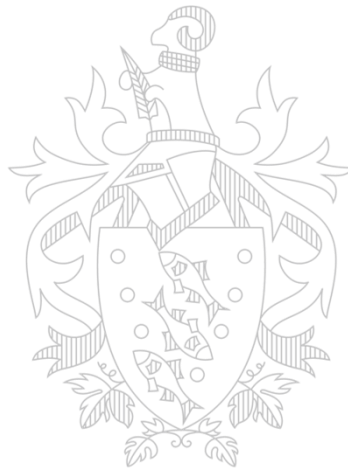


THE
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at BROOKDALE

THE WINE LIST

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ABOUT OUR WINE LIST

Our wine list is a work-in-progress, and hopefully it will never be complete. We have carefully selected wines from various regions which are a wonderful reflection of some of the best South African wines available. Ask us if you have any questions, would like a suggestion, or should you wish to have your wine decanted for your meal. We trust that you will experience a genuine wine adventure that will elevate your dining experience.

The descriptions of each wine are from those of the winemaker behind each bottle.

Stay curious...

Kindly note that vintages are subject to change / No corkage offered



BROOKDALE WINES

Our approach in the cellar is... unconventional. With proprietor Tim Rudd offering sage advice, and Xander Sadie and Shanice du Preez at the helm, the Brookdale Estate winemaking team is as creative as they are unpredictable.

Here, formulas are thrown out the window. We embrace harvest-specific and site-specific practices within the Paarl Wine Valley. We explore techniques in varying combinations as we search for the right approach for each block, vine and year. It's a continual process of experimentation and discovery as we investigate our curiosity and test new theories. What you can be sure of is quality with each wine we release. As passionate wine enthusiasts with an outstanding vineyard with which to try new things, our primary goal is to produce extraordinary wines - vintage after vintage.

BROOKDALE RANGE

Brookdale Chenin Blanc Old Vine

R 525 bt

Unmasked, crushed stones ride a wave of white citrus. On the palate, the sensational white fruit continues. The mineral structure presents vertical and endless, enlivened by soft buoyant acids and a mouth-coating citrus purity. The finish is luminous, with a real granitic freshness.

Brookdale 'Bradbourne'

R 525 bt

Clean aromas of Asian pear, white honey, blossom and crushed chalk. Textured and detailed, the palate has a floaty feel, like club soda. Young quince, apples and melon abound, curving along a line of salted butterscotch to a deeper shade of waxy honeycomb.

Brookdale Sixteen 'Field Blend'

R 565 bt

A celebration of the lost art of field blend winemaking; 16 white varieties were planted as bush vines and harvested with many different passes. The wine is aromatically diverse, and the palate offers concentrated, mineral stone fruits evolving to nectarines and ripe citrus.

“WE ARE ALL MORTAL UNTIL THE FIRST KISS AND THE
SECOND GLASS OF WINE.”

— Eduardo Galeano



MASON ROAD WINES

The northern boundary of Brookdale Estate is set along the old Mason Road, used for centuries to carry post, news, and messages from the valleys and kloofs of the Limietberg to the coast.

The Mason Road wines continue this legacy with a story held in every bottle. Medium-bodied with revitalising freshness alongside full fruit flavours as a result of the warm climate and cool mountain breeze, the Mason Road range is lovingly harvested and shaped in the cellar. Each vintage is a discovery of terroir with a focus on minimal intervention embracing harvest-specific and site-specific practices. We believe in freedom of expression – expression that is, of fruit!

