

The Book of Life by
VIVAT BACCHUS

**VB'S
OWN LABEL**

TRY OUR SELECTION OF WINES, MADE
SPECIALLY FOR US BY SOME OF
THE BEST WINERIES IN
SOUTH AFRICA!

White

	750ml	175ml
VB Chenin Blanc 2017	£26.90	£6.75
The first of the VB collection, made for us by the talented Danie Steytler of Kaapzicht. Fresh clean aromas, stone fruits with a hint of tropical fruits.		

	750ml	175ml
VB Chardonnay 2016	£35.00	£8.75
Martin Meinert, long-time friend of VB, and Brendan Butler, winemaker at Meinert Wines, created this elegant Chardonnay. Lightly oaked, modern Chablis style.		

Red

VB Devon Crest 2015

New

A revival of the famous Devon Crest Bordeaux blend specifically for us. From the already famous 2015 vintage; what a cracker of a red!

175ml	750ml	Magnum
£10.50	£42	£79

	750ml	175ml
VB Red Blend 2014	£31.00	£7.75
The second instalment from Danie Steytler; a wonderful blend, great for pairing with food but equally quaffable on its own. A beautiful Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon blend; dark fruit dominant with a smooth finish.		

	750ml	175ml
VB Cabernet Sauvignon 2016	£35.00	£8.75
Murray Barlow of Rustenberg Wines carefully crafted this well-structured wine. A great steak wine! Complex flavours, dark berries with ripe soft tannins.		

	750ml	175ml
VB Pinotage 2015	£39.00	£9.75
Another magnificent wine from Danie Steytler, one of the finest Pinotage producers in the Cape. A cracking Pinotage with 7.5% Cabernet Sauvignon.		

Vivat Bacchus charity drive with Kaapzicht Wine Estate

Since June 2017 Vivat Bacchus is proud to be donating 50p from the sale of every bottle of Vivat Bacchus own label wines to the Kaapzicht Charitable Projects, working with the children and families on the wine estate. You, our customers, have put air conditioning into the school block, making school conditions so much more comfortable.

We can really make a difference! Total raised to 30th October 2018 £3557

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Wine List

From £20.90 per bottle

- Featuring our favourites and many wines chosen by you, our customers over the last 13 years
- Wide focus on South African wine but also wonderful French, Italian, Spanish and new world wines
- Loads of Burgundy and Bordeaux at cracking prices...
- Great wines by the glass
- Magnums and large formats too — bigger really is better!
- Please explore and enjoy — ask staff for advice and to visit our cellars

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French wine specials

Burgundy

Domaine Watson 2015
(Chablis) £42

Domaine Faiveley Clos des Myglands
(Mercury 1er Cru)
2016 £45 2009 £69

Thierry Mortet Vigne Belle 2012
(Gevrey Chambertin) £59

Bordeaux

Chateau Lacoste Borie 2011
by Château Grand Puy Lacoste
(Pauillac) £79

Perfect pairings

Our cheese experts are always at hand to assist you in pairing any of the wines on this list with a fabulous selection from our cheese rooms. **Have you tried the cheese room experience yet?** Just ask a member of staff for details!



Champagne & Sparkling Wines

125ml 175ml 750ml

Sparkling Wine

Graham Beck Brut NV (Western Cape, SA) <i>A dangerously good South African sparkler, which was served at Obama's inauguration!</i>	£7.50	£9.25	£37 magnum £75
Graham Beck Brut Rosé NV (Western Cape, SA)	£7.50	£9.25	£37
Graham Beck Blanc de Blancs 2013 (Western Cape, SA) <i>Made from 100% Chardonnay this vintage sparkling is rich & complex.</i>			£45
Babylonstoren Sprankel Blanc de Blancs 2013 (Simonsberg-Paarl, SA) <i>Voted the best sparkling wine made in South Africa. This vintage wine is aged on its lees for 54 months, resulting in an incredibly complex and elegant wine; yet fresh and vibrant.</i>			£45

