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ORGANIC WINES

ALL PRICES LISTED AS DOZEN BOTTLE PRICE
FREE ON TIME DELIVERY (MINIMUM ONE CASE OF WINE)
TRADING HOURS: MONDAY TO SATURDAY 9am-9pm SUNDAY 11am-7pm
TUBS ICE CORPORATE ACCOUNTS WINE COURSES



BIODYNAMIC WINES

WINTER BROCHURE 2018

Winter is here, and we have a raft of new arrivals, tastings, and dinners to see people through the cooler months. Don't be afraid to stick to the whites – Chardonnay & roast chook or Riesling & pork belly spring to mind. Many though are heading into red wine hibernation mode. We've got you covered here, from elegant Pinot Noir to blockbuster Shiraz and everything in between (including a large selection of imported wines from Italy, France, Spain and beyond). **FWC.**



BINDI

"One of the icons of Macedon. The Chardonnay is top shelf, the Pinot Noir as remarkable (albeit in a very different idiom) as Bass Phillip, Giaconda or any of the other tiny production icon wines. The addition of Heathcote-sourced Shiraz under the Pyrette label confirms Bindi as one of the greatest small producers in Australia." **James Halliday.**

Over the past year, I have enjoyed many standout bottles of aged Bindi wine. Served recently the 2008 Bindi Quartz was a magnificent wine – one of the best Australian chardonnays I have ever had; mature yet with another decade of giving in it. The 2004 Bindi Block 5 pinot noir – quite a power pack and although superb I would recommend leaving it a few years longer. The dark horse has been both the 2006 and 2007 Composition Pinot Noir (now labelled Dixon); these two vintages have matured beautifully and most other producers would be very happy for this to be their top wine. Lighter than block 5 or Original Vineyard, yet perfect intensity and very long and complex. Alas I have drunk most of this wine too young. Likewise older composition chardonnays are great drinking. All the wines and the Bindi style have more acidity than most other producers and this greatly enhances their longevity. **Ian Cook.**

BINDI 'KOSTAS RIND' CHARDONNAY 2017

MACEDON, VICTORIA

Single Bottle Price: \$66.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$60.00

This wine spent 11 months in barrel on yeast lees. As is normal, each barrel was filled directly from the press tray and a small amount of So2 was added. The wild yeast generally takes four days to begin to ferment the sugars and most barrels took five to six weeks to complete the fermentation. The wine is fresh and vibrant with typical aromas of white

flowers, citrus and spice. It is also gently mealy and creamy despite the vitality and energy. The palate is zesty, balanced, textured, long and chalky. With air the nose becomes richer and more vibrant and the palate becomes more intense. These are good signs and we know that given twelve months in bottle, or more, increased complexity, texture and flow will develop. Recent openings of these wines from the mid-2000s to 2012 suggest five to ten years is a good time to see the wine at its best.

BINDI 'DIXON' PINOT NOIR 2017

MACEDON, VICTORIA

Single Bottle Price: \$62.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$54.00

The 2017 Dixon spent 11 months in barrel and was bottled in late February. It is spicy and pure in red fruits and shows finesse of fruit and depth of earthy and savoury elements. The palate is harmonious and highlighted by supple fruit, freshness and persistent tannins. It is notable for the beautiful perfume it exhibits. With air it becomes even more fragrant and the structure builds. Some recent bottles enjoyed, going back to 2006, show that the delicious and seductive characteristics these wines show when young are no barrier to ageing positively and delivering a compelling and vibrant wine at a decade of age.

BINDI 'PYRETTE' SHIRAZ 2016

HEATHCOTE, VICTORIA

Single Bottle Price: \$40.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$36.00

The 2016 Shiraz is a little richer than previous seasons and we used a higher proportion of whole bunches in the fermentations in order to promote aromatic lift and vibrancy. The wine shows red and black berries and also some red and darker plum aromas. It has its usual earthiness and savoury elements. The palate is dry, firm, intense and full and it finishes tight and grippy. There is no doubt another three to five years will see more suppleness and creaminess develop. We have been drinking a few of these wines going back to the early 2000s and at about eight to twelve years of age it is an excellent time to enjoy them for their life and fruit combining with secondary complexity and elegant structure.