MASON ROAD RANGE

Mason Road Sauvignon Blanc	R 195 bt
Translucent, pale straw colour. An expressive bouquet of gooseberry, passion fruit, pineapple, white peach and hints of lime citrus leads to a gentle palate that is both savoury and creamy.	R 50 gls
Mason Road Serendipity Rosé	R 448 mag
A Provence-style rosé blend from Syrah, Grenache Noir and Cinsault with a pale salmon pink colour. Elegant, balanced, with bright fruit concentration.	R 230 bt R 60 gls
Mason Road Chenin Blanc	R 240 bt
Fragrant and inviting, the wine opens with honeysuckle and pear drop, evolving to an electric current of tropicality, like an island storm.	R 65 gls
Mason Road Syrah	R 255 bt
A bright red core with red fruit flavours of raspberry, peach pith & hints of vanilla. Medium bodied with layers of fragrant violet & spicy notes of cloves & pepper.	R 70 gls
Mason Road GSM	R 255 bt
A fragrant wine boasting aromas of blackcurrant & violets with a rich & full mouthfeel and soft & velvety tannins finishing off a soft, round texture.	R 70 gls
Mason Road Cap Classique	R 395 bt
A classic blend of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir with inviting aromas of bright fruit, Granny Smith apple, hints of citrus and brioche, rounded off with a fine mousse.	R 80 gls



CAP CLASSIQUE

In 1971 the first “Sparkling Wine” in South Africa was released by the Simonsig Estate. This heralded an exciting new phase in South African wine making circles.

In 1992 a group of like-minded South African winemakers who had a passion for bottle fermented Sparkling wine, made according to the traditional Champenoise Méthode, joined forces to form the Cap Classique Producers Association. The Association’s vision in two-fold was to promote South Africa’s premium Cap Classique wines (CC) and to ensure that CC becomes the beloved term for these wines, which will enable them to take their rightful place on the world stage.

CAP CLASSIQUE SELECTION

Mason Road Cap Classique R 395 bt

A classic blend of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir with inviting aromas of bright fruit, Granny Smith apple, hints of citrus and brioche, rounded off with a fine mousse. R 80 gls

Graham Beck Brut R 650 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape

This delightful sparkling wine exudes light yeasty aromas, limey fresh fruit on the nose, and rich creamy complexity on the palate.

Domaine des Dieux ‘Claudia’ R 840 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape

Apple and creamy lemon curd notes mingle with a hint of perfumed red berries. The wine is keenly balanced with a long finish of citrus fruits and toasty brioche notes.

Domaine des Dieux ‘Rose of Sharon’ Rosé R 840 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape

Strawberry, black cherry, raspberry notes jump out of the glass with a hint of rose water in the background. Tantalising balance and generosity of fruit make this a great apéritif and food wine.

I ONLY DRINK CHAMPAGNE WHEN I’M HAPPY, AND WHEN I’M
SAD. SOMETIMES I DRINK IT WHEN I’M ALONE. WHEN I HAVE
COMPANY, I CONSIDER IT OBLIGATORY.
I TRIFLE WITH IT IF I AM NOT HUNGRY AND DRINK IT WHEN I
AM. OTHERWISE I NEVER TOUCH IT – UNLESS I’M THIRSTY.”

White Wines

CHARDONNAY

Probably one of the most popular white wines in the world – well liked for its combination of versatility and classicism. It is a noble variety from which the famous white wines of Burgundy are made. Cape winemakers increasingly use it as the basis of Cap Classique sparkling wines.

Full-bodied Chardonnays go especially well with creamy dishes, poultry, and most types of fish. Medium-bodied Chardonnays can be enjoyed with smoked salmon, terrines and cheese.

CHARDONNAY SELECTION

Weltevrede ‘Calcrete’ – Unwooded R 400 bt

ORIGIN: Robertson | WINEMAKER: Philip Jonker

Described as elegant, linear, and minimalist. Bright, vibrant and limey. Luminescent light lime-green radiance.

Kara-Tara R 620 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape | WINEMAKER: Rüdger van Wyk

This is not an area typically associated with fine Chardonnay, but this 40-year-old vineyard produces grapes with great flavour and intensity.

Capensis ‘Silene’ R 950 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Graham Weerts

A blend of our estate Fijnbosch vineyard and neighbouring mountain vineyards, the 2022 Silene offers alluring notes of lemon-lime, peach and citrus blossom, carried by a bright salinity and richly textured, mineral finish.

