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OUR BIG PRE-SPRING CLEANOUT THE ABEILLE AND FABRE FAMILIES LAST OF THE WINTER WINES INTRODUCING EISCH GLASSWARE DE BORTOLI GOES COOL CLIMATE OUR AUGUST TOP10 CENTRAL OTAGO'S MT DIFFICULTY

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dida's food store HERNE BAY 54 jervois rd 361 6157



## Hey, Wellington, Check out our new digs!

Yep, we are the proud owners of a brand new Glengarry Thorndon store, just along the road from where we've been for, well, *ever*, really, and we've moved ourselves right on in. Our old premises at 232 Thorndon Quay, while much loved, were showing signs of age – moving around a bit more than felt comfortable, the cracks in the walls making way for more of a breeze than we wanted to experience – and when a new site became available just up the road at 53 Hutt Rd, we jumped at it.

Moving Glengarry Thorndon to Hutt Rd has given us the opportunity to spread out a bit and do all the things we were unable to at the old store, and to present everything we have on offer in a manner befitting your regal status as our valued customers. Hence we have such things as a very roomy space for wine tastings, purpose-built to host large events for up to 60 people, complete with comfortable new chairs and tables and a kitchen worthy of such auspicious goings on.

Our new beer fridge has just enough room for a small sports team. Perhaps ice hockey. Or curling, even. It's been assembled with craft in mind, with the largest share of the space given over to our extensive craft beer selection. As you enter, you'll find a range of Growler taps – bring your own growler on in, or just purchase one instore, and you'll be all set to enjoy fresh craft beer on tap.

Our fine wine collection has a new home: we've built a comfortably large fine wine cellar and stocked it with the largest range of premium fine wines from around the world that Wellington has ever seen. And as for the shelf space, it's massive – yes folks, we'll finally be able to bring our full range to Wellington.

So what's in store for the opening? Well there are our opening specials, along with some exciting tastings and events. I'll be arriving to host the first Malt Club, and Glengarry GM Liz Wheadon will be present in early August to host a Bordeaux tasting. Jump online at *www.glengarry.co.nz/thorndonNEW* to check it all out.

One thing we won't be changing, though, is our usual friendly and knowledgeable service, via Phil and Meredith and their team, who will continue to attend to all your vinous needs.

We look forward to seeing you.

Jak Jakicevich

POL ROGER BRUT RÉSERVE NV 48210

## \$69.99 CASE OF 6 \$68.99 A BOTTLE



Into good champagne? Then you can't really go past Pol Roger; its frothy vivacity makes Pol's non-vintage model widely respected and hugely popular. Not as overtly in your face as some champagne houses, this is a poised and aristocratic wine delivering layer upon layer of exquisitely balanced flavour and texture, the richly lush fruit and toast defined by precise, refreshing citrus and acid. Consistently brilliant, year after year.



BIODYNAMIC PINOT GRIS







SWEET CHARDONNAY



OAK-LITE



PEACHES & CREAM

FAT CATS



DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE

#### PARTNERS IN WINE

# LES FAMILLES ABEILLE & FABRE



L-R FRONT: DIDIER FABRE, JEAN ABEILLE. REAR: PATRICK ABEILLE, JÉRÔME ABEILLE, PIERRE FABRE

Established in 1344, Château Mont-Redon are a canny blend of old-school know-how and new generation thinking. One of the oldest wine-producing estates in France, as well as the largest single property in Châteauneuf-du-Pape, the estate includes 100 hectares of the most perfectly-sited vineyards in the appellation.

But these guys, while embracing tradition, are by no means slaves to it; they have boldly embraced the New, to the extent of installing optical sorting technology. This dovetails neatly with their hand selection of the fruit, a balanced blend of numerous varieties to highlight the aromatic qualities of the wines, sustained maceration to obtain the required depth and structure, and a refined barrel aging programme. Unlike the traditional Châteauneuf-du-Pape approach of sustained rusticity and earthiness, their wines are scintillatingly clean, with pure fruit flavours featuring predominantly.

The historic property was bought by Henri Plantin in 1923 and is now owned and operated by his grandsons, Jean Abeille and Didier Fabre, with their own sons intimately involved in the Mont-Redon operation. The Abeilles also own and operate Château Riotor in Provence and the joint families run an estate in the Lirac appellation. With a continuing focus on innovation and a seamless generational transition currently underway that willingly embraces modern ways of thinking, Mont-Redon's future as one of the great crus looks set to be as bright as its past.



#### CHÂTEAU MONT-REDON CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE ROUGE 2011

\$49.99 (1399

#### CASE OF 12 \$43.99 A BOTTLE

A definitive Châteauneuf-du-Pape blend of 60% Grenache, 30% Syrah, 8% Mourvèdre and 2% of other indigenous varieties. The fragrant nose of cherry and raspberry is embellished by peppery notes and toasty oak, while the palate delivers plum, berry, chocolate and spice, all seamlessly integrated and wrapped around supple tannins.



#### CHÂTEAU RIOTOR CÔTE DE PROVENCE ROSÉ 2014

**\$19.99** <sub>41383</sub>



#### CASE OF 12 \$18.99 A BOTTLE

In this part of France you'll find arguably the world's greatest rosés. At Riotor they make nothing else. The pale colour belies the wine's weighty presence, its plump richness and fleshy juiciness tempered by fresh acid and a spray of tingling citrus. Our top-selling rosé.



#### MONT-REDON CÔTES DU RHÔNE RÉSERVE 2013

**\$19.99** 41371

#### CASE OF 12 \$18.99 A BOTTLE

Exuberantly rustic blend of Grenache, Cinsault and Syrah, robust yet still refined, offering more complexity and sinewy succulence than you'd expect at this price. Blessed with a decent dose of bright fruit amongst its earthy characters, this delights now, but will continue to deliver via a bit of time in the cellar.