Fine Champagne

Brut NV

Joseph Perrier (Châlons-en-Champagne) <i>Mellow & fruity; a relaxed style & very easy to drink</i>	£9.50	£11.75	£47
Theophile (Aÿ) <i>A unique addition to VB from the makers of Cristal</i>	£9.80	£12.25	£49
Louis Roederer (Aÿ) <i>Long-standing VB favourite, great with food</i>	£12.00	£15.00	£60 magnum £125
Billecart-Salmon (Mareuil-sur-Aÿ) <i>A blend of three vintages; a beautifully harmonious & balanced wine</i>	£13.00	£16.25	£65 half £38 magnum £135 double magnum (3L) £359
Veuve Clicquot (Reims) <i>The famous yellow label that needs no introduction</i>			£69
Veuve Clicquot Extra Brut Extra Old (Reims) <i>Made only from reserve wines from the vintages 1988, 1996, 2006, 2009 and 2010. All the reserve wines have been aged for at least three years in vats on the lees. Once bottled, it spends another 3 years maturing before disgorgement and then another year post disgorgement. Gold in colour, rich and intense, smooth and balanced, exceptional</i>			£129
Krug Grande Cuvée (Reims) <i>Hand picked, blended from 50 wines from three grape varieties, 20 to 25 growths & six to ten different years</i>			£230

Rosé NV

Joseph Perrier Cuvée Royale Rosé Brut (Châlons-en-Champagne)			£59
Billecart-Salmon Rosé (Mareuil-sur-Aÿ)			£89 half £49 magnum £199 double magnum (3L) £425
Laurent Perrier Cuvée Rosé (Tour-sur-Marne)			£99
Krug Rosé (Reims)			£380

Vintage Brut

Billecart-Salmon Cuvée Nicolas-Francois 2002 (Mareuil-sur-Aÿ)			£189
Dom Pérignon 2009 (Epernay)			£259
Cristal 2009 Louis Roederer (Reims)			£335
Billecart-Salmon Cuvée Le Clos Saint-Hilaire 1996 (Mareuil-sur-Aÿ)			£525
Veuve Clicquot Le Grand Dame Rosé 1998 (Reims)			£490

If you hold your party in the Roederer room (Farringdon branch) and choose exclusively Roederer and their associated wines, you will get 10% discount on the wines (please ask for further details).

Cannot be used in conjunction with other offers.

Wines by the glass

175ml

750ml

White

Vivat Bacchus Chenin Blanc 2017 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Fresh clean aromas, stone fruits with a hint of tropical fruits. Made specially for us</i>	£6.75	£26.90
Vivat Bacchus Chardonnay 2016 (Elgin, SA) <i>Elegant and lightly oaked, classic Chablis style</i>	£8.75	£35
Indaba Chenin Blanc 2017 (Western Cape, SA) <i>Crisp & refreshing, aromas of pineapple, kiwi, melon, peach & honey</i>	£5.25	£20.90
Wolftrap Viognier, Chenin Blanc 2017 (Franschhoek, SA) <i>Lively floral flavours with almond & yellow apple notes. Elegantly textured with great length</i>	£6.50	£25.90
Paul Cluver Sauvignon Blanc 2018 (Elgin, SA) <i>The lingering freshness, enhanced by mineral notes with a citrus oiliness</i>	£7.25	£28.90
Glenelly Glass Collection Unoaked Chardonnay 2018 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Aromas of citrus, lime zest & melon. Round texture & intense fruit complexity</i>	£8.00	£32
Domaine Schlumberger Pinot Blanc 2016 (Alsace, France) <i>Medium bodied with aromas of honeysuckle & stone fruit, a crisp citrus finish</i>	£8.25	£32.90
Rustenberg Chardonnay 2017 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Apricot, coconut & orange aromas, with flavours of marzipan, carefully judged oak & acidity</i>	£8.00	£32
Springfield Life from Stone Sauvignon Blanc 2017 (Robertson, SA) <i>A pristine, minerally toned wine from the rockiest soils on the estate, huge concentration of flavours</i>	£9.75	£39
Cloudy Bay Sauvignon Blanc 2018 (Marlborough, NZ) <i>The wine that put Kiwi wine on the map</i>	£13.75	£55