Storm ‘Ridge’ R 1950 bt

ORIGIN: Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge | WINEMAKER: Hannes Storm

Storm Ridge Chardonnay 2022 is a classically styled expression, taught, tight and chiselled – a medley of nectarine and citrus fruit with a refreshing, persistent finish.



CHARDONNAY SELECTION continued

Richard Kershaw (MW)

R 2200 bt

ORIGIN: Elgin | WINEMAKER: Richard Kershaw

Restrained, mineral style focused on elegance with a white fruit character, some oatmeal and some complexity gained from percipient applied wood.

“DRINKING GOOD WINE WITH GOOD FOOD IN GOOD COMPANY IS ONE OF LIFE’S MOST CIVILISED PLEASURES.”

— Michael Broadben



CHENIN BLANC

It's hard not to love Chenin Blanc. In fact, this variety is the most widely grown in South Africa. It is versatile in style and sweetness and has the ability to be crafted into dry summer wines, more full-bodied oak-aged wines and even sparkling wines.

Here at Brookdale Estate, Chenin Blanc forms the cornerstone of our wine range. Our property is home to a Certified Heritage Vineyard and this Old Vine block of Chenin Blanc is now roughly 39 years old. Chenin Blanc will pair well with mild to spicy dishes, seafood and white meat.

CHENIN BLANC SELECTION

Mason Road Chenin Blanc

R 240 bt

ORIGIN: Paarl | WINEMAKER: Kiara Scott Farmer

Fragrant and inviting, the wine opens with honeysuckle and pear drop, evolving to an electric current of tropicality, like an island storm.

Brookdale Chenin Blanc Old Vine

R 525 bt

ORIGIN: Paarl | WINEMAKER: Kiara Scott Farmer

Unmasked, crushed stones ride a wave of white citrus. On the palate, the sensational white fruit continues. The mineral structure presents vertical and endless, enlivened by soft buoyant acids and a mouth-coating citrus purity.

The finish is luminous, with a real granitic freshness.

Alheit Wines 'Cartology'

R 1500 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape | WINEMAKER: Chris & Susan Alheit

Kumquat citrus, sweet oatmeal and honey, maybe elderflower. The palate is fine and bright, reminiscent of salty/sweet, candied lemon, great length.



COLOMBARD

Colombard is a white French grape variety that is the offspring of Chenin Blanc and Gouais Blanc. It is known for the production of distilled wines, such as Brandy and Cognac.

It produces wines with fresh, crisp and fruity flavours that pair excellently with light dishes from salads to sushi.

COLOMBARD SELECTION

Naude 'Langpad' Old Vines

R 930 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape | WINEMAKER: Ian Naude

A classically presented cultivar, beginning with a gorgeous white crisp peach and pear on the nose, and finishing with that saline salty freshness.

RIESLING

Originating in Germany's Rhine region, Riesling is an aromatic white variety with pronounced acidity. The wines are expressive of their terroir and tend to be unwooded, exhibiting minerality, flower blossoms, apple, lime, nectarine, and beeswax, and developing notes of honey, nut, and petrol as they age. Styles vary from dry to dessert-style wines.

Of all the classic white varieties, it is most notable for its longevity, developing extraordinary complexity in the bottle over many years and maintaining that peak performance for many more. Enjoy with lightly spiced dishes and fruity desserts.

RIESLING SELECTION

Sauerwein 'Chi'

R 595 bt

ORIGIN: Elgin | WINEMAKER: Jessica Sauerwein

Fragrant citrus blossom, green melon, yellow stone fruits, white pear, ginger, Pina colada, honeysuckle and finishes with a flinty, cool earth lick.



ROUSSANNE

Roussanne is a late-ripening variety that produces powerful white wines that offer perfume-featuring scents of fresh flowers, peaches, herbs, pears, spice, roasted nuts and hints of pepper. Wines produced from Roussanne are typically rich and can even develop a silky, exotic, oily texture.

