

# WINE LIST

# WE ARE PROUD TO PRESENT AN UNIQUE COLLABORATION:

We are proud to present our unique collaboration  
with Piper-Heidsieck:



## Piper-Heidsieck Essentiel Brut by Taste!

This unique champagne is a profound collaboration between Emilien Boutillat, Chef de Cave of Piper-Heidsieck, and Kasper Stuart from Taste! Restaurant & Bar Group. It's a perfectly festive aperitif champagne for any celebration, but also especially made to pair with the elegant dishes of Brasserie Appelmans & Absinthbar.

This champagne is from the harvest of 2014 and has ripened in the cellars for five years before it was disgorged in 2020. It is a blend of 47% Pinot Noir, 31% Meunier and 22% Chardonnay grapes and 18% of this champagne are the finest reserve wines.

It boasts a precise, well-rounded and elegant profile.

Its precision and remarkable balance make it an ideal companion for gastronomy. The nose initially delivers notes of white peach, brioche, grapefruit and candied quince, developing towards aromas of toasted almonds. The palate is creamy and fresh. The length is remarkable and the finish on mineral notes pairs perfectly with a refined cuisine. Extra brut at 6 gr/l.

**Glass 13,00 – Bottle 69,00**

# CHAMPAGNES

## **Piper-Heidsieck Rosé Sauvage**

Chardonnays from the Montagne de Reims blend in nicely with pinot noirs from Les Riceys in the Côte des Bar, the southernmost part of the Champagne region. It results in an intense champagne with hints of luscious berry, alongside its aromatic and smokey flavours. This champagne is ideal to be served with duck and other red meat dishes.

*50-55% pinot noir of which 20-25% is aged to red wine -  
30-35% meunier - 15-20% chardonnay.*

**Bottle 90,00**

## **Piper-Heidsieck Essentiel Blanc de Blancs**

As part of the Piper-Heidsieck Essentiel collection, Essentiel Blanc de Blancs is a wine of complexity and profile that meets the high demands of gourmet food lovers, connoisseurs and trendsetters. The extended aging and Extra Brut dosage of the cuvée expresses the philosophy of Essentiel.

*100% Chardonnay.*

**Bottle 95,00**

## **Piper-Heidsieck Rare Millésime 2002**

In the past forty years, Rare Champagne, the most demanding of champagnes, has declared only nine vintages, all in limited production. Régis Camus, the cellar master of Rare Champagne, exclusively selects a unique year, when nature is tamed, when time and expertise reveal exceptional champagnes. This champagne has a distinctive character and an endless lifespan.

**Bottle € 250,00**

## **Piper-Heidsieck Vintage 2012**

With the precision of a watchmaker, 18 Crus were selected, mainly Premiers Crus and Grands Crus. The pinot noir from the Montagne de Reims gives the perfect structure and balance to the wines, complemented by chardonnay from the Côte des Blancs and the Montagne de Reims, which brings the elegance and charm of the wine to a wonderful result. A champagne that matures, yet remains youthful and fresh!

*52% pinot noir - 48% chardonnay*

**Bottle 125,00**

## **Taittinger Comtes de Champagne Blanc de Blancs 2006**

Produced in the cellars of the former Sainte-Nicaise abbey (13th century) in Reims.

This champagne receives all the care and attention it needs to reach its peak.

This flamboyant champagne was awarded 98/100 by the leading Wine Advocate.

100% Chardonnay and can only be described as Limited Edition.

**Bottle 190,00**

## **Bollinger "Spécial Cuvée" Brut**

This champagne asks for celebration!

*60% pinot noir - 25% chardonnay - 15% pinot meunier*

**Bottle 95,00**

# BUBBLES

## **Mont Marçal Cava Brut Reserva**

*Macabeo / Parellada / Xarel·lo - Penedès, Spain*

Light yellow color with fine pearls. In the nose, aromas of citrus in combination with light notes of yeast and brioche. Pleasant taste in which the balance between the fresh acidity and the soft fruitiness ensure a pleasant aftertaste.

