivers on price as well. No excuses.

YOU SAVE  
**34%**

Taittinger  
Brut Réserve NV

was \$106.00 now **\$69.90** 49511



**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$69.40 A BOTTLE**

*Elegant, creamy, rich*

When Pierre Taittinger took over the family 'shop' in the 1930s, he bought up huge swathes of prime land, dirt cheap, so Taittinger now has the choice of fruit from some of the best Grand Crus vineyards. They make the most of it, we get the best of it. Dried fruits and vanilla dollops on the nose, citrus freshness underscored with almonds and marzipan pastries on the palate. Elegant, creamy and rich.

Delamotte  
Brut NV

was \$69.00 now **\$59.00** 42845

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$58.50 A BOTTLE**

*Now owned by Salon*

Delamotte own and have access to some of the finest vineyards in Champagne, and have done so since they popped their first cork back in 1760. This continues to be one of the region's best NVs; tiny beads shoot for the stars, while the citrusy freshness surges over a patina of yeast/bread/pastry pieces with much agility and deftness. Vibrant, mouthfilling, elegant. Great buying.

Moët & Chandon  
Be Fabulous Gift Box

was \$108.00 now **\$69.90** 47203

The effect of a few Swarovski elements transforms a bottle of Moët - no everyday item itself - into something between an ornament and a work of art. This is one of those gifts that you can't go wrong with. It delivers way beyond what it costs; great champagne, extraordinary packaging, the inference that the recipient is as stylish as you.

Gosset  
Excellence Brut NV

was \$89.90 now **\$69.90** 47319



**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$69.40 A BOTTLE**

*Champagne's oldest Wine House*

This comes in a beautiful, non-traditional champagne bottle, similar to the style used by Jean Gosset back in the 1700s. The wine itself is a gorgeous, high-end non-vintage, its insides swollen to complex charm by 10% plus of reserve wines in the final blend. As the Wine Doctor says, Gosset are wines well worth going out of your way for. But we've got them right here, just for you, Petal.

Charles Heidsieck  
Brut Réserve NV

was \$99.00 now **\$89.90** 41522

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$89.40 A BOTTLE**

*Aristocratic and seductive*

'Charles? Charles! Charles drinks champagne at any time of the day!' So said Sebastian Flyte in Waugh's Brideshead Revisited, and Charles would've likely drunk Charles, for it flowed like the Thames in the 20s and 30s, and it still has that sort of aristocratic bearing. A voluptuous wine, all curves and charm, with fleshy fruit, delicate lime blossom aromas and delicious pastry characters, right through to the last seductive flick of its not insignificant tail.

Veuve Clicquot  
Brut NV

was \$99.00 now **\$69.90** 49810

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$68.90 A BOTTLE**

*One of our top-selling champagnes*

What makes it so popular? The vibrant label? The accoutrements (groovy ice buckets, brollies, jackets for your dachshund)? The lemon and white flowers over a breadly base of tantalising freshness? Who could say. Veuve seems to embody that French spirit, somewhere between charm, élan and arrogance that, well, you just feel better for a glass of it. Isn't that the point?

YOU SAVE  
**29%**

Bollinger  
Special Cuvée Brut NV

was \$122.00 now **\$89.00** 40820

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$89.40 A BOTTLE**

*Complex, weighty, one of the best*

Some profess Bollinger too evolved a style for them, and maybe its richness and depth can be too much for those of delicate disposition, but never confuse complexity and weight with maturity. Pluck a bottle off the shelf and it's so deliciously fresh, bursting forth with so many wonderful components - flowers, ripe fruit, hints of honey - that you're reminded how few champagnes have the impact Bollinger does.



# The Glean of GOLD

WINES THE CRITICS LOVE



**Jules Taylor**  
Rosé 2009

was \$23.90 now **\$18.90** 12935

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Gold medal, International Wine Show*

Jules Taylor's first ever attempt at this genre was the only New Zealand rosé to be awarded a gold medal at the International Wine Show. It is 100% Merlot off Peter Briant's Patutahi vineyard in Gisborne. The wine was given a short maceration to pick up colour and cool fermented to retain freshness. Packed with soft summer fruit aromas and flavours, it is balanced and fresh, and hard to resist.

**Lake Chalice**  
Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2008

was \$19.90 now **\$16.90** 13576

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$16.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Gold medal wine*

A stand-out Sauvignon Blanc from the excellent 2008 vintage, this is a blend of fruit from selected sub-regions, each cool fermented and the best portions selected, giving the finished wine a measure of complexity. The concentrated gooseberry and tropical fruit aromas contain hints of mineral in the background, while the palate is nicely weighted, richly flavoured and finishes on crisp, elegant note.



**Tinpot Hut**  
Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2008

was \$21.00 now **\$16.90** 19335

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$16.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Multi-award winner*

A classically-styled Marlborough wine packed with zesty flavours, this has had a remarkable run, winning gold at the NZ International Wine Awards and making Matthew Jukes' 2009 Top 60 NZ Wines. It was selected for the Gold List at London's Sommelier Wine Awards and went on to win one of only eleven places on the By the Glass list.

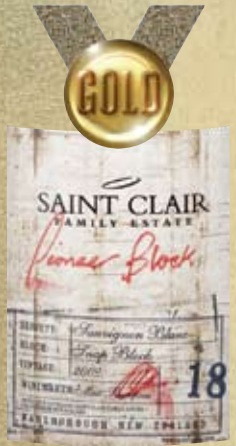


**Saint Clair Pioneer Block 18**  
Snap Block Sauvignon Blanc 2009

was \$27.00 now **\$22.90** 18295

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$22.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Gold medal, Bragato Wine Awards*

Made by Saint Clair's Matt Thomson, who is one of Marlborough's leading winemakers. Like all of Matt's wines, this has been lovingly crafted to showcase the distinctive flavour profile distinguishing Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc. It has upfront, intense passionfruit and mineral aromas and flavours wrapped around a lively, zesty, flavour-filled finish.



**Coopers Creek Limeworks**  
Hawke's Bay Chardonnay 2008

was \$20.50 now **\$18.90** 11776

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Gold medal wine*

This single vineyard Chardonnay is exceptional value. With peach and citrus aromas deftly seasoned by toasty American oak, it is a generous, well proportioned wine with defined peach and apricot flavours complemented by a buttery texture and vanillin oak. The fruit is balanced by a twist of lime that gives length and freshness.



**Villa Maria Omahu Gravels Vineyard**  
Hawke's Bay Viognier 2007

was \$34.90 now **\$24.90** 19565

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$24.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Multiple gold & Trophy winner*

The Omahu Gravels vineyard is located in the heart of Hawke's Bay's world-renowned Gimblett Gravels. The vineyard has a particularly heavy concentration of gravels, providing excellent drainage and reducing vine vigour, thus reducing crop levels. The fruit was hand harvested, barrel fermented and aged on lees for six months prior to bottling. The wine boasts an aromatic bouquet of honeysuckle, apricots, peel and floral notes, and a concentrated palate with abundant spicy stonefruit flavours wrapped around a crème fraîche texture.



**Champagne Drappier**  
Carte d'Or Brut NV

was \$59.00 now **\$49.00** 43501

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$48.50 A BOTTLE**  
*★★★★ & Best Buy, Cuisine*

This Pinot Noir-dominated champagne is rated by critics, including Robert Parker, as one of the esteemed region's best. The bouquet offers classic yeasty characters along with delicate stonefruit and berry aromas. The Chardonnay component in the blend has added buttery smoothness, while the Pinot Meunier provides some finesse. Delightfully crisp and fresh. Exceptional value.





