

WINE BY THE GLASS

What follows below is merely a guide to help you choose a glass of wine. Should you require a taste of something else from the list, please feel free to ask your waitron.

Pierre Jourdan Brut R125

MCC with sweet entry, shy apple flavours and brisk finish.

2025 Trizanne Signature Wines (TSW) Sauvignon Blanc R95

Vibrant & fresh note of passion fruit, citrus & subtle herbal notes with a distinct minerality expected from this cooler climate wine.

Energetic palate, which finishes off on a dry, clean and very classy note.

2024 DMZ Chardonnay R95

Stone fruit aromas of nectarine and peach with subtle citrus hints and creamy oak.

The palate has bright acidity and limey freshness but delivers rich texture and chalky, mineral length.

2024 HER Chenin Blanc R70

Lively and captivating bursting with aromas ripe apple, juicy melon, and delicate citrus blossoms.

2025 Dawn Patrol Cinsault Rosé R70

Displays flavours of wild strawberries, floral undertones & mouth-watering pomegranate, complimented with a fantastic dry finish.

2021 Reyneke Organic Shiraz/Cabernet Sauvignon R95

Fruit is rich and pure, but has an old-world feel in its complex long, dry finish.

2020 Org de Rac Organic Cabernet R80

Distinctive aromas of tomato leaf, pencil shavings and mulberry beckon on the nose. A rich and well-rounded wine with sumptuous dark fruit flavours supported by velvety tannins.

2024 Peacock Merlot R70

Distinctive notes of plums and red berries, with subtle earthy notes also adding to the complexity. I would recommend serving it slightly chilled, with a simple lamb chop on the braai or just enjoying it on its own.

DE-ALCOHOLISED

Winemaking is gentle, with minimum intervention and only when the winemaker is content with the quality of the wine, the alcohol is removed via a spinning cone. Done under vacuum and at a low temperature, this process ensures the product retains its unique appeal.

Suitable for Vegans and low in calories.

Darling Cellars Sparkling Blanc R295

Darling

An elegant white sparkling with aromas of green apple and sweet pear following through to a balanced palate with a lively sparkle and lingering finish that leaves you wanting more.

Darling Cellars Sauvignon Blanc R200

Darling

A light yellow with green tint in colour, flavours of ripe tropical fruit, yellow peaches and gooseberries complimented by a fresh acidity and lingering finish.

Leopards Leap Natura Classic White R195

Franschhoek

Crisp and refreshing, with tropical fruit flavours and integrated palate. Made from Chenin Blanc and Muscat grapes.

Darling Cellars Shiraz R200

Darling

Deep ruby red in colour with hints of ripe red fruit, crushed black pepper, dried rose petals and candied cherries. Well integrated French Oak tannins.

Leopards Leap Natura Classic Red R195

Franschhoek

Red berries and sweet spice intrigue and follow through for a smooth mouthfeel and lingering after-taste. Made from Cinsaut and Cabernet Sauvignon grapes.

SPARKLING WINES

Under agreement with France, South Africa does not use the term “Champagne” which is a geographic appellation describing the sparkling wines from the Champagne region in France. In South Africa the term METHOD CAP CLASSIQUE (MCC) is rather used. MCC describes Sparkling Wines made by the classic Methode Champenoise.

2017 Simonsig Cuveé Royale R1150

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

The finesse, purity & power of Chardonnay finds expression in this grand style of Blanc de Blanc. Creamy, dry elegance with cinnamon and toast.

Colmant Brut Rosé NV R905

Franschhoek (Platter ★★★★★) (WSB)

Delightful blend of Pinot Noir (80%) and Chardonnay (20%) with a minimum 24 months on the lees. This MCC is macerated on the skins to give the Brut Rose its colour and signature berry aroma and flavour. Elegant, with silky richness & vibrant colour that reflects the fresh notes of wild strawberries & red currants.

Makeba Cap Classique Pinot Noir Brut R765

Walker Bay

Delicate red fruit aromas lead with raspberry, strawberry and pomegranate, complemented by ruby grapefruit brightness. Biscuit and brioche characters add textural complexity, while subtle spicy notes provide depth and intrigue. The palate offers a rich, well-rounded entry with bold acidity that achieves perfect balance, creating an elegant mousse with excellent structure and a satisfying, dry finish.

Abingdon Pet-Nat R495

KwaZulu Natal Lions River

Pet-Nat stands for petillant-naturel – a wine that’s bottled before the fermentation is complete. The result is a sparkling wine that has less fizz than champagne but tastes just as good. Perfumed floral nose of violets, subtle apricots, white peach and pear drop on the palate.