**Glass 8,00 - Bottle 39,00**

## **Genoels-Elderen Zwarte Parel - Made in Belgium**

*Chardonnay - Haspengouw, Belgium*

Aged for 18 months in the bottle. Bright yellow in color and sparkling, with a delicate fizz in the glass. Elegant nose of white and exotic fruit. In your mouth, a richly foaming fruity attack, embedded in a slightly acid taste with a somewhat nutty onset and a rather fragile, yet juicy, structured finish. These bubbly are popular but rare, which may result in the occasional 'out of stock' message.

**Bottle 55,00**

## **Palau Cava Brut Rosado**

This cava is a sparkling rosé from Spain. It has an intense and attractive color of red berries with fine bubbles. The bouquet is dominated by a base of ripe plums and blackcurrants, along with raspberries and cherries. This ensures a fresh and fruity taste with striking Mediterranean influences.

**Glass 8,50 - Bottle 40,00**

# SWEET WHITE WINE

## Château des Eyssards

*Sauvignon Blanc / Sémillon - Côtes de Bergerac, France.*

The sauvignon blanc guides you through its typical grassy aromas, whereas the sémillon brings a healthy dose of complexity and the muscadelle offers its rather sweetened touch. Ideal to combine with a fresh salad, a cheese platter or a chocolate dessert.

**Glass 6,00 – Carafe (50cl) 22,00 – Bottle 33,00**

# WHITE WINES

## Luc Pirlet 'Les Barriques' Reserve

*Chardonnay - Pays d'Oc, France*

Luc Pirlet, a very passionate Belgian winemaker, has been creating a buzz with his wines for years now, in the Languedoc region of southern France

**Glass 6,00 – Carafe (50cl) 22,00 – Bottle 33,00**

## Torres Finca Negra Fair Trade

*Sauvignon blanc reserva - Central Valley, Chile*

A playful, fresh-fruited sauvignon blanc with heart and flavour, both in the right place. Its tropical fruit is elegantly balanced with green apple and a hint of fennel. Ideal with seafood or white meat.

**Glass 6,50 - Carafe (50cl) 26,00 - Bottle 38,00**

## Pinot Grigio Gorgo

*Pinot Grigio - Veneto, Italy*

A cosmopolitan wine that enchants its admirers with pleasant hints of citrus, pear and green apple. The finish collides with mineral hints of chalk and clay dominated soils.

**Glass 6,00 - Carafe (50cl) 22,00 - Bottle 35,00**

## Rare Vineyards

*Vermentino - Languedoc, France*

Beautiful accents of elderflower and linden blossom, white stone fruit and citrus in the nose. Lots of freshness, subtle acidity and a gentle minerality on the palate.

**Glass 5,50 - Carafe (50cl) 19,50 - Bottle 28,00**

## Vidilla - Juan Gil (BIO)

*Verdejo - Rueda, Spain*

Deliciously fresh and fruity wine, based on the verdejo grape that is biologically cultivated. The vineyards are located in the southeastern part of the Rueda appellation.

**Bottle 40,00**

## Vache d'Automne Blanc

*Colombard / chardonnay - Gascogne, France*

This fruity wine is an invigorating duet of colombard and chardonnay. Colombard brings its typical fresh notes of peach, tangerine and lemon for which it is known and loved.

Supported by chardonnay, this becomes a round and full wine experience.

Very seductive!

**Bottle 32,00**

### **California Roots**

*Chardonnay - California, USA*

This California Chardonnay has a light yellow clear color. In the nose we mainly find aromas of white pome fruit (peach, nectarine etc ...) and blossoms. The taste is smooth, smooth and elegant. Chardonnay with great charm.

**Bottle 45,00**

### **Touraine Domaine des Corbillières**

*Sauvignon blanc - Touraine, France*

This sauvignon blanc comes from the leading domains of the Touraine region Domaine des Corbillières and has an aromatic nose of ripe fruits with exotic accents. This wine has a fresh, lively taste and features a lot of complexity.