CHÂTEAU MONT-REDON



## **\$22.99** 41389

#### CASE OF 12 \$21.99 A BOTTLE

Located on the Rhône's west bank, Lirac is one of the region's best kept secrets and is famous for producing some of France's finest rosés. The Mont-Redon expression is a lively, refreshing Grenache-Cinsault blend evoking soft summer fruit characters balanced by a crisp mineral edge.



#### CHÂTEAU MONT-REDON CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE BLANC 2014



#### CASE OF 12 \$43.99 A BOTTLE

In addition to their renowned red, Mont-Redon produce an excellent white Châteauneuf-du-Pape blend, dominated by the white Grenache grape. A seductively aromatic wine displaying floralnuanced peach and citrus notes, it offers a fleshy, generous palate of supple fruit flavours nicely balanced by a crisp mineral edge.

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Gawd it's dusty down here... oh, hello! We've just been digging around in the nooks and crannies of our cellars, and good grief! There's a lot of bits and pieces lying around. So we thought why not bundle them all up into case lots and slap a ridiculous price on 'em, just to clear a bit of space, have a general tidy up before the next wave comes through the door, that sort of thing. Good idea, dontcha think?



#### 11488 KURA HAWKES BAY SYRAH 2011

12-PACK \$11.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$12.99

Get this great Hawkes Bay Syrah for only \$11.99 a bottle when you purchase a case



10058 CLEARWATER COVE SOUTH ISLAND PINOT NOIR 2013

### 6-PACK \$10.99 A BOTTLE SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$11.99

Made by Yealands Estate, this is drink-now New Zealand Pinot Noir for a bargain price



30001 GEYSER PEAK CALIFORNIA UNCENSORED RED BLEND 2011

12-PACK \$9.99 A BOTTLE SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$10.99

A rich, fragrant, soft and supple Californian red blend. Super end-of-line clearance deal



11223 CRAGGY RANGE MARTINBOROUGH TE MUNA PINOT NOIR 2012

12-PACK \$29.90 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$32.99 Superb case deal from one of our leading wineries

and Pinot producing regions



50101 FLAGSTONE SOUTH AFRICA POETRY CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2013

6-PACK \$8.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$9.99

Super value Cabernet from a great South African producer

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19480 VIDAL HAWKES BAY **MERLOT CABERNET 2013** 

## 6-PACK \$11.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$12.99

Sensational value from Hawkes Bay's brilliant 2013 vintage

77400 LOS BOLDOS **CHILE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2013** 

## 12-PACK \$11.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$12.99

Warm up the end of your winter with this boldly styled Chilean Cabernet Sauvignon

11445 PASK HAWKES BAY GIMBLETT ROAD MERLOT 2010

## 12-PACK \$16.99 A BOTTLE

#### SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$18.99

Gimblett Gravels red, made by Kate Radburnd, for only \$16.99 a bottle when you grab a case

23701 HOUGHTON W. AUSTRALIA RED CLASSIC

## 6-PACK \$10.00 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$10.99

This classic Australian Cabernet Shiraz Merlot blend is only \$60 for a case of 6



44217 CHÂTEAU BOURGNEUF POMEROL 2011

## 6-PACK \$46.00 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$54.00 So much Bordeaux brilliance

for so little outlay.



HOUGHTON

Red Class





15410 MORTON HAWKES BAY WHITE LABEL CHARDONNAY 2013



6-PACK \$12.99 A BOTTLE SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$13.99

🔟 Exceptional Chardonnauz from the absolute classic 2013 Hawkes Bay vintage



10820 ESCARPMENT MARTINBOROUGH RIESLING 2011

6-PACK \$13.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$14.99

Cancelled export order: Stunning

price for an aged Riesling from a

master winemaker





18579 TUPARI AWATERE VALLEY SAUVIGNON BLANC 2011

### 6-PACK \$13.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$14.99

Winery clearout: a rich, creamy Marborough Sauvignon with a distinctive mineral quality



18240 KUMEU RIVER SM4 PINOT GRIS 2012





12-PACK \$17.99 A BOTTLE SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$18.99

The 4th release of a wonderful one-off wine not normally obtainable in our market. A unique opportunity, exclusive to Glengarry



42388 PIERRE BRECHT **ALSACE PINOT GRIS 2013** 

12-PACK \$16.99 A BOTTLE SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$17.99

The French region of Alsace is the Holy Grail of Pinot Gris. \$15.99 a bottle is a bargain



12242 THE NED MARLBOROUGH PINOT GRIS 2014 6-PACK \$14.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$15.99

Longtime crowd favourite and consistent performer at a very user-friendly price



47155 BARON DE MENDO FRANCE BLANC DE BLANCS BRUT NV

6-PACK \$8.33 A BOTTLE SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$9.99

Only \$50 for a case of 6 French Blanc de Blanc sparklers. Party!



15161 BRANCOTT ESTATE LETTER SERIES O CHARDONNAY 2014

## 12-PACK \$18.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$19.99

One of New Zealand's classic wines at a price that's well under the normal retail



15018 DEUTZ BLANC DE BLANCS VINTAGE 2010

## 6-PACK \$22.99 A BOTTLE

SINGLE BOTTLE PRICE: \$26.99

One of the great New Zealand vintage methodes for a steal of a price



PIPER-HEIDSIECK



## 2-BOTTLE GIFTPACK **\$99.00**

A classic champagne double-act, just the thing for gifting or mid-winter Christmas parties

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# SCHLOSS VOLLRADS



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Germany? Who dat? Germany suffers in a way from having kept all of their best wines to themselves for far too many years. Tsk, tsk. One of the world's largest consumers of wine, they are also the most significant importers of it. What they've never done is exported a great deal of their own product, *or* made it easy to understand their very, some might say, convoluted wine styles. Things have started to change, but there is still work to be done in the communication department. The wines themselves? Frequently fabulous.