**Rockburn**  
Central Otago Pinot Noir 2008

was \$45.00 now **\$36.90** 12365



**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$36.40 A BOTTLE**

*Consistently brilliant Pinot*

Rockburn's Pinot Noirs have won gold medals every year since 2001. In 2008, Rockburn's Gibbston and Packburn vineyards provided ripe, well balanced fruit. Malcolm Rees-Francis' minimal, hands-off approach to winemaking is definitely working; the 2008 Pinot has already been awarded two gold medals and a host of accolades. It is remarkably expressive of its terroir, with some subtle floral notes supporting the berryfruit aromas. An elegantly smooth wine with spicy fruit and liquorice nuances that linger endlessly. Superb.



**Mud House Swan**  
Central Otago Pinot Noir 2008

was \$30.00 now **\$22.90** 14671

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$22.40 A BOTTLE**

*Gold, NZ International Wine Show*

'Made in the vineyard' may be a bit of cliché, but it is very true of this Central Otago Pinot. The wine was fermented using a combination of cultured and indigenous yeasts and matured in new and seasoned oak for twelve months. It is a medium-bodied wine with distinctive Morello cherry, plum and spice notes on the nose. Sleek, polished and deliciously long.

**Three Paddles**  
Martinborough Pinot Noir 2008

was \$25.90 now **\$19.90** 18486



**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

*Top New Zealand red, Cuisine*

This outstanding Pinot is produced by Martinborough's renowned Nga Waka winery. The 2008 is a blend from three vineyards, matured in French oak for eleven months and bottled unfiltered and unfiltered. Wonderfully approachable and soft in texture, it has good depth of spicy flavours and a persistent finish.

**Black Quail**  
Central Otago Pinot Noir 2008

was \$44.00 now **\$36.00** 11360

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$35.50 A BOTTLE**

*Gold medal, Bragato Wine Awards*

Black Quail Estate is owned by Rod and Mirani Keillor a 'renaissance' family passionate about the arts and fine food and wine. Their low-yield vineyard is located in the foothills of Mount Difficulty. The 2008 Pinot is an approachable, early-drinking, elegant wine with cherry and spice aromas. The medium palate has sweet fruit flavours balanced by ripe tannins and complemented by a soft, easy texture.

**Sacred Hill Deerstalkers**  
Hawke's Bay Syrah 2007

was \$49.90 now **\$45.00** 18467



**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$44.50 A BOTTLE**

*Gold medal, Bragato Wine Awards*

The Deerstalkers has become one of Sacred Hill's star performers, regularly winning awards in competitions and earning accolades from reputable critics. The 2007 is a complex wine, with aromas of cherry, plum, berry, pepper and subtle oak. Packed with ripe fruit flavours, it is backed by dusty tannins and a suave texture.



**Vidal Reserve**  
Hawke's Bay Syrah 2006

was \$60.00 now **\$44.00** 19408

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$43.50 A BOTTLE**

*Multiple gold medal winner*

One of Hawke's Bay's oldest boutique wineries, Vidal produces wines that truly reflect the region's terroirs. The 2006 Syrah was crafted from hand harvested grapes grown in the Gimblett Gravels. Displaying violet and peppery notes on the nose and palate, it is superbly balanced with supple tannins and a concentrated finish.



**Arrogant Frog**  
Ribet Red Shiraz 2007

was \$19.90 now **\$15.90** 43967

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$15.40 A BOTTLE**

*Great value French red*

A fussy lot, our tasting panel rank this wine as one of their favourites. Grown in the Languedoc region, it is a full-bodied, 100% Syrah/Shiraz with ripe blackcurrant and violet aromas supported by spicy nuances on the nose and palate. Super value for a gold medal wine.



**Chapel Hill**  
McLaren Vale Shiraz 2007

was \$36.00 now **\$27.90** 21244

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$27.40 A BOTTLE**

*91/100-James Halliday*

The talented Michael Fragos produces elegant yet powerful wines with definitive varietal and regional characters, balance and texture. Ticking all those boxes, this is packed with blueberry, cassis and spicy nuances, the ripe, persistent palate magnificently structured.



**Yalumba**  
Barossa Shiraz Viognier 2006

was \$23.90 now **\$19.90** 29887

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

*93/100-Halliday 91/100-Wine Spectator*

A great value, food-friendly Barossa Valley wine with a bouquet of plum, berry and cedar embellished by floral nuances. Medium weighted and well structured, it shows spicy peppery flavours on the palate complemented by a mellow texture and supple tannin finish.





# AIR NEW ZEALAND WINEAWARDS 2009

THE AIR NEW ZEALAND WINE AWARDS MEDAL RESULTS WILL BE ONLINE AT [WWW.GLENGARRY.CO.NZ](http://WWW.GLENGARRY.CO.NZ) FROM NOVEMBER 11.

TROPHY RESULTS WILL BE ON OUR SITE FROM NOVEMBER 24.

OR, SIGN UP FOR THE GLENGARRY EMAIL (ON OUR HOMEPAGE) AND WE'LL EMAIL YOU THE RESULTS AS SOON AS THEY'RE TO HAND.

There are currently eight different wine competitions held in New Zealand; each has a valuable contribution to make, but the results most eagerly awaited each year are those from the Air New Zealand Wine Awards. The competition, now nearly 30 years old and considered to be the official competition of the New Zealand wine industry, is owned and organised by New Zealand Winegrowers, the national organisation of the country's grape growers and winemakers.

The competition is open only to New Zealand wines, from all ten wine regions. Each year, more than 1500 wines are entered, although wineries do so at their own discretion.

The wines are judged in separate varietal categories on the 20-mark system: three points for appearance, seven for bouquet/aroma and ten points for flavour, texture, balance, etc. With elite golds earning 19-20 points, gold medals are awarded to wines of outstanding quality that attain between 18.5 and 18.9 points; wines of excellent quality and a fine example in their class reaching between 17 and 18.4 points earn silver medals, and wines well above average and gaining between 16 and 16.9 points achieve bronze medal status.

Three years ago, 'pure' medals were introduced to acknowledge not only the superior quality of a wine, but also to indicate that the wine was sustainably grown and produced. In 2007 elite gold medals were also introduced, awarded to medallists that achieve 19 marks or higher.

The wines with the highest mark in a category are awarded the trophy for the best wine in that class.

For more information on the Air New Zealand Wine Awards visit [airnzwineawards.co.nz](http://airnzwineawards.co.nz)



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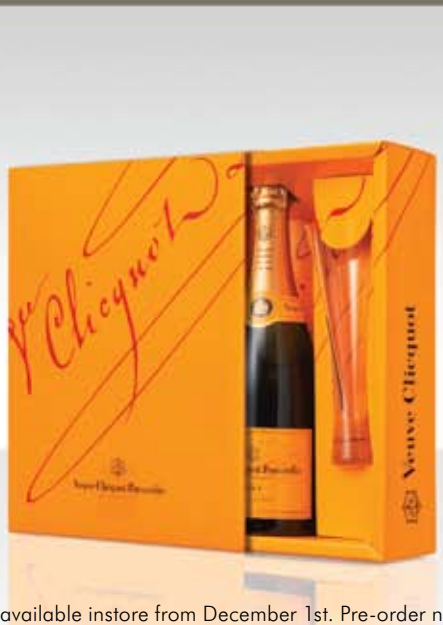


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# Cider

It would be fair to say that the general impression of cider in this country is that it's either a sweet alcoholic jerkin-dropper for the inter-related bumpkins who reside in some dim corner of Cornwall, rolling their 'rs' and their cars after a few too many at the Pitch Fork & Pumpkin, or it's 9% ABV White Lightning as drunk by dribbling dossers at Tottenham Court Road tube station.

With the English being the world's biggest producers and consumers of cider, this distorted view is understandable. But it's only a small part of the picture, and cider is shedding its image and becoming a drink of the hip and happening.

