Red Wine List

Shiraz: Meerea Park, Hunter Valley NSW Australia 2 (Bin 25) \$48 / \$12

The palate is proudly medium-bodied but does not lack in flavour with plenty of varietal red and dark berries. Fruit for this wine is from the Upper reaches of the Hunter Valley.

Merlot: Mount Trio, Margaret River W/A (Bin 26) \$48 / \$12

A flavoursome, easy drinking style, ripe and juicy with lovely soft tannins and a savoury, earthy touch. Vibrant blend of iconic varieties and deeply layered with a textured feel.

Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon: Spice Trader SA (Bin 27) \$52 / \$14

This is a very dark glass of juicy and delicious red. A burst of intense primary fruit greets the palate with blueberries, blackberries and currants.

Pinot Noir: Supernatural, Cradle Coast, Tasmania (Bin 28) \$79

Flavour Packed Pinot Noir from the far north of Tasmania. Great in the summer months as it chills really well. Light to medium weight, juicy dark Cherry and strawberry flavours have a supple feel and plenty of Oak spice and chocolate.

Grenache: Lloyd Brothers McLaren Vale 2014 (Bin 29) \$65

After being whole berry fermented for an extended maturation, the fruit was basket pressed and then seasoned in French oak. The wine displays freshly cut roses, hints of white and black top deck chocolate, roasted coffee beans, finishing with long lingering savoury tannins.

Shiraz: Hahndorf Hill Shiraz 2016 Adelaide Hills (Bin 30) \$75

Blackcurrants, ripe Plums and gentle spice. Super fine spices skirt the frame. Fine tannins, almost powdery, cap off a delicious Shiraz. A great find.

Chianti Classico DOCG Italy (Bin 31) \$80

Enjoys a cool growing climate in Greve in Chianti. This 2017 Chianti shows fruity ripeness with Blackberry and dark Cherry and the freshness of the Sangiovese grape kicks in to complete this delicious quality wine.

Cabernet Merlot: Irvine Eden Valley SA 2015 (Bin 32) \$59

Vibrant blend of iconic varieties and deeply layered with a textured feel. This Cabernet Blend is a stylish fusion of 15% Merlot and 5% Cabernet Franc with 80% Cabernet Sauvignon.

<u>Zinfandel:</u> Buckshot Vineyard Heathcote Victoria (Bin 34) \$65

Bold flavours of spicy black raspberries, liquorice and dark plum fill the juicy textured palate underscored by notions of blueberries and subtlety earthed vanillin oak concluding with a burst of white pepper

Syrah: Lloyd Brothers 2014 Adelaide Hills Bin (Bin 35) \$52

Harvested later in the season due to the altitude of the vineyard this wine was batch fermented in open fermenters before being put through a gentle press cycle. The wine is then seasoned in French and American oak for 12 months before being barrel selected for this delicate and elegant style.

Shiraz: Good Catholic Girl, Clare Valley, South Australia (Bin 36) \$85

Famed wine maker Jim Barry, passed away in 2004. Julie his Daughter, decided it was time for new challenges. She withdrew herself from Jim Barry Wines and headed over the hill to her **limerick** vineyard where she has come up with this limited release. A classic Armagh Shiraz, coming from dry grown Shiraz, it reflects all the characters of the soil that fed the Irish settlers 164 years ago, deep rich and smooth.... good enough to drink.

Cabernet Sauvignon: Indomita Maipo Valley 2017 Chile (Bin 37) \$75

Elegant full bodied and complex, this extraordinary wine is produced from grapes grown in Vina Indomita in the renowned Maipo Valley. Ripe berry, Cassis and Butterscotch aromas and Vanilla oak characters.

<u>Châteauneuf-du-Pape:</u> Clos Saint Jean France (Bin 38) \$145

The 2015 Châteauneuf du Pape offers tons of black cherries, dried herbs, graphite and liquorice to go with sweet tannin, medium to full-bodied richness and no hard edges.