SPARKLING WINES

Pierre Jourdan Brut R435

Franschhoek (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Classic blend of chardonnay & pinot noir.

Salty tang to zesty apple & lemon flavours, creamy mid-palate with raspberry finish.

CHENIN BLANC

Chenin is the Cape's signature variety, with the largest planting of this variety in the world. Smoky sweet Sunday Gammon will match well with these wines.

2025 Lievland Chenin Blanc R420

Paarl (Platter ★★★★★)

Light straw colour with notes of white peach, citrus and pineapple on the nose. The mouthfeel is rich and ripe and coupled with vibrant acidity.

2025 Cederberg Chenin Blanc R300

Citrusdal (Platter ★★★★★☆) (SWSA) (CC)

South Africa's highest lying vineyards (1036m above sea level) near the coastal windswept of Elim, make this chenin truly unique. Zesty chenin with notes of lemon & grapefruit & a hint of tropical sweet melon. Creamy sensation with a crisp finish.

2024 Kumusha Chenin Blanc R285

Breedekloof (Platter ★★★★★☆) (WSB)

A collaboration between Zimbabwean Sommelier, Tinashe Nyamudoka, and Swartland winemaker, Attie Louw, this wine reveals aromas of pear, white peach & lime on the nose. Juicy palate with flavours of melon & matamba (monkey orange) with a crisp, dry finish.

2022 Marras Chenin Blanc R255

Citrusdal (Platter ★★★★★☆) (SWSA)

Juicy pear & quince on the palate with baking spice aftertaste.

Rich, but perfectly balanced.

2024 HER Chenin Blanc R255

Paarl

Lively and captivating Chenin Blanc, bursting with aromas ripe apple, juicy melon, and delicate citrus blossoms. The medium-bodied palate reveals layers of vibrant tropical fruit, intertwined with a subtle mineral edge, leading to a crisp, invigorating finish that lingers with elegance and freshness. Enjoy this wine with fresh salads and cheese platter even with mild vegetable or white meat curries.

CHARDONNAY

(Wooded)

Roast chicken, lentil curry and bootie dishes go well with Chardonnay.

2022 Karatara Chardonnay R495

Stellenbosch

This wine has the classic notes of lemon and grapefruit you would expect from a Chardonnay, which hints of Almonds and a fine mineral finish.

2020 Hartenberg Chardonnay R395

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Crisp, yet creamy. Citrus, chalky toast & clean minerality.

2024 DeMorgenzon (DMZ) Chardonnay R395

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Stone fruit aromas of nectarine and peach with subtle citrus hints and creamy oak. The palate has bright acidity and limey freshness but delivers rich texture and chalky, mineral length

2023 Compagniesdrift Chardonnay R225

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

The establishment of Compagniesdrift was to ensure meaningful and economically viable empowerment of the workers from the Myburgh family's Meerlust Workers Trust. This pale wine has a vibrant green hue in the glass. On the nose, aromas of white pears and apricots with nuances of lemon comes to mind. This versatile wine can be enjoyed anywhere and at any time, not necessarily with food.

CHARDONNAY

(Un-Wooded)

2024 Bouchard Finlayson Sans Barrique Chardonnay R375

Walker Bay (Platter ★★★★★☆) (SWSA) (CC)

Crafted in a Burgundian style for wine lovers who like their Chardonnay unhindered by the taste of oak. White peach & grainy pear, crushed seashell notes, salty minerality, while lively acid gives an upbeat finish.

SAUVIGNON BLANC

Always suited to enjoy with lunchtime
home grown salads and our famous fish pie.

2020 Fryers Cove Bamboes Bay Sauvignon Blanc R975

Bamboes Bay, West Coast (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Invigorating sea-inflected intensity in greenage, lemongrass, passionfruit array. Taut & bracingly racy, balanced by the underlying weight. On the nose this wine is a vibrant mix of clean, herbaceous and tangy passion fruit aromas, with briny wisps of seaweed in the background.

2025 Trizanne Signature Wines (TSW) Sauvignon Blanc R375

Agulhas (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Vibrant & fresh note of fig and granadilla, with crisp acid and cool-climate dustiness typical of the Cape South Coast.

Energetic palate, which finishes off on a dry, crisp and very classy note.