We're already well down the track of 'getting' cider in this country, hence the recent Weka release and the rising popularity of Macs, Harvest and Monteith's. With the industry being worth \$4.5m, producers are tripping over themselves to get some cider to market. And we're not talking a Clydesdale and dray, here.

So, we figured as summer rolled in, it was worth having a look at some of the best ones around and giving them a whirl. And there is a bit more to it than just fermenting a few old apples in a tin bath at the back of the property.

While cider is essentially the juice of fermented apples, that's a bit like saying brewing beer involves yeast. Depending on the type of apples used, and processes adopted, cider can range in colour from clear to brown and in flavour from dry to sweet. Some sparkle, some are cloudy, some could be used to strip said tin bath of any residual Resene, and some are wonderful.

Old Mout, who have been making cider since 1947, use a traditional French recipe handed down on apple-stained paper over generations, while their Feijoa Cider picked up a gold at the New Zealand Fruit Wine and Cider Awards (where, I assume, one can rather literally compare apples with apples). So there is a cider for all tastes; grab a pack and have a cider snack. It's, um, got to be good for you.



## Magners Original Irish Cider 568mL

was \$7.70 now **\$6.40** 91836

*Made from 17 apple varieties*

Using seventeen different varieties of culinary apples, Magners is the original cider, the recipe and production process established back in 1935. They are the biggest purchaser of apples in Ireland, and also one of the few traditionalists who still ferment in oak vats, which adds a lot more complexity to the final beverage than pasteurising, as you could well imagine. Some pure apple juice is added to the fermenting pulp for further complexity, and just like a good Chardonnay, the apples go through a malolactic fermentation that softens the acid and broadens the palate. We are left with a rich, flavoursome, refreshingly slaking wee drop.

91342	<b>Weka Cider</b> 330mL	single bottle	<b>\$2.90</b>
18901	<b>Old Mout Cider</b> 330mL	single bottle	<b>\$3.80</b>
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91343	<b>Poppet Cider</b> 375mL	single bottle	<b>\$7.90</b>
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91206	<b>Monteith's Crushed Apple Cider</b> 330mL	4-pack	<b>\$12.90</b>
91835	<b>Magners Original Cider</b> 330mL	4-pack	<b>\$15.90</b>



Quintin Quider

*Wild Earth*

One could be forgiven for saying, 'Holy Smoke!' Fortunately, we won't descend into such clichés, but... Wild Earth owner and best-named man in the business, Quintin Quider, is coming to town, and he's bringing his barrel smoker with him. Be afraid. No! Be delighted. Quintin's innovative use of old wine barrels has won him praise and publicity up and down the land and, in fact, all the way to the hallowed halls of Wine Spectator, who ran a 'we are a bit bemused' piece on QQ and his barrels a month back.

Rather than sending his old barrels off to the chipper, Quintin, armed with a drill and a grill rack, has made a barrique into an oven/smoker/barbeque perfect for smoking seafood (he's a diver, y'know), as well as salmon, even racks of lamb, hell yes. And the marinades and sauces he uses, when you match the food to his sensational wines... dribbling yet?

As November sees the new vintage releases from Wild Earth, we all decided it'd be a good time to celebrate. Wild Earth, wild food, then, will see our man with the pan set up his smoker on Auckland's clean-air streets on November 14th, outside Glengarry and Dida's at 54 Jervois Road.

If the smoked oysters with ginger & lime sorbet or the duck marinated in Pinot Noir that he fed Spectator are anything to go by, this'll be a treat. Come along, grab a bite, have a chat and buy any Wild Earth wine during November to go in the draw to win one of Quintin's smokers. As some sage once said, how cool is that?



## Wild Earth Central Otago Pinot Noir 2008

RRP \$44.00 now **\$34.90** 16025

**INSTORE  
NOVEMBER  
12th**

Quintin Quider told Spectator 'I think we finally got it right in 2008.' Considering the 2007 topped the Cuisine annual Pinot tasting, what does that say about this wine? An exceptional follow on that is ripe, rich and already well integrated. Spectacular.

## Wild Earth Central Otago Pinot Gris 2008

was \$29.00 now **\$20.90** 16029



Putting a 5th of the wine away for a rainy day in barrel adds interesting flecks of complexity to this already beguiling drop. Pears, flowers and exotic spices all play nicely on a lush, thickly-textured palate.

16022	<b>Wild Earth</b> Central Otago Rosé 2008	was \$21.50 now <b>\$16.90</b>
16024	<b>Wild Earth</b> Central Otago Riesling 2008	was \$29.00 now <b>\$20.90</b>
16028	<b>Wild Earth</b> DEEP COVE Pinot Noir 2008	was \$34.90 now <b>\$26.00</b>

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# Methoves

With summer looming, we have twenty-two superbly priced wines from across the globe guaranteed to put a sparkle into your celebration

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AUSTRALIA **De Bortoli**  
Sparkling Brut NV



was \$15.00 now **\$9.90** 20828

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$9.40 A BOTTLE**

A sharply positioned little Aussie battler and bottler, she's fresh, crisp and creamy, boy. At \$15.00 you've got your hands on quickdraw on your calfskin wallet; at \$9.90 you'll be telling the boys to back the truck up.

ITALY **Bolla**  
Torralta Prosecco di Conegliano NV



was \$22.90 now **\$18.90** 62566

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**

Venetians consume this gossamer-like delight with much abandon, its crisp flavours and beguiling texture rendering them blissfully unaware that their city is sinking beneath them. You may as well go down glass in hand.

**YOU SAVE 28%**

**Whitecliff**  
Brut Cuvée NV



was \$17.90 now **\$12.90** 18001

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$12.40 A BOTTLE**

Perfect elixir to mollify the random roving masses that swing through the front door as the season approaches. Dry, but not searingly so, with an appley crispness, breadly character and charm to burn. Alluringly priced, too.

**YOU SAVE 25%**

MARLBOROUGH **Allan Scott Cecilia**  
Reserve Méthode Traditionnelle Brut NV



was \$26.50 now **\$19.90** 17397

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

The sort of wine you can serve to anyone who professes to know a thing or two, knowing it'll charm the pants off them. Even the Queen would say, 'golly, but that is good, Allan,' as she slips a flute into her ubiquitous handbag...

SPAIN **Castillo Perelada**  
Brut Reserva NV



RRP \$16.90 now **\$14.90** 88051

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$14.40 A BOTTLE**

Tis not unduly pretentious to serve something sexy, sparkly and European to your guests at this time of year. They may find the appley/lemon titillation of this well-structured Spaniard very much to their liking. Push the galleon out?

CENTRAL OTAGO **Arcadia**  
Méthode Traditionnelle Brut NV



was \$26.00 now **\$19.90** 11152

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

Made by Amisfield, a wine with weight and bearing beyond anything you'd expect at this price. Splashes of stonefruit, citrus characters and a rich, mouthfilling toastiness from three years on lees. Creamy, characterful, impressive.



FRANCE **Saint-Meyland**  
Méthode Traditionnelle Brut NV

was \$19.90 now **\$16.90** 43010

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$15.90 A BOTTLE**

The slight mineral/chalk lift as the cork goes phwoosh indicates the origins of this attractive méthode, while the lemon aromas and flavours keep things the right side of dry and refreshing. French style, Pacific pricing. Perfect.



FRANCE **Brut de Charvis**  
Méthode Traditionnelle Brut NV

was \$22.90 now **\$19.90** 43013

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$18.90 A BOTTLE**

Another French méthode delivering great value and loads of character for the price of a couple of hours' parking in Queen St. Its distinctive, sweet fruit nose is balanced by some subtle yeastiness; the palate runs slightly off-dry.

