

De Kruiswijn



Wine and Drinks List

Hot Beverages

Americano / Decaffeinated Coffee		22
Espresso or Red	single	22
	double	30
Cappuccino or Red		25
Caffé Latte		30
Chai Latte		30
Mocha Chocca (Hot Chocolate with Espresso)		30
Tea (Five Roses / Rooibos / Green / Chai)		20
Hot Chocolate / Milo		25

Cold Beverages

Soft Drinks & Mixers	20
Cordials (Kola Tonic, Lime, Lemon, Passion Fruit & Grenadine)	7
Tisers (Apple, Red or White Grape)	25
Ice Tea (Peach or Lemon)	25
Fruit Juices	25
Iced Coffee	30
Fruit Juice Shakes	35
Milkshakes	35
(Chocolate, Strawberry, Lime, Vanilla, Banana, Bubblegum, Coffee)	
Gourmet Milkshakes	45
(Peanut Butter, Salted Caramel, Milkart & Koeksister)	
Mineral Water (Still or Sparkling Small)	20
Mineral Water (Still or Sparkling Large)	35
Energy Drink (Play)	35

Local Beers / International Beers

Amstel	23	Heineken	25
Black Label	23	Windhoek Draught	30
Castle Lager	23	Windhoek Lager	25
Castle Lite	23	Windhoek Light	25
Castle Free (Non-Alcoholic)	23	Peroni	25
Flying Fish (Lemon & Apple)	25	Becks (Non-Alcoholic)	25

Craft & On Tap

Craft Beer		Tap Pint	45
Craft Beer		Tap Middy	35
W i l d	C l o v e r	(3 4 0 m l	B o t t l e)
	40		

Ciders & Coolers

Hunters Gold / Dry	25
Smirnoff Spin / Storm	25
Savanna Dry / Lite	25
Craft Ciders (Apple, Mixed Berry, Pineapple & Cherry)	35

Whiskey

Bells	25	Johnny Walker Red	25
J&B	25	Johnny Walker Black	30
Jack Daniels	30	Chivas Regal	40
Jameson	30	Bain's Cape Mountain	35
Southern Comfort	25	Glenmorangie 12yr Single Malt	50

Potstill Brandy / Brandy

KWV Brandy 5yr	25	Klipdrift	22
Van Ryns 10yr	35	Klipdrift Premium	25
Joseph Barry XO	50	Richelieu	22
		Olof Berg	22

Rum

Bacardi Rum	22
Captain Morgan	22
Red Heart	22
Spiced Gold	22

Gin, Vodka & Cane

Gordans Gin	20	Smirnoff Red	22
Bombay Sapphire	25	Belvedere	30
Red Stone	35	Mainstay	20
Cape Town Pink Lady	30		
Musgrave Pink	40		
Boplaas Pink	30		

Liqueurs & Short Drinks

Amarula	20	Tang Apple Sours	20
Cape Velvet	25	Tequila Gold / Silver	25
Cointreau	30	Poncho's (Coffee Tequila)	25
Drambuie	30	Toffee Apple	30
Frangelico	25	Springbokkie	30
Ginger Liqueur	20	Jägerbomb	35
Kahlua	25	C a r a m e l	V o d k a
Lupini Black / Gold	25	20	
Peppermint Liqueur	20	Oyster	25

Digestifs & Grappas

Jägermeister	25
Underberg	35
Grappa (Husk Spirit)	
Joseph Barry Shiraz	35
Dalla Cia Cabernet Savignon / Merlot	35

Mocktails

Gingersquare (Ginger Brandy, Lime, Ginger Ale, Bitters)	50
Steelworks (Kola Tonic, Ginger Ale, Soda Water, Bitters)	40
Rockshandy (Lemonade, Soda Water, Bitters)	40
Bloody Mary (Virgin - Tomato Cocktail, Salt and Pepper, Tabasco Sauce)	30
Flare Gun (Orange Juice, Lemonade & Grenadine)	40
Life Boat (Ginger Ale, Mango Juice, Passion Fruit)	40
Light House (Berry Juice, Lemonade, Grenadine)	40

The Ship Wrecks Cocktails

HMS Birckenhead 60
(Bacardi, Vodka, Gin, Tequila, Triple Sec & Lime)

Thomas T Tucker 55
(Gin, Sour Mix, Dry Lemon & Berry Juice)

Soa Joao 50
(Bacardi, Triple Sec, Sour Mix, Lime, Grenadine & Berry)

Waratah 50
(Peach Schnapps, Vodka, OJ & Grenadine)

Meisho Maru 50
(Vodka, Gin, Blue Curacao & Lemonade)

Shipwreck History

HMS Birckenhead

HMS Birckenhead was one of the first iron-hulled ships built for the Royal Navy. She was designed as a steam frigate. She was wrecked on 26 February 1852 while transporting troops to Algoa Bay at Danger Point near Gansbaai 140km from Cape Town, South Africa. There were not enough serviceable lifeboats for all the passengers and the soldiers famously stood firm on board, thereby allowing the women and children to board the boat safely and escape the sinking. Only 193 of the estimated 643 people on board survived. The soldiers chivalry gave rise to unofficial "women and children first" protocol.

Thomas T Tucker

The SS Thomas Tucker was a Liberty ship built for service as a troop and weapons carrier. She was named after Thomas Tudor Tucker, an American physician and politician from South Carolina. She ran aground off Olifantsbos Point, near Cape Point on November 27 1942 during heavy fog. Assuming they were close to Robben Island and therefore not far from Cape Town the crew relaxed and the ship ran aground. After an investigation it was discovered the ships compass was out by 37 The wreck is located on a stretch of rocks on the shoreline of Olifantsbos Beach, within The Cape of Good Hope.

Soa Joao

In 1552 the Portuguese ship Sao Joao ran aground near modern day Port Edward. It was the first cargo ship to wreck on the coastline of South Africa. It was traveling from India back to Portugal, carrying a cargo of pepper, porcelain, beads, tapestries and other items reportedly "worth a million in gold". Of the approximately 600 souls aboard, some 100 lost their lives during the wrecking. Only 21 of the survivors eventually reached Mozambique after embarking on a journey north along the coastline in hope of being rescued by passing ships. The wreck was only found in the 1980s by Tim Maggs. Porcelain shards believed to be from the wreckage of the Sao Joao still wash up on the beaches near Port Edward.

SS Waratah

The SS Waratah was a 150m long cargo liner steamship that operated between Europe and Australia in the early 1900's. In July 1909, the ship en route from Durban to Cape Town disappeared with 211 passengers and crew aboard. To this day, no trace of the ship has been found. It was named Waratah after the emblem flower of New South Wales Australia, which appears to have been an unlucky name as 3 ships with that name have been lost. The ship was designed to serve as a passenger and cargo liner to Australia, it had 100 first class cabins, 8 state rooms and a salon whose panels depicted its namestake flower and a luxurious music lounge with a minstrel's gallery.

Meisho Maru

The Meisho Maru No 38 was a small Japanese fishing vessel that ran aground in the stormy waters around L'Agulhas on 16 November 1982. The accident occurred close to shore and the crew of 17 all managed to swim to safety. After surviving seas which at times can produce swells of up to 30 meters, the ship finally broke apart a few years ago. The prow can still be seen, but the ocean will eventually claim even that.