Red

Vivat Bacchus Red Blend 2014 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Powerful, dark fruit dominant red with a smooth finish. Made specially for us. Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon</i>	£7.75	£31
Vivat Bacchus Cabernet Sauvignon 2016 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Well structured, complex flavours, dark berries (a great steak wine!)</i>	£8.75	£35
Vivat Bacchus Pinotage 2015 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Made for us by Danie Steytler, a cracking Pinotage with 7.5% Cabernet Sauvignon</i>	£9.75	£39
Vivat Bacchus Devon Crest 2015 (Devon Valley, SA) <i>This Bordeaux-style blend is a cracker and most of what one can ever expect from a full bodied but elegant red.</i>	£10.50	£42
Indaba Mosaic 2017 (Western Cape, SA) <i>Alluring aromas & juicy flavours of blackcurrant, ripe brambly berry fruit with subtle spice notes</i>	£5.25	£20.90
Wolftrap Syrah, Mourvedre, Viognier 2017 (Franschhoek, SA) <i>Assorted black-fruit, violets & a hint of oak</i>	£6.50	£25.90
Parallel 45 Grenache, Syrah 2015 (Rhône Valley, France) <i>Elegant & aromatic, with a final spicy note</i>	£8.75	£35
Paul Cluver Pinot Noir 2017 (Elgin, SA) <i>Classic Pinot Noir with cherry & strawberry fruits. Spice, smoke & a touch of earth</i>	£9.25	£36.90
Doolhof Signature Malbec 2016 (Limietberg, SA) <i>A stunning, easy drinking South African malbec, perfect choice with your steak</i>	£9.75	£39
Rustenberg John X Merriman 2016 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Red-berry fruit flavours, rich mocha notes & a round, spicy earthiness with a peppery finish</i>	£9.75	£39
Meerlust Rubicon 2014 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>One of the Cape's first Bordeaux blends & still as successful today as it ever was</i>	£13.95	£56

Rosé

Doolhof Malbec Blanc de Noir 2017 (Limietberg, SA) <i>Fresh & perfumed, with strawberry, pomegranate & flower petals notes</i>	£6.95	£27.50
Circumstance Cape Coral Rosé 2018 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>A fine rosé with herby character & elegant fresh red fruit</i>	£7.25	£29
Belguardo Rosé 2017 (Tuscany, IT) <i>An attractive pale pink rosé, with notes of cherry blossom and rose petals</i>	£9.25	£37

A discretionary 12.5% service charge will be added to your bill.

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Does size matter?

Well ladies and gents, the answer is yes. Wine experts agree that wine from large bottles lasts longer and tastes better than when matured in regular sized bottles. A larger bottle maintains overall consistency of the wine and slows the ageing process. It allows the flavours to fully develop, intermingle and become more homogeneous. And for a group celebration or special occasion, you can't beat sharing a big bottle!



Magnums 1.5L (2 bottles)

South Africa

Vivat Bacchus Devon Crest 2015
 Glenelly Estate Red Blend 2011
 The Chocolate Block 2016
 Meerlust Rubicon 2013
 Meerlust Rubicon 2010
 Meerlust Rubicon 2003
 Meerlust Rubicon 2001

£79
 £89
 £105
 £125
 £169
 £295
 £355

France

Domaine Watson 2013
 Domaine Faiveley Mercurey
 1er Cru Clos des Myglands 2016
 Domaine Faiveley Mercurey
 1er Cru Clos des Myglands 2012
 Chateau Haut Brion
 1er Cru Classe Pessac Leognan 1988

£89
 £109
 £119
 £1095

Spain

Finca Allende Rioja 2011

£99

Double Magnums 3L (4 bottles)

Glenelly Estate Red 2011
 Finca Allende Rioja 2011
 The Chocolate Block 2014
 The Chocolate Block 2016

£199
 £219
 £259
 £239

Jéroboam 5L

Finca Allende Rioja 2011

£325

Imperiale 6L (8 bottles)

Glenelly Estate Red 2012

£379

Salmanazar 9L (12 bottles)

Glenelly Estate Red 2012

£499

Melchior 18L (24 bottles)

Finca Allende Rioja 2011

£1595

Champagne & Sparkling

Magnums 1.5L (2 bottles)

Graham Beck Brut
 Louis Roederer Brut
 Billecart-Salmon Brut
 Billecart-Salmon Rosé

£75
 £125
 £135
 £199

Double Magnums 3L (4 bottles)

Billecart-Salmon Brut
 Billecart-Salmon Brut Rosé

£359
 £425



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Vintage reds from our cellar

South Africa

Pinot Noir

Bouchard Finlayson Galpin Peak 2013 <i>SA's continental style Pinot Noir</i>	£69
Meerlust Pinot Noir 2015 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Medium bodied with pure Pinot Noir fruit avours of plum & red cherry</i>	£64

Pinotage

Kanonkop 2011	£85
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Cabernet Sauvignon

Meerlust 2009 (Stellenbosch)	£79
Boekenhoutskloof 2013	£85
Boekenhoutskloof 2012	£95
Rustenberg Peter Barlow 2009 (Stellenbosch) <i>Long standing distinguished SA Cabernet giant</i>	£89
Kanonkop 2003	£129
Kanonkop 2004 <i>SA red wine of the year</i>	£189
Kanonkop 2005	£150