Germany's iconic grape is Riesling, and their rep is largely based on the wines they make with it. Historically, German wines had been classified by must weight, i.e. a measure of the sugar concentration in the grapes when they're picked. This classification is known as the *Prädikat*. While in itself, that all seems quite straightforward, the elephant in the wine barrel is this: From a pile of relatively sweet grapes, you can either ferment the sugars fully, leaving a dry wine with high alcohol, or retain some of the residual sugar, leaving a sweeter but lower alcohol wine.

So a *Kabinett*, for instance (check the designations that follow), can be dry, sweet or anything in between. Understanding this was somewhat confusing for a consumer and did not take into consideration the quality of the wine, Germany started to look to successful models around the world, eventually opting for a Burgundian approach and the concept of Grand Cru, and introducing the *Grosses Gewächs* and *Erstes Gewächs* classifications.

With a good statement of must weight on the label and a quality classification under our belts, we still don't have the style. To assist with that, we get the style indicators: *Troken* is dry, *halbtroken* semidry and *Feinherb* off-dry. Close to two-thirds of the entire production in Germany is dry, with dry the preferred wine style consumed by the German wine drinker.

Confused? That's okay, we're not. Are we? No, we are not. Those Germans are well noted for their efficiency, so what the hell's going on? Just saying. Perhaps they're merely over-thinking things. And the wines themselves? They're worth getting your head around. Our solution to any potential vagueness is to import only the highest quality German wines and then detail them for you with our 4-point sweetness scale (check out the icons). And here's a small but handy hint for when you're confronted with a wall of Rheingau's Rieslings: the lower the alcohol, the sweeter the wine is likely to be. Sorted.

#### THE PRÄDIKAT SCALE

*Prädikatswein* constitute the top level of German wines, displaying a *Prädikat*, or ripeness level designation, on the label. They range from dry to intensely sweet. Their various designations are as follows, in order of increasing sugar levels in the grapes at the time of harvest.

KABINETT The start of the scale. The grapes must be harvested at 67-82 Oechsle (the scale designating sugar content). Kabinett wines tend to be lighter and more delicate, and can be anything from dry to sweet in style.

SPÄTLESE The next level up, *Spätlese* means *late harvest*, referring to a later picking picking time than for the Kabinett. The Oechsle requirement is 76-90. With the later harvest comes richer, broader, more concentrated wines, though Spätlese, too, can vary in style from dry to sweet.

AUSLESE Adds another factor into the mix: botrytis, that accommodating fungal mould, also known as noble rot, responsible for concentrating the grape sugars and creating some of the greatest sweet wines in the world. Hence the Auslese wines tend to be even more honeyed and bold in style.

BEERENAUSLESE Taking things to the next level, this involves carefully selecting individual berries with botrytis, so it's similar to an Auslese in sweetness, but with the added focus on fruit selection bestowing even more concentration and richness.

TROCKENBEERENAUSLESE The fifth level on the scale, and made from grapes that have been left out to mature until they are pretty much raisins hanging on for dear life to the vine. The weather conditions don't allow for this every year, making these very rare, and costly, sweet wines.

EISWEIN Icewine. The crown jewel in the range. The grapes must be harvested at -7°C and pressed while they're frozen. Only in exceptional years when the weather conditions line up can these wines be produced. As the sweetness is achieved by freezing the grapes, both the sugar and the acidity are retained, producing wines of impeccable balance and finesse. They are the finest, and tend to be the most expensive, of them all.

#### QUALITY LEVELS

The traditional German classification system was supplanted by a terroirbased one relatively recently. Not part of Germany's official wine law, but adhering to strict regulations well above its standards, the VDP (*Verband Deutscher Prädikats*) is a voluntary association of around 200 producers committed to top-quality wine production. With the VDP classifications, both the quality and origin of the wine are intrinsically linked. At the very top of their quality pyramid are the *Grosse Gewächs* (great growths) and *Erstes Gewächs* (Rheingau first growths) wines, hand harvested, single vineyard and not dissimilar to France's Grand Cru in nature.

#### STYLE/SWEETNESS INDICATORS

Trocken:dryHalbtrockensemi-dryFeinherboff-dry, slightly sweeter and fruitier than Halbtrocken



Schloss Vollrads is one of the globe's oldest wineries. It has, in fact, been in continuous operation for longer than any other estate worldwide, with one of the Schloss Vollrads vineyards mentioned as far back as 850 years ago. Records found at the estate notate wines being sold to nearby Monks in 1211. And the record book doesn't close there: the term *Kabinett* was first used by Schloss Vollrads in 1716, in reference to the winemaker's top selection from that year, making it the first ever official classification of wine in the world.

This impressive estate is situated on Germany's Rhine River in the wine region of Rheingau. Under the leadership and guidance of the teutonically competent Dr Rowald Hepp, these guys apply a searing focus to one variety, and one only, producing Riesling in its myriad forms and nothing else. Running the whole gamut of Riesling styles, 60% of production at Schloss Vollrads is dry, and always has been.

The wines are elegant and complex, combining the best soils and climatic conditions with a profound understanding of Riesling and a huge legacy of winemaking nous. All are fermented in stainless steel and made with a minimum amount of intervention, as there is magic to be found in the deep and chalky Rheingau soils, warm, mineral-rich and graced with many different layers of loam, sand and gravel as a result of their ocean- and mountain-influenced formation millons of years ago.

As steeped in tradition as they are, Schloss Vollrads have chosen since 2003 to seal their wines under glass caps to retain freshness and avoid cork taint. Their 2011 vintage celebrated the 800th anniversary of the oldest bill of sale in Europe, and we're elated to be importing these outstanding expressions, direct, for your enjoyment.