De Viswijf

De Viswijf takes great care in the selection of our wines for the wine list. You will find popular and well known names on our wine list, and a wide choice of wines from seventeen different wine producing districts in South Africa. The producers range from corporate conglomerates to exclusive estates and boutique wineries.

We are also proud to present you with a choice of Nederburg Auction wines, a selection of imported wines, sherry and port.

Take time to select your choice of wine and be brave enough to try out a new cultivar or two.

*"Life is too short to waste on
bad food or inferior wine"*



Wine Selections

We have added the most recent available gradings from the Platter's Wine Guide to each wine to provide you with as much information as possible to help make your selection.

It is a well-known fact that the 'environmental factors' soil, climate, and topography has a profound effect on the grapes producing wine. It should thus come as no surprise that most of our wines originate in the Western Cape – an area renowned for South Africa's world-class wines.

Any great meal or a glass of an excellent wine on its own may well be an memorable experience but will be significantly more memorable when your meal and wine complement one another. Therefore we strongly suggest the below pairings.

Wine Pairings

Seafood

Chardonnay, Sauvignon Blanc, Shiraz and Rosé

Steak and Beef

Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Shiraz, Pinotage and Red Blends

Salads

Chenin Blanc, Sauvignon Blanc and Rosé

Venison

Pinotage and Shiraz

Chicken

White Blends, Sauvignon Blanc and Chenin Blanc

Lamb

Pinot Noir, Red Blends and Merlot

Regions contributing to our wine selection

Noordhoek
Stellenbosch
Durbanville
Robertson
Darling
Cape Agulhas

Paarl
Franschhoek
Hemel-En-Aarde
Wellington
Swartland
Tulbagh

Botrivier
Worcester
Klein Rivier
Rawsonville
Barrydale


House Wines

Porcupineridge Versatile Wines named after a celebrated Boekenhoutskloof Local.

This range of delicious, everyday wines is a firm favourite on tables throughout the world – offering great value and superb drinking. We proudly named the range after the Crested Porcupine, a most unique and fascinating inhabitant of our farm.

DE VISWIJF DRY WHITE	 30	90
A dry white wine, ideal with seafood or chicken.		

DE VISWIJF ROSÉ	 30	90
Recommended with spicy white meat dishes, light meals or summer salads.		

DE VISWIJF RED	 30	90
Medium-bodied, with great fruit components, making it a pleasant, easy-drinking wine with red meat.		

Alternative sweeter option:

DE VISWIJF SEMI-SWEET	 30	90
Ideal for having it on its own or with lightly spiced food.		

CORKAGE FEE		40
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*"There's something about being able to
literally consume a work of art
- then to divide all that pleasure of it
- because it's a memory.*

*A great wine for me is a memory,
it's an extraordinary experience."*

Robert Parker

For the Not-so-Thirsty

*For those who would prefer only a glass or two with your meal,
we provide a selection of wine by the glass.*

SPARKLING WINE

	187ml bottle
J.C. Le Roux La Domaine (<i>White</i>)	45
J.C. Le Roux La Chanson (<i>Red</i>)	45

SEMI-SWEET WHITE WINE

	200ml glass
De Viswijn Semi-Sweet (<i>Off-dry</i>)	30

SAUVIGNON BLANC

Cape Point Splattered Toad Sauvignon Blanc	35
Durbanville Hills Sauvignon Blanc	35
Kaapzicht Sauvignon Blanc	45
Ormonde 'Chip off the Old Block' Sauvignon Blanc	60

CHENIN BLANC

Simonsig Chenin Blanc	35
Babylonstoren Chenin Blanc	45

CHARDONNAY

Weltevrede Vanilla Chardonnay	45
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DRY WHITE WINE BLENDS

De Viswijn Dry White	30
Reynecke Organic White	40

ROSÉ

De Viswijn Rosé	30
Bottelary Rosé (<i>Sweet</i>)	35
Delheim Pinotage Rosé (<i>Off-dry</i>)	40
Gabriëlskloof Rosebud Rosé	45

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Louisvale Stoneroad Cabernet Sauvignon	35
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PINOTAGE

Zevenwacht 7even Pinotage	35
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SHIRAZ

Fairview La Capra Shiraz	35
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MERLOT

Slanghoek Merlot	35
Durbanville Hills Merlot	40

RED WINE BLENDS

De Viswijn Red	30
Kaapzicht Bin 3 (<i>Merlot / Cabernet Sauvignon</i>)	45

FOR THE SLIMMERS

Drostdy-Hof Extra Light (<i>9.0% Alcohol</i>)	 100 30
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The Captain's List

When you have everything in life you tend to indulge in the really rare and finer things. If you do not have everything but you do have your company's credit card, now is the time to really indulge and drink really exceptional South African wines. These wines were handpicked by founder and ambassador of this wine list, Ernie, to make your occasion more special - I trust you will approve.

White Wines

CAPE POINT VINEYARDS ISLIEDH 450

(islied h - pronounced i-lay)

Area : Noordhoek | Winemaker : Duncan Savage

Platter's ★★★★★½

- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Named after the owner's granddaughter, Isliedh best reflects the uniqueness of the Noordhoek Estate: Here a special block of severely windswept vines yield tiny crops of concentrated and well structured Sauvignon Blanc. To add texture, the wine is blended with Semillon, barrel fermented in 50% new and 50% 2nd fill French Oak, and then aged on lees for 10 months. Fantastic mineral tension backed by flavours of tropical fruit, limes, spice and subtle oak, which follow onto a full palate with great length.

AA BADENHORST FAMILY WINES WHITE BLEND 550

Area : Kalmoesfontein, Swartland (Malmesbury) | Winemaker : Adi Badenhorst

Platter's ★★★★★½

- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Chenin Blanc, Roussanne, Marsanne, Grenache Blanc, Viognier, Verdehlo, Chardonnay, Grenache Gris, Clairette Blanche and Palomino. The aromas are very complex and change considerably in the glass. Perfume, spice, tea, stone fruit and citrus blossoms are some of the notes that can be detected. In the mouth the texture and ripeness and gentle tannins result in a wine that has incredible length and complex flavour profile. The wine also has wonderful fruit volume characterised by stone fruit and mineral flavours. Wonderfully fresh, tangy and textured - guaranteed to bring a smile to your face!

JOUBERT-TRADAUW PRIVATE CELLAR CHARDONNAY 400

"Taste / Proe - die Klein Karoo..."

Area : Barrydale | Wine of Origin : Tradouw | Winemaker : Meyer Joubert

Platter's ★★★★★

French oak matured for 12 months on the lees, bottled unfiltered. This elegant and feminine Chardonnay offers hints of toasted almonds, fynbos, honey and subtle vanilla. Full palate complemented with a ripe citrus burst on the finish.

FORRESTER & MEINERT'S CHENIN - THE FMC 800

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Ken Forrester & Martin Meinert

Platter's ★★★★★½

One of the best Chenin's I have ever tasted. Rich dried apricot, vanilla & honey notes. Hand selected grapes primarily from low yielding, old bush vines. Harvested at full maturity.