RIESLING

Mad Fish 2017	\$16.00
Jim Barry 'Watervale' 2017	\$17.00
David Franz 'Eden Edge' 2017	\$19.00
Leeuwin Estate 'Art Series' 2016	\$22.00
O'Leary Walker Polish Hill 2017 🌿	\$22.00
The Wilson Vineyard 'DJW' 2017	\$22.00
Pikes 'Traditionale' 2017	\$22.00
Jim Barry 'Lodge Hill' 2017	\$24.00
Muster 'Polish Hill' 2017	\$24.00
Von Buhl QBA Dry 2016 – Pfalz, Germany	\$25.00
Frankland Estate 2017	\$26.00
Crawford River 'Young Vines' 2017	\$28.00
Trimbach 2014 – Alsace, France	\$29.00
Pooley 2017	\$30.00
Stargazer 2017	\$33.00
Two Tonne Tasmania 2017	\$34.00
Henschke 'Julius' 2016/17 🌀	\$39.00
Crawford River 2016	\$42.00
KT 'Pedlidis' 2017	\$43.00
Jim Barry 'Florita' 2017	\$50.00
Moorilla Muse 2008 – aged release	\$54.00
Crawford River 'Reserve' 2006	\$89.00

FAVOURITE NEW RIESLING

MUSTER POLISH HILL RIESLING 2017

POLISH HILL, CLARE VALLEY, SA

Single Bottle Price: \$27.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$24.00



When this was first released late last year it looked shy and lean. Now it is bursting with electricity in the form of loads of lemon and lime zest, orange blossom and racy, refreshing mineral acidity. From a 480 metre high vineyard at the Northern end of Polish Hill, it gives a classic flavour at a terrific price. Summer may be behind us, yet there is plenty of Riesling drinking weather still to follow. Outstanding cellaring potential. **Ian Cook, FWC.**

SEMILLON

Peter Lehman 'Art n Soul' 2012	\$10.00
Genesis 2014	\$18.00
Andrew Thomas 'Braemore' 2017	\$31.00
Brokenwood 'Oakey Creek' 2009	\$49.00
Tyrrell's 'Johnno's Vineyard' 2017	\$65.00
Brokenwood ILR Reserve 2011	\$66.00

SAUVIGNON BLANC AND BLENDS

FWC Semillon/Sauvignon Blanc 2017	\$9.50
Parnasse Sauvignon Blanc 2016 – Languedoc, France	\$12.50
Skipjack Sauvignon Blanc 2017 – Marlborough, NZ	\$15.95
Hewitson Lulu Sauvignon Blanc 2018	\$20.00
Shaw & Smith Sauvignon Blanc 2017	\$27.00
Dog Point Sauvignon Blanc 2017 – Marlborough, NZ	\$27.00
Ata Rangi Sauvignon Blanc 2016 – Martinborough, NZ	\$28.00
Leeuwin 'Art Series' Sauvignon Blanc 2016	\$30.00
Grosset Semillon Sauvignon Blanc 2017	\$32.00
Moorilla 'Muse' Sauvignon Blanc 2016	\$34.00
Sorrenberg Sauvignon Blanc Semillon 2017 🌀	\$38.00
Reverdy Sancerre 2016 – Loire Valley, France	\$41.00
Mount Mary Triolet 2014	\$85.00

CHARDONNAY

Burns & Fuller 2016	\$11.90
Printhie 'Mountain Range' 2017	\$17.00
Scarborough 2015	\$22.00

Hoddles Creek 2016	\$22.50
Mandala 2016	\$25.00
Journey Wines 2016	\$29.00
Mac Forbes Yarra Valley 2017	\$29.00
Scorpo 'Aubaine' 2015	\$31.00
Bloodwood 2015	\$29.00
Bondar 2017	\$30.00
Bloodwood 'Schubert' 2015	\$34.00
Sailor Seeks Horse 2016	\$45.00
Bellwether 2014	\$47.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'Estate' 2016	\$48.00
Scorpo 'Eocene' 2015	\$49.00
Bindi 'Kostas Rind' 2017	\$60.00
Main Ridge 2015	\$62.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'McCutcheon' 2016	\$68.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'Wallis' 2016	\$68.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'Judd' 2016	\$68.00
By Farr 'Three Oaks' 2016	\$72.00
Leeuwin 'Art Series' 2015	\$105.00
Cullen 'Kevin John' 2015 🌀	\$110.00

FAVOURITE NEW CHARDONNAYS

BELLWETHER CHARDONNAY 2014

TAMAR VALLEY, TASMANIA

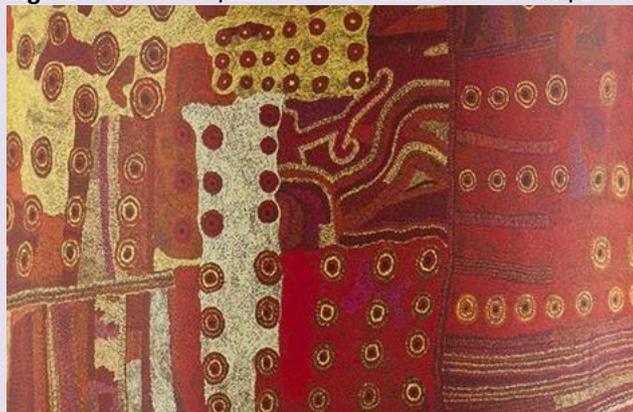
Single Bottle Price: \$52.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$47.00