 54580
 SCHLOSS VOLLRADS QUALITÄTSWEIN DRY RIESLING 2013
 \$24.99

 54585
 SCHLOSS VOLLRADS SCHLOSSBERG GROSSES GEWÄCHS 2012
 \$44.99

 54583
 SCHLOSS VOLLRADS SCHLOSSBERG GROSSES GEWÄCHS 2013
 \$44.99

 54584
 SCHLOSS VOLLRADS ERSTES GEWÄCHS 2010
 \$44.99

 54589
 SCHLOSS VOLLRADS TROCKENBEERENAUSLESE 2005
 375ML

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 SCHLOSS VOLLRADS TROCKENBEERENAUSLESE 2005
 375ML



CASE OF 12 Late harvest Riesli

CASE OF 12 \$31.99 A BOTTLE Late harvest Riesling. Despite its 87g/L residual sugar, this is refreshingly light and delicate in character. An elegant wine, the generous apricot

characters adroitly balanced by a lightly bright,

Iemon-edged acidity. 8% ABV. SCHLOSS VOLLRADS RHEINGAU AUSLESE RIESLING 2010 375ML \$46.99 54587 CASE OF 6 \$43.99 A BOTTLE The botrytis kicks in, manifesting all sweet and sour, a characteristic typical of *Auslese* wines. Extraordinary residual sugar of 113.1g/L and acidity of 9.7g/L. Despite the high sugar level, the



SCHLOSS VOLLRADS 2010 Beerenauslese

UBEINGAU RIESLING



SCHLOSS VOLLRADS RHEINGAU BEERENAUSLESE RIESLING 2010



One of the world's rarest wines, with a residual sugar content of 235 g/L, acidity of 15.1 g/L and an ABV of just 6.5%. Impeccably concentrated and balanced, superbly viscous, this'll age grace-fully for decades. No, make that a century.

#### SCHLOSS VOLLRADS RHEINGAU ERSTES GEWÄCHS RIESLING 2011

finish is balanced and relatively dry. 7.3% ABV.



#### CASE OF 12 \$41.99 A BOTTLE

The *Erstes Gewächs* or First Growth wines are the Rheingau region's finest vinous expressions. Utilising low yields and carefully selected, handpicked grapes, they embody to perfection the specific traits of the classified terroir in question.



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#### RIMU GROVE NELSON BRONTE PINOT GRIS 2015



## **\$17.99** 13836

#### CASE OF 12 \$16.99 A BOTTLE

An accomplished Pinot Gris from ex-Napa Valley man, Patrick Stowe, who these days produces brilliant wines from his home in Nelson. Aromas of sweet pear, citrus and florals show hints of spice and minerality, while ripe fruit flavours are balanced by a citrus edge and a silky, textural, medium-sweet mouthfeel.

#### JACKSON ESTATE MARLBOROUGH STICH SAUVIGNON BLANC 2014

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## **\$19.99** 13459

#### CASE OF 12 \$17.99 A BOTTLE

A poised Sauvignon Blanc named in recognition of Jackson Estate founder John Stichbury. Fruit parcels from three vineyards were individually cool fermented and lees aged prior to blending. Superbly aromatic, the fresh stonefruit, melon and citrus flavours are enhanced by a textural mouthfeel and a lingering, mineral-edged finish.

ACKSON HITCH

#### TE MATA HAWKES BAY ELSTON CHARDONNAY 2014

## **(3)** \$32.99 19159

### CASE OF 12 \$29.99 A BOTTLE

Widely regarded as one of our top Chardonnays, Te Mata's Elston is crafted with uncompromising attention to detail. The aromatics deliver inviting lime and grapefruit characters with underlying notes of cashew and toast, while the impeccably balanced palate shows superb integration of fruit and oak, enhanced by a viscous, creamy texture and lingering tropical fruit and citrus flavours.



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FAMILY SELECTION PINOT GRIGIO 2012

**\$9.99** 20929

#### CASE OF 12 \$8.99 A BOTTLE

With its alluring grassiness, pears, lychees and tropical touches, this is a super-value and easy drinking Pinot Grigio. A laidback mouthfeel nicely complements the fresh, fruity flavours, and this'll work very well as an aperitif or with seafood.



### FARMERS MARKET

MARLBOROUGH SAUVIGNON BLANC 2015



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#### **\$14.99** 11512 CASE OF 12 \$13.99 A BOTTLE

A classic Marlborough blend of Wairau, Waihopai and Awatere fruit that has been cool fermented to retain the lovely fresh characters associated with the region. A lively, zingy mouthful of passionfruit, peach, tropical fruit and capsicum.

#### LAROCHE SOUTH OF FRANCE DE LA CHEVALIÈRE CHARDONNAY 2013

**(3)** \$15.99 48572 CASE OF 6 \$14.99 A BOTTLE

Laroche's mastery of Chardonnay shines through in this stylish, fruit-driven Languedoc-Roussillon. Ripe stonefruit aromas exude spicy mineral notes onto a generously flavoured wine with a creamy texture and a fine, persistent, citrus-edged finish.

NGA WAKA MARTINBOROUGH CHARDONNAY 2014

\$21.99 17584
CASE OF 12 \$20.99 A BOTTLE

From pioneering Martinborough winemaker Roger Parkinson, a carefully judged blend of estate fruit displaying ripe peach and tropical fruit characters, subtle oak nuances and a silky, textural mouthfeel. Always excellent value.

DOMAINE SÉGUINOT-BORDET PETIT CHABLIS 2014



#### CASE OF 12 \$21.99 A BOTTLE

The wines of 13th generation Chablisian winemaker Jean-Francois Bordet are in high demand. His entry-level Petit Chablis is fresh, vibrant and richly flavoured, with a refined palate distinguished by crisp flavours and fresh, tingling mineral notes.



