



Wine Program

We serve *real* wines ... our wine list is designed to complement the adventurous flavors from our kitchen, so we've instilled a sense of adventure into the selections. All wines on this ever-changing list were carefully chosen based on their region, quality, and most importantly ... taste. Don't know the difference between Merlot and Mourvedre? Don't worry. Our friendly, knowledgeable staff will help guide you through a memorable wine and dining experience. One hint as you navigate the list, the wines are categorized by different flavor profiles (fruity, light-bodied, full-bodied, etc.) in a progressive order from the lighter styles at the top of the page to the more full-bodied, 'bigger' wines towards the bottom. Can't decide which wine to pick? Choose a wine tasting trio below and sample 3 half-glasses of wines to compare & contrast together. **Savor the flavor!**

IRISES FEATURED HOUSE WINES

\$6.00 glass \$22.99 bottle

Doña Sol **Chardonnay**, California 2009
Tisdale **White Zinfandel**, California 2009
Hacienda **Merlot**, California 2008
La Playa **Cabernet Sauvignon**, Chile 2010

RED WINE SAMPLER TRIOS

Pinot Power \$11.00
Coastal Vines Pinot Noir
Primarious Pinot Noir
Block Nine Pinot Noir

Multi Cultural Reds \$11.00
Ique Malbec (Argentina)
Santa Erna Merlot (Chile)
Chateau de Clotte Bordeaux (France)

Que Syrah (and Shiraz, too) \$11.25
Belleruche Cotes Du Rhone (France)
Cuvee Le Bec (California)
Barking Mad Shiraz (Australia)

Deep, Dark & Delicious \$11.50
Klinkerbrick Zinfandel
'Petite Petit' - Michael David Winery
Summer's Cabernet Sauvignon

WHITE WINE SAMPLER TRIOS

Light & Fruity \$11.00
Heinz Eifel Shine Riesling (Germany)
Natura Gewurztraminer (Chile)
Sokol Blosser Evolution (Oregon)

Blancs Have More Fun \$9.75
Infamous Goose Sauvignon Blanc (New Zealand)
Jacquet White Bordeaux (France)
Joostenberg Chenin Blanc (South Africa)

World-Class Whites \$10.50
Leitz 3 Dry Riesling (Germany)
La Puerta Torrontes (Argentina)
Santi Pinot Grigio (Italy)

Sensational Chardonnays \$11.50
Shooting Star Chardonnay (Mendocino)
Carmel Road Chardonnay (Monterey)
Labouré Roi Pouilly Fuisse (France)

BEFORE & AFTER

Dubonnet Rouge , France	\$6
Campari , Italy	\$6
Dry Sac Sherry , Spain	\$6
Harvey's Bristol Cream Sherry , Spain	\$6
Ice Wine Inniskillin Vidal, Canada 2006	\$16
Porto Sandeman's Founder's Reserve, Portugal	\$6.50
Porto Tawny 10 yr Fonseca, Portugal	\$8
Porto LBV 2005 Taylor Fladgate, Portugal	\$10
Porto LBV 2002 Churchill's, Portugal	\$11

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Red Wine

BRIGHT REDS - for easy enjoyment, abundant fruit, good with our pastas, pizza, sandwiches, soft cheeses and grilled fish

	Glass	1/2 Bottle	Bottle
Brouilly Beaujolais Villages George DuBoeuf, France 2008			32
Pinot Noir Coastal Vines, California 2009	6.50		26
Pinot Noir Primarius Winery, Oregon 2009	8.00		32
Pinot Noir Cristom 'Mt. Jefferson' Cuvee, Willamette Valley Oregon 2007			44
Pinot Noir Patricia Green Cellars Estate, Oregon 2007			48
Pinot Noir Block Nine, California 2009	8.50		34
Pinot Noir Siduri, Santa Lucia Highlands 2009			48
Pinot Noir Saintsbury Toyon Farm, Carneros 2007			66
Pinot Noir Paul Hobbs, Russian River 2006		34	
Pinot Noir Gary Farrell, Russian River 2006			58
Pinot Noir Frédéric Magnien Bourgogne Rouge, Côte de Nuits, France 2009			42