Roussanne-based wines are best enjoyed either within the first few years of bottling or after they have been cellared for 10 to 20 years. In the years in between, the wines typically enter a closed period where their flavours and aromatics are difficult to find.

ROUSSANNE SELECTION

The Foundry

R 640 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Chris Williams & James Reid

Distinct and intense aromas of wildflowers, oatmeal, and lemon cream. The palate is lively and intense with quince and yellow apple flavours, hints of spice and pleasant acidity.



SAUVIGNON BLANC

Certainly, this variety is often considered to be one of the most fashionable wines in “The New World”. The Loire Valley is its home, where it established the reputation for racy white wines. With distinctive fruity flavours and crisp green freshness, this varietal will better suit lighter dishes such as fresh fish and seafood salads.

SAUVIGNON BLANC SELECTION

Mason Road Sauvignon Blanc

R 195 bt

ORIGIN: Paarl | WINEMAKER: Kiara Scott Farmer

Translucent, pale straw colour. An expressive bouquet of gooseberry, passion fruit, pineapple, white peach and hints of lime citrus leads to a gentle palate that is both savoury and creamy.

Harry Hartman ‘Summer’

R 450 bt

ORIGIN: Elgin

Fresh, with crisp acidity this graceful, citrus led wine has aromas of green fruits and summer blossoms. Supported by a nice flinty structure.

Cape Point Reserve

R 670 bt

ORIGIN: Cape Town | WINEMAKER: Riandri Visser

An elegant representation of our unique terroir, with hints of floral spice, cardamom, and white pepper. The generous fruit profile showcases lemon, tangerine, and ripe nectarines.



SÉMILLON

Sémillon is one of the first grape varieties brought from Europe to the Cape. It once dominated the South African vineyards – to the tune of 90% in the 1820s. It now takes up less than one per cent of total vineyard surface.

This is largely due to sheer ignorance of this noble variety's identity and provenance. It makes for a great accompaniment to any fish dish, particularly prawns and mussels.

SÉMILLON SELECTION

De Kleine Wijn Koöp 'Debutant'

R 600 bt

ORIGIN: Franschhoek | WINEMAKER: Wynand Grobler

A lovely semillon with characteristics of fruit, white florals, and beeswax. Its weight and texture allow it to stand up to a variety of dishes, but seared scallops, shrimp, and other richer seafood dishes work beautifully with it.

Radford Dale 'Revelation'

R 1360 bt

ORIGIN: Elgin | WINEMAKER: Jacques de Klerk

This organic wine is a harmonious combination of lemon, grapefruit, and cape gooseberry flavours, complemented by delicate floral notes and an emergence of stone dust.



VIOGNIER

This variety is not widely planted in South Africa. Throughout the rest of the world, it is a rare but fashionable cultivar, found mainly in the Rhône Valley in France. It produces a full-bodied wine and is often wood-matured. Viognier will go well with Chinese and Vietnamese cuisines as well as seafood in creamy sauces.

VIOGNIER SELECTION

Lismore 'Age of Grace'

R 650 bt

ORIGIN: Cape South Coast | WINEMAKER: Samantha O'Keefe

Primary Viognier aromas of ripe peach, apricot and later Jasmine flower. Fresh, rich mouth filling palate infused with white stone pip flavours and spices.



WHITE BLENDS

Winemakers explore many different styles of blended, white wine making in South Africa. The result is that the wines are both interesting and challenging. Often you will discover something completely new. Lighter styles pair well with salmon, sushi, soft cheeses and lemon. Heavier styles pair well with creamy sauces, white meats and fish.

WHITE BLEND SELECTION

Brookdale 'Bradbourne' R 525 bt

ORIGIN: Paarl | WINEMAKER: Kiara Scott Farmer

Clean aromas of Asian pear, white honey, blossom and crushed chalk. Textured and detailed, the palate has a floaty feel, like club soda. Young quince, apples and melon abound, curving along a line of salted butterscotch to a deeper shade of waxy honeycomb.