Green apple, some meal and gun-smoke with underlying notes of flint and chalk. The acid is lively and tangy with great freshness and drive. The palate is full with meal, honey and nougat notes which are offset nicely by the flint and struck match character which balance the wine very nicely. We're really liking this – a great example of the quality of Chardonnay coming out of Tasmania. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

LEEWIN ESTATE 'ART SERIES' CHARDONNAY 2015

MARGARET RIVER, WA

Single Bottle Price: \$125.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$105.00



Label Artwork Above: Ginger Wikilyiri and Bernard Tjalkuri

There's no hiding that this is consistently one of our favourite Australian Chardonnays. This 2015 release is no different: a wine of many parts coming together in a rich yet layered and focused style. It seems slightly richer than the 2014 release but only marginally. The wine sees 100% new French oak for one year but is not put through malolactic fermentation in a deliberate move to retain crisp natural acidity to bring added brightness and crunch to the wine. It is then put in tank for 11 months to harmonise with gentle lees stirring used to enhance depth of flavour and bring about notes of meal, oat and biscuit which are all evident in the back half of the palate. These savoury notes will become more evident with age but for now the wine is all about ripe stone fruits (peach and nectarine) with definite grapefruit succulence that Margaret River is known so well for. Richness is further enhanced by pockets of melted butter and nougat. Deliciously, complex and super long. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

OTHER WHITES

Elefante Blanco 2016 – Castilla y Leon, Spain	\$13.00
Feudo Arancio Inzolia 2016 – Sicily, Italy	\$17.00
Mont Redon Blanc 2016 – Rhone Valley, France	\$20.00
Spinifex Lola 2017	\$23.00
Charquino Albarino 2016 – Rias Baixas, Spain	\$24.00
Cottanera 'Barbazzale' Bianco 2016 – Sicily, Italy	\$26.00
Pieropan Soave 2016 – Veneto, Italy	\$30.00
Riccitelli Torrontes 2017 – Mendoza, Argentina	\$31.50

Unico Zelo 'Slate Farm' Fiano 2017	\$31.50
Yeringberg Viognier 2015	\$42.00
Riccitelli Blanco de la Casa 2017 – Mendoza, Argentina	\$45.00
Lark Hill Gruner Veltliner 2016	\$48.00
Powell & Son Rousanne Marsanne 2017	\$52.00

FAVOURITE NEW PINOT GRIS

SCORPO PINOT GRIS

MORNINGTON PENINSULA, VICTORIA

Single Bottle Price: \$39.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$35.00



Label Art Above: Ildiko Kovacs: Oil on Card

There seems to be a trend developing in that Morning Peninsula keeps turning out the best Pinot Gris in Australia. Kooyong, Moorooduc and now this from Paul Scorpo. It perfectly fits the Gris style: lots of fruit weight showing nashi pear/pear rind, a hint of stone fruit and a completely dry and concentrated palate. It has the mouthfeel and texture reminiscent of high quality Pinot Gris coming out of Alsace, with primary fruit at the forefront of the style. A great achievement by Paul. **CHES COOK, FWC.**

PINOT GRIS & PINOT GRIGIO

Chasing Clouds Pinot Gris 2017	\$13.00
Printhie 'Mountain Range' Pinot Gris 2017	\$17.00
Paolovino Pinot Grigio 2016 – Veneto, Italy	\$19.00
Pikes 'Luccio' Pinot Grigio 2017	\$19.00
Pizzini Pinot Grigio 2017	\$19.00
Tiefenbrunner Pinot Grigio 2016 – Alto Adige, Italy	\$22.50
Far Ago Hill Pinot Gris 2016	\$30.00
Kooyong 'Beurrot' Pinot Gris 2017	\$30.00
Scorpo Pinot Gris 2016	\$35.00
Franz Haas Pinot Grigio 2016 – Alto Adige, Italy	\$41.00
Ata Rangi 'Lismore' Pinot Gris – Martinborough, NZ	\$42.00

FAVOURITE NEW SPARKLING

MOUNT MAJURA 'SILURIAN' SPARKLING 2016

CANBERRA, ACT

Single Bottle Price: \$34.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$30.00

Mt. Majura is a bit of a dark horse when it comes to Canberra producers. The Tempranillo gets the attention but the Silurian (when it is made – only in cooler vintages) is delicious. Chardonnay (75%) & pinot noir (25%) make up the blend; the chardonnay lending very fresh citrus and green apple fruit backed by a touch of mineral. Some time on lees and the use of a small proportion of older oak offer some creamy, yeasty complexity. Perfect aperitif style. **FWC.**