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Red Wines

ERNIE ELS SIGNATURE

900

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Louis Strydom
Platter's ★★★★★½

Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Malbec and Petit Verdot. A solid, supremely deep garnet coloured core. Notes of luxurious chocolate, crème de cassis and roast beef shower a rich, titillating structure. This classy Bordeaux-style blend is prodigiously powerful yet impeccably pure and sleek. The high Cabernet Franc component adds a fine, glossy texture and seamless length. This is an exceptional wine that you need to drink at least once in your life to tell your friends about. It's like joining Ernie on the last hole at Augusta on the final day...

MEERLUST RUBICON

700

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Chris Williams
Platter's ★★★★★½

Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc and Petit Verdot. If you have never drunk a Meerlust Rubicon, you have not lived! It's like playing golf but quitting on the 17th hole. Very deep, youthful colour, intense almost purple hue. Very classic Rubicon nose with violets, ripe plum, cedarwood and intense spiciness. Still very young but brooding, promising further maturation potential. The palate is full bodied, structured but packed with fresh dark fruit and rounded, linear tannins.

SIMONSIG TIARA

500

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Johan Malan
Platter's ★★★★★½

Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Malbec and Petit Verdot. Dark Persian carpet red colour. Exploding vibrant fruit flavours of blackcurrants, cassis and violets and a touch of pencil shavings captures the intensity of the Tiara. Sweet vanilla and dark chocolate aromas reveal the spicy French oak contribution. Each individual cultivar adds to complexity creating a harmonious blend of pure enjoyment. The elegance and finesse of the Merlot uplifts the cedar, cigar box undertone of the Cabernet Sauvignon while the Petit Verdot adds colour and tightens the tannins. The perfumed fruit is enhanced by the gentle fragrance of the Cabernet Franc. The Tiara expresses the perfect marriage of the four varieties into one harmonious blend.

BABYLONSTOREN NEBUKADNESAR

700

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Charl Coetzee with Klaas Stoffberg
Platter's ★★★★★

49% Cabernet Sauvignon, 22% Merlot, 14% Cabernet Franc, 10% Petit Verdot and 5% Malbec. A blend that brings together all five Bordeaux varieties. All the wines were made separately and matured in new French oak barrels for 23 months before being blended about a month before bottling. The result is a wine with a deep, saturated ruby colour and intriguing fragrance of violets and thyme, intense black current and underlying savoury depth of cigar-box, cedar and black truffle; superbly crafted with good balance of vibrant multi-layered fruit supported by tight, well-honed tannins, handles the oak effortlessly; opulent yet sophisticated with a long, compelling finish. Satisfying now, but with time will develop and unfold its many treasures. Alc: 14.0% RS: 3.3 g/l TA: 6.2 g/l pH: 3.66

Champagne

MOËT & CHANDON IMPERIAL NV

990

Area : France

An elegant golden straw yellow in colour with amber highlights. Its aromas are radiant, revealing bright yellow-fleshed fruits, honey, floral nuances and elegant blond notes. The palate is seductive, richly flavorful and smooth combining generosity and subtlety, fullness and vigor, followed by a delicately fresh crispiness, to reveal the magical balance of Champagne.

Cap Classique

“Champagne” is known as Cap Classique in South Africa. South Africa cannot use the name Champagne as this is derived from the region of France where the original “Bubblys” came from. A classic Cap Classique has a nose that will remind you of delicious shortcake biscuity flavours with hints of fruitiness and a dry finish. You’ll start inventing celebrations just so you can open a bottle of South Africa’s Cap Classique. Cap Classique may be made from one or more of three grape varieties - Chardonnay, Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier. Wines made from these grape varieties are subjected to the so-called méthode champenoise – essentially involving a second fermentation inside the bottle in which they are sold. Champagne can be drunk at any time of the day – there’s always an excuse for a celebration!

PONGRÁCZ BRUT CAP CLASSIQUE NV

240

Wine of Origin : Western Cape | Winemaker : Elunda Basson

Platter’s ★★★★★

- Best wine in its class - International Wine and Spirit Competition (IWSC)
- SAL Cap Classique Trophy 2005
- Gold - Veritas Awards 2001

Attractive as ever. Delicate yeasty tones, layered with toast and ripe fruit. Big, foamy mouthful, black fruit flavours with good length. The wine is elegant and complex.

SIMONSIG KAAPSE VONKEL

240

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Johan Malan

Platter’s ★★★★★

- 2007 Veritas 2009: Silver medal
- Cap Classique Challenge 2009 Winner: Best Vintage, Best Overall

Lively energetic mousse forms a crown of bubbles in the glass. On the nose Kaapse Vonkel shows lively floral and Chardonnay citrus fruit which is greatly complimented by red berry flavours from Pinot Noir and Pinot Meunier grapes. On the palate the wine shows elegant yeasty flavours with great finesse on the finish. Kaapse Vonkel was the first Méthode Cap Classique produced in South Africa.

WELTEVREDE PHILIP JONKER

BRUT ENTHEOS NV

260

Area : Robertson | Winemaker : Philip Jonker

Platter’s ★★★★★½

- SAA Trophy for Best Cap Classique
- Global Traveller World Best Sparkling Wine

Chardonnay and Pinot Noir. A pale coloured Cap Classique with a slight green tinge and a delicate stream of bubbles gliding to the surface. The nose is creamy and biscuity with hints of green pear and lemon. This follows through on the palate with flavours of winter melon and a slight smokiness on the finish. Entheos is the root word of Enthusiasm. This wine celebrates excitement, joy and energy.

Sparkling Wine

The Charmat Methode go for its second, bubble-forming fermentation in a tank and is bottled under pressure. Carbonated sparklers are made by the injection of carbon dioxide bubbles (as in fizzy soft drinks). Sweetness levels range between Brut (extra Dry), Sec (Dry), Demi-Sec (semi-sweet) to Doux (sweet).

J.C. LE ROUX LA CHANSON RED NV 130

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Elunda Basson

Platter's ★★

J.C. Le Roux La Chanson is a lively, ruby-red sparkling wine. It reveals a delightful mélange of sweet, fruity flavours suggesting hints of strawberry and plum. Low in alcohol, this is truly a sparkling wine to add exuberance to any occasion.

J.C. LE ROUX LE DOMAINE WHITE NV 120

(*Non-Alcoholic)

J.C. LE ROUX LE DOMAINE NV 130

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Elunda Basson

Platter's ★★

- Veritas 2001 - Silver

J.C. Le Roux Le Domaine is a bright, green-yellow sparkling wine which has a bubbling muscat aroma supported by cheerful fruit flavours on the nose. The palate is alive with sweet tropical fruits in perfect harmony with natural fruit acids supported by an enjoyable aftertaste. While possessing the undeniable finesse of the Sauvignon Blanc variety, which lends freshness and flair to the blend, the gentle sweetness of White Muscadel adds a touch of softness which makes the wine so appealing. Great care has been taken not to lose the crispness of the grape acids in the wine, which contribute to its youthful liveliness. With its mouth-filling sweetness and clean finish it is truly a sparkling wine to enliven any occasion. **Non-Alcoholic Sparkling Wines are very special, all the taste but no alcohol - for the Dominee & Pastors.**

J.C. LE ROUX LA FLEURETTE NV 120

(*Non-Alcoholic)

J.C. LE ROUX LA FLEURETTE NV 130

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Elunda Basson

Platter's ★½

This is a lively, salmon pink sparkling wine that entices all the senses. It reveals a delightful melange of sweet, fruity flavours with hints of strawberry, plum and tropical fruit. This exuberant bubbly perfectly balances freshness and sweetness with its playful palate of strawberry and sensual plum flavours followed by the richness of Muscat. It is pure femininity in a bottle and is sure to uplift your spirit.