MEDIUM-BODIED & MORE STRUCTURED REDS - enticingly mouth-filling, soft fruit, moderate tannins, well-suited with semi-hard cheeses, slow-roasted prime rib, chicken & roasted duck

Garnacha 'La Miranda' Vinas Del Vero, Spain 2007			39
Rioja Marques de Riscal Reserva, Spain 2004			36
Merlot Santa Ema Reserve, Chile 2008	7.50		29
Sangiovese-Merlot-Cabernet Centine, Italy 2008	7.00		28
Red 'Splash' St. Francis Winery, Sonoma County 2007 (Cabernet, Merlot, Syrah, Cabernet Franc, Zinfandel)	7.50		29

RHÔNE INSPIRED ... Syrah, Shiraz, Mourvedre & Grenache

Shiraz 'Barrel Monkeys', Red Heads Studio, McClaren Vale Australia 2008	9.00		36
Shiraz Reillys 'Barking Mad', Clare Valley Australia 2008	7.25		29
Grenache Terry Hoage 'Skins', Paso Robles 2006			48
Côtes-Du-Rhône (Grenache-Syrah) 'Belleruche' M. Chapoutier, France 2009	7.50		30
Cotes du Roussillon Hecht & Bannier (Grenache-Syrah-Mourvedre), France 2006			34
☼ Cuvee Le Bec (Grenache, Syrah, Mourvedre, Cunoise) Beckman Vineyards, Santa Ynez 2009	10		39
The Peasant Four Vines Paso Robles 2007 (Mourvedre, Syrah, Grenache, Cunoise, Tannat)			54
Syrah Martinelli 'Terra Felice', Russian River 2005			48
Syrah 'K' Vintners Clifton, Washington 2007			56

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Red Wine

VIVA ITALIA! *The World-renowned, food-friendly wines of Italy*

	Glass	1/2 Bottle	Bottle
Chianti Classico Riserva Melini La Selvanella, <i>Toscana 2006</i>			44
☼ Barbera D'Asti La Spinetta Ca' di Pian, <i>Piedmont 2007</i>	9.50	19	38
Sangiovese-Merlot-Cabernet Centine Banfi, <i>Toscana 2008</i>	7.00		28
Aglianico Del Taburno Fidelus, <i>Italy 2004</i>			32
Barolo Ca' Bianca DOCG, <i>Piedmont 2004</i>			68
Brunello di Montalcino San Filippo Le Lucère, <i>Toscana 2004</i>			90

JAMMY, SPICY, ZIPPY... ZINFANDEL!

Zinfandel Klinkerbrick Old Vine, <i>Lodi 2008</i>	8.00		32
Zinfandel Biale 'Black Chicken', <i>Napa 2006, 2009</i>			58
☼ Zinfandel Turley 'Dragon', <i>Napa 2006</i>			82
☼ Zinfandel Turley 'Dusi', <i>Santa Barbara 2006</i>			82
☼ Zinfandel Turley 'Rattlesnake Ridge', <i>Howell Mountain 2009</i>			88

BIG AND BOLD REDS - *when nothing else will do ... full-bodied, oak-aged, rich & dry, pair well with hard cheeses, grilled meats and game*