MARLBOROUGH **Twin Islands**  
Chardonnay Pinot Noir Brut NV



**YOU SAVE 30%**

was \$25.50 now **\$17.90** 19305

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$17.40 A BOTTLE**

This consistently excellent offering regularly jockeys for a top spot in both best value and best quality competitions at this time of year, and delivers much breadly goodness for minimal dolleros. Deliciously creamy.

ITALY **Santa Margherita**  
Prosecco di Valdobbiadene Brut NV

**YOU SAVE 35%**



was \$36.50 now **\$23.90** 62538

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$23.40 A BOTTLE**

The fruit is cultivated 500m above sea level, so the grapes tend to have a good acid component, perfect for Prosecco. Varietal apples are fleshed out with peach characters, said acid ensuring it's an elegant experience.





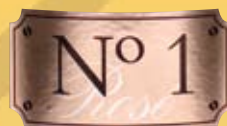
MARLBOROUGH **Nautilus**  
Brut NV

YOU SAVE  
**30%**

was \$39.90 now **\$27.90** 15470

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$27.40 A BOTTLE**

While Nautilus is more popular than Barack 'Nobel' Obama, it is also patiently crafted, in true Champagne style. Aged three years on lees, with reserve wines added to ensure consistency and complexity.



MARLBOROUGH **No.1 Family Estate**  
Brut Rosé NV

was \$51.00 now **\$43.90** 12212

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$43.40 A BOTTLE**

A 100% Pinot Noir that is also the first release since Cloudy Bay's Eveline Fraser joined the Family. A well weighted wine, it surges with summer fruits and floral fragrance, growing more broad and beautiful with each mouthful.

MARLBOROUGH **Daniel Le Brun**  
Méthode Traditionnelle Brut NV

was \$31.00 now **\$27.90** 12145

*Buy 6 bottles & get the 7th FREE*

This brand goes from strength to strength, with this, the House Master, delivering truly fabulous expressions of Marlborough méthode magic year in, year out. Outsmarts most at this pricepoint with its sheer class and finesse.



MARLBOROUGH **Daniel Le Brun**  
Platinum Brut Vintage 2001

was \$38.00 now **\$32.90** 12153

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$34.40 A BOTTLE**

This sits at the top of Dan's tree. Weighty and opulent, it is unquestionably a food wine, the creamy texture and long finish deserving some serious contemplation over a sumptuous dinner. Patience, boy.



MARLBOROUGH **No.1 Family Estate**  
Cuvée No.8 Brut NV

was \$32.00 now **\$24.90** 12210

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$24.40 A BOTTLE**

This came hurtling out of the blocks in 2002, scooping praise like there was no tomorrow. Today is that tomorrow, and No.8 continues to be an excellent aperitif-style wine, fresh, approachable, yet weighty enough to carry the day.



MARLBOROUGH **Daniel Le Brun**  
Blanc de Blancs Brut Vintage 2002

was \$39.00 now **\$32.90** 12152

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$34.40 A BOTTLE**

While we were watching rain dampen the fireworks in a millennial let-down, the fruit for this was budding on the vines. Mouth-watering citrus, crisp acidity and Chardonnay finesse played out over a lees-derived richness & power.

CENTRAL OTAGO **Quartz Reef**  
Méthode Traditionnelle Brut NV

was \$34.00 now **\$29.90** 17230

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$29.40 A BOTTLE**

Made in affiliation with boutique champagne specialist Marc Chauvet, this is a serious yet vibrantly playful wine, with a wild fruit nose, a broad citrus-meets-Granny-Smith palate, a finish of yeasty complexity and toasted charm.



**Villa Maria**  
Méthode Traditionnelle Cuvée Brut NV

was \$39.00 now **\$36.00** 19603

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$35.50 A BOTTLE**

Villa Maria have been around longer than Winston, yet this is only their first sparkling release. Unsurprisingly, it's excellent, with clean, precise flavours supported by fresh bread and yeast notes on a broad, deep palate.



YOU SAVE  
**25%**

MARLBOROUGH **Cloudy Bay**  
Pelorus Sparkling Wine NV

was \$39.90 now **\$29.90** 12122

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$29.40 A BOTTLE**

Deliciously fresh and approachable from the moment the cork flies south, Pelorus also carries significant texture and complexity. A beguiling blend of power and finesse, creamy richness and lively acidity.



MARTINBOROUGH **Palliser Estate**  
Méthode Traditionnelle Vintage 2005

was \$47.00 now **\$39.90** 16735

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$39.40 A BOTTLE**

We don't see enough of this méthode. From estate-grown Pinot Noir and Chardonnay, varieties with which Palliser excel, this is a fully flavoured, slightly nutty expression, creamy, yet well-defined by refreshing acid.

MARLBOROUGH **No.1 Family Estate**  
Cuvée No.1 Brut NV

was \$43.00 now **\$32.90** 12167

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$32.00 A BOTTLE**

It's starting to feel like Bingo Night in here, but there's no mistaking No.1. Winemaker Daniel Le Brun is renowned for his Blanc de Blancs style, and this delivers a great deal of finesse and elegance with almost prosaic poise.



MARLBOROUGH **Cloudy Bay**  
Pelorus Vintage 2005

was \$51.00 now **\$42.90** 12101

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$42.00 A BOTTLE**

Creamy, nutty and delicious on a hot day, it's the Vanilla Trumpet of méthodes. A complex offering of baked bread, cooked apples and citrus tart characters, all swirled and dipped in soft, fresh cream. Rich, fine, utterly captivating.





# Pinot Noir



Wild South  
Marlborough Pinot Noir 2008

**YOU SAVE  
26%**

was \$18.90 now **\$13.90** 11191

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$12.90 A BOTTLE**

*Silky and vivacious*

Wild South's Christie Brown has earned a reputation as one of Marlborough's up-and-coming winemakers. In a relatively short time she has crafted a string of very delicious and drinkable wines. This 2008 Pinot was sourced from the company's Waihopai Valley vineyard. It has a bright vivacious colour and a bouquet alive with spicy sweet cherry and plum aromas. The palate shows forward ripe berry flavours, a touch of mineral and spice enhanced by a silky texture.

Rimu Grove  
Bronte Nelson Pinot Noir 2007

was \$29.00 now **\$24.00** 10418

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$23.50 A BOTTLE**

*Outstanding pedigree*

Rimu Grove's Pinot Noir have an outstanding pedigree and they have consistently deliver wines expressive of the Nelson terroir. The 2007 Bronte was fermented in small open top vats and matured for eleven months in new and seasoned French oak barriques. It is a lively wine with ripe berry violet and floral aromas supported by spicy oak. The palate is well structured, with a good concentration of ripe fruit, a silky mouthfeel and a fine tannin finish.



Coal Pit Tiwha  
Central Otago Pinot Noir 2007

was \$45.00 now **\$34.00** 10962

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$33.50 A BOTTLE**

*Silky smooth & packed with flavour*

Coal Pit is a boutique, family-owned winery located in Central Otago's Gibbston region. This single vineyard Pinot Noir was hand harvested from well established vines. Following primary and malolactic fermentation it was matured in French oak and bottled without fining. The nose displays lovely lifted aromas of violet mingled with black cherry, herb and understated spicy oak. The palate has distinctive spicy fruit flavours, a supple tannin structure and a silky texture. Beautifully balanced and packed with flavour.



Sacred Hill  
Marlborough Pinot Noir 2008

**YOU SAVE  
32%**

was \$21.90 now **\$14.90** 18486

*Elegant Pinot at a great price*

With the release of this 2008 Pinot Noir, Marlborough is showing that it has considerably more strings to its bow than Sauvignon Blanc. Sacred Hill harvested the fruit from their well-performing Wairau Valley vineyard. The elegant nose and palate exhibit black cherry and mushroom aromas and flavours complemented by a mellow texture.