2025 Aslina Sauvignon Blanc R295

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Ntsiki Biyela grew up in Mahlabathini, a rural village in KwaZulu-Natal, and matriculated from high school in 1996. Having spent a year as a domestic worker, she was awarded a scholarship to study winemaking at Stellenbosch University and eventually graduated in 2003 with a BSc in Agriculture (Viticulture and Oenology). Her beloved grandmother was the guiding light in her life and it became obvious that her new brand should be named Aslina in the matriarch's honour.

A full rounded tropical character sauvignon blanc with complex bright fruit and lots of citrus characters. Lemon zest, with beautiful complexity and depth and a lingering silky finish.

WHITE BLENDS

2020 Cape Point Isliedh R1150

Cape Town (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Pronounced (ai-lay). This Sauvignon Blanc/Semillon blend displays a silky, grippy finesse, combining lightness of texture with depth of flavour. Made for ageing.

2018 Bizoe Henriëtta R525

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★☆) (WSB)

Judiciously oaked Semillon/Sauvignon Blanc blend. Wisps of orange peel on the palate, fresh tropical fruit aroma & a delicate aftertaste derived from being matured in oak barrels for 7 months. Limited edition of 2700 bottles.

VIOGNIER

These wines can be enjoyed with roast pork and crispy crackling.

2022 Lismore Age of Grace Viognier R625

Overberg (Platter ★★★★★) (BSW)

Beautiful perfume of honeysuckle & orange blossom, with a textured palate of apricot, kiwi & pineapple. A sensual & exotic experience, made by a woman, barrel-fermented & aged.

2022 Tamboerskloof (Kleinood) Viognier R495

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Frangipani, jasmine and citrus blossom flavours on the nose, which are well supported by apples, peaches and citrus on the palate.

GEWÜRZTRAMINER

Best served with traditional Malay-spiced Bobotie dish.

2019 Simonsig Gewürztraminer R235

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★☆) (SWSA)

The first cellar to release a Gewürztraminer in South Africa, which is notoriously difficult to grow. Lush tropical fruit & rich spice aromas. Exotic tastes of litchi, Turkish delight & roses. Juicy, well-balanced sweetness with a clean, lingering aftertaste.

PINOT GRIGIO/GRIS

Drakensberg Smoked Trout Pate will compliment this wine.

2022 Anthonij Rupert Terra del Capo Pinot Grigio R225

Franschhoek (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Richly honeyed, dry white wine, which is well balanced with macadamia nut nougat, some yellow apple fruit & Granny Smith acidity.

RIESLING

Grilled Vegetable Quiche and Goats Cheese will compliment your Riesling well.

2017 Spioenkop Riesling R650

Elgin (Platter ★★★★★) (BSW)

Dry Alsace style. Aromatics of grapefruit and lime, and the palate is 'tightly wound with punchy acidity and a very dry finish' or 'dense, pithy and wonderfully racy and pure'.

2022 Saurwine Chi Riesling R535

Elgin (SWSA)

Chi means 'life force' and stands for Chiuta (an African rain god) Fragrant orange blossom, green melon, lime. Yellow stone fruits, honeysuckle and flint.

SEMILLON

Drakensberg Smoked Trout Crepes served with a Dill Dressing will do well with this wine.

2018 Shannon Semillon R475

Elgin (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Naturally fermented Semillon, which is round on entry, then dense & concentrated in the middle. My absolute favourite white wine in the world!

ROUSSANNE

This white wine is so plucky that we are bold enough to recommend enjoying lamb with it!

2020 Painted Wolf Solo Roussanne R375

Swartland (Platter ★★★★★)

Bursting with stone fruit aromas, this is a wonderfully complex wine with a slight waxiness combined with vanilla and fresh minerality on the palate. Will age well.

COLOMBARD

Best enjoyed with Pork Sirloin Steaks and Apple Ginger Sauce

2024 Lowerland Vaalkameel Colombard R825

Douglas (Platter ★★★★★) (100% Organic) (BSW)

Fresh, fruity, yet fully rounded with red apple skin aromas followed by stone fruit component and ginger spice on the nose with gentle, long & white peachy finish.

ROSÉ WINES

Long, lazy lunches on the verandah will go well with these Rosé wines

2025 Delaire Graff Cabernet Franc Rosé R425

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Made from 100% Cabernet Franc, this unique rose displays flavors of red berries & cream, satisfying balance of weight with pleasing dryness.

2024 Lowerland Tieroog Rosé Tannat R395

Douglas

It is a fruity, full-bodied five-way blend of our red cultivars. A dance-off of fragrant spice and cool herbs on the nose, followed by lovely red fruits and hints of black tea on a lengthy palate. With the higher components of tannat and petit verdot balanced by merlot's juicy softness, this Bokooi delivers a perfect balance of intensity and drinkability.