Merlot

Meinert Merlot 2001	£89
Veenwouden Merlot 2003 (Paarl) <i>Who said SA Merlot cannot age successfully for 15 years...</i>	£95

Bordeaux Style Blend

Rustenberg John X Merriman 2012 (Stellenbosch, SA) <i>Red-berry flavours, rich mocha notes & a round peppery finish</i>	£49
Babylonstoren Nebukadnesar 2015 (Simonsberg, SA)	£75
Meerlust Rubicon 2005 <i>Great wine, good vintage from SA's first growth; beautifully aged now</i>	£95
Meerlust Rubicon 2007	£90
Meerlust Rubicon 2009	£85
Meerlust Rubicon 2013	£59
Meinert Devon Crest 2001 <i>The unsung vintage of our time...</i>	£95
Kanonkop Paul Sauer 2007	£125
Veenwouden Classic 1998 <i>Some of the most amazing wines of the 90's out of South Africa</i>	£250
Veenwouden Classic 2004	£95
Morgenster Lourens River Valley 2001 <i>Cabernet Franc driven blend</i>	£99
Morgenster Lourens River Valley 2003 <i>Cabernet Franc driven blend</i>	£89
Morgenster Lourens River Valley 2004 <i>Cabernet Franc driven blend</i>	£79

Cape Blends

Meinert Synchronicity 2009 (Stellenbosch)	£69
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Other Blends

Boekenhoutskloof The Chocolate Block 2014 (Franschhoek) <i>Marc Kent's easy drinking blend</i>	£65
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Syrah

Boekenhoutskloof 2000	£145
Boekenhoutskloof 2006	£129
Boekenhoutskloof 2007	£115
Boekenhoutskloof 2011	£95
Boekenhoutskloof 2013	£89

South Africa

Sauvignon Blanc

Paul Cluver Sauvignon Blanc 2018 (Elgin)	£28.90
<i>The lingering freshness, enhanced by mineral notes with a citrus oiliness</i>	
Springfield Life from Stone Sauvignon Blanc 2017 (Robertson)	£39
<i>A pristine, minerally toned wine from the rockiest soils on the estate, struggling vines & resultant huge concentration</i>	

Chenin Blanc

Indaba Chenin Blanc 2017 (Western Cape)	£20.90
<i>Crisp & refreshing, aromas of pineapple, kiwi, melon, peach & honey</i>	
Vivat Bacchus Chenin Blanc 2017 (Stellenbosch)	£26.90
<i>Fresh clean aromas, stone fruits with a hint of tropical fruits. Made specially for us</i>	
Ken Forrester Old Vine Reserve Chenin Blanc 2017 (Stellenbosch)	£32.90
<i>A great balance between fruit & delicate oak/vanilla flavours</i>	
Reyneke Chenin Blanc 2016 (Stellenbosch)	£39
<i>Full, rich with a mineral core & refreshing finish. Biodynamic, slightly wooded</i>	
The FMC Chenin Blanc 2017 (Stellenbosch)	£56
<i>Rich, layered with dried apricot, vanilla & honey</i>	

Chardonnay

Glenelly Glass Collection Unoaked Chardonnay 2018 (Stellenbosch)	£32
<i>Aromas of citrus, lime zest & melon. Round texture & intense fruit complexity</i>	
Rustenberg Chardonnay 2017 (Stellenbosch)	£32
<i>Apricot, coconut & orange aromas, with flavours of marzipan, carefully judged oak & acidity</i>	
Vivat Bacchus Chardonnay 2016 (Elgin)	£35
<i>Martin made this one for us!</i>	
Babylonstoren Chardonnay 2017 (Simonsberg)	£42
<i>Burgundy style, medium wooded, a beautiful food wine</i>	
Meerlust Chardonnay 2017 (Stellenbosch)	£45
<i>A lighter style vintage, yet complex, medium wooded</i>	
Hamilton Russell Chardonnay 2017 (Hermanus)	£49
<i>Elegant, yet textured & intense with a strong personality of place & vintage</i>	

Blends

Wolftrap Viognier, Chenin Blanc 2017 (Franschhoek)	£25.90
<i>Lively floral flavours with almond & yellow apple notes. Elegantly textured with great length</i>	
Vergelegen White 2014 (Stellenbosch)	£50
<i>50% Sauvignon/50% Semillon. Rich & complex with a long aftertaste</i>	

New Zealand

Cloudy Bay Sauvignon Blanc 2018 (Marlborough)	£55
<i>The wine that put Kiwi wine on the map</i>	