**Bottle 39,00**

### **L.A. Cetto**

*Chenin Blanc - Baja California, Mexico*

Surprisingly fresh-and-fruity Mexican wine, based on 100% chenin blanc from Baja California. This wine holds aromas of tropical fruit, such as pineapple and guava, with drops of honey. In taste, this one is fresh, light-hearted and enjoyable. A medium long finish that just asks for a second round.

**Bottle 35,00**

### **'POINT' Grüner Veltliner**

*Grüner Veltliner - Niederösterreich, Austria*

Very fresh aroma, with a full citrus and spiciness, followed by a flawless taste with tight minerals, ripe citrus and tingling acids. Not only an original but also a particularly tasty and refreshing wine from Austria! Delicious Gruner Veltliner...

**Bottle 42,00**

### **MAD**

*Furmint - Tokaj, Hungary*

This extraordinary wine lets its terroir speak for itself. Mád has traditionally been the center of this exceptional wine universe. Since ages they've been cultivating wine with character on volcanic soil. In the process, the furmint grape, exclusive to the Tokaj region, grows on years-old vines. The result is a delicious gourmet wine characterized by an intense aroma of citrus and light earthy notes, with a minerality that refreshes the palate. A great companion for fish dishes.

**Bottle 44,00**

### **L'esparrou - 'Grande Reserve'**

*Viognier / Chardonnay - Languedoc-Roussillon, France*

Full-bodied white wine from the south of France, based on chardonnay and viognier. A surprising scent to start, with intense aromas of elderberry blossom, white flowers, nectarine and white peach. Extremely succulent and generous in taste, with again lots of ripe white fruits, nectarine, apricots and white peach, plus some green plums.

**Bottle 34,00**

### **Bodegas Ontañón Blanco**

*Tempranillo blanco - Rioja, Spain*

A relatively new twist in the wine world that you'll want to get acquainted with. Tempranillo blanco is a unique grape, featuring intense aromas of tropical fruit and hints of banana, apple and citrus. A firm body and rounded feel lead up to a fresh aftertaste.

**Bottle 42,00**

### **Baboon Rock**

*Unwooded chardonnay - Franschhoek, South Africa*

That wine making can be quite rock 'n roll is proven by the winemakers of this fruity, full-bodied chardonnay. The estate on which the centuries-old vines are growing, borders on a natural reserve that is home to a few grape-loving baboons. To safeguard their harvest from these thieving monkeys, the vintner occasionally uses a paintball gun to discourage the sneaky predators. Did someone say "Planet of the Grapes"?

**Bottle 45,00**

## **ROSÉ WINE**

### **Palm 'by Château L'Escarelle'- Bio**

*Grenache / Cinsault - Côtes de Provence, France*

Subtle rosé with mainly floral aromas. Fresh, smooth and mineral with a juicy and fresh aftertaste. Delicious as an aperitif, but also recommended for Mediterranean cuisine.

**Glass 6,50 - Carafe (50cl) 26,00 - Bottle 39,00**

**Magnum 150 cl 79,00**

### **Château Saint-Maur 'You Are Maur' Rosé**

*Mourvèdre / Cinsault / Ugni Blanc / Grenache - Côte d'Azur, France*

A wonderful and summery rosé straight from the cellars of a grand Château at the Côte d'Azur! This summer's hype. This wine has a peachy colour with golden reflections, an expressive nose full of fruit with tones of white peach and red berries such as gooseberry. On the palate fresh and fruity with spicy notes of English sweets.

**Bottle 42,00**

# RED WINES

## Levalet Reserva

*Merlot - Pays d'Oc, France*

A fleshy, supple wine with an intense scent of black fruit, such as brambles and blackberries. This one has rather soft tannins which makes it tasteful and easy-drinking. Lovely to have it with beef or a tender cut of pork.

