

BONHAM



FINE WINES

N^o 35
— at the —
BONHAM

THE FINE LIST AT THE BONHAM

Welcome to No. 35 Restaurant at The Bonham Hotel.

We have carefully chosen some select wines from around the world to complement the food of our kitchen brigade. We have been aided by our partner Pol Roger who celebrate their 175th birthday in 2024. Not only do they make amazing Champagne but they work with the following wineries to help them share their products with wine lovers here in the UK and around the world.

POL ROGER CHAMPAGNE, EPERNAY

2024 marks 175 years that Maison Pol Roger has been producing exceptional Champagne. Currently in the hands of the fifth and sixth generations, family and independence are at the heart of Champagne Pol Roger. The Pol Roger style is one of inimitable quality, purity of fruit and famously fine bubbles.

Sir Winston Churchill was to become an unwavering Pol Roger customer, declaring the Maison “The world’s most drinkable address”. When Sir Winston died in 1965, on Odette Pol Roger’s instructions, all Pol Roger labels destined for the United Kingdom were bordered in black in tribute to Sir Winston’s loyalty and friendship. Nowadays there is an even more fitting tribute in the shape of the Cuvée Sir Winston Churchill.

1. BRUT RÉSERVE ‘WHITE FOIL’ NV

£90

The definitive house style, composed of 30 still base wines drawn from at least three vintages, and the three varieties of Champagne blended in equal proportion: Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Pinot Meunier.

2. BLANC DE BLANCS 2015

£160

Produced in limited quantities, this Cuvée has been aged for 6 years in their cellars before being released onto the market.

3. CUVEÉ SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL 2015

£325

The exact blend is a closely guarded family secret but it is undeniable that the composition would meet with the approval of the man to whom it is dedicated: “My tastes are simple: I am easily satisfied with the best”.

JOSEPH DROUHIN, BURGUNDY

Founded in 1880 by the then 22-year-old Joseph Drouhin, this famous Burgundy Negociant is still family-owned. Since 1993 they have worked their vineyards to organic and biodynamic principles, “bringing natural answers to natural problems”. Vinification is traditional, using indigenous yeasts and as little technical interference as possible, varied according to the needs of each terroir.

THE WHITES

4. **ST VERAN 2021** £40
A wine that smiles and makes you smile! A pleasant roundness coats the palate.
5. **RULLY BLANC 2022** £50
The colour is a beautiful white gold, a long and delicious aftertaste makes for a lasting impression.
6. **PULIGNY-MONTRACHET 2021** £135
Long and persistent in the aftertaste, ending on an exceptional wealth of flavours, both floral and fruity.

THE REDS

7. **‘COTE DE BEAUNE’ ROUGE 2018** £65
Persistent aftertaste, with delicious and subtle flavours that linger on for a long time.
8. **VOLNAY 2021** £85
A wine of great elegance with a vivid and bright colour. Long aftertaste, with touches of candied fruit and vanilla.
9. **NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES PREMIER CRU ‘LES PROCÈS’ 2021** £155
On the palate, the wine displays flesh as well as structure and a velvety texture.
10. **CHAMBERTIN CLOS DE BÈZE GRAND CRU 2013** £575
With age, the flavours evolve towards notes of undergrowth, truffle and liquorice.

DROUHIN VAUDON ESTATE, CHABLIS

In the 1960s, when the Chablis region had largely been abandoned as a home of quality winemaking due to phylloxera, Robert Drouhin took a leap of faith. His foresight meant that he was able to accrue some of the best vineyards in the area. The wines are incisively expressive of these individual terroirs and the vintage.

Since the end of the 1980's, under the impetus of Philippe Drouhin, Domaine Drouhin Vaudon adopted biodynamic cultivation, born out of a desire to limit man's impact on nature, and is now the largest estate in Chablis embracing this method of winemaking.

11. CHABLIS GRAND CRU 'VAUDESIR' 2021

£130

An exquisite wine often drunk on its own as an aperitif. Pure and limpid colour, with a faint greenish hint.