2025 Dawn Patrol Cinsault Rosé R255

Swartland (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Tangy strawberry & raspberry appeal.

Juicy, fresh & easy to like, especially for summertime.

For every bottle purchased, Dawn Patrol Wines gives a percentage of their profits back to the ocean and local communities through Ocean Pledge and Surfpop. By turning awareness into action, Ocean Pledge is dedicated to reducing single-use plastics. Surfpop creates upliftment and long-lasting opportunities for children and youth from disadvantaged communities.

RED WINES

SHIRAZ/SYRAH

Ideal with our rich Lamb shank Potjiekos and baked vegetables with fresh mint sauce.

2021 Groot Constantia Shiraz R795

Cape Town (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

The first wine estate was established at the Cape of Good Hope in 1685 by Simon van der Stel, governor of the Cape. On the nose it shows black pepper & subtle violet undertones. Palate is spicy & elegant.

2021 Constitution Road Shiraz R725

Robertson (Platter ★★★★★☆) (SWSA)

Only selected hand-picked grapes were used to produce an exclusive 50 barrels of this wine. Dark ripe blackberry with seductive fruit and black pepper.

Velvety palate.

2020 Hartenberg Shiraz R640

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Deep black - red in colour and spicy, earthy notes on bouquet entry. Also, cloves, red and black berry fruit. The palate is rich, fruit-driven and has great balance. Fine, powdery tannins finish the wine.

2021 Klein Goederust Shiraz R600

Franschhoek (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

In 2019 the Siguqa family acquired this property and so began their own winemaking journey, inspired by their family matriarch Nomaroma Siguqa, a lifelong Cape wine farm labourer. This Syrah exhibits beautiful aromas of dark berry, cherry and pepper with seamlessly integrated tannins and seductive hints of mocha, earth and spice adding to the complexity, which in turn follows through on the lengthy palate.

2016 Bizoe Estelét Syrah R545

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★)

Gorgeous plum and blackberry fruit aromas and flavours are held together by lilted notes of violet, black tea and anise. The long, iron-tinged finish really sails on nicely, with well-integrated, mouthwatering acidity.

2020 Schultz Family Pepper Street Solid Syrah R625

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

This Syrah exhibits beautiful aromas of dark berry, cherry and pepper with seamlessly integrated tannins and seductive hints of mocha, earth and spice adding to the complexity, which in turn follows through on the lengthy palate.

2023 Trizanne Signature Wines (TSW) Syrah R375

Swartland (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Beautifully ripe and fresh black and red fruits on the nose accompanied by some aromatic spice - black pepper and cardamom - with some dust and warm earth undertones. On the palate, the fruit is persistent and abundant.

Lovely concentration without being overly "heavy".

PINOT NOIR

South African Pinot Noir tends to be of light or medium body with blackberry and currant aromas. Poultry dishes, cured cold meats and local Indezi cheeses will go well with any of these below.

2024 Tessaarsdal Pinot Noir R1525

Walker Bay (Platter ★★★★★) (BWI Champion) (SWSA) (V)

Berene Sauls grew up in a small village called Tessaarsdal, situated 24 km Northeast of the Hemel-en-Aarde Valley, Hermanus, in the Overberg region. Tessaarsdal has a unique history: in 1810, Johannes Tessaar bequeathed his farmland to his servants and slaves. She named her wine Tessaarsdal to honour that legacy. Berene initially joined Hamilton Russell Vineyards as an au pair, aged 19. She soon moved to an administrative position on the estate, becoming involved in the export, labelling and warehousing of wines. Clean & lifted wild red fruit with cranberry & red plum aromas, hint of baking spices & cloves. Long gentle palate with savoury minerality & crystalline purity.

2022 Bouchard Finlayson Galpin Peak Pinot Noir R1200

Walker Bay (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Firm but deliciously elegant. Fragrant rich with exuberant fruit & long lasting palate profile.

2022 Crystallum Peter Max Pinot Noir R800

Walker Bay (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Reflects an excellent Cape vintage combining power, concentration and elegance.

The nose shows dark cherry, raspberry, strawberry, dark chocolate and sweet spice. The palate offers plenty of fruit and texture, while maintaining a wonderful vibrancy and freshness.