Lake Chalice  
Marlborough Pinot Noir 2008

was \$24.90 now **\$19.90** 13583

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

*Approachable and aromatic*

2008 was a stellar vintage for Marlborough, the largest on record but also delivering excellent crops across the varietal spectrum. This is an approachable, medium-bodied wine with an aromatic bouquet of cherry, plum and spicy oak. The palate is dominated by ripe fruit flavours of cherry and blueberry, well integrated with fine-grained oak and enhanced by a slick texture.



Rua  
Central Otago Pinot Noir 2008

was \$24.90 now **\$19.90** 10193

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

*Fragrant, early-drinking style*

Rua is a blend of fruit selected from Wanaka and Bannockburn vineyards and harvested over a four week period to optimise varietal characters. It is an exceptionally priced, early-drinking style with a fragrant bouquet displaying layers of soft summer fruit and hints of wild herbs. The fruit-driven palate exhibits spicy fruit flavours bound around a mellow texture, finishing on a clean, fresh note.



Carrick  
Central Otago Pinot Noir 2007

was \$50.00 now **\$39.00** 11128

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$38.50 A BOTTLE**

*Classy and complex*

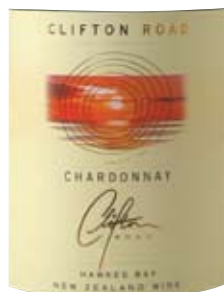
A large portion of the wine was fermented on indigenous yeasts, minimally handled and matured for 14 months in a combination of new and seasoned French oak. This is a classy and complex wine with tiers of spice, cherry and sweet oak nuances on the nose. It is quite weighty, with pervasive dark berryfruit flavours held in focus by firm, supple tannins. Well structured and balanced, with a delicious, flavoursome aftertaste.





# Brilliant Bargains

By the bottle or by the case, we have the month's bargain buys



**Clifton Road**  
Chardonnay 2007

was \$12.50 now **\$9.90** 18008



*High quality Hawke's Bay Chardonnay for under \$10*



**Rabbit Ranch**  
Sauvignon Blanc 2008

was \$23.50 now **\$16.90** 11169



*'A thumping great Savvy abounding with vibrant fruit flavours' - Jancis Robinson*



**Esk Valley**  
Hawke's Bay Rosé 2008

was \$25.50 now **\$12.90** 12827



*The last rosé produced by the Esk Valley Winery*



**Kim Crawford**  
Hawke's Bay Merlot 2007

was \$33.00 now **\$14.90** 11656

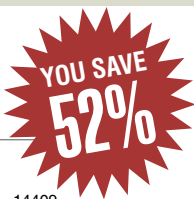


*A massive saving on this top quality Merlot, exclusive to Glengarry*



**Staete Landt**  
Sauvignon Blanc 2007

was \$27.00 now **\$12.90** 14409



*Clearout of last of the 2007 ★★★★★ Winestate ★★★★★ Michael Cooper*



**Arrogant Frog**  
Chardonnay Viognier 2007

was \$19.90 now **\$12.90** 43968



*From the sun-drenched vineyards of Southern France*



**Muddy Water**  
New Zealand Rosé 2008

was \$21.90 now **\$11.90** 15453



*European-style rosé made from Pinot that's drinking well now*



**Lawson's Dry Hills**  
Pinot Noir 2006

was \$32.00 now **\$21.90** 13380



*From the excellent 2006 vintage Drinking superbly now*



**Kaesler Stonehorse**  
Barossa Valley Shiraz 2006

was \$40.00 now **\$24.90** 22224



*90+/100 from Jay Millar for Robert Parker's Wine Advocate*



**Pasqua 1.5 Litre**  
Montepulciano DOC 2007

was \$25.50 now **\$19.90** 62473



*Equates to only \$9.95 per 750mL bottle*



**Gros Frère & Soeur**  
Bourgogne 2006

was \$48.00 now **\$31.90** 43140



*Accessible and seductive French Pinot Noir*



**De Bortoli**  
DB Selection Shiraz 2007

now **\$8.90** 20923



*This is a great value barbeque red*



# a taste of Australia

Rediscover the wines of the lucky country with our pick of the best Aussies on offer



## R Wines

**Strong Arms Shiraz 2007**

**YOU SAVE 28%**

was \$22.00 now **\$15.90** 23205

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$15.40 A BOTTLE**

*Stylish & innovative winemaker*

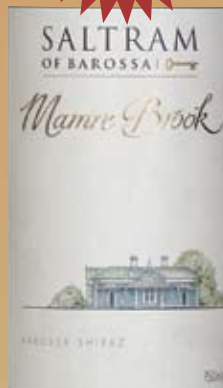
R Wines produce wine from just about every Australian region. This Shiraz is off selected premium vineyards in McLaren Vale, a well-priced, stylish red that captures beautifully the essence of its origins. Deeply coloured, with a classic varietal bouquet of violet, plum sherry and spice, the palate generously flavoured with raspberry & blackberry supported by hints of liquorice and vanillin oak.



**YOU SAVE 28%**

## Saltram

**Mamre Brook Barossa Shiraz 2006**



was \$24.90 now **\$17.90** 26833

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$16.90 A BOTTLE**

*One of Australia's favourite wines*

Mamre Brook is one of Australia's most consistent and popular reds. The 2006 Shiraz is well integrated due to its extended bottle ageing. It has a concentrated bouquet of blackberry, liquorice, clove and vanillin oak, while the impressively long palate displays great depth of flavour supported by firm, silky tannins. Drinking well now.

## Yalumba

**Patchwork Barossa Shiraz 2007**

was \$24.00 now **\$19.90** 20957

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

*Iconic South Australian winery*

Harvested from several Barossa Valley vineyards, each contributing distinctive flavour profiles that add complexity to the finished wine. The nose shows prune, varietal spiciness and cedar. The palate opens with forward cassis and berry flavours that develop through the mid-palate, complemented by supple tannins, a svelte texture and a savoury, lingering finish.



## Cumulus

**Rolling Shiraz 2006**

was \$25.00 now **\$16.90** 20002

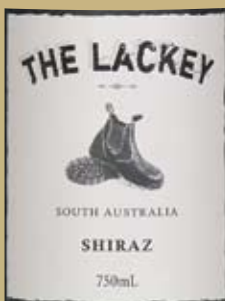
**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$16.40 A BOTTLE**

★★★★ & Best Buy, Cuisine

Cumulus has made a big impact in a short time. Their Shiraz was harvested from vineyards in the Central Ranges, a dark ruby wine possessing distinctive spicy/peppery notes that complement the plum aromas. The palate is generously flavoured and well structured.



**YOU SAVE 32%**



## The Lackey

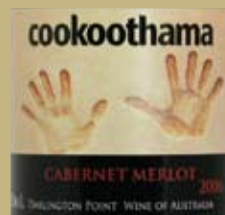
**South Australia Shiraz 2006**

was \$19.90 now **\$16.90** 22330

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$16.40 A BOTTLE**

*89/100-Jay Millar, Wine Advocate*

Originally created by Kilikanoon's chief winemaker, Kevin Mitchell, for the American market, we are pleased that it is now available here because it is a beauty. It has an appealing bouquet of spice-edged plum and berryfruit aromas supported by charry oak. The smoothly textured palate features ripe, spicy fruit flavours.



## Cookoothama

**Cabernet Merlot 2006**

was \$19.90 now **\$15.90** 21045

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$15.40 A BOTTLE**

*Riverina red blend*

Sourced from Cookoothama's vineyard on the banks of the Murrumbidgee River in the Riverina district of New South Wales. The nose has an abundance of blackberry, plum, mocha and spice leading on to a palate that is stylish and well structured. Great value.