Brookdale Sixteen 'Field Blend' R 565 bt

ORIGIN: Paarl | WINEMAKER: Kiara Scott Farmer

A celebration of the lost art of field blend winemaking; 16 white varietals were planted as bush vines and harvested with many different passes. The wine is aromatically diverse, and the palate offers concentrated, minerally stone fruits evolving to nectarines and ripe citrus.

Lourens Family Wines 'Lindi Carien' R 995 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape | WINEMAKER: Franco Lourens

A blend of Verdelho, Chenin Blanc, Colombar, Grenache Blanc & Palamino

Beautifully textured wine. Rich and morish yet lean with a perfect acid balance. We love the layers of spice shining through.

Thorne & Daughters 'Rocking Horse' R 875 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape | WINEMAKER: John Seccombe

A blend of Roussanne, Sémillon Blanc, Chardonnay, Chenin Blanc & Clairette Blanc

Wild honey and nut brittle aromas on the nose lead into a rounded, intense palate of honeybush, yellow plums.



Red Wines

CABERNET FRANC

Cabernet Franc, the “baby Cabernet”, is a black grape variety originating in France and is similar in character to Cabernet Sauvignon. Although generally lighter in tannins and body, it possesses many similar flavours including black cherry, cassis, chocolate, vanilla, spice and cloves.

Cabernet Franc is more likely to have a bell-pepper aroma or flavour. Because it mellows and matures faster than Cabernet Sauvignon, it is often used in blending heavier Cabernets. The wine will pair well with savoury mince and braised beef.

CABERNET FRANC SELECTION

Raats ‘Dolomite’

R600 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Jasper Raats

The wine expresses great purity of fruit and balanced elegance, succulent red fruits coupled with a beautifully smoky mineral quality.

“WINE IS BOTTLED POETRY.”

– Robert Louis Stevenson



CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Cabernet is King! The Cape's sure success with Cabernet Sauvignon soon gave rise to consideration of the potential to make the type of blend that gave Bordeaux its star status. In the early 1980s, this classic tradition of combining Cabernet Sauvignon with Merlot and Cabernet Franc resulted in what is still loosely referred to as "Bordeaux-Style" red blends. Together, they make magic! Fuller styles cope well with richer types of food, meaty casseroles and lamb.

CABERNET SAUVIGNON SELECTION

Boschkloof R 490 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Reenen Borman

A full-bodied, oak matured red wine with intense deep ruby black colour. Ripe plum, herb, chocolate and complex toasty oak bouquet.

Starke Conde R 930 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Jose Conde

The palate is rich and polished with dark fruit, mocha flavours and with a delicately balanced acidity. It has a long finish with fine grain tannins at the end.

Mooiplaas 'Tabakland' Reserve R 1720 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Bertus Basson & Louis Roos

Pitch black colour, fruitcake nose with dark cassis and liquorice. Tannin still tight at this stage, which is to be expected. Fine concentration and good length.



CINSAULT

Cinsault is a French red-grape variety, traditionally used in the Southern Rhône blend as a partner to Grenache, Syrah and Mourvèdre. Also known as Cinsault without the "l", the variety has developed hundreds of synonyms owing to a wide distribution and over four centuries of cultivation. Despite a decline in plantings over the past decade, with stylistic trends moving towards lighter wines, Cinsault has been receiving fresh attention.

CINSAULT SELECTION

Van Loggerenberg ‘Geronimo’

R 800 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Lukas van Loggerenberg

Sweet fruit character follows through on the palate. Medium body with elegant palate weight. Finish: soft tannin with a refreshing flinty minerality.

Savage Wines ‘Follow the Line’

R 1000 bt

ORIGIN: Darling | WINEMAKER: Duncan Savage

Deep, dark and very serious on the nose, boasting layers of cranberries, dried strawberries, red currants and subtle perfumed hints of rose petals and violets.