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#### CHAKANA MENDOZA ESTATE MALBEC 2013

## \$17.99<sub>90133</sub>

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#### CASE OF 12 \$15.00 A BOTTLE

Elsewhere utilised as a component of Bordeauxstyle blends, within Argentina the inky and intense Malbec is unopposed king. With its deep colour, intense flavours and velvet-lined tannins, this regal offering could command more pesos if it was so inclined. Tightly woven aromatics and savoury and coffee notes infuse the rich palate.

#### **RUA** CENTRAL OTAGO PINOT ROSÉ 2015

**\$19.99**<sub>12613</sub>

#### CASE OF 12 \$18.99 A BOTTLE

CHAKANA

The Rua rosé is 100% Pinot Noir fruit off the Cairnmuir Road and Lowburn vinevards. A fresh. light style of rosé, in the glass, it's a vibrant pink with a bouquet of crushed strawberries and raspberries and a gentle waft of spice. The palate is off-dry and offers soft summer fruit flavours and a long, bright finish.



RABBIT RANCH CENTRAL OTAGO PINOT NOIR 2013

## \$24.99 11167

#### CASE OF 12 \$23.99 A BOTTLE

Second label of Central Otago's mighty Chard Farm, the Rabbit Ranch is a light, easy-drinking Pinot Noir with a charmingly seductive, fruit-driven character. Lively spice-edged notes of strawberry, raspberry and cherry grace the nose, while the palate is a juicy mouthful of succulence signing out with a fresh, tasty finish.



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#### LOS BOLDOS ALTO CACHAPOAL CUVÉE TRADITION CARMÉNÈRE 2013

## \$12.99 77402

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Pint Series () SHIRAZ

#### CASE OF 12 \$11.99 A BOTTLE

France's low-profile Carménère grape has thrived in Chile's phylloxera-free landscape. Rich, spicy black fruit aromatics show notes of chocolate and cinnamon, while on the palate mature fruit flavours are nuanced with oak and ripe tannins.

#### DE BORTOLI DEEN VAT SERIES NO.8 SHIRAZ 2013

#### \$13.99 20943 CASE OF 6 \$12.99 A BOTTLE

De Bortoli's Vat Series was the vision of the late Deen de Bortoli. Rich dark fruits evoke ripe blackberry and plum characters nuanced with mocha, pepper, liquorice and oak. Soft, rounded tannins and a chocolate-infused finish seal the deal.

#### ESK VALLEY HAWKES BAY SYRAH 2013

\$19.99 <sub>12838</sub>

#### CASE OF 12 \$18.99 A BOTTLE

A well executed Syrah from one of Hawkes Bay's original wineries. Matured for 13 months in oak, the nose displays lovely varietal characters of berry and plum embellished by spice and pepper notes. Long, languid flavours and ripe tannins.



## **\$21.99** 13244

#### CASE OF 6 \$20.99 A BOTTLE

A classic blend, aged for 12 months in barrel. The nose displays aromas of plum, blueberry and spicy oak. Balance and finesse are apparent on a smoothly silky palate with soft, rounded tannins and an appealing touch of sweetness.

## AKARUA

CENTRAL OTAGO PINOT NOIR 2013



#### CASE OF 12 \$33.99 A BOTTLE

Akarua are more than up to the challenge of taming their Central Otago terroir and forging an exemplary Pinot; all of the subtleties are present in this gold medal wine, with fruit, spice, chocolate and toasty oak crafted into a joyous whole.





## VEUVE CLICQUOT

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Veuve Clicquot, with their almost unrivalled cachet and unmistakable branding, are the epitome of elegance and daring. With over two centuries of champagne-making expertise under their belt, Veuve have forged themselves an enviable reputation, built around the mystique of the rather formidable Widow Clicquot. The House was originally established in 1772 by Philippe Clicquot. His son and heir, Francis, was being groomed to take over the bright yellow reins when he came down with a fever and died. Up steps his 27-year-old widow, Barbe Nicole Ponsardin, a visionary and a woman of exacting standards, tireless optimism and fiercely stubborn temperament who drove the business to giddying heights and is largely responsible for the huge profile the brand enjoys today. The flagship non-vintage model, with its distinctive yellow label and high proportion of Pinot Noir, is a triumph of consistency and individual character, the perfect balance of finesse and forcefulness. The whole range, right through to the exquisite prestige cuvée, La Grande Dame, is superb.

WINTER'S ON THE RUN! USHER IT OUT THE DOOR WITH A COMPLIMENTARY PAIR OF ICEBREAKER MERINO SOCKS, YOURS WHEN YOU PURCHASE TWO BOTTLES OF THE VEUVE CLICQUOT BRUT NV FROM US DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST

49810 VEUVE CLICQUOT BRUT NV	\$69.99
GET A CASE OF 6 BRUT NV FOR ONLY 59.99 A BOTTLE	
49806 VEUVE CLICQUOT BRUT ROSÉ NV	\$94.00
49825 VEUVE CLICQUOT VINTAGE ROSÉ 2004	\$110.00
49804 VEUVE CLICQUOT LA GRANDE DAME 2004	\$189.00



#### DE BORTOLI FAMILY SELECTION SPARKLING BRUT



Appealing sparkling blend from Australian giants De Bortoli, a gentle effervescence and an attractive nose of ripe fruit with lime and mineral nuances. Beautifully refreshing, with a silky mouthfeel and a clean, crisp finish.



#### CANTI PROSECCO DOC MILLESIMATO 2014

**\$14.99** 67640 CASE OF 6 \$13.99 A BOTTLE

Canti have invested heavily in advanced facilities devoted exclusively to Prosecco. The resulting wine shows light golden hues and a satisfyingly fragrant bouquet, with a crisp, lively palate of dry, fruity peach and pear characters. Great aperitif.