SPARKLING

FWC Brut Cuvée NV	\$9.50
Cielo Prosecco DOC Brut NV – Veneto, Italy	\$15.00
Yarra Burn NV	\$16.50
Lois Lane Blanc de Blancs NV	\$19.00
Reversanti DOC Prosecco NV	\$21.00
Croser NV	\$23.50
Les Petites Vignettes NV – last stocks	\$24.00
Canella Prosecco DOCG 2015	\$26.00
Cloudy Bay 'Pelorus' Brut NV	\$28.00
Mt Majura 'Silurian' 2016	\$30.00
Clover Hill Brut NV	\$30.00
Bests Sparkling Shiraz 2014	\$32.00
Stefano Lubiana Brut NV	\$33.00
Vietti Moscato d'Asti 2015	\$40.00
Bloodwood 'Chirac' 2009	\$48.00
Arras 'Grand Vintage' 2008	\$62.00
Joseph Sparkling Red NV	\$80.00

CHAMPAGNE

Piper-Heidsieck Brut NV	\$49.00
Mumm Cordon Rouge Brut NV	\$50.00
Fourny Vertus 1er Cru Blanc de Blancs Brut NV	\$60.00
Andre Clouet 'Silver' Brut Nature NV	\$62.00
Billecart-Salmon Brut NV	\$72.00
Pol Roger Brut NV	\$75.00
Roederer 'Premier' Brut NV	\$77.00
Andre Clouet Rosé Brut NV	\$77.00
Moet Vintage Brut 2006	\$89.00
Agrapart 'Terroirs' Blanc de Blancs NV	\$89.00
Ruinart Blanc de Blancs NV	\$105.00
Pol Roger Pure NV [Zero Dosage]	\$110.00
Egly-Ouriet Grand Cru Brut Tradition NV	\$140.00
Vouette & Sorbee Blanc d'Argile NV	\$150.00
Billecart-Salmon Brut NV MAGNUM	\$200.00
Egly-Ouriet VP Grand Cru NV	\$215.00
Egly-Ouriet Grand Cru Rosé NV	\$215.00
Dom Perignon 2009	\$250.00
Egly-Ouriet Grand Millesime 2007	\$290.00
Egly-Ouriet Blanc de Noirs Vieilles Vignes NV	\$330.00
Roederer Cristal 2009	\$340.00

FAVOURITE CHAMPAGNE

FOURNY & FILS 1ER CRU BLANC DE BLANCS NV

VERTUS, CHAMPAGNE, FRANCE

Single Bottle Price: \$68.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$60.00

Alongside André Clouet Silver Brut this is the best value Champagne in the shop. An absolute steal as part of a mixed dozen. **FWC.**

"Fourny's mandate of purity and precision shimmers in delightful lemon blossom aromas and lemon juice flavours of soap-powder brightness and a pale straw hue. This is a cuvée that reaches deep into the mineral hillside of Le Mont Ferré. In the 2012 base year the privileged position of this plot on the border of Le Mesnil-sur-Oger is more pronounced than ever in its elegance and mouth-embracing chalk mineral completeness. There are nuances of fennel and star fruit along the way, true to the expressive, exotic personality of Vertus, lending body and depth, but, refreshingly, only faintly so, never compromising precision. A little oak vinification coaxes out nuances of spice, biscuit, nougat, even fig, coffee and chocolate, though never disturbing purity or drive. 93 points." **Tyson Stelzer, The Champagne Guide 2018-2019.**

PINOT NOIR

Underground 2017	\$17.00
Wickham's Road Yarra Valley 2017	\$19.00
Seville 'The Barber' 2017	\$21.00
Clyde Park 'Locale' 2016	\$24.00
Bests 'Great Western' 2017	\$26.00
Oakridge Pinot Meunier 2017	\$27.00
Stoney Rise 2016	\$31.00
Kooyong Massale 2016	\$27.00
Mac Forbes Yarra Valley 2017	\$31.00
Journey Wine 2016	\$30.00
Ata Rangi Crimson 2016 – Martinborough, NZ	\$34.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 10X 2016	\$34.00
Charteris 2014 – Central Otago, NZ	\$40.00
Bests 'Old Clone' 2017	\$42.00
Sailor Seeks Horse 2016	\$45.00
Giaconda 'Nantua les Deux' 2016	\$45.00
Hochkirch 'Maximus' 2015	\$52.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'Estate' 2016	\$48.00
Two Paddocks 2016 – Central Otago, NZ	\$52.00
Scorpo 'Estate' 2016	\$53.00
Bindi 'Dixon' 2017	\$54.00
Curly Flat 2015	\$58.00
Benjamin Leroux Bourgogne 2014/15 – Burgundy, France	\$60.00
Bass Phillip 'Crown Prince' 2016	\$68.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'Coolart Road' 2016	\$74.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'Judd' 2016	\$74.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'McCutcheon' 2016	\$74.00
Ten Minutes by Tractor 'Wallis' 2016	\$74.00
Bass Phillip 'Estate' 2016	\$77.00
Ata Rangi 2015 – Martinborough, New Zealand	\$89.00