"I drink it when I'm happy and I drink it when I am sad.

I drink it when I'm alone.

When I have company, I consider it obligatory.

I tifle with it when I'm not hungry

and drink it when I'm not.

Otherwise, I never touch it, unless I'm thirsty.

Madame Bollinger

Sauvignon Blanc

Wines from this grape are mostly very dry, fresh whites with an intense taste and aroma, designed to be drunk young. Wooded, it is referred to as blanc fumé. Nose: cut grass, green asparagus, green pepper, gooseberry and granadilla. The aroma usually follows through to the palate. Zesty and refreshing. Enjoy with creamy seafood, creamy chicken dishes, pastas and salad.

ATARAXIA

200

Area : Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge | Winemaker : Kevin Grant

Platter's ★★★★★

- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

- 2016: Wine Advocate Neil Martin - 91 points

This wine favours individuality and minerality ahead of pure, pungent fruit, but still shows alluring white stone fruit, citrus and lemon grass aromas. These are effortlessly reflected on the palate and are complemented by a lively acidity which underpins a classy structure and succulent texture. A wine of substantial poise, length and charm.

DURBANVILLE HILLS

135 115

Area : Durbanville | Winemaker : Martin Moore & Gunther Kellerman

Platter's ★★★

This Sauvignon Blanc boasts seamlessly layered flavours ranging from tropical fruit to fig, lime, guava and gooseberry, leading up to a crisp finish. Pale green in colour, this wine is a combination of fruit flavours and green pepper with a crisp acidity and full mouth-feel. On the nose, it boasts a delightful combination of papaya, grapefruit, lime and winter melon with green fig and prickly pear flavours coming to the surface as the wine changes temperature.

ORMONDE “CHIP OFF THE OLD BLOCK” 200

(Single Vineyard)

Area : Darling | Winemaker : Theo Basson

Platter's ★★★★★½

- 2014: Silver Medal - Concours Mondial du Sauvignon 2015

- 2014: Silver Medal - Decanter World Wide Awards 2015

- 2014: Bronze Medal - Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show 2015

This wine displays intense asparagus flavours rounded off with passion fruit aromas. Being delicate in style and structure, the lingering aftertaste entertains the palate long after the last sip.

DIEMERSDAL

135

Area : Durbanville | Winemaker : Thys Louw & Mari Branders

Platter's ★★★★★

This vibrant, classically styled Sauvignon Blanc presents a brilliant lemon-lime colour. The nose is complex with an array of tropical fruit, ripe figs and gooseberries. These crisp flavours repeat in the mouth, along with a mineral character followed by a long fruity finish. The distinctive aromas support a wonderfully balanced palate, presenting purity of ripe fruit, coupled with a lingering harmonious finish.

Sauvignon Blanc

KAAPZICHT

45 135

Area : Stellenbosch, Bottelary Hills | Winemaker : Danie Steytler

Platter's ★★ ★ ½

- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

- Michelangelo International Wine Awards 2015 - Gold

Exceptionally drinkable and well-priced, certified as sustainable. Mouth-watering crisp green apple and cape gooseberry flavours abound with some fig leave and cut grass aromas bringing the taste of sunshine to the glass.

CAPE POINT SPLATTERED TOAD

35 105

Wine of Origin : Western Cape | Winemaker : Duncan Savage

Platter's ★★ ★ ★

- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Flavours of tropical fruit, limes, grapefruit, freshly cut grass and peppers dominate the nose, following through to a zesty, lively palate.

*"I have enjoyed great health at a great age
because every day since I can remember I have
consumed a bottle of wine except when I have
not felt well. Then I have consumed two bottles."*

A Bishop of Seville

Chardonnay

Popular and versatile, it responds well to being aged in oak, giving the wine a depth of flavour. Wines from this grape range from light to full-bodied, depending on how they are made. Nose: melon, peach, citrus, vanilla, smoky & buttered toast if unwooded. Taste of citrus, lime, lemon, fruit salad, butter, toast, vanilla & butterscotch if wooded. Full bodied Chardonnay's go well with shellfish, seafood and chicken.

WELTEVREDE VANILLA

 45 130

Area : Robertson | Winemaker : Philip Jonker
Platter's ★★ ★

Some taste vanilla. Some get hints of butterscotch or English toffee. Some call it crème brûlée, honey, coconut or crème caramel. Others smell tropical flavours of pineapple, passionfruit or peach. Tasty Chardonnay grapes from Karoo limestone terroir are fermented with selected light oak resulting in an alchemy of extraordinary flavour.

DE WETSHOF FINESSE

235

Area : Robertson | Winemaker : Danie de Wet, Mervyn Williams & Peter de Wet
Platter's ★★ ★

The soils' limestone and clay components help the vines to develop strong citrus flavours with a pronounced nuttiness on the mid-palate which leads through to a clean finish with zesty citrus notes.

EDGEBASTON

220

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : David Finlaynson
Platter's ★★ ★★

Old-oak-matured reliably delivers its prince. Voluptuous and creamy with freshening apple and stone fruit vibrancy. Good aging potential.

*"I made wine out of raisins so
I wouldn't have to wait for it to age."*

Steven Wright

Chenin Blanc

Chenin Blanc, also known as Steen, is the most widely planted variety in South Africa. It produces a range of good wines, from very sweet to dry, from Sherry and Sparkling Wine to Brandy. Nose: tropical fruit, guava, sweet hay and apple/almond blossom. Fresh, fruity lively acid taste, like biting into a apple, with peach and apricot flavours. Great with light summer chicken dishes, seafood, Thai food, cheeses and salads.

KEN FORRESTER PETIT 105

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Ken Forrester
Platter's ★★ ★¹/₂

A youthful fresh wine with quince and pear drop flavours. Earlier picked freshness shows on palate with crunchy green apple and grapefruit flavours. Good mouthfeel and appetisingly tangy finish. Fresh and fruity.



SIMONSIG 35 120

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Johan Malan
Platter's ★★ ★¹/₂
- 2010 Wine Awards - Gold Medal

Vibrant yellow with a green tinge. Beautiful expression of ripe pears and apricot with hints of kiwi fruit and pineapple. A well balanced wine with excellent structure and dimensions. This full bodied Chenin blanc with its refined natural acidity represents elegance and finesse with a lingering freshness, making this Chenin Blanc a perfect wine for any occasion.