PROSECCO

QUARTZ REEF

### MORTON PREMIUM BRUT NV

**\$16.99**<sub>15424</sub>

### CASE OF 6 \$15.99 A BOTTLE

Like unrolling a sheaf of silk, this is so creamy you'll want to serve it next to a sticky wedge of cheesecake. The Morton methode is a reminder that something done well needs little tweaking. Complex, elegant, a local icon.

## SANTA MARGHERITA

## **\$17.99** 62534

#### CASE OF 6 \$16.99 A BOTTLE

From the Valdobbiadene region and produced from the ancient Prosecco variety. A fragrant bouquet of floral, peach and subtle green apple aromas introduces an elegant, off-dry palate with an appealing liveliness and a nicely rounded mouthfeel.



## \$28.99 17230

#### CASE OF 6 \$27.99 A BOTTLE

Following a delicate aromatic introduction, the Quartz Reef throws off its initial decorum and leans in intimately with a volley of Bollinger-like asides (baked bread, yeast, apples), a stylish robustness underpinning the exquisite flavours.





The Eisch family have been tinkering with glass for over 300 years, and are well-known for their artistic and innovative products. Their cutting-edge approach means they aim to reinvent themselves with each new generation. At the same time, they recognise the value of their heritage and continue to be inspired by the works of glass artist Erwin Eisch, the eldest son of founder Valentin Eisch and a pioneer of the international Studio Glass movement.

99658 CHAMPAGNE GLASS	4-PACK \$69.99
99656 WHITE WINE GLASS	4-PACK \$69.99
99657 RED WINE GLASS	4-PACK \$69.99
99659 BORDEAUX GLASS	4-PACK \$79.99





In these testing times it seems that almost everything you do has some sort of health-related downside to it. Each day seems to uncover something new that you really shouldn't be doing. Well we say bugger that, there has to be a little fun in amongst the grind, surely. While you're reflecting on it, try one of these low-alcohol Savvies. Better for you, dontcha know.

#### 13793 COOPERS CREEK STARLIGHT SAUVIGNON BLANC 2015 \$14.99 13801 LAKE CHALICE LIGHT SAUVIGNON BLANC 2015 \$16.99



Plying his winemaking trade from his Hawkes Bay haunt for almost forty years now, Peter Robertson has taken the time to hone his skills, and yes, they are *well*-honed, those skills. When he thinks the vintage is up to it (and only when), PR will release his Gold Label Reserve Vintage Cabernet Merlot, a wine approaching legendary status in these parts. And yep, the 2013-2014 vintages in the Bay were the equivalent of 2009-2010 in Bordeaux – that is to say, off the charts. Greatness awaits.

#### BROOKFIELDS

13888 HILLSIDE SYRAH 2014	\$39.99
13889 GOLD LABEL RESERVE VINTAGE	
CABERNET MERLOT 2014	\$59.99



#### **SPECIAL EISCH GLASSWARE OFFER: PURCHASE ANY TWO 4-PACKS** FEATURED HERE FOR ONLY \$99.00







## PASCAL JOLIVET

One of the most dynamic innovators of the Loire Valley, Pascal Jolivet was always destined to become a major force in the wine landscape of this diverse region. For generations his family have been involved in the Loire's wine scene, with father Jacques operating a négociant business. Pascal worked there for five years, eventually taking over the reins. In 1987 he renamed the business and launched Domaine Pascal Jolivet in Sancerre.

There he built a new winery and began to purchase prime land for vineyards, which today consist of 42 hectares in Sancerre, 8 in Pouilly-Fumé and 15 in Touraine. Pascal practises environmentally friendly techniques, both in the vineyard and the winery. He allows nature to take its course, with the wines fermented naturally with indigenous yeasts. His expressions are evocative of both their variety and terroir. They deservedly enjoy a stellar reputation and are widely featured in France's Michelin-starred restaurants.



PASCAL JOLIVET AND WINEMAKER VALENTINA BUOSO

#### PASCAL JOLIVET SANCERRE 2014

**\$29.99** 40928

#### CASE OF 12 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

Sancerre is an appellation sited on the banks of the Loire opposite Pouilly-Fumé. It channels the same white chalk that runs down through Champagne and Chablis to produce restrained, elegant wines from Sauvignon Blanc fruit. The Jolivet displays the dry, flinty minerality found in top French Sauvignons, the elegant palate complemented by a fresh, citrus-edged finish. Masterful wine from a master winemaker.



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CHATEAU Saint-Martin

#### JABOULET CÔTES DU RHÔNE SECRET DE FAMILLE 2012

### \$16.99 45398

#### CASE OF 12 \$15.99 A BOTTLE

An iconic northern Rhône producer. Made only in small quantities and exclusive to Glengarry, the Secret is a delightful blend of Grenache with a little Syrah. With its deep, dark aromas and flavours of plums, berryfruit and spice, this is good drinking.

#### CHÂTEAU CAP SAINT-MARTIN BORDEAUX CUVÉE PRESTIGE 2011



One of Bordeaux' Petits Châteaux, the Cap Saint-Martin is a well-priced, Merlot-dominant blend from an excellent vintage. Ripe berry and plum notes are embellished by well integrated oak, supple tannins and a lingering, flavour-filled finish.



#### GISSELBRECHT ALSACE RIESLING 2012

**\$19.99** 47030

#### CASE OF 12 \$18.99 A BOTTLE

A well crafted, elegantly styled Alsace Riesling from the always onto it Gisselbrecht family. Their entry-level version displays alluring pipfruit, citrus and spice notes held in focus by a dash of mineral. Deliciously fresh and tasty.