Ben and Mario Barletta joined seateurs with a couple of financiers in 2003 and launched the Solitary Block label. Their approach is thoroughly modern; rather than owning specific sites, they target single vineyards each vintage to produce outstanding examples of limited release wines. These individual expressions are all about character, personality and reflecting the tiny blocks - and the vintage conditions - from whence they come. Vini-fied by the legendary Neil Pike at his Clare Valley winery, the brothers' release schedule sums up their whole philosophy. When are the wines are put on the market? 'When they're ready.' Excellent, chaps.



### Barletta Solitary Block Watervale Riesling 2008

was \$32.00 now **\$29.00** 20365

#### CASE OF 12 ONLY \$28.50 A BOTTLE

The boys pull out a Clare Valley white wine of immaculate class and breeding. Crisp, citric-flavoured and mineral-edged, with 94 Parker points, it's a decade-plus cellaring prospect.

### Barletta Solitary Block Rowland Flat Grenache 2006

was \$63.00 now **\$59.00** 20369



#### CASE OF 6 ONLY \$58.50 A BOTTLE

The aromatics are a heady brew of smoky, savoury mineral-tinged cherries, while the palate shows Grenache to be no lightweight on its own. Richly textured, immensely concentrated, smooth, spicy, sexy.

### Barletta Solitary Block Marananga Shiraz 2006

was \$101.00 now **\$69.00** 20366

#### CASE OF 6 ONLY \$68.50 A BOTTLE

Marananga is renowned for its individualistic wines. Here, spice, licorice and dark fruits fill the aromatic skies while the muscularity of the palate keeps us grounded.



**YOU SAVE  
32%**

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| 20362 | <b>Barletta</b> SOLITARY BLOCK Shiraz 2005                     | was \$70.00 now <b>\$59.00</b> |
| 20363 | <b>Barletta</b> SOLITARY BLOCK Grenache 2005                   | was \$70.00 now <b>\$59.00</b> |
| 20368 | <b>Barletta</b> SOLITARY BLOCK Onkaparinga Hills Grenache 2006 | was \$79.00 now <b>\$69.00</b> |
| 20367 | <b>Barletta</b> SOLITARY BLOCK Kalimna Shiraz 2006             | was \$79.00 now <b>\$69.00</b> |

We'll be conducting a tasting of the Solitary Block wines at 7pm on Thursday the 12th of November at Glengarry Westmere, 164 Garnet Road - ph 360 4035

# New arrivals from Kaesler

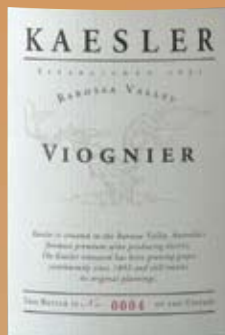
### Kaesler Stonehorse Barossa Valley GSM 2007

was \$29.00 now **\$24.00** 22267



#### CASE OF 12 ONLY \$23.50 A BOTTLE

Mulberries, blackberries and plums defined by refined tannins dominate the palate. Broadens like a river delta of Mourvèdre-derived dark chocolate characters.



### Kaesler Barossa Valley Viognier 2008

was \$38.50 now **\$29.00** 22271

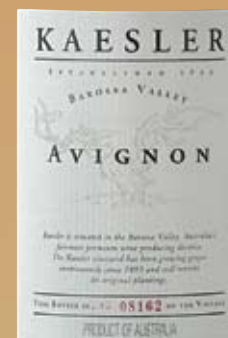
**YOU SAVE  
25%**

#### CASE OF 12 ONLY \$28.50 A BOTTLE

Creamy, full flavoured and weighty in the mouth, with crisp, fresh nectarines and apricots surfing through the lush richness of the palate.

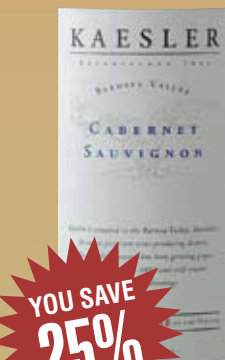
### Kaesler Avignon Barossa Valley GSM 2007

was \$38.50 now **\$29.00** 22270



#### CASE OF 12 ONLY \$28.50 A BOTTLE

The Grenache and Mourvèdre vines are 70, the Shiraz a blend of 47 and 105-year-old vines. Jeepers. Plummy palate with mineral overtones and restrained oak.



### Kaesler Barossa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon 2007

was \$38.50 now **\$29.00** 22272

#### CASE OF 12 ONLY \$28.50 A BOTTLE

Full frontal blackcurrant cassis characters, a fig leaf of toasty oak bringing some decency to the proceedings, the varietal tannin supportive rather than overpowering.

### Kaesler The Bogan Barossa Valley Shiraz 2006

was \$69.00 now **\$54.00** 22261



#### CASE OF 12 ONLY \$53.50 A BOTTLE

'We try not to bother the wine unless it needs some assistance,' they say, the result an immensely powerful and concentrated, blackberry-flavoured monolith.



### Kaesler Old Vine Barossa Valley Shiraz 2007

was \$76.00 now **\$69.00** 22268

#### CASE OF 12 ONLY \$68.50 A BOTTLE

The oak and tannin currently protect and surround a core of immensely solid, concentrated fruits with some typical mocha and cassis notes bringing up the beautiful rear.



a taste of

# France

A monthly selection of affordable French wine from our extensive range

## Côtes du Rhône

The official Côtes du Rhône region stretches for almost 200 kilometres from Vienne to Avignon. This generic appellation is the foundation of the whole region's wines, and comprises over 80% (35 million cases) of the total volume produced.

The diversity of wines is considerable due to the many different soil types, micro climates and the large number of allowable varieties used. The vast majority of wines are red blends, consisting primarily of Grenache, Mourvèdre, Shiraz and Cinsault. There are also some excellent rosés to be found rivalling higher-rated AOCs, and a range of flavoursome whites.

There are over 10,000 growers in the region who either vinify and bottle their own cuvées or are contracted to sell their crops to négociants. Most, however, are members of cooperatives established in the 1920s to provide centralised winemaking facilities for growers.

While about 70% of Côtes du Rhône wines are produced by cooperatives and can be excellent value, the best and most reliable wines are made in smaller quantities and come from individual domaines, or larger estates such as Paul Jaboulet and Château Mont-Redon.

### Paul Jaboulet

**Secret de Famille** Côtes du Rhône 2006

was \$25.50 now **\$16.90** 45311

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$16.40 A BOTTLE**

*Excellent food wine*

The Secret was originally created for a Wine and Food Society from a tank of Syrah discovered in Jaboulet's cellars. The winemaker added 10% Grenache to give extra weight and complexity. The original bottling consisted of just one vat but the wine proved so good that Jaboulet have now produced further batches, albeit in small amounts. It is a lovely spicy, fruity red, excellent with food and great value.

**YOU SAVE 34%**



### Guigal

**Côtes du Rhône 2005**

was \$28.00 now **\$21.90** 44977

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$21.40 A BOTTLE**

*Deep, dark and intense*

Guigal's 2005 Côtes du Rhône blend is dominated by 55% Syrah and 35% Grenache with the balance made up of other allowable Rhône varieties. The wine was traditionally fermented and matured for 18 months in large oak barrels. Deep and dark in colour, it has intense primary aromas of berry, cassis and spice with understated oak in the background. It is a full bodied red with fleshy black cherry and plum flavours framed by silky tannins. On the long finish there are hints of cocoa that embellish the fruit flavours.



### Paul Jaboulet

**Parallèle 45** Côtes du Rhône 2006

was \$26.50 now **\$19.90** 45327

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

*Pure, fruit-driven style*

Taking its name from the 45th parallel running through Jaboulet's vineyard, this is a blend of 60% Grenache and 40% Syrah traditionally fermented and aged in stainless steel to preserve fruit characters. A pure, fruit-driven style with an elegant bouquet of raspberry and cherry supported by spicy nuances. The palate is dominated by ripe, almost juicy, fruit flavours enhanced by a smooth, tasty mouthfeel.