AA BADENHORST SECATEURS 150

Area : Kalmoesfontein, Swartland (Malmesbury) | Winemaker : Adi Badenhorst
Platter's ★★ ★★
- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

The first Secateurs Chenin Blanc bottled under the Badenhorst Family Wines range, was in 2009. It was the start of a lifelong affair with this most wonderful grape. The blend spent time on its lees in concrete tanks and this important part of the maturation of the wine shows in the incredible texture and palate weight of this wine. The aromas are flinty with honey.

KAAPZICHT KLIPRUG BUSHVINE 250

Area : Stellenbosch, Bottelary Hills | Winemaker : Danie Steytler
Platter's ★★ ★★
- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- Michelangelo International Wine Awards 2015 - Silver

Wonderful sun-ripe yellow fruit with crunchy apple, fresh pineapple and a lick of oak. The palate is medium bodied and fresh, but with fleshy texture and good weight. A rich fruited core of fruit on the mid-palate builds to a crisp, dry finish.



BABYLONSTOREN 45 165

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Charl Coetzee with Klaas Stoffberg
Platter's ★★ ★★

A light, crisp, dry wine that is fruit driven & juicy. Unwooded and refreshing with lovely guava, pineapple and winter melon flavours rounded off with a hint of fresh green figs and Peckham pear undertones.

White Blends & Other Cultivars

The process of blending together two or more white grape varieties, creates wines with varied and exciting tastes, which will appeal to most palates. Enjoy as an appetiser or with seafood, chicken and salads.

REYNEKE ORGANIC WHITE

140 130

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Johan Reyneke

Daintily zesty sauvignon, smoothed by semillon offers restrained lemongrass, fresh honey flavors. Satisfying, easy drinking.

ZEVENWACHT THE TIN MINE

170

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Jacques Viljoen

Platter's ★★ ★¹/₂

Chardonnay, Chenin Blanc, Viognier and Roussanne. Ripe and exotic, a distinctive, spicy wine that is rich and subtly oaked, with a slight aroma of roasted almonds. The Chardonnay gives superb lime-citrus flavors; the Viognier lends a delicate perfume of dried peaches and apricots while the Roussanne and Chenin act like salt and pepper, spicing things up!

SPRINGFIELD MISS LUCY

250

Area : Robertson | Winemaker : Abrie Bruwer

Platter's ★★★★★

Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon and Pinot Gris. Miss Lucy is one of the seven nicknames given to the Red Stumpnose by the fisherman of the Southern Cape. Like many other marine species, the Miss Lucy has been over-exploited and is now critically endangered. Created as an ode to the bounty of the sea, Miss Lucy can turn the many other delights safe to grace our tables, into a celebration of the ocean. Only a salty breeze and a sunny day can improve what is already a perfect match. This unique blend of Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon and Pinot Gris bursts with citrus pamplemousse flavours and an ample mouth feel, yet remarkably moderate in alcohol.

THEUNISKRAAL CAPE RIESLING

95

Area : Tulbagh | Winemaker : Andries Jordaan

Platter's ★★ ★

Flagship of the estate, this Cape Riesling is crisp and fresh with peach and apple flavours on the palate.

DIEMERSFONTEIN CARPE DIEM VIOGNIER

220

Area : Wellington | Winemaker : Francois Roode

Platter's ★★★★★¹/₂

- 2014: Japan Wine Challenge 2015 - Best SA Wine, Silver Medal

Sun dried apricots, peach pit and nectarines with undertones of glazed orange peel and butterscotch. A brilliant food companion.

ONDINE GRENACHE

220

Area : Darling | Winemaker : Theo Basson

Platter's ★★ ★¹/₂

Pre bottling not big and powerful but layered & complex, from spicy perfumed nose to ripe redberry and plum fruit. Fine, powdery tannins.

Semi-Sweet White Wines

For those with a slighter, sweeter palate - yet not sweet. Ideal for having on its own or as a companion to spicy oriental foods or curried dishes.

DROSTDY-HOF ADELPRACHT

95

Area : Tulbagh | Winemaker : William Thys
Platter's ★★½

Brilliant light straw in colour with yellow and golden tinges. Tropical fruit with nuances of overripe berries. Full-bodied with intense fruit flavours and a good balance between sugar and acid with a lingering aftertaste.

FAIRVIEW LA CAPRA BOUQUET FAIR

105

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Anthony de Jager
Platter's ★★½

Treat yourself to a lightly sweet wine that will please the palate while being eternally drinkable! With an alluring bouquet of lemon blossoms and stone fruit, each sip brims with the spirit of carnival and amusement, bringing a touch of sweetness to your life.


*"Wine makes every meal an occasion,
every table more elegant,
every day more civilized."*

Andre Simon

Rosé

Pink in colour, a Rosé can be made by blending white and red grape varietals, or from red grapes whose skins are left on the must during fermentation. The juice is then run off the skins and treated the same way as white wine. Rosé can be Dry to Semi-Sweet. Vary greatly in the level of residual sugar. Rosé is a good partner for spicier white meat dishes or light meals, summer salads and vegetarian dishes.

BOTTELARY WINERY


 30 90

(Semi-Sweet)

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Riaan Möller

A light pink colour. Lively tropical fruit and berry flavours on the nose with a sweet lingering palate. Suitable for vegetarians, but not for vegans. This sweet Rosé can be enjoyed with salads, fish, sweet deserts or on its own.

DELHEIM PINOTAGE


 40 125

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Brenda van Niekerk

Platter's ★★½

Vibrant, light pink in colour. Concentrated cranberry and pomegranate aromas filled with floral undertones. The palate is fresh and lively, with a balanced acidity. Complex ripe summer berry flavours follow through on the finish.

GABRIËLSKLOOF ROSEBUD

 45 150

Area : Bot River

Winemaker : Donovan Ackerman | Cellar Master: Peter-Allan Finlayson

Platter's ★★★½

Syrah and Viognier. In the glass flavours of white melon, fragrant rose and hints of strawberry and papaya are prominent, with spicy red fruit in the background. Complex, but infinitely drinkable, Rosebud will delight and surprise.

BABYLONSTOREN MOURVÈDRE

150

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Charl Coetzee with Klaas Stoffberg

Platter's ★★★

Strawberry yoghurt on the palate with candy-floss finish and fresh acidity for a delicious, lingering mouth-feel.

"Wine to me is passion.

It's family & friends. It's culture.

It's the essence of civilization and the art of living"

Robert Mondavi

Cabernet Sauvignon

Probably the most well known black variety in the world, high in tannins, the wines age well and need time to mature. Cabernet wines are robust and rich in colour, aroma and flavour. Nose: berries, blackcurrant, herbaceousness, mint, oak, mixed spice and vanilla. Whatever you pick up on the nose should follow through. Red meat dishes, steaks and casseroles such as oxtail are good food pairing options.

LABORIE

160

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Johan Fourie

Medium to full bodied, this wine is layered with rich chocolate, almond and plum aromas, finishing with a hint of mint.

LOUISVALE STONE ROAD

135 110

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Simon Smith

Platter's ★★ ★

- 2014: Ultra Value Wine Challenge - Gold Medal

A well matured wine for uncomplicated enjoyment. Full-bodied with fruit aromas such as blackcurrant and plum. Drink now and be happy.