SANDRONE, PIEDMONT, ITALY

The story begins in 1977 with Sandrone's founder, the late Luciano Sandrone, who bought a parcel of less than a hectare in Cannubi Boschis, the undisputed cradle of Barolo. Over the next 40 years the winery would go on to acquire plots in Barolo and Roero, with the producer now spanning across 27 hectares. The wines of Sandrone are expressions of elegance and finesse and speak of the land they come from.

12. SIBI ET PAUCIS ALESTE BAROLO 2013

£190

Sibi et Paucis represents the passing of the days, the art of waiting and the pleasure of the past made present: an intuition that reflects the cycles of humanity and of wine.

CASANOVA DI NERI, MONTALCINO, ITALY

Founded in 1971 by Giovanni Neri, in 2021 Casanova di Neri celebrated its 50th anniversary. A long-standing lover of wine, Giovanni had a dream to make a great Italian red and chose the northeast of Montalcino to do so. The property currently consists of 500 hectares, of which 156 hectares are dedicated to Sangiovese vines, and the rest left as woodland, olive groves and arable land.

13. ROSSO DI MONTALCINO 'GIOVANNI NERI' 2020

£75

The Sangiovese used here comes from a small vineyard with 45 year old vines.

14. BRUNELLO DI MONTALCINO 'TENUTA NUOVA' 2017

£165

Tenuta Nuova is the will of Casanova di Neri to produce a powerful yet drinkable Brunello with a high ageing potential.

ARTADI, RIOJA SPAIN

Artadi dates back to 1985 when its current owner, Juan Carlos López de Lacalle, together with his family and thirteen local growers founded Artadi in the heart of Alava. Juan Carlos represents the 4th generation of winemakers, now joined by his son and 5th generation, Carlos.

Today, Artadi own 65 hectares of vineyard in their original site of Álava, in Laguardia.

15. VINAS DE GAIN TINTO 2020

£50

Characterised by aromas and flavours of fresh and delicate red fruits.

16. LA HOYA 2020

£90

A marked personality that is structured on the palate, fruity, and with a round, broad tannic maturity.

17. LA POZA DE BALLESTEROS 2020

£160

Broad, round and dense tannins abound, typical of a vineyard with character.

MULLINE VINTNERS, GEELONG, VICTORIA, AUSTRALIA

Established in 2018, their first vintage in 2019 heralded a truly compelling style of wine that firmly puts Geelong on the fine wine map. Making elegant and structured single-vineyard wines, these are expressions that speak of place and the exciting new wave of Australian wine.

18. SUTHERLANDS CREEK FUMÉ BLANC 2021

£60

A thoughtful sauvignon, savoury and refined, that pares back all the usual tropical fruits and looks to more refined citrus and grassy elements with green mango skin and a light dusty smokiness. The palate is clean, crisp and linear.

19. SUTHERLANDS CREEK SHIRAZ VIOGNIER 2022

£65

Bright crimson purple. Aromatic with spiced blackberries and raspberry coulis and unmistakable apricot-infused, viognier scents. A hedonistic, balanced and delicious mouthful from the get-go.

VOYAGER ESTATE, MARGARET RIVER, WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Family-owned Voyager Estate has just celebrated its 45th anniversary this year. One of the first estates in Margaret River, farmer, entrepreneur and regional pioneer, the late Michael Wright, bought the vineyard in 1991, and the reigns of the company have since passed to his daughter, Alexandra Burt. All their wines are single-estate grown and made.

20. MJW CHARDONNAY 2020

Fruit displaying pristine freshness, fruit concentration and bright varietal expression.

£75

21. MJW CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2018

Ripe, concentrated flavours and excellent fine-grained silky tannins.

£110

ABREU VINEYARDS, NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

For over 30 years, David Abreu has painstakingly cultivated a style of winemaking in the Napa Valley that focuses on the vineyards, soils and fruit, and has deservedly gained him iconic status. Born and bred in the Napa Valley, he produces iconic, single vineyard wines from his 28 hectares of vineyard.

22. ROTHWELL HYDE ESTATE RED 2018

The truest expression of the vintage, a wine that defines Abreu to the core.

£295

23. MADRONA RANCH 2011

Madrona Ranch will always be a site that succeeds in any vintage due to its diversity of soils, exposures and vine age.