2024 Creation Estate Pinot Noir R775

Walker Bay (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Deep ruby colour with intensely fragrant bouquet shows mélange of red berry aromas, elegant vanilla and a whiff of wood spice. Superbly balanced.

2022 Cirrus Pinot Noir R765

Ceres Plateau (Platter ★★★★★)

Distinctive raspberry and strawberry aromas jump out of the glass, with layers of fennel and pepper. Light and refreshing, the red fruit brings juiciness to the palate, balanced by silky tannins. Notes of smoky cedar and a backbone of pepper spice, with a light, dry finish.

2020 Haute Cabrière Pinot Noir Reserve R595

Franschhoek (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Cherry fruit brushed with wet earth & leaves. Pleasing dryness & balanced acid. Aged for 11 months in specialised French oak barrels.

MERLOT

The sweetness of our Apricot and Macadamia nut stuffed Chicken Breasts served with Garlic, Sherry Citrus Sauce is a great accompaniment to these wines.

2017 Vergelegen Reserve Merlot R875

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Ripe plum colour with a ruby rim. Heady aromas of nutty fruitcake, tobacco presage lush, powerful palate, with herbal hint & rather sullen strong tannins before a slightly sweet finish.

2021 Thelema Merlot R695

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Bright fruit with choc-mocha notes & tobacco. Smooth, elegant & effortlessly enjoyable.

2018 Plasir de Merle Merlot R675

Paarl (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Perfumed violets, gentle mocha flesh with ripe red berry flavours supported by a hint of mint. Soft ripe tannins add to this impressive Merlot

2024 Peacock Wild Ferment Merlot R195

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★)

Distinctive notes of plums and red berries, with subtle earthy notes also adding to the complexity. An integrated acidity on the palate adding to the elegant and rounded tannins. It is perfect on its own or with a meal. I would recommend serving it slightly chilled, with a simple lamb chop on the braai or just enjoying it on its own.

PINOTAGE

A 1920's grafted cross between Pinot Noir and Cinsaut (Hermitage) gave us a true South African gem served best with true South African dishes, such as Bobotie, Ostrich or Oxtail casserole and hearty winter bean soups.

2021 Painted Wolf Guillermo Pinotage R700

Swartland (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Organically certified Pinotage grapes give rise to an intense, rich wine packed with flavours of ripe blueberry and mulberry, exotic spice and creamy vanilla with evident ripe tannins and a long lingering finish.

2021 Spioenkop 1900 Pinotage R600

Elgin (Platter ★★★★★) (BSW)

This is a pleasantly rustic style of Pinotage with intense terroir flavours of graphite, and later violets, black olives, dark forest fruit and herbs. The palate is lean and with nice acidity with grippy tannins. A different style than the Spioenkop Pinotage.

2024 Survivor Pinotage R430

Swartland (Platter ★★★★★) (BSW)

Sumptuously ripe & opulent. A rush of sweet bramble & mulberry, with weavings of cherry cordial & dark chocolate from oak barrelling for 18 months. A youthful wine ready to drink now, but can be cellared. Great with locally made boerewors grilled on the braai.

2024 Diemersfontein Pinotage R345

Wellington (Platter ★★★★★) (BSW)

On the nose distinct coffee, rich dark chocolate and baked plums. The ripe subtle tannins create a wine to be drunk very young.

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

All of these Cabernets will slip down best with our home-bred Brahman Beef Fillet and rich, cream Mushroom Sauce.

2017 Bartinney Cabernet R855

Stellenbosh (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Carbon neutral winery. True classic with upfront cassis, tobacco & pencil lead nuances on the nose, followed by rich plum & chocolate flavor on the palate.

2021 Springfield Whole Berry Cabernet Sauvignon R455

Robertson (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Harvested by hand, carried to the cellar in baskets, placed uncrushed into open tanks and left to ferment with natural yeasts into wine. Unfiltered with soft fresh palate.

2022 La Motte Cabernet R385

Franschhoek (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Hand sorted grapes ensure that only the ripe tannins end in the bottle. Beautifully structured with complex, ripe blackcurrant flavours. Matured in French oak barrels for 15 months.

2020 Org de Rac Organic Cabernet R325

Swartland (Platter ★★★) (SWSA)

Distinctive aromas of tomato leaf, pencil shavings and mulberry beckon on the nose. A rich and well-rounded wine with sumptuous dark fruit flavours supported by velvety tannins.

MALBEC

Grilled lamb chops with garlic new potatoes go so well with these Malbecs.

