

Sweet Wine List

603. 2007 Torrontes Tardio, Familia Zuccardi, Mendoza, Argentina (4)

£12^{Half Bottle}

Torrontes is a grape with similar characteristics to Muscat, so this is a floral, grapey glass of sweet wine best drunk with fruit deserts. £4_(125ml GI)

605. Pedro Ximenez Sacromonte, Bodegas Valdivia, Sherry, Spain

£5⁷⁰_{125ml GL}

The colour and consistency of motor oil. Dried raisin-like grapes are turned into a vinous, decadent, delight. Try with chocolate pudding or pour over vanilla ice cream.

606. 2006 Off the Rack Chenin Blanc, Plantagenet, Great Southern, Western Australia

£18_(50cl Bt)

Much sweeter and richer than its French counterpart even though it is made from the same grape. Toffee and marmalade flavours are kept from being cloying by the grape's trademark freshness. Try with pannacotta.

607. 2003, 'Le Colombare', Recioto di Soave, Pieropan, Soave, Italy

£25_(50cl Bt)

The grapes are dried on straw mats for 5 months following harvest. It's rich, luscious fruit has flavours of almonds & hazelnuts that linger for ages.

608. 2004 Moscato Rosa, Franz Haas, Alto Adige, Italy

£25^{Half Bottle}

On our 2004 sojourn around northern Italy the producer Piers and I were most impressed with was Franz Haas. I can just about guarantee you will have never tasted anything like this. It smells of rose petals and tastes like a decadent Muscat, but is actually a sweet red wine. Bonkers but fantastic.

610. 10 Year Old Tawny, Quinta do Infantado, Douro Valley, Portugal

£18^{Half Bottle}

Ten years in a barrel produces and altogether different beast to the other heavier styles of port. Mid-weight, nutty and complex.

As you would expect great with cheese, but also try with chocolate puddings

£6_(125ml GI)

611. 2000 Vintage Port, Quinta de Ventozelo, Douro Valley, Portugal

£18^{Half Bottle}

We tend to drink our vintage port well aged in the UK – nothing wrong with that, but a British peculiarity. The Portuguese quaff them right through their life span. An ideal treat to finish the meal.

Eau de Vie, Digestive

Cognac Ferrand, Reserve 20 Year Old

35ml

£4⁵⁰

Armagnac Cerbois, XO Grand Bas Armagnac 20 Year Old

£4⁵⁰

Calvados Daron, Fine 100% Pays d'Auge, 5 Year Old

£3⁵⁰

Limoncello, *Capri Natura, Italy*

£2⁵⁰_(50ml)

Grappa di Moscato, *Pilzer, Italy*

£5_(50ml)

We also have an excellent selection of malt whiskeys, some from very small and very old distilleries. Ask to have a nose – literally!

Coffee

Our coffee is blended by Paddy & Scott in Earl Soham. They have blended us quite a strong, rounded style with a long finish. Single Espresso, Double Espresso, Americano, Latte, Mocha, Macchiato, Ristretto, Cappuccino.

Tea

Hamish (our wine consultant) told us about Jing Tea. They take tea very seriously, from growing and blending through to packaging and serving. You'll notice our tea is served in lovely borosilicate glass single serving teapots with matching cup & saucer so you can see the beautiful leaves and infusions at work. Jing offers definitive examples of Asia's greatest teas, grown in time honoured gardens, skilfully hand-processed then vacuum-packed at source for unmatched freshness.

Assam Breakfast

A comforting and full breakfast classic, with rich malty sweetness and vivid ruby coloured infusion.

Organic Bohea Lapsang

Calm, serene and reassuringly smoky with a supple, creamy, liquorice-root finish.

Darjeeling 2nd Flush

Sprightly, lively, sappy and refreshing, with an enticing combination of fresh grass, plant sap and woodland earth.

Ceylon Black Tea

A rich, soft and full tea, with a gentle yet textured profile. The taste long and satisfying with an almost creamy wealth to it.

Earl Grey

Refreshing and sweet, with lifted citrus charm freshening the structure tenacity of the Ceylon leaf. A perfectly focused classic.

Organic White Peony

Quenching, rounded, subtle and full flavour in which gentle vegetal notes are lifted by graceful melon fruit.

Flowering Jasmine & Lilly

Light and smooth green tea, hand tied around orange lily petals and sweet jasmine flowers.

Jasmine Pearls

Velvety, full and enticing green tea leaf lifted by fresh and heady jasmine aroma. The taste is sumptuous, round and deeply jasmine infused.

Whole Peppermint Leaf

Insistent, deep and full mint flavours with an almost oily mid-palate, subsiding cleanly towards and intensely perfumed finish.

Organic Whole Chamomile Flowers

Bright, full, mellow floral depths with soft, refreshingly bitter vegetal complexities in the finish. Sweet yet austere.

Blackcurrant and Hibiscus Fruit Infusion

Vivid, intense and lively, with a rich spectrum of berry fruits, bright supporting acidity and a sweet, perfumed finish. Refreshing, even bracing and full of charm.