HARTENBERG

360

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Carl Schultz

Platter's ★★ ★

- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

- 2010: Veritas 2013 - Gold

- 2010: Decanter 2014 - Gold

A savoury nose combined with cherry, raspberry and cigar box notes to give a rich, complex wine. On the palate, smooth tannins, full bodied and a lingering finish.

ZONNEBLOEM

185

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Annelle Viljoen

Platter's ★★ ★½

Dark red in colour. Blackberry and cherry with vanilla oak spices in the background on the nose. Full-bodied with ample cherry and prune flavours backed by whiffs of vanilla. The velvety mouth-feel is supported by a good tannin structure.

SPRINGFIELD WHOLE BERRY

320

Area : Robertson | Winemaker : Abrie Bruwer

Platter's ★★ ★★½

Harvested from 20 to 26 year old vines, then only de-stemmed and the whole uncrushed berries are fermented using natural yeast. The year in oak barrels result in a velvety wine with soft tannins.

Pinotage

Pinotage was bred by the late Professor A.I. Perold in 1924 by crossing Pinot Noir and Cinsaut, then locally known as Hermitage. Abraham Izak Perold (20 October 1880 - 11 December 1941) was a remarkable man. He obtained his PhD. in Chemistry (summa cum laude) in Germany during 1904 and was first appointed as a temporary professor in Chemistry at the University of Cape Town. The Cape Government sent him on an extended overseas tour to collect grape varieties that could be established locally. Perold is credited with the introduction of Barlinka, which he came across during a visit to Algeria. This variety became the backbone of South Africa's table grape production, earning millions in foreign exchange. Today Pinotage is South Africa's signature red grape. Rich in texture, full bodied and firm in structure with delicate dark berry fruitiness overlain with smokey, tarry and spicy complexity that is often shocking to the uninitiated. Some of these flavours appear in many South African reds but Pinotage is the most expressive.

BEYERSKLOOF

170

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Anri Truter
Platter's ★★ ★¹/₂

Strong plum flavours with velvety tannins. Well structured, yet elegant and soft, medium-bodied with a fresh and superbly balanced finish. Impressive for consistency, given the volume produced of this specific vintage.

DIEMERSFONTEIN

230

Area : Wellington | Winemaker : Francois Roode
Platter's ★★ ★¹/₂

- 2014: China Wine & Spirit Awards 2016 - Gold Medal
- 2014: Natalie Maclean 2016 - 90 points
- 2013: Michelangelo International Wine & Spirit Awards 2014 - Gold Medal

Mocha coffee, black chocolate and roasted nuts with undertones of caramelized banana and blackcurrant.

MOOIPLAAS FAMILY RANGE

225

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Louis Roos
Platter's ★★ ★¹/₂

The nose reveals the characteristic sweet red cherries, Christmas with floral hints. Well rounded medium bodied wine with velvet-like tannins, good balanced and integrated fruit.


LONGRIDGE

260

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Jasper Raats & Hendrien de Munck
Platter's ★★ ★★
- 2014: Tim Atkin MW 2016 - 92/100

A mouth-watering combination of flavours: from nutmeg, all spice to plum, prune and black currents to hints of roasted almond, aniseed and cocoa.

ZEVENWACHT 7EVEN

 35 120

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Jacques Viljoen
Platter's ★★

A vibrant Pinotage with chocolate, plum and dark cherry aromas that follow through on the palate. A well-integrated wine with firm dark chocolate tannin.



Out of all the world's wine-producing nations, South Africa is unique in knowing the exact date on which its wine industry began, thanks to the entry on 2 February 1659 in the diary of Jan van Riebeeck, official of the Dutch East India Company and First Commander of the Cape: "Today, praise be to God, wine was made for the first time from Cape grapes." In one sense, then, the South African wine industry is very well established. In another, it could be said that it dates no further back than some 20 years, 11 February 1990 being the date that Nelson Mandela walked free from Victor

Verster Prison in Paarl, a watershed moment in the political and social transformation of the country. There are about 60 appellations within the Wine of Origin (WO) system, which was implemented in 1973 with a hierarchy of designated production regions, districts and wards. WO wines must be made 100% from grapes from the designated area. As far as international wine production is concerned, France leads with 17.3% of the total, Italy is second with 17.2%, Spain third with 13.0% and South Africa seventh with 3.5% (2010 figures). According to the latest available data (2011 provisional), South Africa is the eighth largest wine producer in the world, producing 9.665 million hectolitres a year, putting it behind Chile in seventh place with 10.463 million hectolitres and ahead of Germany in ninth place with 9.611 million hectolitres (France and Italy vie year on year for biggest global producer overall). The Cape wine lands are some of the most breathtakingly beautiful in the world. Several of the wine routes, including Constantia, Durbanville, Darling, Stellenbosch, Helderberg, Paarl, Franschhoek, Wellington and Walker Bay, are within an hour or less easy driving distance from Cape Town. Others, like Breede-kloof, Worcester, Robertson, the Little Karoo, Tulbagh, the Swartland, Olifants River and the Northern Cape take you on a slightly longer journey through constantly changing and spectacular landscapes. Undeniably, South African wine has a higher alcohol content than French wine. Typical alcohol levels in French wine range from 10%-12% for white and 11-13% for red. South African wine starts at 12% and goes up to 16% for both red and white wine, averaging at around 14% for both. One have to keep in mind that the alcohol in wine results from the fermentation of sugar. The more sugar there is in the original grape juice, the higher the alcohol in the wine. The sugar in grapes increases dramatically as they ripen. In the cool climate of Europe, the grapes never reach the levels of ripeness that they do in the hot South African summer, so there is less sugar in the juice. In brief, hot summers produce riper grapes, which have more sugar, which essentially produces a higher level of alcohol. We would like to introduce to you our wine – please enjoy and discover the beauty of our wine, different wine styles, different cultivars from different terroir.

Enjoy!