2023 Anura Malbec R595

Paarl (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Bold, confident, shows rich black fruit, pot-pourri florals and creamy vanilla from 24 months in oak. Firm tannins and rich texture. A conversation stopper of note.

SANGIOVESE

Enjoy slightly chilled as an aperitif on a summer evening.

2023 Anthonij Rupert Terra Del Capo Sangiovese R295

Franschhoek (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Subtle whiffs of black & red fruit outlined by firm tannins.

Boasts sour cherry flavour, fresh tannin & acid bite.

TANNAT

Kudu fillet in a red wine reduction with thyme & rosemary potato au gratin or our solar-cooked lamb shank potjiekos will go beautifully with this wine.

2019 Lowerland Tolbos Tannat R855

Douglas (Platter ★★★★★) (100% Organic) (SWSA)

Perfume characters with the red and black berry aromas, followed by spicy notes that follow through to the plate with well-balanced soft tannins. Sweet fruit & some power, but good, dry finish. Aged for 10 months in old French oak.

ZINFANDEL/PRIMITIVO

The mouth waters at the thought of matching this with our Lamb Shank Potjiekos or Beef Fillet with Mushroom Sauce.

2019 Idiom Zinfandel (Primitivo) R750

Stellenbosh (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

An explosively exotic wine. Aromas of fynbos and a fusion of sage, rosemary and mint entice the nose. Intense fruit with polished finish.

MOURVÈDRE

Enjoy this single varietal with Grilled pork knuckle & spicy chorizo.

2021 Beaumont Mourvèdre R995

Overberg (Platter ★★★★★☆) (SWSA)

Vivid fruit alongside a spice & herb array. Dark, thick-skinned berries resulting in powerful spicy & sometimes gamey aroma. Complex & involving.

NERO D'AVOLA

Bosman Nero is the first and only wine to be made from the Sicilian red grape Nero d' Avola in South Africa. So, it is perhaps the most unique of the Mediterranean varietals to be grown locally. This wine would go well with tomato-based dishes, such as our Tomato Soup starter.

2020 Bosman Nero D'Avola R850

Wellington (Platter ★★★★★)

Lovely fresh red berry aromas with hints of anise and maraschino. A generous palate, light body, with a luscious concentration of fruit, a good tannin structure and a lingering finish.

CINSAUT

This wine will go very well with roasted legs of lamb, Moroccan lamb, well-made Curry stews or Escargot.

2017 Naude Old Wines Werfdans Cinsaut R800

Darling (Platter ★★★★★)

Complex bouquet of floral and red fruit notes, such as rose petals, raspberries and cranberries. On the palate, it has a medium-bodied structure with moderate acidity and a soft tannin finish. It is a well-balanced wine, with a perfect harmony between fruit and earthy flavours.

2021 Darling Cellars Old Bush Vine Cinsaut R600

Darling (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

An irresistible, well balanced red wine, with a bright ruby red colour and sour cherries, red cherries and candy floss on the nose. The fruity palate is delicious with earthiness and flavours of white pepper followed by a fresh acidity on the pallet. Grape tannins are very well supported by the oak tannins. The wine finishes with a long aftertaste. Bush vines older than 30 years.

GRENACHE NOIR

Best enjoyed on its own, slightly chilled with a selection of tapas from the kitchen

2019 Painted Wolf Lycaon Grenache R900

Wellington (Platter ★★★★★)

Red fruit, smoked meat and mixed spice abound. This is an expressive wine with good acidity, smooth tannins, and plenty of cranberries, sour cherries and a touch of liquorice on the palate. 85% Grenache and 15% Shiraz.

2022 Illimis Grenache Noir R725

Wellington (Platter ★★★★★)

Lighter style Grenache. Opulent berries, fresh herbs, confected red fruit and floral aromas followed by chalky tannins on the finish.

CABERNET FRANC

Try this with a portion of slow cooked duck & hoisin sauce.

2016 Warwick Cabernet Franc R1250

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)(CC)

Rich, explosive core with soft, sweet blackcurrant fruit. For those that like your reds with a double helping of flavor & the softness of a velvet slipper.

TEMPRANILLO

Try this wine with slow cooked risotto, and a selection of artisan cheese & pates.

2022 Baleia Limitados Tempranillo R900

Duivenhoks (Platter ★★★★★)

A lush, dry Tempranillo that presents a harmonious blend of savory spices, dark fruits, and delicate undertones of dried figs in its aroma. The palate is treated to velvety tannins and the delightful essence of black currant flavors.

NEBBIOLO

Best enjoyed with our lunch charcuterie platter and homemade marinated olives.