**Glass 6,00 – Carafe 22,00 – Bottle 33,00**

## Falling Rock

*Shiraz / Cabernet Sauvignon - Murray Darling, Australia*

Tasty, juicy wine. The Shiraz provides the fine subtle aromas of pepper and ripe berries. The scents of mocha come from the Cabernet Sauvignon. Rich in taste, where the fruit prevails, with a soft aftertaste. A very accessible wine with many of our meat dishes.

**Glass 6,50 - Carafe 24,00 - Bottle 34,00**

## Rare Vineyards

*Carignan - Languedoc, France*

Very pleasant and succulent red wine, based on 100% carignan grapes. Aromas of berries, spices, vanilla and a soft touch of wood.

**Glass 5,50 - Carafe (50 cl) 19,50 - Bottle 28,00**

## De'Conti Appassimento

*Primitivo – Puglia, Italy*

Tasteful, firm and fruity red from the Puglia region. Here you will find a variety of black fruit aromas, herbal scents, black pepper and notes of chocolate. A beautifully round finish with soft tannins.

**Bottle 43,00**

## Marras Grenache

*Grenache - Western Cape, Piekenierskloof, South Africa*

Delightfully fruity! With its origin on the old vines in Piekenierskloof, a top terroir for Grenache, this wine boasts flavors and aromas of ripe cherry, wild strawberries, and raspberry, both on the palate and in the nose. With a bright red color, it's a fresh, fruity, lively red wine that can also be enjoyed when served chilled. Enjoy!

**Bottle 45,00**

## Irreverente

*Udaca - Dão, Portugal*

A full nose of ripe plums, red currant and cherry, with a slight spiciness. The palate is rather complex and solid, but has enough finesse to keep this one out of the category of so-called powerful wines. Marvellously in harmony!

**Bottle 30,00**

## Racine

*Malbec - Southwest, France*

The wine is characterized by a high viscosity. Aromas of small black fruits such as blackberries and blueberries and notes of vanilla. *The wine can be served slightly chilled.*

**Bottle 30,00**



### **Château Sainte-Eulalie 'Plaisir d'Eulalie'**

*Grenache / syrah / carignan - Languedoc-Roussillon, France*

The unique location of the vineyards and the age of the grenache, syrah and carignan vines result in a southern wine with nicely structured tannins. A delicious one to complement cheese, pastas and grills.

**Bottle 34,00**

### **"Champbeaux" Grande Réserve**

*Marselan / alicante bouschet - Languedoc, France*

Big, bold and beautiful. A gorgeous languedoc wine with a deep red and sensual color. Pleasant tannins, flavours of smoked cherry and a velvety finish.

**Bottle 36,00**

### **Bardolino Gorgo**

*Corvina / Molinara / Rondinella - Veneto, Italy*

A bright ruby red coloured wine. With in the nose aromas of mainly red cherry and a splash of ripe strawberries. The palate reveals notes of tiny red and dark fruits, merging with a gentle and pleasant bitter to its finish, but also soft tannins and mild acidity. Fans can also drink this wine when chilled.

**Bottle 36,00**

### **"Ontañon" Crianza, Bodegas Ontañon**

*Tempranillo / garnacha - Rioja, Spain*

Ontañon, located outside of Logroño, involves fruit from their own vineyards in Rioja Baja. High-lying, isolated vineyards, gently sloping on stony soils, make for rich wines from fertile ground. Very long on the palate, the natural sense of fruity expressions. As a result of our motto "sharing is caring", this rioja is also available in a magnum bottle. Perfect for a party at Appelmans!

**Bottle 43,00 - magnum (1,5l) 82,00**

### **Brugnano V90 Nero d'Avola Sicilia DOC**

*Nero d'Avola - Sicily, Italy*

Intense ruby red in color with violet highlights. The nose reveals scents of ripe cherry, spices, and cinnamon. This wine is distinctive on the palate, with its satisfying freshness, making it a perfect companion for any meal.