Tempranillo Shiraz Rose Kentish McLaren Vale (Bin 39) \$75

Earthy, Rich, elegant fruit flavours with fine, soft tannins. Rich blood plum, cherries, cigar-box spices and fine french oak to support this play on flavours. Tempranillo plays the hero in this sumptuous blend of Tempranillo and Shiraz

Nebbiolo Bricco Maiolica Italy (Bin 40) \$89

A young, elegant and soft wine for easy consumption Smooth flavour, fresh and delicate with mild tannins. Silky, lovely balance of acidity on the finish, fine tannins, medium-bodied, great length. Yummy.

Cabernet Merlot Rochford, Yarra Valley Victoria (Bin 41) \$69

Their winemaking philosophy is to produce the best fruit possible in the vineyard and allow the wines to express the individuality of the vineyard and each growing season. The grapes for this wine were handpicked.

Shiraz: Woodstock, Pilots View, McLaren Vale S/A (Bin 42) \$75

This combination of sandy soils and natural acids creates animated floral aromas in Shiraz. With traditional winemaking and careful barrel selection, the supple tannins are well integrated and support the juicy Shiraz flavours

Grenache Shiraz Mitolo 7Th Son, McLaren Vale, S/A (Bin 43) \$80

The Grenache portion, sourced from old bush vines off the sands of Blewitt Springs, provides rustic, lighter, earthier flavours than the fruit forward, softer Shiraz portion sourced from the Lopresti vineyards. When blended together though these opposites provide a great foil for each other, creating a complex and intriguing wine.

Pinot Noir Reserve Milton Tasmania 2015 (Bin 44) \$120

This is the first Dunbabin Family Reserve – with 40% whole bunch in the pressings and longer selected barrel time. Smooth and savoury with rich plum and dark cherry fruit, soft spice and earthiness. Very seductive and sophisticated, best with food.

Meerlust Red: Stellenbosch South Africa 2013 (Bin 45) \$120

Quality "Bordeaux" blend from South Africa. Aromatic nose showing ripe black fruit, spices, chocolate and cigar box. When you need a good rich deep wine, this is the one. A little spicy which makes it very appealing.

Flor De Pingus: Spanish Shiraz 2012 (Bin 46) \$200

Vivid ruby. Heady aromas of fresh blackberry, boysenberry and smoky minerals are complicated by pungent hints of vanilla, violet and allspice. Lush, intensely flavoured and focused, offering deep dark berry and cherry compote flavours and a suave spice cake nuance.

Malbec Pampas Del Sur Argentina (Bin 47) \$79

Medium bodied from Mendoza, Argentina - Intensely fruity aromas of cherry, raspberries and plum marmalade with subtle notes of spice. The lively freshness of the fruit combines with oak aging for an energetic balance. Great with Lamb or beef.

<u>Pinot Noir:</u> Auntsfield New Zealand 2016 (Bin 48) \$85

Made and grown at Auntsfield Estate on the ancient Greywacke and Loess clay soils of the region. Dark cherry, blackberry, Plum and aromas of dark chocolate

Châteauneuf-du-Pape: Les Escondudes France (Bin 49) \$110

A wonderful Chateauneuf-du-Pape made from 100% Grenache, special for this type of wine. The name "Escondudes" comes from the Spanish word "Escondidas" (meaning hidden) in reference to the little hidden valley where the vineyard of **Domaine Les Escondudes** is situated

Shiraz Merlot Cabernet: The Ball Buster, Barossa Valley (Bin 50) \$60

A mostly Shiraz wine with inclusions of Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon this big flavoured red is produced from a blend of 80% Shiraz, 12% Merlot and 8% Cabernet Sauvignon. Velvet smooth tannin structure. Long generous aftertaste of spicy ripe blackberries, liquorice, dark plums and chocolatey vanillin oak.