2022 Abingdon Signature Nebbiolo R995

KwaZulu Natal Lions River

A ruby red color offers brooding earth tone aromas followed by bright fruit notes of cherry, pomegranate and plum, followed by spice notes of dried mint, caraway and anise. The palate is soft and rich with sweet, fine-grained tannins accompanied by lively acidity.

RED BLENDS

The classic pairings for this style of wine are red meats such as lamb and beef. That's because the tannins react with the protein in such meats to complement the flavour of both wine and meat alike. These blends will go exceptionally well with our rum-flavoured dark chocolate mousse.

2019 De Toren "Z" R1350

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Cabernet and Malbec play a supporting role in this exceptional blend with mocha choc and sinuous body. Rose petals, plum and blueberry on the nose.

Soft firm tannins with delicate cinnamon notes.

2021 Bouchard Finlayson Hannibal R880

Walker Bay (Platter ★★★★★☆) (SWSA) (CC)

Sangiovese (39%) led blend with Pinot Noir (18%), Shiraz (18%) Nebbiolio (15%), Barbera (5%) and Mourvèdre (5%) Exotic toasted sesame aroma with black cherry compote, violets & Belgian chocolate spicing.

2021 Abingdon Resilience R875

Kwa Zulu Natal Lions River

The Prohibition is a blend of 48%Syrah, 41%Cabernet Sauvignon and 11%Petit Verdot. Picked during the covid pandemic during a hard lock down and complete alcohol ban. With no external team members allowed on the estate to assist, Jane, Ian and Laurie completed the harvest together as a family, just the three of them. The 'Resilience 2021' is a celebration of the ability to remain happy and hopeful in the face of difficulty.

2020 Spier Creative Block No. 5 R625

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC) (V)

Creative Block is a collection of small, blank canvases that are transformed by established and emerging artists. Collectors buy one or a number of these, arranging and re-arranging them to create a larger artwork. Inspired by the winemakers selecting grapes from the various blocks of vineyards in the Cape and blending them together. Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Malbec, Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot. Subtle oak derived flavours of cinnamon and cloves.

2021 Hartenberg Cabernet/Shiraz R550

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Medium to full-bodied fruit driven red. Smoky, plum aromas, accessible berry fruit with a plump grip.

2021 Warwick Three Cape Ladies R525

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Quintessential Cape Blend of Cabernet Sauvignon (66%) Pinotage (22%) with a splash of Cabernet Franc (12%) Complex cherry and blackcurrant. Soft tannins.

2020 Blackoystercatcher Triton R465

Agulhas (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

As the name refers to a striking black bird that thrives on the coast, the pioneers of this vineyard established the first vines in this maritime ward of Elim. The sea breeze caresses the grapes constantly allowing them to open gradually, which results in an intense fruit flavour. Cabernet Sauvignon, Shiraz and Merlot blend with smoky sweet, soft tannins complimented by plump mouthfeel and a long finish.

2021 Reyneke Organic Shiraz/Cabernet R375

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (V)

The fruit is rich and pure, but it has an old-world feel in its savoury, meaty complexity and long, dry finish. Shiraz (98%) with Cabernet Sauvignon (2%)

DESSERT WINES

(per glass - 90ml)

2018 Thelema "Vin de Hel" Muscat Late Harvest R225

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

A golden dessert wine with very typical Muscat characters on the nose. The wine shows upfront aromas of pineapple, citrus, apricots, a touch of honey and subtle floral notes. The palate is lush with the perfect balance between sweetness & fresh acidity.

2021 Paul Cluver Riesling Noble Late Harvest R220

Elgin (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA) (CC)

Packed with dry apricot, spice and honey character on the nose, with superb balance on the mouth. Excellent with Apple Tarte Tatin.

2020 Jordan Riesling Mellifera R185

Stellenbosch (Platter ★★★★★) (SWSA)

Named after the Cape Honeybee, *Apis mellifera* Capensis, and inspired by the owners' son's unfortunate experience with them during the sweet wine's first press cycle. This Natural Sweet wine is only made in years when botrytis, or a small amount thereof, is found on the grapes.

2010 Bizoe Tiny Semillon Noble Late Harvest R165

Somerset West (Platter ★★★★★) (BSW)

Distinguishable honey aroma to this Straw Wine that follows through to the pallet with a pleasant fruity and floral aftertaste.

2019 Nitida "Modjadji" Noble Late Harvest R145

Stellenbosch (SWSA)

Semillon derived from dark chocolate, candied orange peels, rounding off to hints of freshly picked forest truffles.