By Farr 'Tout Pres' 2015	\$100.00
Bass Phillip 'Premium' 2014/16	\$215.00
Bass Phillip 'Reserve' 2014/16	\$685.00

FAVOURITE NEW PINOT NOIR

MAC FORBES YARRA VALLEY PINOT NOIR 2017

YARRA VALLEY, VICTORIA

Single Bottle Price: \$33.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$29.00

Fruit is sourced from nine separate parcels throughout the Yarra with the Coldstream site contributing the guts of the wine. Mac's wines are always supremely elegant and delicate, both on the nose and palate. This year is no different. Delicate red fruits and floral aromas come from the glass with slightly darker notes of turned soil if you look very closely. The palate is bright as always with a feminine framework, showing ferrous/rust notes sitting below the red cherry, raspberry and turned earth flavours that glide effortlessly across the palate. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

SHIRAZ

Johnny Q 2014	\$11.00
Chasing Clouds 2015	\$13.00
Mt Langi Billi Billi 2015	\$17.95
The Barry Bros Shiraz Cabernet 2015	\$18.00
Battle of Bosworth 'Puritan' Preservative Free 2017	\$19.00
O'Leary Walker 2015	\$21.00
Torbreck Woodcutters 2016	\$23.00
Bests 'Bin 1' 2016	\$23.00
Charles Melton 'Father in Law' 2016	\$24.00
Hewitson Ned and Henry's 2017	\$25.00
Nick Spencer 'Gundagai' Shiraz Blend 2017	\$27.00
Clonakilla 'Hilltops' 2016	\$29.00
Mt Langi Ghiran 'Cliff Edge' 2015	\$29.00
Warramate 2015	\$29.00
Powell & Son 'Barossa Valley' 2016	\$29.00
Head 'The Contrarian' Shiraz 2016	\$32.00
Bloodwood Shiraz 2014	\$34.00
Bindi 'Pyrette' 2016	\$36.00
Leeuwin 'Art Series' 2014	\$36.00
Tyrrell's 'Stevens' 2016	\$42.00
Coriole Museum Release 2010	\$45.00
Powell & Son Barossa/Eden Valley 2016	\$52.00
David Hook 'Old Vines' 2014	\$60.00
By Farr 2015	\$62.00
Dalwhinnie 2014	\$60.00
Charles Melton 'Voices of Angels' 2014	\$72.00
Jasper Hill 'Georgia's Paddock' 2016	\$80.00
Giaconda 'Warner Vineyard' 2015	\$89.00
Clonakilla Shiraz Viognier 2016	\$96.00
Jasper Hill 'Emily's Paddock' 2016	\$105.00
Mt Langi Ghiran 2015	\$140.00
Henschke Mount Edelstone 2014	\$200.00
Henschke Hill of Grace 2012	\$800.00
Penfolds Grange 2010/2012	\$850.00

FAVOURITE NEW SHIRAZ

NICK SPENCER GUNDAGAI DRY RED 2017

GUNDAGAI, NSW

Single Bottle Price: \$30.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$27.00

Nick models this wine on the classic old Australian clarets of the 1950s and '60s – only medium bodied in weight with a softness to the middle palate and all-round approachability. We think he pulls this off very well. This is a blend of 58% Shiraz, 31% Touriga, 6.5%

Tempranillo and 4.5% Cabernet Sauvignon. It is the Touriga that would not have been present all those years ago but here it is a vital component. It brings ripe, dark berry fruit with a plump softness to the guts of the wine. Shiraz contributes some spice while also bringing lifted acidity – assisted by the cool nights experienced in the region with cold breezes blowing off the snowy mountains. Notes of black olive and violets are present with a chewiness and velvetiness to the moderate tannins. This over-delivers for the price. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

CABERNET SAUVIGNON & BLENDS

Parnasse Cabernet Sauvignon 2016 – Languedoc, France	\$12.50
Pikes 'Dog Walk' Cabernet Merlot 2015	\$19.00