Van alle wijnproducerende landen op de wereld is Zuid Afrika uniek vanwege het feit dat precies bekend is wanneer de wijnindustrie in het land begon. Dit dankzij het dagboek van Jan van Riebeeck, officier van de Verenigde Oost-Indische compagnie en eerste bevelhebber van de Kaap, dat op 2 februari 1659 begint met de zin "Vandaag, prijs de Heer, is voor het eerst wijn gemaakt van Kaapse druiven". Aan de ene kant heeft Zuid Afrika op wijngedebied een lange geschiedenis. Aan de andere kant gaat de Zuid Afrikaanse wijngeschiedenis eigenlijk niet verder terug dan ongeveer 20 jaar, namelijk vanaf 11 februari 1990, de datum waarop Nelson Mandela als vrij man de Victor Verster gevangenenis in Paarl verliet, en het land een ware transformatie op zowel politiek als sociaal gebied onderging. Er bestaan ongeveer 60 geregistreerde wijnen binnen het WO systeem (Oorsprong van de Wijn), dat in 1973 is geïntroduceerd. Elke wijnregistratie geeft aan in welke regio, district en huis de wijn gemaakt is. WO wijnen moeten voor 100% gemaakt zijn van druiven uit het opgegeven gebied. Voor wat betreft de internationale wijnproductie gaat Frankrijk aan kop met een productie aandeel van 17,3%, Italië is tweede met 17,2%, Spanje derde met 13% en Zuid Afrika bekleedt een zevende plaats met 3,5% (dit zijn cijfers uit 2010). De laatste beschikbare cijfers zijn uit 2011 en daaruit blijkt Zuid Afrika het achtste wijnproducerende land van de wereld te zijn. Het produceert 9.665 miljoen hectoliter wijn per jaar, achter Chili op een zevende plaats met 10.463 miljoen hectoliter en voor Duitsland op een negende plaats met 9.611 miljoen hectoliter (Frankrijk en Italië zijn jaar na jaar's werelds grootste producenten). Het Kaapse wijnheuvelland is een van de mooiste en meest adembenemende van de wereld. Diverse wijnroutes, zoals Constantia, Durbanville, Darlin, Stellenbosch, Helderberg, Paarl, Franschhoek, Wellington and Walker Bay, liggen op een afstand van minder dan een uur rijden van Kaapstad. De route door wijnstreken, zoals Breede-kloof, Worcester, Robertson, the Little Karoo, Tulbagh, the Swartland, Olifants River en de Noordkaap vergt iets meer reistijd, maar leidt u door een zeer afwisselend en prachtig landschap. Onmiskenbaar is dat Zuid Afrikaanse wijnen een hoger alcoholpercentage hebben dan Franse wijnen. Franse alcoholpercentages variëren tussen 10-12% in witte wijn en tussen 11-13% in rode wijn. Zuid Afrikaanse wijnen echter starten met een percentage van 12% en variëren tot 16% in zowel rode als witte wijn. Het gemiddelde percentage is 14%. U moet weten dat het alcoholpercentage in wijn het resultaat is van de fermentatie van suiker. Hoe meer suiker in het druivensap, hoe hoger het alcoholpercentage in de wijn. Het suikerpercentage in druiven neemt omtrent toe tijdens het rijpingsproces. In het koelere Europese klimaat kan een druif nooit de rijpheid bereiken, die een druif gedurende de hete Zuid Afrikaanse zomers bereikt. Als gevolg hiervan heeft een Europese druif een lager suikergehalte. In het kort komt het erop neer dat hete zomers zorgen voor rijpere druiven met meer suiker die uiteindelijk zorgen voor het hogere alcoholpercentage. Graag laten wij u kennismaken met onze wijnen – geniet ervan en ontdek de schoonheid ervan, de verscheidenheid aan stijlen en de vele druivensoorten uit verschillende streken.

Geniet ervan!



Aus der ganzen Welt der weinproduzierenden Nationen ist Südafrika das einzige Land, das eindeutig das genaue Datum weiß, an dem s eine Weinindustrie begann. Dank der Eintragung am 2. Februar 1659 im Tagebuch von Jan van Riebeeck, Beamter der Niederländischen Ostindien-Kompagnie und erster Kommandeur des Kaps: "Heute, gelobt sei Gott, wurde Wein zum ersten Mal aus Kaptrauben gemacht." Einerseits ist die südafrikanische Weinindustrie sehr gut aufgebaut. Andererseits kann man sagen, dass sie auch erst 20 Jahre alt ist, mit dem 11. Februar 1990, der

Tag an dem Nelson Mandela aus dem Victor Verster Gefängnis in Paarl frei gelassen wurde, ein Wendepunkt in der politischen und sozialen Transformation des Landes. Es gibt etwa 60 Bezeichnungen innerhalb des Weinursprung-Systems (WO), die seit 1973 mit einer Hierarchie der bezeichneten Produktion, Regionen, Bezirke und Stadtbezirke ausgewiesen werden müssen. WO Weine müssen 100 % aus Trauben der angegebenen Region erfolgen. Was internationale Weinproduktion angeht, führt Frankreich mit 17,3 % der Gesamtsumme, Italien ist mit 17,2 % Zweiter, Spanien Dritter mit 13,0 % und Südafrika Siebter mit 3,5 % (Zahlen 2010). Nach den neuesten verfügbaren Daten (2011) ist Südafrika der achtgrößte Weinproduzent der Welt. Es werden 9,665 Millionen Hektoliter pro Jahr produziert, kurz hinter Chile, das als Siebter 10,463 Millionen Hektoliter produziert und vor Deutschland auf Platz neun mit 9,611 Millionen Hektoliter. (Frankreich und Italien konkurrieren Jahr für Jahr um die größte globale Herstellung insgesamt). Das Kapweinland ist eins der schönsten und atemberaubendsten Gegenden der Welt. Einige der Weinstraßen, einschließlich Constantia, Durbanville, Darling, Stellenbosch, Helderberg, Paarl, Franschhoek, Wellington und Walker Bay, sind innerhalb einer Stunde oder weniger Fahrtzeit von Kapstadt aus zu erreichen. Andere Weingegenden, wie Breede-kloof, Worcester, Robertson, die kleine Karoo, Tulbagh, das Swartland, Olifants River und das Nordkap führt sie durch ständig wechselnde und spektakuläre Landschaften etwas weiter weg von Kapstadt. Zweifellos hat der südafrikanische Wein einen höheren Alkoholgehalt als die französischen Weine. Der klassische Alkoholgehalt des französischen Weins reicht beim Weißwein von 10 % - 12 % und 11-13 % beim Rotwein. Südafrikanischer Wein beginnt bei 12 % und geht bis zu 16% für Rot und Weisswein, durchschnittlich bei rund 14 % für beide Weine. Man muß berücksichtigen, dass der Alkohol im Wein aus der Vergärung von Zucker entsteht. Je mehr Zucker im Traubensaft, desto höher ist der Alkohol im Wein. Der Zucker in den Trauben erhöht sich deutlich beim Reifen. Im kühleren Klima Europas erreichen die Trauben nie das Niveau der Reife, welches sie im heißen südafrikanischen Sommer bekommen und es daher weniger Zucker im Saft gibt. Kurz gesagt, heißere Sommer produzieren reifere Trauben mit mehr Zucker, die im wesentlichen einen höheren Alkoholgehalt haben. Wir möchten Ihnen gerne unsere Weine vorstellen – bitte genießen und entdecken Sie unsere köstlichen Weine, verschiedene Weinrichtungen, verschiedene Sorten aus verschiedenen Gebieten.

Sehr zum Wohl !

Shiraz / Syrah

A noble variety of French origin - also known as Syrah. Made in several different styles here, it yields deep purple smokey and spicy wines which develop a complex character with age. Shiraz exudes white pepper, spicy notes on the nose and palate. Big bold wines with good fruit tannins and great maturation potential.

DIEMERSFONTEIN

225

Area : Wellington | Winemaker : Francois Roode

Platter's ★★ ★

- 2013: China Wine & Spirit Awards 2015 - Silver Medal

An explosion of berry richness, leather and cigar box with undertones of sweet spice, vanilla and hints of cinnamon.

FAIRVIEW LA CAPRA

135 105

Area : Paarl | Wine of Origin : Coastal Region | Winemaker : Anthony de Jager

Platter's ★★ ★

A smooth, full-bodied red fruit palate with aromas of cinnamon and pepper spice.