OLDER VINTAGES

Feel free to browse through the underground wine cellar for these gems.

Limited number of bottles of each vintage.

2009 Warwick Three Cape Ladies R2100

2009 Bouchard Finlayson Galpin Peak R2325

2009 Laibach Ladybird R1350

2010 Villiera Cabernet R1450

2010 Thelema Merlot R1450

2011 Jacobsdal Pinotage R1095

2011 Neethlingshof Malbec R1250

2012 Bizoe Syrah R1045

2012 Plasir de Merle Merlot R1055

2012 Bouchard Finlayson Galpin Peak Pinot Noir R1950
2012 Constitution Road Shiraz R1350
2012 Beaumont Mourvèdre R1500
2012 Allesverloren Fine Old Vintage R1750

2013 Spier Creative Block No. 5 R1195
2013 Bartinney Cabernet R1355
2013 Springfield Wholeberry Cabernet Sauvignon R975
2023 Bouchard Finlayson Galpin Peak Pinot Noir R1450

2014 Allesverloren Fine Old Vintage R1585
2014 Simonsig Cuvee Royale R1950
2014 Beaumont Mourvèdre R1295
2014 Bartinney Cabernet R1155
2014 Spier Creative Block No. 5 R1095
2014 Thelema Merlot R975
2014 Moreson The Widowmaker Pinotage R1075
2014 Org de Rac Cabernet R625
2014 Constitution Road Shiraz R1075
2014 Haute Cabriere Pinot Noir Reserve R1095
2014 Blackoystercather Triton R765

2015 Painted Wolf Guillermo Pinotage R1075
2015 Haute Cabriere Pinot Noir Reserve R995
2015 Warwick Cabernet Franc R1450
2015 Plasir de Merle Merlot R995
2015 Darling Cellars Old Bush Vine Cinsault R995
2015 Hartenberg Shiraz R935
2015 Thelema Merlot R875
2015 Spier Creative Block No. 5 R975
2015 Warwick Three Cape Ladies R695
2015 Laibach Ladybird R1095
2015 Abingdon Averse de Grete R925
2015 Beaumont Mourvèdre R1195
2015 De Toren "Z" R1750
2015 Idiom Zinfandel R1025
2015 Allesverloren Fine Old Vintage R1210

2016 Bouchard Finlayson Hannibal R1200
2016 Haute Cabriere Pinot Noir Reserve R795

2016 Springfield Whole Berry Cab R875
2016 La Motte Cabernet Sauvignon R755
2016 Kaapzicht Pinotage R795
2016 Laibach Ladybird R995
2016 Spier Creative Block No. 5 R875
2016 Black Oystercatcher Triton R565
2016 Constitution Road Shiraz R975
2016 Groot Constantia Shiraz R935

2017 Hartenberg Cab/Shiraz R645
2017 Anura Malbec R995
2017 La Motte Cabernet R655
2017 Spier Creative Block No.5 R795
2017 Bouchard Finlayson Hannibal R1080
2017 Darling Cellars Old Bush Vine Cinsaut R795
2017 Schultz Solid Syrah R595
2017 Thelema Merlot R795
2017 Trizanne Signature Wines (TSW) Syrah R450
2017 Hartenberg Shiraz R825

2017 Constitution Road Shiraz R875
2017 Black Oyster Catcher R495
2017 Warwick Three Cape Ladies R625
2017 De Toren "Z" R1550
2017 Laibach Ladybird R795
2017 Allesverloren Fine Old Vintage R990

2018 Crystallum Peter Max Pinot Noir R1300
2018 Bouchard Finlayson Galpin Peak R1350
2018 Bartinney Cabernet R955
2018 Spier Creative Block No. 5 R695
2018 Springfield Whole Berry Cabernet R795
2018 Beaumont Mourvèdre R1025

2019 Thelema Merlot R750
2019 Anura Malbec R795
2019 Constitution Road Shiraz R825
2019 Creation Pinot Noir R995
2019 Spier Creative Block No5 R655

2020 Constitution Road Shiraz R795
2020 Bouchard Finlayson Galpin Peak Pinot Noir R1350
2020 Raka Shiraz R455
2020 La Motte Cabernet R425
2020 Reyneke Shiraz/Cabernet R425
2020 Bouchard Finlayson Hannibal R925

2021 Crystallum Peter Max Pinot Noir R1025
2021 Tesselaarsdal Pinot Noir R1950