Rymill 'Dark Horse' Cabernet 2015	\$22.00
Bloodwood Cabernet Franc 2014	\$31.00
Crawford River Cabernet Merlot 2014	\$32.00
Majella Cabernet Sauvignon 2014	\$35.00
Bloodwood Maurice 2013	\$37.00
Woodlands 'Clementine' Cabernet Blend 2016	\$40.00
Coriole Museum Release Cabernet Sauvignon 2010	\$45.00
Bellwether Cabernet Sauvignon 2013	\$48.00
Crawford River Cabernet Sauvignon 2010	\$53.00
Coriole 'Mary Kathleen' Cabernet Merlot 2013	\$58.00
Mac Forbes 'Hugh' 2014	\$66.00
Lake's Folly Cabernets 2015	\$80.00
Charles Melton Museum Release Cabernet Sauvignon '07	\$85.00
Leeuwin Estate 'Art Series' Cabernet Sauvignon 2013/14	\$72.00
Lakes Folly Cabernets 2013	\$75.00
Moss Wood Cabernet 2015	\$115.00
Cullen Diana Madeline 2016	\$120.00
Mt Mary Quintet 2014/15	\$145.00

FAVOURITE NEW CABERNET SAUVIGNON RELEASES

MOSSWOOD CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2015

MARGARET RIVER, WA

Single Bottle Price: \$129.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$115.00



MOSS WOOD

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MARGARET RIVER

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

"Deep red/purple colour, with a lightly toasty bouquet featuring some smoky oak, quickly giving way to violet and blackberry aromas with a sprinkling of dried herbs; the palate intense and fresh, clean and lively, with brilliant depth of dark and red berry fruit flavours. The acidity is refreshing on the finish and the tannins are firm and upright.

This seems to be a more elegant style of Moss Wood, but still concentrated, and a long-term keeper. This is a great Moss Wood cabernet. 98 Points." **Huon Hooke.**

CULLEN 'DIANA MADELINE' CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2016

MARGARET RIVER, WA

Single Bottle Price: \$138.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$120.00

"Here's a sleek wine of exquisite perfume and balance that treads lightly, but surely through the palate. Dances, even. There's a quiet storm of graphite tannin, red and black fruits, a distinct pencil and mineral thing going on, clean fresh acidity, and a wonderfully long finish. It's painting with water colours, to borrow a phrase, but gee it makes a beautiful picture. It's rare to find a Cabernet with this level of poise and control. Yet again, Cullen is leading the pack. 96 points.

Drink 2024-2038+". **Gary Walsh, The Wine Front.**

OTHER REDS

Elefante 'Primero' Tempranillo 2015 - Spain	\$12.00
Elefante Tempranillo/Shiraz 2015 – Spain	\$13.00
Printhie Merlot 2017	\$17.00
Alamos Malbec 2016 – Mendoza, Argentina	\$18.00
Alpha Box & Dice 'Tarot' Grenache 2017	\$19.00
Hewitson 'Miss Harry' GSM 2015	\$19.00
Mt Majura 'Lime Kiln' Shiraz/Mondeuse/Touriga 2017	\$25.00
Bondar 'Junto' GSM 2017	\$27.00
Riccitelli 'Hey' Malbec 2016	\$34.00
Fletcher 'Minion' Nebbiolo 2016	\$35.00
Payten & Jones Grenache 2016 – Preservative Free	\$36.00
Fletcher Nebbiolo d'Alba 2016 – Piedmont, Italy	\$39.00
Timo Mayer Gamay 2017	\$49.00

Luke Lambert Nebbiolo 2016 - limited	\$60.00
Mt Mary 'Marli Russell' GMS 2015	\$70.00
Hewitson 'Old Garden' Mouvedre 2013	\$75.00
Charles Melton Nine Popes GSM 2014	\$75.00

FAVOURITE NEW OTHER RED

FLETCHER NEBBIOLO D'ALBA 2016

PIEDMONT, ITALY

Single Bottle Price: \$44.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$39.00

Sourced from two 20-year-old biodynamic vineyards – one in Alba on sandy soils and one in Monieu in the heart of Roero with sand above a deep clay pan. This is undeniably Nebbiolo: crushed flowers, orange peel, and a nice line of acidity. It's medium bodied with very pleasant dried herbal tones and a savouriness to the overall feel of the wine.

