

WINTER WINES 2020

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WINE IN WINTER

Hand-picked wine cases that showcase some of our favourite wines to enjoy at this time of year...

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PIGALLE BRUT NV FRANCE & SPAIN (COLLABORATIVE) AIREN I VIURA

A great little fizz that has some flavour to it. It's fruit driven, but not overly acidic and has a nice dry finish. Great as an aperitif or with some nibbles. The two main grapes are grown in Spain, but this is produced in France. Delicious with salty food.

AI GALERA 'MISTICO' TEJO, PORTUGAL FERNÃO PIRES 85% | VERDELHO 15%

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LAS CONDES

CENTRAL VALLEY, CHILE SAUVIGNON BLANC

Hannah found the Las Condes range some time ago and each new vintage does not disappoint. You really can get reliable wines that deliver on flavour from Chile. The warm climate makes this Sauvignon, bright and refreshing with luscious tropical notes and a citrus bite. Pass me a straw please.

RESERVE ST MARC LANGUEDOC, FRANCE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

A smooth and silky wine with soft black fruit and spicy undertones. It's a luscious little wine that is produced from a warmer part of France and this makes it rather juicy to drink. Great with grilled red meats and charcuterie.

CASA DELLE VALLE 'EL TIDON' TIERRA DE CASTILLA CASTILLA, LA MANCHA, SPAIN TEMPRANILLO 75% | CABERNET SAUVIGNON 25%

The vines are grown in the Caliza Franco Arenosa soils of Castilla de la Mancha located around the village of Yepes, in the province of Toledo. In the vineyard there is a high proportion of calcareous soil. A traditional easy style Spanish dry red with vanilla and red plum notes and a herbal finish. Warm, earthy and mellow aromas with spice and ripe blackberry fruit with toasted wood in the background. Fruity and smooth.

LOS ROMEROS CENTRAL VALLEY, CHILE MALBEC

A Chilean Malbec that truly has become a firm favourite with the residents of Sherborne. It's such a crowd pleaser; luscious ripe fruit on the palate that is full, but not overly 'jammy', and a nice little bit of depth to it owed to the old vines used. This wine really over-delivers for its price point. Moreish, well-balanced and versatile. It's not trying to be something it isn't. An honest glass of Malbec from an unexpected region. It's more 'old school French' style Malbec rather than the bold examples coming from Argentina.





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CIELO 1908 VENETO, ITALY GARGANEGA | CHARDONNAY

A lovely little wine from the Veneto region. Light, fresh ripe peach notes with a touch of floral. It's rounded and velvety. Great as an aperitif. It's a 'crack open and enjoy to the end in one sitting' kind of wine. Made by a fourth-generation family winery.

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DACIANA VIILE TIMISULUI, ROMANIA SAUVIGNON BLANC

Racy citrus notes dominate the palate of this crisp Sauvignon Banc leading to a zesty, mouth-watering finish. A great little number from Romania and perfect for mid-week consumption.

ROULEUR BLANC DE BLANCS VIN DE FRANCE COLOMBARD | GRENACHE BLANC | TERRET | VERMENTINO 'Le Rouleur' is the term given to a cyclist who is a good all rounder, and the same is certainly true of this wine! An attractive glossy, pale vellow with crispy, fresh citrus and floral aromas with lively herby apple

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> HAZY VIEW SOUTH AFRICA CHENIN BLANC

South African Chenin is one of life's great joys; once you've discovered it, you'll be hooked. It's refreshing and dry, but 'fruity dry' with luscious rounded fruity notes such as fresh melon, a touch of citrus and a hint of honey. Can you tell how much we like Chenin? This is a little intro to Chenin- a baby.

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VIAMARE CIELO 1908 ITALY SANGIOVESE I PRIMITIVO

A full and fragrant wine with juicy hedgerow fruit throughout and soft, soft tannins. A great combination of two well- known and beloved Italian grapes. There's some depth to this wine and it just really over delivers for its price point. Hannah would bathe in this wine, if she could!

HAZY VIEW

SOUTH AFRICA PINOTAGE

A blend of Pinot Noir & Cinsault, Pinotage is a grape variety that offers fruit and spice. This wine is all about the brambly hedgerow fruit, with peppery undertones throughout. It's great with meats and cheeses. It's a firm favourite with a good ol' burger!

LAS CONDES CENTRAL VALLEY, CHILE CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The fruity blackcurrant and black berries that we want from Cabernet Sauvignon are in this wine. It's the not heaviest of cabernets, which is why it's a great midweek choice for us. You've not got complex oak ageing, but you do have luscious fruit notes and some body. What a gem at this price!