GRENACHE

The unmistakable candied fruit roll-up and cinnamon flavour is what gives Grenache away to expert blind tasters. It has a medium-bodied taste due to its higher alcohol but has a deceptively lighter colour and is semi-translucent. Depending on where it's grown, Grenache often has subtle aromas of orange rinds and ruby-red grapefruit. When Grenache is grown in Old World regions such as the Côtes du Rhône and Sardinia, it can have herbal notes of dried oregano and tobacco.

GRENACHE SELECTION

Tempel 'Skemerdans'

R 900 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape | WINEMAKER: Neil Marais

Packed with juicy red berry fruit, perfume, exotic spices and a hint of citrus. A vibrant line of acidity follows through on the palate with a light fresh lingering finish.

Ian Naude

R 1050 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape | WINEMAKER: Ian Naude

The palate shows a fine sleek medium bodied texture. Impressive, delicious and expressive wild strawberry, bramble berries and subtle sappy peppery spice on the finish.

MALBEC

Malbec is a purple grape variety used in making red wine. The grapes tend to have an inky, dark colour and robust tannins and are known as one of the six grapes allowed in the blend of red Bordeaux wine, contributing dark fruit, chocolate and tobacco aromas.

MALBEC SELECTION

Doolhof 'Signatures' Single Vineyard

R 750 bt

ORIGIN: Limietberg | WINEMAKER: Gielie Beukus

The wine expresses great purity of fruit and balanced elegance, succulent red fruits coupled with a beautifully smoked mineral quality.



MERLOT

All of the characteristics that make Merlot so masterfully complementary to Cabernet Sauvignon mark it a great solo act too. It is the “feminine” counterpart to Cabernet’s “masculinity”, filling out its partner’s almost austere structure with fleshy fruit, soft acids, silky tannins and accessible drinkability. The wine will pair well with game and steak.

MERLOT SELECTION

Van Loggerenberg ‘Break a Leg’

R 440 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Lukas van Loggerenberg

A full-bodied, oak matured red wine with intense deep ruby black colour. Ripe plum, herb, chocolate, and complex toasty oak bouquet.

Shannon ‘Mount Bullet’

R 1550 bt

ORIGIN: Elgin | WINEMAKER: Gordon & Nadia Newton John

The wine has a fragrance of ripe red fruits such as plums and dark cherries, with earthy complexity and yet still expressing minerality.



PINOTAGE

Developed by Prof. Abraham Perold in 1925, Pinotage is the result of a cross between Pinot Noir and Cinsault (then known as Hermitage). The wine boasts the truly distinctive sweetness of red berry fruit with a characteristic banana-like aroma and flavour best with game, roasts, ostrich and smoked snoek.

PINOTAGE SELECTION

Lievland Bushvine

R 520 bt

ORIGIN: Coastal Region | WINEMAKER: Riaan Möller

This Pinotage is made in a modern, elegant style that emphasizes the softer, Pinot Noir-like characteristics of Pinotage. Ample red fruit and a delicious savoury note.

Doolhof Single Vineyard

R 750 bt

ORIGIN: Limietberg | WINEMAKER: Gielie Beukus

Deep crimson in colour with aromas of clove, vanilla, blackberries, and sweet spice on the nose. The palate is rich, full, and vibrant with juicy, yet elegantly soft tannins which linger to an elegant and long finish.



PINOT NOIR

Unpredictable in the vineyard, difficult in the cellar, Pinot Noir is nevertheless able to make one of the world's greatest red wines. Pinot Noir is like a ballerina, fine-tuned and "en pointe". It has a rare fluidity, a delicacy, a beguiling beauty that belies an underlying power and structural strength, responsible for an unexpected ability to age. This variety pairs well with most foods.