Approachable and pretty with fantastic aromatics and expressive fruit. We really like it. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

ROSÉ

Jules 'Mediterranée' 2016 (France)	\$15.00
Spinifex 2017 (Barossa Valley)	\$23.50
Honorio Rubio 'Tremendus' 2016 (Spain)	\$25.00
Bloodwood 'Big Men in Tights' 2017	\$24.00
Cune Rosado 2015 (Rioja, Spain)	\$25.00
Chateau Riotor 2016 (Provence)	\$26.00
Saint Andrieu 2016 (Provence)	\$28.00
Domaine Ott 'By Ott' 2016 (Provence)	\$38.00
Whispering Angel 2017 (Provence)	\$40.00

FAVOURITE NEW ROSÉ

HONORIO RUBIO 'TREMENDUS' ROSÉ 2016

RIOJA ALTA, SPAIN

Single Bottle Price: \$28.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$25.00

Late last year Ian Cook was tasting his way through Spain (with a focus on Rioja) and this was his pick of the Spanish rosé offerings. The wine has just arrived. It has plenty in common with the ubiquitous Provence styles (being bone dry with small red berry fruits and a whiff of dried herbs) but the chalky minerality and hint of phenolic grip offer something a little different. **FWC.**



FEATURED PRODUCER: TEN MINUTES BY TRACTOR

We recently opened all the 2016 releases from Ten Minutes by Tractor and were mightily impressed. The wines confirm what we already knew: this is one of Mornington and Australia's top Pinot Noir & Chardonnay producers.

Ten Minutes by Tractor

MORNINGTON PENINSULA



ESTATE CHARDONNAY 2016

MORNINGTON PENINSULA, VIC

Single Bottle Price: \$49.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$45.00

Lifted citrus & stone fruit, melon & peach, deceptively light on its feet, with the weight emerging in the second half of the wine. Hints of matchstick, some spice & texture before a crunchy, fine finish.

Excellent drinking here. **Todd Slater, FWC.**

ESTATE PINOT NOIR 2016

MORNINGTON PENINSULA, VIC

Single Bottle Price: \$53.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$48.00

Wild yeast, 15-25 days on skins, 12 months in new and old French oak. Red & black cherries abound here, some brown spices & earth all pulsate through a palate that has more weight, depth & structure than usual. Some sour, sappy cherry fruit, all course through to an energized & complex finish. Over delivers at this level & will reward cellaring. Great value & drinking here. **Todd Slater, FWC.**

WALLIS CHARDONNAY 2016

MORNINGTON PENINSULA, VIC

Single Bottle Price: \$75.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$68.00

More complex nose here, with matchstick, stone fruits, grapefruit & cashew, before a racy, fresh palate, that is a husk of coiled acidity & power. Marzipan & subtle citrus notes are there too, but the weight, poise & length carry it to a roaring crescendo. In great form & not to be missed. **Todd Slater, FWC.**

MCCUTCHEON PINOT NOIR 2016

MORNINGTON PENINSULA, VIC

Single Bottle Price: \$84.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$74.00

The vineyard was planted in 1992. It's all MV6 clone. It's a steep-sided vineyard, facing north. A brighter & deeper nose of spice, sweet & sour red cherries & darker rose florals. Unloads on the palate with a spicy, autumnal feel, structured with layers of rich, complex pinot fruit that will emerge in the ensuing years. The McCutcheon muscle is flexed via a long & fine finish, that reminds you that this is in the top echelon of Pinot in Australia. Highly recommended. **Todd Slater, FWC.**

WALLIS PINOT NOIR 2016

MORNINGTON PENINSULA, VIC

Single Bottle Price: \$84.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$74.00

This is from the middle block of the Wallis vineyard, which is all planted to MV6 pinot noir in 1992. Production is 170 dozen only. All wild yeast, 100% destemmed, no whole bunches, 31% new oak. Lifted cherries, spice, Campari & herbs, alluring & complex from the first whiff. The juicy & seamlessly fruited palate is layered with initially clove & brown spices, more of that 'Campari' character and underpinned by fine boned acidity & structure. The Wallis tightens up in the second half finishing long, coiled, poised & pure. Don't miss it.

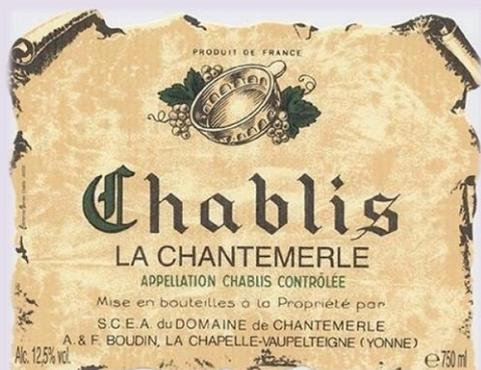
Todd Slater, FWC.

FAVOURITE NEW IMPORTS

CHANTEMERLE CHABLIS 2016

CHABLIS, FRANCE

Single Bottle Price: \$55.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$49.00



Winemaker Francis Boudin is one of the last members of an old guard in Chablis, producers who refused to move with the technological times and “update” their methods of making Chablis. His practice of harvesting his older vines only by hand, aging his wines only in tank (no wood barrels), and bottling his wines unfiltered and unfiltered—all rare in Chablis today—offers an unadulterated taste of Chardonnay from Chablis’ best chalk soils. Also, Boudin did NOT replant his vines in the 1960s and 1970s with overproducing clones, as many other Chablis growers did.