£895

STAGLIN FAMILY VINEYARD, NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

The estate dates back to 1868 and the Staglin Family view themselves modestly as 'stewards' of the land, the latest in a historic line. Consequently, they farm the vineyard organically and produce the wines in a state of the art underground production facility.

24. SALUS CHARDONNAY 2021

The richness of sun-warmed fruit is beautifully balanced by acidity.

£95

25. ESTATE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017

This beautifully sculpted Cabernet plays out like a well-written thriller, full of brilliant dialogue between its dramatic dark fruit, fine tannins, alluring resins and focused acidity.

£320

ROBERT SINSEY VINEYARDS, CARNEROS, CALIFORNIA

Robert Sinskey believes that the goals of making luxuriously elegant wines and farming with earth-friendly methods are not mutually exclusive. On the contrary, he has found that caring for the land and conscientious business practices have helped to define the well-crafted and characterful Robert Sinskey wines.

Robert's wife, Maria Helm Sinskey, is the winery's resident chef and her influence is clearly expressed in the wines, which are indisputably food-friendly.

26. **ABRAXAS VIN DE TERROIR, 'SCINTILLA SONOMA VINEYARD' 2018** £60
Floral hints of lilac, gardenia, magnolia flowers abound in this Riesling, Pinot Gris, Pinot Blanc and Gewürztraminer blend.
27. **PINOT NOIR, LOS CARNEROS 2017** £75
Textured fruit flavours of blood orange, cranberry and pomegranate bursting through.
28. **CABERNET SAUVIGNON, STAGS LEAP DISTRICT 2014** £175
Fruit-forward aromas of cassis, blueberry and blackberry form the first impression.

TOR VINEYARDS, NAPA VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

TOR Wines is privately owned by Tor Kenward, who has over half a century of winemaking expertise. The TOR winemaking team has been together since the beginning. Since 2001, Jeff Ames is the head winemaker and the team adhere to the same, simple rule - 'the vineyard is what we showcase, not a heavy winemaker's hand'.

Each wine is nurtured from vine to bottle, unfiltered and unrefined. Each wine is handmade and bottled in very small quantities. Their secret? To stay out of the way, not to manipulate—to preserve a place in time and capture it in a bottle.

29. **PETITE SIRAH, 'PALISADES VINEYARD' 2016** £95
Enormously concentrated, sumptuous and structured, with an array of brooding dark fruits.
30. **OAKVILLE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019** £170
Packed with loads of blue and black fruits like blueberries, blackberries and blackcurrants.
31. **'BECKSTOFFER TO KALON' CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019** £525
Beckstoffer To Kalon is possibly Napa Valley's most iconic vineyard.

GALLICA, CALIFORNIA

Gallica is highly-regarded winemaker Rosemary Cakebread's first solo project, the daughter of renowned wine maker Bruce Cakebread. The winery was born out of a desire to make wines from unique sites, working side-by-side with committed growers, and exploring unique varietals.

Rosemary's philosophy, which she has applied to over 30 vintages, is to rely on simple winemaking practices while lavishing in the detail. Her objective is to create expressive yet balanced wines that represent the very best of a vintage.

- | | |
|---|------|
| 32. "RORICK HERITAGE" ALBARIÑO 2019 | £65 |
| The epitome of summer, lovely aromatics in this zippy wine. | |
| 33. 'ROSSI RANCH' GRENACHE, PASO ROBLES 2017 | £80 |
| Burgundian in character with a grip wines that grabs our attention. | |
| 34. 'OAKVILLE RANCH' CABERNET FRANC 2014 | £195 |
| The aromatic descriptions are voluminous but we favour rose petal, pomegranate and chrysanthemum. | |

RETAIL

We retail all the wines on this list as they are not only beautiful wines but they can be hard to find.
We offer a 10% discount on the wine list prices on all retail sales.

If you would like to purchase any wines, just ask your server for details.

Please note wines must be purchased before 10pm to take home. You are allowed to complete the sale and stay and enjoy the rest of the evening. The only legal requirement is the wine leaves the building, however temporarily, and then re-enters.

If you would like to place a large order for home delivery, let us know anytime either in person or by emailing Restaurant@TheBonham.com.