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SNAPPER ROCK MARLBOROUGH, NEW ZEALAND PINOT GRIS

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> CIELO FRIZZANTE PROSECCO ITALY

GLERA

A truly fun fizz. Apples and pears dance on the palate with the bubbles. It's a great wine for when you want to add some sparkle to your evening without any pomp. Made by a fourth generation family winery.

CHATEAU OUMSIYAT DESIR ROUGE LEBANON

TEMPRANILLO 35% CABERNET SAUVIGNON 25%, SYRAH 20% CINSAULT 20%

Situated at over 1,000 metres elevation in the beautiful Bekaa Valley, between Mount Lebanon to the west and the Anti- Lebanon Mountains to the east. The altitude, microclimate and soils combine in this ancient terroir to produce fresh wines with a very Mediterranean 'feel.'We always think style wise this Lebanese takes on a decent Cotes du Rhone. Lovely depth with subtle hints of spice. Partners with Lamb Koftas, barbecued meats, aromatic cous cous dishes or tagines.

MONTSABLE

LANGUEDOC, FRANCE

PINOT NOIR

Clean and precise bouquet with black cherries and raspberry aromas. The palate is medium-bodied with sappy red berry fruit and a silky long finish. Perfect choice for a red accompaniment to turkey. Great by the glass and could be taken even slightly chilled. Would match very well with duck breast, crispy bacon, cold cuts & soft cheeses.

A GROWER'S TOUCH RIVERINA, AUSTRALIA CABERNET SAUVIGNON

'A Grower's Touch' pays homage to the growers that, day in day out, care for the vines that go into making wine. The vineyard focuses on the production of more traditional varietals, all grown locally out of the Riverina and by farmers who have worked with the producers for two decades. The label honours the farmers whose hands love and nature the fruit. This is an old vine Cabernet Sauvignon with delicious blackberry, blackcurrant, and blood plum notes, complemented by soft French oak. Pair with red meats, cold cuts, cheese.

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PASSAGE DU SUD

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VERMENTINO

Bright lemon in the glass. Blending floral notes on the nose, with fresh pear, lime, green apple. A fullbodied white, creamy in texture and vibrant. Ample acidity in the lingering finish. Enjoy this wine chilled, as an aperitif or with chicken & avocado salad, classic fish & chips, baked salmon with almond.

VINA EDMARA CENTRAL VALLEY, CHILE VIOGNIER

A gorgeous combination of apricots, pineapple, peaches through to a fresh apple finish, with a touch of white pepper. Produced in a very privileged position between the Andes and the Pacific with exceptional soils and intense sunshine. Soft textured, well flavoured with a refreshing finish.

WHITE CLIFF

MARLBOROUGH, NZ SAUVIGNON BLANC

This fresh and vibrant Sauvignon Blanc displays complex aromas of tangelo, mango, nettles and passionfruit accompanied by lemon rind. The palate is seamless with lively acidity bringing great length. Grapes harvested in the cool of the night were gently pressed and the juice clarified quickly to capture and maintain the powerful fruit aromas evident in this vibrant Sauvignon Blanc. Ferment was undertaken at cool temperatures over several weeks before blending and filtration.

GROOTE POST

DARLING HILLS, SOUTH AFRICA

A family winery that evolved from dairy farming to winemaking. They make delicious wines in an area that gets some coastal influence. Melon and guava are prominent on the nose of this classic Chenin Blanc - a pleasing minerality on the palate with pear and green fig flavours.







Red

QUERCETO DOCG CHIANTI

92% SANGIOVESE | 8% CANAIOLO

This wine uses grapes from vines grown at between 350 – 500 metres altitude, with an average vine age of between 10-30 years old. Aged in oak barriques for 8-10 months and then a further three months in bottle before release. Medium bodied with ripe red and black fruits throughout and a distinctive Chianti 'bite'. Bellissima!

CHATEAU BELVUE BORDEAUX 2015 CUVEE L'EMOTION | GOLD MEDAILLE D'OR AWARD MERLOT | CABERNET SAUVIGNON | MALBEC

Full bodied with rich notes of liquorice, cedar, tobacco and black fruits. A joy to drink right now from beginning to end. Doesn't disappoint claret fans as an 'everyday' drinker, but a great introduction to Bordeaux for others. We love this wine!