**Bottle 35,00**

### **'Ripper' Pinot Noir**

*Pinot Noir - Murray Darling, Australia*

Beautiful sparkling typical Pinot Noir color. The bouquet smells of fine, delicate fruit (raspberries, blueberries) with a touch of earth. Luxurious in the mouth, distinguished, softly creamy and velvety. Delicious juicy red fruit in a gossamer structure.

A true discovery. *Can optionally be served chilled.*

**Bottle 32,00**

### **Errazuriz MAX Reserva**

*Carmenère - Aconcagua Valley, Chile*

Nothing but superlatives for this champ, STUPENDOUS! This indigenous grape variety is cultivated in the Aconcagua Valley, northwest of Santiago. The wine contains a terrific bouquet of plums and figs, tasty bell pepper and black pepper, black olives, deep scents of thick red and blackcurrant. To turn the ripe carmenère grapes into a vigorous full-bodied wine, an intensified maceration of the skin is needed. This Max Reserva has at least 12 months of aging to do on oak barrels, before it gets its well-balanced exquisite aromas of fruit, herbs, wood and spices.

**Bottle 62,50**

### **Zweefteef**

*Pinotage / Shiraz - Western Cape, South Africa*

Deliciously juicy, beautiful red fruit, round and soft with a good structure.

Wine with character and style, widely applicable to many dishes. Highly recommended!

**Bottle 31,00**

### **Los Bandidos, Premium Malbec**

*Malbec - Mendoza, Argentina*

This ruby red wine with a hint of purple has a juicy start with notes of red fruit, cherries, raspberries, and tobacco. It has acquired a moderate yet adequate level of acidity, with a mild body, and in the background, you'll find mellow, sun-ripened black fruit. This 'bandit' wine offers an excellent price-to-quality ratio!

**Bottle 39,00**

### **Château Belle-Garde**

*Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon - Bordeaux, France*

Château Belle-Garde is a very classical red bordeaux. This wine is a blend of cabernet franc and cabernet sauvignon with a sufficient amount of structure and backbone, but also easily drinkable. Pairs perfectly with game and red meat.

**Bottle 43,00**

### **Terre Forti Rubicone Igt**

*Sangiovese - Emilia Romagna, Italy*

Fierce ruby red. The nose contains aromas of ripe cherries and blackcurrant, with a dash of mediterranean herbs. The taste is beautifully balanced with an elegant frame. Enjoyable fruity aftertaste.

**Bottle 31,00**

# LAST CHANCE

*This is definitely the page where you will have the most fun and find the best offers! This is our selection of wines from another vintage or the ones that are no longer in stock.*

*These wines have been removed from our wine list and are available at attractive prices.*

## WHITE WINES

### **Main Divide**

*Sauvignon Blanc - Marlborough, New-Zealand*

A fragrant white wine with lively scents of tropical fruits and stone fruit, floral tones of orange blossom and hints of dried herbs. In the mouth: fresh, crisp and spirited.

**Bottle 45,00**

### **Cheverny, Pascal Bellier**

*Sauvignon Blanc / Chardonnay - Loire, France*

Unique blend of grapes in this region! Dry, pale yellow wine with aromatic shades of citrus, white stone fruit, lemon zest and white blossoms. Beautiful elegant acids that resonate in the aftertaste.

**Bottle 35,00**

### **Les Chanteaux**

*Chenin Blanc - Loire, France*

A chenin monocépage white wine, from a southern oriented parcel where the vines are on average fifteen years old. This one has floral and mineral details with fresh citrus aroma. Pairs great with fish, risotto and green asparagus.

**Bottle 39,00**

## RED WINES

### **El Chaparral de Vega Sindoa**

*Grenache - Navarra, Spain*

This El Chaparral de Vega Sindoa is 100% grenache grape from vines between 60 and 110 years old! Aged for eight months in oak barrels, it is both spicy and fruitlike, with its impressions of ripe red fruit, pepper and bay leaf. Highly recommended, as this one comes with a very exceptional value for money!

**Bottle 43,00**