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White

750ml

France

Burgundy

Chablis

Domaine Watson 2015	£42
<i>Classic Chablis</i>	
Domaine Watson 2013	magnum £89
<i>Classic Chablis</i>	

Côte de Beaune

Superior quality grapes & elegant wood treatment make these some of the most sought after Chardonnays in the world

Rully Blanc Les Villeranges 2016 Domaine Faiveley	£42
Meursault 1er Cru Blagny 2016 Domaine Faiveley	£85
Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru Les Vergers 2016 Domaine Michel Niellon	£99

Loire Valley

Sancerre Riffault 2017 (Verdigny)	£45
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Classic Sancerre magic with Sauvignon Blanc – gorgeous!

Alsace

Domaine Schlumberger Pinot Blanc 2016	£32.90
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Medium bodied with aromas of honeysuckle & stone fruit, a crisp citrus finish

The Languedoc

Domaine Rougié Viognier 2017	£36
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Very aromatic, dry apricot, white flower, yellow peach & a nice touch of oak

Italy

La Battistina Gavi 2017 (Piedmont)	£29
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Lively & fresh

Spain

Pazo Barrantes Albariño 2016 (Rias Baxias)	£39
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Lively, floral & easy drinking

Rosé

750ml

Doolhof Malbec Blanc de Noir 2017 (Limietberg, SA)	£27.50
<i>Fresh & perfumed, with strawberry, pomegranate & flower petals notes</i>	
Circumstance Cape Coral Rosé 2018 (Stellenbosch, SA)	£29
<i>A fine rosé with herby character & elegant fresh red fruit</i>	
Belguardo Rosé 2017 (Tuscany, IT)	£37
<i>An attractive pale pink rosé, with notes of cherry blossom and rose petals</i>	

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South Africa

Bordeaux Style Blends

Indaba Mosaic 2017 (Western Cape)	£20.90
<i>Alluring aromas & juicy flavours of blackcurrant, ripe brambly berry fruit with subtle spice notes</i>	
Vergelegen Cabernet/Merlot 2012 (Stellenbosch)	£33
<i>Black & redcurrant, coffee, tobacco & mocha aromas. Richness & a firm spine of harmonious acidity</i>	
Rustenberg John X Merriman 2016 (Stellenbosch)	£39
<i>Red-berry fruit flavours, rich mocha notes & a round, spicy earthiness with a peppery finish</i>	
Vivat Bacchus Devon Crest 2015 (Devon Valley)	£42
<i>This Bordeaux-style blend is a cracker and most of what one can ever expect from a full bodied but elegant red</i>	
Meerlust Rubicon 2014 (Stellenbosch)	£56
<i>One of the Cape's first Bordeaux blends & still as successful today as it ever was</i>	
Meerlust Rubicon 2005 (Stellenbosch)	£95
<i>Beautifully ageing, drinking remarkably well</i>	
Babylonstoren Nebukadnesar 2016 (Simonsberg)	£59
<i>Classic Bordeaux blend with 46% Cabernet Sauvignon, a stunning new addition to our list</i>	
De Toren Fusion V 2014 (Stellenbosch)	£69
<i>A perfect fusion of Bordeaux's five grape varieties from this boutique producer</i>	
De Toren Z 2012 (Stellenbosch)	£89
<i>A Right Bank-style Bordeaux blend, Merlot led; a soft, approachable, ruby-hued beauty</i>	
Kanonkop Paul Sauer 2009 (Stellenbosch)	£99
<i>Sublime blend of Cabernets Sauvignon & Franc & a healthy dollop of Merlot. One of SA's star performers for decades</i>	

Pinot Noir

Paul Cluver Pinot Noir 2017 (Elgin)	£36.90
<i>Classic Pinot Noir with cherry & strawberry fruits. Spice, smoke & a touch of earth</i>	
Meerlust Pinot Noir 2016 (Stellenbosch)	£49
<i>Medium bodied with pure Pinot Noir fruit flavours of plum & red cherry</i>	
Bouchard Finlayson Galpin Peak Pinot Noir 2016 (Hemel-en-Aarde Valley)	£56
<i>Rich fruity expression, packed with a dark berry & plum flavours. Velvety & appealing</i>	
Paul Cluver Seven Flags Pinot Noir 2015 (Elgin)	£69
<i>From the best PN vineyards on the beautiful farm, only their best fruit</i>	