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CASALI DEL BARONE 150+1 PIEMONTE DOC, ITALY BARBERA

150+1 is reference to the collaboration between head winemaker Daniele Ress and the 150 members of the Vallebelbo cooperative where this wine is made. Made from a blend of 85% Barbera and 15% Nebbiolo this wine is aged in small oak barrels for 3 months. Intense ruby red colour with ripe red fruit aromas. On the palate, it is fullbodied and round, with a soft finish of dark chocolate and black pepper.

Pairing: It is ideal with cold meats and mature cheeses and perfect with chocolate desserts.

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MALLORY & BENJAMIN TALMARD MÂCON-UCHIZY, FRANCE

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LANGLOIS-CHATEAU CRÉMANT DE LOIRE BRUT, FRANCE

A fizz that offers freshness, elegance and fun in one bottle; it really showcases how fantastic sparkling wine from the Loire can be. Fresh tropical top notes, with a luscious light biscuity finish. Perfect for an aperitif or celebration.

PIATELLI VINEYARDS CAFAYATE, ARGENTINA 'PREMIUM' MALBEC

A smooth, opulent and refined Malbec with a fruity bouquet of blackberry and violet and a touch of wild herbs and graphite from this cooler area of Argentina. All the flavour, but with true elegance on the palate!

CAMILLE CAYRAN

RASTEAU, RHONE, FRANCE GRENACHE SYRAH MOURVEDRE

Created in 1929, the Cave de Cairanne winery has built its reputation and recognition on its experience and exceptional winemaking. The nose is rich and concentrated with notes of black olive and garrigue. This wine has a great structure with soft tannins.

DOMAINE FICHET

BOURGOGNE PINOT NOIR, FRANCE

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VINA CARTIN SALNES VALLEY, RIAS BAIXAS ALBARINO

This 100% Albarino is slightly creamy with refreshing pear and melon on the nose and apple and lime peel on the palate. A gentle de-stemming process, hand-selection, and modern winery techniques lead to a very clean and crisp wine which would be refreshing either as an aperitif or as an accompaniment to pasta or seafood. The cool climate Salnes Valley is a subregion of Rias Baixas.

VIÑA COBOS 'FELINO' ARGENTINA CHARDONNAY

Vineyards in Valle de Uco and Luján de Cuyo. Planted at high altitude of around 3,300 feet (1,000 metres). Semidesert climate. On the nose we find notes of white peach, green apple, white flowers and honeysuckle. On the palate, it has great freshness, balance and persistent finish. It's a moreish Chardonnay that always delivers what it promises.

> ZEPHYR DILLON'S POINT, NEW ZEALAND SAUVIGNON BLANC

Referring to himself humbly as the janitor, Ben Glover creates wines from his own vineyard in the renowned Marlborough sub-region of Dillon's Point where the grapes have coastal influence with you can taste in the glass. The whites especially deserve to be compared with other world class whites rather than merely the best of Marlborough.

> LARRY CHERUBINO 'APOSTROPHE: STONE'S THROW', AUSTRALIA

RIESLING | GEWÜRZTRAMINER | PINOT BLANC

A young, 'new world' winemaker who is establishing himself as a global name for quality and quirky winemaking. This aromatic white blend of Riesling, Gewürztraminer, and Pinot Blanc is a fruity explosion on the palate; it's dry, laced with mineral lime notes, and has a full fleshy stone fruit presence and bright notes of rose petals. Perfect for cheese boards, leftover poultry and chutneys, or turkey curry!

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THISTLEDOWN WINERY 'CUNNING PLAN' MCLAREN VALE, AUSTRALIA SHIRAZ

A smoothly delivered shiraz that has deep, fleshy and seductive appeal. The fresh blackberry, plum and mulberry aromas are nicely dosed with oak spice and deliver such soft, smooth style on the palate. Really effortless drinkability. Great with stews.

TENUTE TOMASELLA FRIULI GRAVE, ITALY DOC CABERNET FRANC

An unoaked wine, with notes of cassis, raspberry and fresh mint. Full-bodied, velvety and spicy; its distinctive perfume and personality is renowned in the Friuli area. Perfect with lamb, or white meats and mature cheeses.

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CHÂTEAU BEAU RIVAGE DE BY MÉDOC, FRANCE MERLOT | CABERNET SAUVIGNON

A very stylish and elegant Bordeaux with vivid blackcurrant notes from the Cabernet Sauvignon and luscious plum from the Merlot. Extremely ripe tannins; grippy without being coarse and marked pebbly aromas behind the fruit. With grapes grown on vines with an average age of 35 years, this wine offers some power on the palate but is beautifully balance. If you are having beef on Boxing Day, then this is your wine.

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