**YOU SAVE 25%**



### Ortas Les Viguiers

**Côtes du Rhône Rosé 2007**

was \$26.00 now **\$19.90** 43314

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

*Fresh, beautifully balanced rosé*

A delightful rosé made from Grenache, Carignan and Cinsault. The hand harvested fruit was de-stemmed, given about six hours skin contact to extract some colour and cool fermented to retain fruit vitality and freshness. It is a glistening pink with aromas of strawberry and crushed cherries. Beautifully balanced, with well-defined soft summer fruits embellished by just a hint of mineral.



### Château Mont-Redon

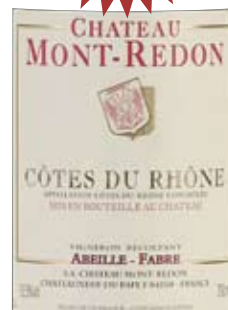
**Côtes du Rhône 2007**

was \$34.50 now **\$24.90** 41475

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$24.40 A BOTTLE**

Mont-Redon owns a 160-hectare estate, with access to vineyards in other appellations, providing the wine-making team with an excellent source of premium quality grapes. Their wine is dominated by Grenache, supported by Cinsault and Syrah and vinified to be expressive of its terroir. It has aromas of blackberry, cherry and hints of mocha. The weighty, succulent palate confirms the aromatic characters.

**YOU SAVE 28%**



### Domaine Nicolas Boiron

**Côtes du Rhône 2008**

was \$38.00 now **\$24.90** 41344

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$24.40 A BOTTLE**

Robert Parker rates this Rhône producer as one of the best in the region. Not a large producer, but the wines are crafted with real passion, and it shows here. Hand-crafted from Grenache and Syrah, this is a very appealing and food-friendly wine. It has a healthy, glowing garnet colour, with a distinctive bouquet of plum, berry and cinnamon. Medium to full bodied, it is distinguished by forward fruit flavours complemented by a mellow texture.

**YOU SAVE 34%**





# a taste of *Italy*

Intriguing, exciting and always stylish, smarten up your sideboard with the new breed of Italians

## Cecchi

The Cecchi (pronounced Check-ee) family have been prominent in the Chianti region of Tuscany for over 500 years, but did not get commercially involved in the wine business until the late 19th century. In 1893, having gained a formidable reputation as a wine taster, Luigi Cecchi set up his own business as a wine broker.

The business flourished; in time Luigi's three sons Mariano, Natale and Francesco joined their father. The company expanded, rapidly establishing its reputation throughout Italy, and by 1930 Cecchi had begun to export.

From 1953, Luigi's grandson, also named Luigi, managed the company. During his tenure, the company expanded its vineyard holdings and today owns about 3,000 hectares in four different zones: Chianti Classico, San Gimignano, Maremma Toscana and Umbria. In the 1970s Cecchi moved to Castellina in Chianti Classico, building there a state-of-the-art winery.

Following the death of Luigi in 2004, his sons Cesare and Andrea, along with their mother Anita, have run the company. Cecchi's commitment to research and development, their innovative approach, understanding of the traditions of Tuscany and an unceasing desire to improve quality firmly places this family winery among the best in Italy.

## Cecchi

**Bonizio Sangiovese IGT 2007**

was \$23.50 now **\$16.90** 62454

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$16.40 A BOTTLE**

*Attractive, well-priced red*

The 2007 Bonizio is a blend of 90% Sangiovese and 10% indigenous grapes traditionally fermented and bottle aged for three months prior to release. It is an unpretentious, well-priced red with an attractive vinous bouquet displaying ripe cherry aromas and slight earthy nuances. The nicely weighted palate has a lively, fruity character of berry and plum embellished by hints of wild herbs.

**YOU SAVE  
28%**



## Cecchi

**Vino Nobile di Montepulciano DOCG 2006**

RRP \$38.50 now **\$29.90** 62405

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$29.40 A BOTTLE**

*New from Cecchi*

Vino Nobile is named after the Tuscan commune of Montepulciano, not after the variety that bears the same name. The wine is produced predominately from the Sangiovese grape. This is the first time we have featured Cecchi's Vino Nobile, and like their other offerings it is beautifully crafted and true to the style of this famous wine. It is a well balanced, multi-layered red with succulent fruit underpinned by a mineral edge, finishing on a long, flavoursome note.



## Cecchi

**Orvieto Classico DOC 2008**

was \$22.50 now **\$17.90** 62457

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$17.40 A BOTTLE**

*Fresh and versatile Italian white*

Wonderfully versatile, this is excellent as an aperitif or as an accompaniment to fish and chicken dishes. Produced from four of Orvieto's native varieties, it has aromas of spring blossom, sage and almond. Pear and melon flavours dance across the palate and are complemented by a sustained fresh finish.



## Cecchi

**Chianti DOCG 2008**

was \$24.50 now **\$19.90** 62458

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

*Classically-styled Chianti*

A classically-styled Chianti in a fruit-driven style with a lively, youthful colour and an aromatic nose dominated by violet and cherry notes. The nicely integrated palate has well-defined fruit enhanced by supple tannins that add length to the finish.



## Cecchi La Mora

**Morellino di Scansano DOC 2007**

was \$29.50 now **\$24.90** 62453

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$24.40 A BOTTLE**

*Vibrant, modern and stylish*

Morellino is a synonym for Sangiovese, which in the Scansano region of southern Tuscany produces vibrant-tasting wines that reflect the sunny nature of the Maremma zone. This is a modern-styled red with a youthful appearance and refined, spice-edged berry aromas. Stylish and balanced, it develops through the mid-palate and finishes on a long, tasty note.



## Cecchi

**Chianti Classico DOCG 2007**

was \$33.50 now **\$27.90** 62456

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$27.40 A BOTTLE**

*Cecchi's flagship wine*

Chianti Classico is the Cecchi family's flagship wine, produced from 90% Sangiovese with a 10% dash of Canaiolo and Colorino Toscano. It has a complex bouquet showing mulberry and violet aromas, a hint of herb and understated oak. The palate is characterised by black cherry flavours and tomato and spice nuances enhanced by well integrated oak. Full bodied and rich, this is a great food wine.





a taste of

# SPAIN

Brilliant value  
sub \$20 wines

## Huerta de Albalá Barbazul 2007

RRP \$26.90 now **\$18.90** 88032

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**  
*From a top Spanish winemaker*

The Spanish province of Andalusia is renowned for its incomparable Sherries, but as owner and winemaker at Huerta de Albalá, Vicente Taberner has proved that the region can also produce world-class table wines. This is a complex, big-hearted red packed with cherry, plum and berry flavours, backed by spice, mineral and herb nuances. Wound around a firm structure, it has a long and satisfyingly flavoursome aftertaste.



## Luzon Jumilla 2007

was \$25.00 now **\$18.90** 86957

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Vibrant and concentrated red blend*

Quite how Luzon can produce this Monastrell/Syrah blend for under \$20 is a mystery, but we are happy to accept it. A vibrant wine delivering plum, spice and herb notes on the nose, the palate is concentrated with spicy blueberry flavours supported by minty nuances. It is well structured, balanced and elegantly smooth, and finishes on a lingering savoury note. Terrific value, and excellent as an accompaniment to red meats and richly-flavoured fare.



## Ada Minotauro Azul 2004

was \$21.00 now **\$18.90** 88022

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Spicy, silky, seductive red*

Ada's innovative approach is particularly evident in this blend of 50% Garnacha (from 60-year-old vines), 30% Tempranillo, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon and 10% Merlot, traditionally fermented and aged for three months in new American oak. Azul has a seductive, spice-influenced bouquet, while the palate has an abundance of fruit flavours enhanced by understated oak, a silky texture and a fresh, lingering finish.