#### BOURILLON D'ORLÉANS VOUVRAY SEC 2014



BOURGOGNE

#### CASE OF 12 \$23.99 A BOTTLE

Made exclusively from Chenin Blanc, replete with elegance and finesse, this is a great alternative to Chardonnay, the honeyed palate weighty, with nuances of chalk and lime and a mouth-tingling texture, all signed off with a stunningly long finish.

#### DOMAINE DE BELLENE BOURGOGNE PINOT NOIR 2012

\$29.99 <sub>42390</sub>

**\$24.99** 40977

#### CASE OF 6 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

Incredible wine from the formidable Nicolas Potel, wonderful introduction to the magic of Burgundy. A nose of florals, red cherries and berries and soft, earthy notes precedes a richly rounded palate that delivers brilliantly. Old vines, clever winemaking.











#### SOLAR VIEJO RIOJA CRIANZA 2012

### \$17.99 88009

#### CASE OF 6 \$16.99 A BOTTLE

Historic, trend-setting Riojan house. Tempranillo fruit takes charge, with notes of cherry and plum, whispers of leather, tobacco and spice, and traces of liquorice, cocoa and vanilla. Superb value.



AMONTESA

ANDEMAN

#### PALACIOS REMONDO **RIOJA LA VENDIMIA 2013**

## \$17.99 88060

### CASE OF 12 \$16.99 A BOTTLE

From the Rioja Baja sub-region, where the sun beats down and the Tempranillo fruit in this gets seriously ripe. One of our biggest-selling Spanish wines, spicy, juicy and abundantly charming.

#### PALACIOS REMONDO RIOJA LA MONTESA 2011

\$24.9988054

#### CASE OF 12 \$23.99 A BOTTLE

Alvaro Palacios' love of Grenache and his ability to transform it into exceptional expressions have revived the fortunes of both the family winery and the Rioja Baja area. Generous, juicy, rich, textural.

#### SANDEMAN PORTUGAL TAWNY PORT

## \$29.99 77000

#### CASE OF 6 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

An aged-to-perfection Tawny with a voluptuous, mellow, nutty character evoking raisins and chocolate, further enhanced by notes of cinnamon and a long, warming finish. Perfect in these colder times.

BARROS

Jawny



#### CASE OF 6 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

Some time in oak and more (good) oxidation than for a Ruby provides the Tawny's colour. Loads of red fruits and mellow oak characters. Seductively rich, elegantly smooth, beautifully poised.



#### SANTA MARGHERITA VENETO IGT PINOT GRIGIO 2013

S14.99 62584

#### CASE OF 6 \$13.99 A BOTTLE

A smart blend of Pinots Grigio and Bianco, this is an approachable, fragrant, food-friendly white with nicely defined pipfruit characters complemented by a fresh mineral finish. Great \$ for an IGT Grigio.



#### ILLUMINATI MONTEPULCIANO DOC ILICO 2012

\$16.99 62803

#### CASE OF 6 \$15.99 A BOTTLE

100% Montepulciano, and a small but stately step up from Illuminati's top-selling Riparosso. More structured from extended time in oak, it's plump, juicy and charmingly rustic. Think big bowl of pasta.



\$17.99 66080 CASE OF 6 \$16.99 A BOTTLE

The Morago is an excellent alternative to Amarone, produced from partially dried, traditional Veneto grape varieties to deliver a smooth, spicy red wine with a velvety textural quality and a lingering finish.

CECCHI TUSCANY **RAFFIA BASKET CHIANTI 2013** 

### \$17.99 62529 CASE OF 6 \$16.99 A BOTTLE

'Cheap and cheerful' used to be the definition of a raffia basket Chianti, but no longer. The Cecchi is light- to medium-bodied with a dry, savoury palate and a mouth-cleansing finish.



### CECCHI MONTEPULCIANO DOCG VINO NOBILE DI MONTEPULCIANO 2011

#### \$27.99 62311 CASE OF 6 \$26.99 A BOTTLE

A Sangiovese-based wine of considerable charm and bearing. It's also generously approachable, freely sharing its fruit, florals and spice. A supple, balanced union of complexity and elegance.









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A TASTE OF ANSTRAID

## DE BORTOLI GOES COOL CLIMATE

The well-regarded De Bortoli produce some of Australia's best, and best value wines. This third-generation family company was established by Italian immigrants Vittorio and Giuseppina De Bortoli in 1928. From their original base in the Riverina region of southern New South Wales, De Bortoli have expanded into some of Australia's best known wine regions across Victoria and New South Wales, including the Yarra, King and Hunter Valleys.

In Victoria, the Yarra Valley is recognised for its cool climate wines. It is marginally warmer than Burgundy but cooler than Bordeaux. This is where Chief Winemaker Steve Webber and his team craft several tiers of Yarra Valley wines, including the Villages and the Estate Grown ranges. Each champions the site and season they are from, reflecting the character of the vineyard in any given year. 'It's all about reflecting the flavours and the aromas from that particular site in the best possible way,' states Webber.



CHIEF WINEMAKER DE BORTOLI YARRA VALLEY, STEVE WEBBER



DE BORTOLI YARRA VALLEY REGIONAL RESERVE PINOT NOIR 2013

### \$14.99 20965 CASE OF 12 \$13.99 A BOTTLE

This wine is exactly why you want to know about these guys. A regional blend of Pinot parcels that punches with the weight of a \$30-dollar wine, the price beggars belief. Graced with a fragrant, gently elegant and balanced palate, at these dollars you'll be back for a case.



DE BORTOLI YARRA VALLEY ESTATE GROWN CHARDONNAY 2014

### \$30.99 20970

#### CASE OF 6 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

This elegant and invigorating Chardonnay displays creamy citrus flavours augmented with nuances of florals, hazelnut and oak. A balancing mineral note and nicely textural palate add finishing touches.