Petite Sirah-Petit Verdot 'Petite Petit' Michael David Winery, <i>Lodi 2009</i>	8.00		32
Malbec 'Ique' Enrique Foster, <i>Mendoza Argentina 2010</i>	7.00		28
Malbec Layer Cake, <i>Mendoza Argentina 2010</i>			36
Cabernet 'L de Lyeth' Lyeth, <i>Sonoma County 2009</i>	7.50		30
Cabernet Summer's 'Adriana's Cuvée', <i>Napa 2007</i>	9.00		36
Bordeaux Cotes de Castillon Chateau de Clotte, <i>France 2006</i> (Merlot, Cab Franc, Cabernet, Malbec)	9.50		38
Cabernet Justin, <i>Paso Robles 2007</i>			42
Cabernet Lonen Winery by Jocelyn, <i>Napa 2007</i>			48
Cabernet Chappellet, <i>Napa Valley 2008</i>			62
Cabernet Hendry, <i>Napa Valley 2005</i>			72
Cabernet O'Shaugnessy, <i>Howell Mountain 2005</i>			104
Cabernet Jordan Winery, <i>Sonoma 2007</i>			78
Quintessa (Cab-Merlot-Cab Franc) , <i>Rutherford 1999</i>			200
Quintessa (Cab-Merlot-Cab Franc) , <i>Rutherford 2007</i>			180
Trilogy Flora Springs (Cab-Merlot-Petit Verdot) , <i>Napa Valley 2007</i>			78
Opus 1 (Mondavi-Rothschild) , <i>Napa Valley 2006</i>			275
Opus 1 (Mondavi-Rothschild) , <i>Napa Valley 1998</i>			325

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White Wine

LUSCIOUS JUICY WHITES - easy drinking, sumptuously fruited with a hint of sweetness, fresh floral notes, a perfect accompaniment for our salads and spicy, Asian-style dishes

	Glass	1/2 Bottle	Bottle
Riesling Heinz Eifel 'Shine', Pfalz Germany 2009	6.75		27
Dry Riesling Leitz 3, Rheingau Germany 2010	9.00		36
Riesling Bollig-Lehnert Tritenheimer Kabinet, Mosel Germany 2007			36
Evolution (9 Varietals) Sokol Blosser, Oregon (nv)	8.00		32
☼ Gewurztraminer Natura, Chile 2009	6.75		27
Torrontes La Puerta, Argentina 2010	6.75		27
☼ Torrontes 'Don David' Reserve M. Torino, Argentina 2007			36

MEDIUM-BODIED CRISP WHITES - bright and lively, refreshingly brisk with crisp citrus or tropical overtones, little or no oak, delicious with whitefish, shellfish and vegetarian fare

Dry Rosé (Grenache & Syrah) Hecht & Bannier, France 2010	6.25		25
☼ Chenin Blanc Joostenberg, South Africa 2009	6.00		24
Pinot Grigio Santi Delle Venezie, Italy 2009	7.00		28
Muscadet Chateau la Noë, Loire France 2008			29
Sauvignon Blanc Infamous Goose, New Zealand 2010	8.00		32
Sauvignon Blanc Selene Hyde Vineyards, Carneros 2008			24
Sauvignon Blanc Groth, Napa 2008			42
White Bordeaux Chateau Jacquet (Sauvignon Blanc-Semillon), France 2009	7.50		30

SENSATIONAL CHARDONNAYS - rich and complex, ripe fruit, pair well with cream sauces, seafood and poultry

☼ Pouilly Fuisse Labouré Roi, (100% Chardonnay) Burgundy France 2009	9.50		38
Chardonnay Carmel Road, Monterey 2009	7.75		31
Chardonnay Shooting Star, Mendocino 2008	8.00		32
Chardonnay Jordan Winery, Russian River 2008			48
Chardonnay Chalk Hill, Sonoma County 2009			56
Chardonnay Martinelli Zio 'Tony Ranch', Russian River 2007			48

BUBBLES ... not just for special occasions!

Prosecco Lamberti Extra Dry, Italy	7.50		30
Blanc de Blanc Kriter Sparkling, France	6.75		27
☼ Brut Rose Gruet Sparkling, New Mexico			19
Brut Rose 'Mirabelle' Schramsberg, Napa Valley			48
Brut Champagne Pol Roger Reserve, France			32
Brut Champagne Veuve Cliquot 'Yellow Label', France			82
Sparkling Shiraz Paringa, Australia			26

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