FIRST SIGHTING

165

Area : Cape Agulhas | Winemaker : Conrad Vlok

Platter's ★★ ★^{1/2}

- 2013: Veritas Wine Awards 2016 - Gold Medal

- 2012: Shiraz SA Challenge 2015 - Top 12

- 2012: Decanter World Wine Awards 2015 - Silver Medal

A medium-bodied wine with spicy white pepper and mocha aromas, layered with vibrant red berry fruit flavours. Concentrated with savoury tannins with a long spicy finish.

GABRIËLSKLOOF

200

Area : Bot River

Winemaker : Donovan Ackerman | Cellar Master: Peter-Allan Finlayson

Platter's ★★ ★ ★

On the nose, signature white pepper with black olive, dried peach and pot-pourri. The wine has a soft, silky mouthfeel with a long finish and good concentration.

Merlot

Traditionally blended with Cabernet, these wines have a berry fruit character. Unblended Merlot is usually medium-bodied, soft and easy drinking wine. Flavours of plums and fruitcake. Nose: mint, plums, black cherries, coffee dark chocolate and mocha. Pairs well with ostrich, roasted beef, lamb, veal, venison and hamburgers.

DURBANVILLE HILLS

40 140

Area : Durbanville | Winemaker : Martin Moore and Gunther Kellerman
Platter's ★★ ★

Light ruby red in colour. Ripe berry character with dark chocolate and slight mintiness in the background. Medium bodied fruity with a soft and elegant palate, laced with ripe fruit and spicy vanilla.

SLANGHOEK

35 115

Area : Rawsonville | Winemaker : Pieter Carstens & Team
Platter's ★★ ½
- Vitis Vinifera Awards 2016 - Gold

Medium-bodied with well-integrated oak and juicy mullberry and fruitcake flavours on palate. Soft and accessible with well-balanced, fruity finish.

R A K A B A R R E L S E L E C T 230

Area : Kleinrivier, Stanford | Winemaker : Josef Dreyer
Platter's ★★ ★★

Rich, round and restrained with succulent black fruit elegance and integrated with structure that mingles harmoniously with light oak.

Pinot Noir

HAUTE CABRIÈRE

180

Area : Franschhoek | Winemaker : Achmin von Arnim
Platter's ★★ ★

An elegant wine with true varietal character. Dark fruit flavours are layered with juicy red fruit, soft tannins and complemented by well integrated acidity.

Red Blends & Other Cultivars

Be it Cape or Bordeaux blends, the combination of grape cultivars has been in existence for as long as man has been making wines. The best of each grape's features are accentuated and complexity is achieved. To enjoy with our meat dishes.

KAAPZICHT BIN 3

 45 155

Area : Stellenbosch, Bottelary Hills | Winemaker : Danie Steytler

Platter's ★★ ★

- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

- 2013: Best Value – Gold Awards

Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Pinotage and Malbec. Deep ruby colour with a purple meniscus. Sweet ripe spiced plum and red berry fruits brushed with oak vanillin; smooth tannins and multi-layered melange of fruit creates a richly textured mouthful; approachable and seductive with a velvety finish.

HARTENBERG

175

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Carl Schultz

Platter's ★★ ★½

- Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz. Ripe red fruit flavours like raspberry and cassis combine with spice, savoury character to create a juicy drinkable wine with a silky finish.

NABYGELEGEN SCARAMANGA

180

Area : Wellington | Winemaker : Charles Stassen

Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Malbec and Tempranillo. Aromas of leather and black current extend into the pallet mingling with sweet berries and pepper. An extended finish lingering over soft ripe tannins. This is a big wine.

STRANDVELD THE NAVIGATOR

350

Area : Cape Agulhas | Winemaker : Conrad Vlok

Platter's ★★ ★★ ★½

Shiraz, Grenache with a little Viognier and Mouvédre. Boldly fruity nose touched with spice & toasty oak. Red-fruit freshness underlain by still-youthful firm tannic structure. Needs time to develop generosity & harmony - decant for now.

MOOIPLAAS LANGTAFEL

140

Area : Stellenbosch | Winemaker : Louis Roos

Platter's ★★

Cabernet Sauvignon and Pinotage. A soft and mellow fruit-driven wine that can be enjoyed on its own or paired with a wide variety of dishes.

REYNECKE ORGANIC RED

150

Area : Western Cape | Winemaker : Johan Reynecke

Platter's ★★ ★★ ★

70% Shiraz and 30% Cabernet Sauvignon. Sourced from organic vineyards around the Western Cape. The grapes were sorted, destemmed and crushed and wild, spontaneous fermentation took place in a combination of concrete tanks and open top stainless steel fermenters using the submerged cap fermentation technique. 40% of the wine spent 11 months in older oak barrels after which the wine spent another 2 months in stainless steel tank before bottling.

Imported Red Wines

(Limited Stock)

RISALTO CHIANTI MONTALBANO	200
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(Italy) by the Sensi family in Tuscany

Vibrant red berry and spicy flavours.

CARRILLONADE	200
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(Bordeaux, France) by Vignerons de Guitres in Bordeaux

A typical Bordeaux blend with Merlot as the dominant flavour.

Dessert Wine

Oranje Rivier Kellers Hanepoot	20
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Sedgwick's Old Brown	20
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Monis Full Cream	20
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Monis Medium Cream	20
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Monis Pale Dry	20
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Boplaas Cape Ruby	20
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Nederburg Auction Wines

LIMITED STOCK AVAILABLE

Every year, around September, the prestigious Nederburg Auction is held at the Nederburg Estate in Paarl. A panel chooses the best wines from various estates to be put on auction. Wines from the last seven auctions are available for your enjoyment.

NEDERBURG PRIVATE BIN R163 600

CABERNET SAUVIGNON '99 / '02 / '06

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Wilhelm Pienaar, Danie Morkel & Samuel Viljoen
Platter's ★★★★★('07)

Good berry structure on the wine. Olives and cigar on the nose. This is a well balanced wine with good firm tannins.

NEDERBURG PRIVATE BIN R172 600

PINOTAGE '99 / '01

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Wilhelm Pienaar, Danie Morkel & Samuel Viljoen
Platter's ★★★★★½('07)

Fruit was sourced from bush vines in Darling that contributed fresh lively cherry and floral aromas and flavours, while vines in Durbanville provided deep, rich colour and flavours of succulent ripe plums. Well balanced with beautifully integrated oak.

NEDERBURG PRIVATE BIN 121 600

SHIRAZ '02

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Wilhelm Pienaar, Danie Morkel & Samuel Viljoen
Platter's ★★★★★½('07)

A smokey, spicy nose laced with berry opens onto ripe fruit, floral and spicy flavours on the palate, with a nuanced presence of oak from 24months in small new French wood.

NEDERBURG PRIVATE BIN R181 600

MERLOT '99 / '01

Area : Paarl | Winemaker : Wilhelm Pienaar, Danie Morkel & Samuel Viljoen
Platter's ★★★★★('08)

Seductive ripe berries with a firm and long oak finish. This is a serious, beautifully made Merlot from the Durbanville area.