PINOT NOIR SELECTION

La Brune 'The Valley'

R 620 bt

ORIGIN: Elgin | WINEMAKER: Nico Grobbelaar

Perfumed, orange peel and strawberry. Notes of forest floor and mushroom. Linear, tight with a mineral core coated with some beautiful texture and red fruit and a long pure finish.

Storm 'Ridge'

R 1950 bt

ORIGIN: Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge | WINEMAKER: Hannes Storm

Dense and perfumed showing floral scents, spice, red cherry and raspberry fruit, savoury tannins and focused acidity.



SHIRAZ/SYRAH

Shiraz is often underrated and understated, but Cape Shiraz offers wine lovers' unplumbed depths of pleasure. The range of Shiraz styles in the Cape are evidence of this grape's generous bounty. Its response to wood extends the flavours even further; with winemakers enhancing its soft sweetness with the vanillin imparted by American Oak. Others believe in classic French Oak to balance its rich fruit and savoury spiciness. Accompany with red meat dishes with sweet and spicy overtones.

SHIRAZ SELECTION

Mason Road Syrah R 255 bt

ORIGIN: Paarl | WINEMAKER: Kiara Scott Farmer

A bright red core with red fruit flavours of raspberry, peach pith & hints of vanilla. Medium bodied with layers of fragrant violet & spicy notes of cloves & pepper.

Trizanne 'Signature' Wines R 420 bt

ORIGIN: Swartland | WINEMAKER: Trizanne Barnard

Beautifully expressive in the glass with aromas of blackberry, currant, garrigue and white pepper. Palate is medium-bodied and intense.

Beau Constantia 'Stella' R 1050 bt

ORIGIN: Constantia | WINEMAKER: Megan van der Merwe

Viognier is interplanted within the Syrah vineyard. The Viognier is harvested golden and slightly raisined due to its extended hangtime, perfectly complimenting the spicy Syrah.

Savage Wines 'Savage Red' R 1000 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Duncan Savage

The medium-weighted palate is bright and juicy, with a crushed-satin texture thanks to ample acidity and structured, yet fine tannins.

Boschkloof 'Epilogue' R 2350 bt

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch | WINEMAKER: Reenen Borman

Loaded with perfumed lavender combined with hints of oak spices. The true beauty of this wine is firm with a fine tannin structure.



TINTA BAROCCA

Tinta Barocca (sometimes Tinta Baroca) is one of the most common red wine varieties in the Douro Valley of northern Portugal. It is used most often to make Port, an application to which it is particularly well-suited, as the grapes' naturally high sugar levels (and correspondingly high potential alcohol) make them extremely useful for fortified wine production.

TINTA BAROCCA SELECTION

Sadie Family Wines 'Treinspoor'

R 1700 bt

ORIGIN: Swartland | WINEMAKER: Eben Sadie

Presents a crisp, well-defined bouquet of blackberry, briar and wild fennel scents, gaining intensity all the time in the glass.

“WINE AND FRIENDS ARE A
GREAT BLEND.”

– Ernest Heming



RED BLENDS

Many of the great wines of the world are a blend of more than one grape variety. The finest old-world examples include Bordeaux and Chateauf-du-Pape. The wines below represent some of the finest interpretations of the red blend in South African blends. Savoury dishes, game, mushrooms, beef braised in ale and pan-fried lamb chops make a great pairing.

RED BLEND SELECTION

Mason Road GSM R 255 bt

ORIGIN: Paarl | WINEMAKER: Kiara Scott Farmer

A blend of Grenache, Syrah & Mourvèdre

A fragrant wine boasting aromas of blackcurrant & violets with a rich & full mouthfeel and soft & velvety tannins finishing off a soft, round texture.

Nitida 'Calligraphy' R 710 bt

ORIGIN: Durbanville | WINEMAKER: Etienne Louw

A blend of Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Malbec, Petit Verdot & Cabernet Franc.

A harmonious composition, melodies of luscious red fruit, rich dark chocolate and warm sticky toffee pudding.