## Luzon Organic Jumilla 2008

was \$25.00 now **\$18.90** 86958

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Great value organically-grown red*

Organic fruit, hand harvested from Luzon's low-yield vineyard in the rugged and arid Jumilla district. With primary and malolactic fermentations in stainless steel tanks, it has an alluring, fragrant bouquet of berry and plum and a weighty palate, the generous and ripe berryfruit flavours complemented by supple tannins and a suave texture. Great value.



## Marqués de Cáceres Rioja Rosado 2008

RRP \$23.00 now **\$18.90** 87989

**CASE OF 6 ONLY \$18.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Versatile and elegant rosé*

This Rioja rosé is a blend of 80% Tempranillo and 20% Garnacha is a pale strawberry-coloured wine with a lively bouquet expressing soft summer fruit aromas and floral nuances. The beautifully balanced palate is dominated by rich, lingering, strawberry-like flavours neatly supported by hints of spice. It is a well priced, versatile and elegant rosé that is ideal for summer drinking, particularly with Mediterranean cuisine.



## Protos Ribera Duero Roble 2006

was \$24.90 now **\$19.90** 88072

**CASE OF 12 ONLY \$19.40 A BOTTLE**  
*Rich fruit with cinnamon & vanilla*

Produced with 100% Tempranillo fruit from the Ribera del Duero D.O. The wine was fermented in temperature controlled tanks and matured for just five months in American oak, giving the ripe fruit characters centre stage. The distinctive cherry and plum aromas are supported by hints of herb and vanillin. The palate displays rich fruit flavours embellished by coffee, cinnamon and vanilla nuances. Silky smooth, with supple tannins and a flavoursome aftertaste.





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# the GLENGARRY Top 10

Top 10 Mixed Case:  
1 bottle of each wine  
for only \$199.00

Each month, from the hundreds of wines submitted to us, the Glengarry Tasting Panel selects our top ten wines

**1** Auntsfield Long Cow  
Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2008

was \$25.00 now **\$19.90** 19917

**CASE OF 12 \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

A richly flavoured and elegantly structured wine exhibiting the typical Marlborough passionfruit, gooseberry and tropical fruit characters. Nicely balanced with a fresh, lingering finish.



**2** Wither Hills Rarangi  
Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2008

was \$25.90 now **\$19.90** 19969

**CASE OF 6 \$18.90 A BOTTLE**

Classically styled, with intense pungent aromas of gooseberry, capsicum and tropical fruit. The lively, mineral-edged palate has concentrated fruit flavours balanced by citrus notes.



**3** Allan Scott The Moorlands  
Marlborough Riesling 2006

was \$26.50 now **\$21.90** 17383

**CASE OF 12 \$21.40 A BOTTLE**

The Moorlands vineyard consistently produces premium quality wines like this 2006 Riesling. Subtle hints of mineral enhance the intense lime and honeysuckle aromas and flavours.



**4** Nga Waka  
Martinborough Chardonnay 2008

was \$25.90 now **\$19.90** 15836

**CASE OF 12 \$19.40 A BOTTLE**

Roger Parkinson's food-friendly Chardonnay displays ripe stonefruit aromas and flavours supported by subtle spicy oak and enhanced by a silky texture and a long, elegant finish.



**5** Akarua Cadence  
Central Otago Pinot Noir 2007

was \$45.00 now **\$36.90** 10199

**CASE OF 12 \$35.90 A BOTTLE**

The 2007 Cadence from premium producer Akarua has a complex, spicy bouquet of plum and berry. The richly layered, well integrated palate is velvety smooth and long in flavour.



**6** Mudbrick Waiheke  
Cabernet Merlot 2008

was \$35.00 now **\$24.90** 14677

**CASE OF 12 \$24.40 A BOTTLE**

Mudbrick winery is renowned for its boldly styled red wines. This is well structured, with ripe berry and plum aromas and flavours and a firm, savoury finish.



YOU SAVE  
**29%**

**7** Geoff Merrill Coonawarra  
Cabernet Sauvignon 2005

was \$31.90 now **\$25.00** 22081

**CASE OF 12 \$24.50 A BOTTLE**

Aussie Cabernet doesn't come much better. It's packed with classic varietal blackberry and plum flavours. Generous yet elegant, it finishes on a long, savoury note.



**8** Rockburn Stolen Kiss  
Central Otago Rosé 2009

was \$21.90 now **\$18.90** 12367

**CASE OF 12 \$18.40 A BOTTLE**

A fresh, lively, fruit-driven rosé abounding with raspberry and strawberry aromas and flavours. With summer on the doorstep, the perfect wine to enjoy with lighter seasonal fare.



**9** Montes Classic Series  
Malbec 2007

was \$23.50 now **\$17.90** 90525

**CASE OF 12 \$17.40 A BOTTLE**

This fruit-driven red is terrific value. It is loaded with ripe strawberry, plum and spicy aromas and flavours wrapped around velvety tannins. Great with roast meats, pasta and pizza.



**10** Brookfields Hawke's Bay  
Unoaked Chardonnay 2009

was \$19.90 now **\$16.90** 11274

**CASE OF 12 \$16.40 A BOTTLE**

With its lovely tropical fruit aromas and hints of lime, this elegantly styled Chardonnay from Peter Robertson displays pure ripe notes that linger endlessly.





*As we steer resolutely on  
towards a hopefully bright  
but sometimes uncertain future  
let us not forget the things  
that do not let us down*

# VINTAGE Champagne



**Piper Heidsieck**  
Brut Vintage 2000 was \$94.90 now **\$89.00** 48122

**Drappier** Grande Sèndrée  
Brut Vintage 2000 was \$99.00 now **\$89.00** 43507

**Moët & Chandon**  
Grand Vintage 2000 was \$135.00 now **\$89.00** 47221

**Duval-Leroy**  
Brut Vintage 1996 was \$110.00 now **\$92.00** 47321

**Veuve Clicquot**  
Brut Vintage 2002 was \$118.00 now **\$94.00** 49815



**Delamotte** Blanc de Blancs  
Brut Vintage 1997 was \$106.00 now **\$99.00** 42851

**Drappier** Grande Sèndrée  
Brut Vintage 2002 was \$110.00 now **\$99.00** 43508

**Taittinger**  
Brut Vintage 2004 was \$120.00 now **\$99.00** 49509

**Gosset** Grand Millésime  
Brut Vintage 1999 was \$124.00 now **\$99.00** 47332

**Charles Heidsieck**  
Brut Vintage 2000 was \$124.90 now **\$99.00** 41547



**Pol Roger**  
Brut Vintage 1999 was \$133.00 now **\$99.00** 48197

**Pol Roger**  
Brut Rosé Vintage 2000 was \$148.00 now **\$125.00** 48227

**Mumm** Cordon Rouge  
Brut Vintage 1999 was \$153.00 now **\$119.00** 46448

**Pol Roger** Blanc de Blancs  
Brut Vintage 1999 was \$167.00 now **\$125.00** 48198

**Veuve Clicquot** La Grande Dame  
Brut Vintage 1998 was \$350.00 now **\$179.90** 49801



**Dom Pérignon**  
Vintage 2000 was \$326.00 now **\$199.90** 47240

**Perrier Jouët** Belle Epoque  
Brut Vintage 1999 was \$276.00 now **\$215.00** 47812

**Charles Heidsieck** Blanc des Millénaires  
Brut Vintage 1995 was \$350.00 now **\$325.00** 41550

**Piper Heidsieck** Rare  
Brut Vintage 1999 was \$399.00 now **\$379.00** 48128

**Philipponnat** Clos des Goisses  
Brut Vintage 1998 **\$459.00** 43515