#### DE BORTOLI VARRA VALLEY VILLAGES CHARDONNAY 2013

## \$21.99 2096

#### CASE OF 6 \$19.99 A BOTTLE

A light, dry, elegantly styled Chardonnay with a fine nose of citrus and florals and a gently textural palate of savoury and chalky characters nuanced by mineral notes and nutty hints.



#### DE BORTOLI VARRA VALLEY VILLAGES PINOT NOIR 2013

## **\$21.99** 20967

#### CASE OF 6 \$19.99 A BOTTLE

The Villages Pinot Noir shows aromatics of strawberry, plum, spice and smoky oak, while the palate is medium-weighted and textural, with spice-edged dark fruit characters and fine gentle tannins.



#### DE BORTOLI YARRA VALLEY ESTATE GROWN SHIRAZ 2013

\$30.99 20968

#### CASE OF 6 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

This displays bright, mineral-tinged aromatics and generous flavours, some notes of white pepper and spice augmented with grainy tannins. It'll continue to develop for up to 10 years in a good cellar.



#### DE BORTOLI YARRA VALLEY ESTATE GROWN PINOT NOIR 2014

### \$30.99 20969

#### CASE OF 6 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

Hand picked and hand sorted, with nine months spent in French casks. A medium-bodied Pinot Noir with gentle aromatics and soft tannins, it's nicely plump, with rich textures and good length.



EACH MONTH, FROM THE HUNDREDS OF WINES SUBMITTED TO US, THE GLENGARRY TASTING PANEL SELECTS OUR TOP TEN WINES



#### Paul Mas South of FRANCE SAVIGNAC CARIGNAN 2013

**\$14.99** 43984

#### CASE OF 12 \$13.99 A BOTTLE

Spice and blackberry dominate the aromatics, with subtle background notes of cocoa and toasty oak. The palate is lush and full, the dark fruit and liquorice notes intermingling with velvety tannins.

Peregrine CENTRAL OTAGO



Saint Clair WAIRAU RESERVE SAUVIGNON BLANC 2014

## \$29.99 18295

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#### CASE OF 6 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

Saint Clair dig deep when it comes to Sauvignon Blanc. The fruit is lower Wairau Valley, a fragrant wine with a bouquet of herb-edged gooseberry and tropical notes and pure flavours enlivened by a zesty finish.

**CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2013** 



#### CASE OF 12 \$13.99 A BOTTLE

Chakana ARGENTINA

\$14.99 <sub>90138</sub>

Great value red from Argentina's Mendoza region. packed with vibrant blackberry aromas and flavours enhanced by minty nuances and brambly notes. Full bodied and ripe tasting with supple tannins.



### Ara MARLBOROUGH SELECT BLOCKS PINOT NOIR 2012

\$24.99 13069

#### CASE OF 6 \$23.99 A BOTTLE

Winemaking whizz Jeff Clarke is something of a Pinot expert. With fruit off Ara's estate vineyard, this is a terroir-driven style with a floral nose and a lingering ripe, juicy palate enhanced by fine tannins.





#### CASE OF 6 \$28.99 A BOTTLE

\$29.99 <sub>12879</sub>

A fresh and vibrant Pinot with a gorgeous nose, deep flavours and subtle tannins, all elegantly insinuated into a seamless and balanced package. A refined savoury undertone adds the finishing touch.



#### Top quality Pinot Noir fruit, inviting strawberry and raspberry aromas embellished by a spicy edge and a lovely vibrant fruit character, all caressed by a creamy texture and a fresh, tingling finish. A-lister.



## BUY THE TOP10 MIXED CASE: ONE BOTTLE OF EACH WINE FOR \$220 88200



\$34.99 CASE OF 6 \$33.99 A BOTTLE Peregrine's usual masterful effort, the Pisa fruit

CHARDONNAY 2014

barrel fermented and matured in French oak for ten months. Round and silky, with notes of stonefruit and citrus embellished by marzipan and oak nuances.

### Los Boldos CHILE

GRAND RESERVE CARMÉNÈRE 2013

\$16.99 77405

**\$19.99** 13387

#### CASE OF 12 \$15.99 A BOTTLE

An intriguing Bordeaux variety, Carménère thrives in Chile's phylloxera-free soil and is a local favourite. Lavish blackberry, cherry and chocolate characters are augmented by spicy oak and silky tannins.

Lawson's Dry Hills MARLBOROUGH PINOT GRIS 2014

CASE OF 12 \$18.99 A BOTTLE

LDH have established a huge rep over the last two

decades for their aromatic wines. Off-dry, elegant,

with a bouquet of pipfruit, spice and white chocolate,

Craggy Range HAWKES BAY TE KAHU 2013

\$22.99 11212

**CASE OF 12 \$21.99 A BOTTLE** 

A Merlot dominant blend, the rich, abundant black

fruits held in check by fine textures and seamless

tannins. Elegant, balanced, buoyant, it's enhanced

by mocha notes and a sustained savoury finish.

the concentrated palate shows a nice touch of oak.



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14939	ROARING MEG	CENTRAL OTAGO RIESLING 2014	\$18.99
14935	ROARING MEG	CENTRAL OTAGO PINOT NOIR 2013	\$25.99
14937	MT DIFFICULTY	CENTRAL OTAGO SAUVIGNON BLANC 2014	\$22.99
14940	MT DIFFICULTY	CENTRAL OTAGO PINOT GRIS 2014	\$22.99
14930	MT DIFFICULTY	CENTRAL OTAGO TARGET RIESLING 2014	\$23.99
14946	MT DIFFICULTY	CENTRAL OTAGO ROSÉ 2014	\$24.99
14945	MT DIFFICULTY	CENTRAL OTAGO PINOT NOIR 2013	\$38.99
14941	MT DIFFICULTY	CENTRAL OTAGO LONG GULLY PINOT NOIR 2012	\$89.00