2016 was a very small vintage across Burgundy with tiny yields resulting in concentrated fruit of high quality. The vintage is very much reflected in this wine: the nose enters with rich golden fruit and saline/rock pool notes that take you directly to the region. The palate shows ripe fruit up front with a great deal of concentration of flavour. It is important to note that this is not in sacrifice of the shape of the wine. It is not flabby or broad but rather kept linear and tight by its high acidity and the firm presence of salt and chalk. A very impressive wine. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

ROCHE DE BELLENE BOURGOGNE BLANC 2015

BURGUNDY, FRANCE

Single Bottle Price: \$35.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$31.00

Burgundy prices keep going up and up and when you’re talking about wines from a famed vintage such as 2015, you can expect to pay a lot. That’s why we were very pleasantly surprised to come across this wine.

Not only is it superb value, it is also delicious drinking. It seems to successfully manage to provide ripe primary fruit with good concentration of flavour yet keeps its shape somewhat tight and linear, helped on by juicy acidity and a long finish. Flavours range from red apple to peach, some hints of old oak and a touch of apricot. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

PAUL DURDILLY ‘LES GRANDES COASSES’ BEAUJOLAIS 2017

BEAUJOLAIS, FRANCE

Single Bottle Price: \$25.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$22.00

A new Beaujolais arrival we think our customers will really enjoy. This is light, fruit-forward and simple and all too easy to drink. The nose is quite typical of entry-level Beaujolais with raspberry and strawberry notes, some hints of sap and darker, more serious notes of wet earth and turned soil that balance out the more confected flavours. Drink slightly chilled. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

RICCITELLI ‘TINTO DE LA CASA’ MALBEC 2017

MENDOZA, ARGENTINA

Single Bottle Price: \$52.00 Dozen Bottle Price: \$47.00

50% of fruit is sourced from Lujan de Cuyo where the winery is located (approximately 900m above sea level) while the remainder of fruit comes from the Uco Valley at 1100-1200m elevation. Co-fermented to balance the acidity gained from the higher site with the fruit ripeness gained from the ‘lower’ site. This is delicious Malbec. Medium bodied with notes of black olive, olive pip, black cherry and a chewy/slight-meatiness to the tannins. All-round delicious with entirely natural acidity that leaves the palate clean and asking for more. My pick of Matias’s reds. **Ches Cook, FWC.**

SAVE THE DATE!

TASTINGS EVERY SATURDAY: 12-6PM, FREE, IN STORE

As well as the Saturday tastings that we conduct every week (rain, hail, or shine) we have some great dinners and masterclasses coming up. Please see below for details and get the diary out.

URBINA RIOJA MASTERCLASS

RIOJA, SPAIN

THURSDAY MAY 10TH, 6:30-8 PM, IN STORE

WITH WINEMAKER ANGEL URBINA

\$50 PER PERSON – BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

I was seriously impressed when trying these wines in Rioja in October 2017: classic old school Rioja sporting fantastic prices – it’s like they are in a time warp. **Ian Cook, FWC.**

HEAD WINES NEW RELEASES

BAROSSA VALLEY, SA

FRIDAY MAY 11TH, 5-7:30 PM, FREE, IN STORE

With winemaker Alex Head on deck.

PASCAL MARCHAND BURGUNDY MASTERCLASS

FRIDAY MAY 18TH, 6:30-8 PM, IN STORE

WITH WINEMAKER PASCAL MARCHAND

\$55.00 PER PERSON – BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

FRANKLAND ESTATE 30TH ANNIVERSARY DINNER

TUESDAY MAY 29TH, 7:00PM

ROCKPOOL BAR & GRILL - WITH WINEMAKER HUNTER SMITH

\$150.00 PER PERSON – BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

LEEWIN ESTATE NEW RELEASE TASTING

MARGARET RIVER, WA

FRIDAY MAY 1ST, 5-7:30 PM, FREE, IN STORE

With winemaker Phil Hutchinson making the trip all the way over from WA for us.

UPCOMING WINE WORKSHOP DATES

The next round of wine workshops is fast approaching. Over four nights we will look at benchmark noble varieties, cool vs warm climate viticulture, sparkling & Champagne, tasting old vintages alongside current releases, food and wine matching & more. Please call or email for more information or to book your place.

Places are limited.

COST: \$320

WHEN: TUESDAY 22ND MAY

TUESDAY 29TH MAY

TUESDAY 5TH JUNE

TUESDAY 12TH JUNE

TIME: 6:30 – 9PM

WHERE: FIVE WAY CELLARS, 4 HEELEY STREET, PADDINGTON