Lourens Family 'Howard John' R 760 bt

ORIGIN: Swartland | WINEMAKER: Franco Lourens

A blend of Grenache Noir, Cinsault & Syrah

Supple, rounded and elegant, but with lots of flavour. Sweet cherries, olives and pepper. Juicy and lively with a nice damson twist on the finish.

Thorne & Daughters 'Wanderers Heart' R 870 bt

ORIGIN: Western Cape | WINEMAKER: John Seccombe

A blend of Syrah, Grenache Noir, Mourvèdre & Carignan.

Focused with red cherries, violets, and cinnamon on the nose.

The tannins are supple and integrated into a palate of red currants and black cardamom.



Dessert Wines

PORT

Portugal's flagship; an aged, sweet, fortified wine that comes in a wide range of styles, largely based on ageing techniques. Commonly seen styles include Ruby and Tawny. Port wine pairs wonderfully with richly-flavoured cheeses, chocolate and caramel desserts, salted and smoked nuts and even sweet-smoky meats.

CAPE PORT SELECTION

De Krans Cape Tawny

ORIGIN: Calitzdorp | WINEMAKER: Boets & Stroebel Nel,
Christoff de Wet

Elegant with aged flavours of caramel, toffee, roasted
nuts and fruitcake. Enjoyed best on its own by the
fireplace, or with baked winter puddings or a selection
of cheeses.

R 44 gls

STRAW WINE

Straw wines are made from grapes that have been dried in the sun on straw mats before they are pressed. The technique dates to pre-Roman times. Straw wines are typically sweet to very sweet white wines, similar in density and sweetness to Sauternes and capable of long life.

STRAW WINE SELECTION

Tierhoek (375ml)

R 790 bt

ORIGIN: Piekenierskloof | WINEMAKER: Roger Burton

The nose has a complex, enticing blend of dried
peaches, apricots and marmalade. The palate is balanced
by a clean, fresh and very long finish of dried apricots.

R 114 gls

“WINE IMPROVES WITH AGE. THE OLDER I GET, THE MORE
I LIKE IT.” – Tim Rudd



Beverages

HOT DRINKS

Cappuccino	R 44
Red Cappuccino	R 49
Double Espresso	R 36
Latte	R 40
Americano	R 40
Flat White	R 44
Tea	R 30

SOFT DRINKS - 200ml

Red Grapetiser	R 55
Coke	R 30
Coke Zero	R 30
Fitch & Leeds Tonic	R 33
Fitch & Leeds Lemonade	R 33
Fitch & Leeds Ginger Ale	R 30
Fitch & Leeds Dry Lemon	R 33
Fitch & Leeds Pink Tonic	R 33
Fitch & Leeds Soda Water	R 33

CORDIALS

Roses Kola Tonic	R 10
Roses Lime	R 10
Roses Passion Fruit	R 10

WATER

Brookdale still water – 1L	R 50
Brookdale sparkling water – 1L	R 50



BEER

Windhoek lager	R 54
Castle light	R 45
Heineken	R 48
Heineken Non-Alcoholic	R 48
Savanah	R 55
Savanna Non-Alcoholic	R 55
Devils Peak Zero	R 50

BRANDIES

KWV 3-year	R 29
KWV 5-year	R 32
Oude Molen VSOP	R 90

VODKA

Wyborowa	R 30
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WHISKEY

Bains Single Grain	R 40
Jameson	R 45
Johnny Walker Black	R 50
Talisker Single Malt	R 110

GIN

Inverroche 'Classic' Gin	R 55
Inverroche 'Amber'	R 55

TEQUILA

El Jimador Blanco	R 60
Olmeca	R 42



OTHER

Amarula	R 34
Aperol	R 40
Jägermeister	R 38
Campari	R 45
Martini Dry	R 27
Martini Rosso	R 27
Bacardi Carte Blanca	R 32
Bacardi Spice	R 30
Grappa	R 76



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