Pinotage

Kaapzicht Pinotage 2016 (Stellenbosch)	£37
<i>Intensely coloured with wonderful aromas, layers of plums, black cherry & dark chocolate</i>	
Vivat Bacchus Pinotage 2015 (Stellenbosch)	£39
<i>Made for us by Danie Steytler, a cracking Pinotage with 7.5% Cabernet Sauvignon</i>	
Doolhof Pinotage 2015 (Wellington)	£43
<i>Juicy black cherry & plums, this beautiful wine is packed with ripe and soft tannins & an elegant and long finish</i>	
Kanonkop Pinotage 2016 (Stellenbosch)	£59
<i>Complex with red fruit flavours. Big, elegant & ripe tannin structures</i>	

Malbec

Doolhof Signature Malbec 2016 (Limietberg)	£39
<i>A stunning, easy drinking South African malbec, perfect choice with your steak.</i>	

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Red

750ml

Cabernet Sauvignon

Vivat Bacchus Cabernet Sauvignon 2016 (Stellenbosch)	£35
<i>Well structured, complex flavours, dark berries (a great steak wine!)</i>	
Vergelegen Cabernet Sauvignon Reserve 2013 (Stellenbosch)	£43
<i>Complex, showing blackcurrants, spice, ripe plums, wood aromas & flavours</i>	
Meerlust Cabernet Sauvignon 2014 (Stellenbosch)	£49
<i>The backbone of the Rubicon blend & a great example of SA Cabernet Sauvignon</i>	
Thelema Cabernet Sauvignon 2015 (Stellenbosch)	£54
<i>Complex & stylish, with bags of ripe blackcurrant & coffee flavours</i>	
Rustenberg Peter Barlow Cabernet Sauvignon 2015 (Stellenbosch)	£59
<i>Long standing distinguished SA Cabernet giant</i>	
Boekenhoutskloof Cabernet Sauvignon 2014 (Stellenbosch)	£75
<i>Elegant and bold expression of Cabernet Sauvignon from a well known winery</i>	

Merlot

Ken Forrester Reserve Merlot 2015 (Stellenbosch)	£35
<i>Great vintage, 12 months in French oak & a soupçon of Cab Franc</i>	
Meerlust Merlot 2015 (Stellenbosch)	£43
<i>Intense dark fruit on the nose, mulberry & damson plum with dark chocolate & spice</i>	
Veenwouden Merlot 2003 (Paarl)	£95
<i>Who said SA Merlot cannot age successfully for 15 years...</i>	

Cabernet Franc

Doolhof Cabernet Franc 2015 (Wellington)	£39
<i>Youthful, dark red with perfumed blackcurrants, violets, truffles and graphite on the nose</i>	
High Constantia Cabernet Franc 2010 (Constantia)	£45
<i>100% Cabernet Franc, perfumed nose of blackberries, spices & cedar</i>	

Syrah/Shiraz

Wolftrap Syrah, Mourvedre, Viognier 2017 (Franschhoek)	£25.90
<i>Assorted black-fruit, violets & a hint of oak</i>	
Glenelly Glass Collection Syrah 2015 (Stellenbosch)	£32
<i>Deep dark and rich with aromas of jasmine and violet, hints also of white pepper and spicy plum – steak wine!</i>	
Babylonstoren Shiraz 2016 (Simonsberg)	£39
<i>Cherry, soft prune and black current flavours. Elegant, velvety mouth-feel and long, lingering finish!</i>	
Luddite Shiraz 2013 (Western Cape)	£69
<i>A dark fruit core & lots of structure</i>	
Boekenhoutskloof Syrah 2011 (Franschhoek)	£95
<i>Many regard this wine as the yardstick for Syrah from SA. Steak wine at its best</i>	

Cape Blends

Warwick Estate Three Cape Ladies 2013 (Stellenbosch)	£42
<i>The first Cape blend by iconic Warwick Estate. Pinotage, Syrah & Cabernet</i>	
Meinert Synchronicity 2011 (Stellenbosch)	£51
<i>Cabernet led Cape blend with Merlot, Cabernet Franc & Pinotage, beautifully crafted wine</i>	

Other Blends

Vivat Bacchus Red Blend 2014 (Stellenbosch)	£31
<i>Powerful, dark fruit dominant red with a smooth finish. Made specially for us. Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon</i>	
Boekenhoutskloof The Chocolate Block 2017 (Franschhoek)	£55
<i>Floral nose with underlying redcurrant, cedar, black pepper, coriander spice & hints of Turkish Delight</i>	
	magnum £105
	double magnum (3L) 2016 £239

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France

Burgundy

Bourgogne 2015 Domaine Faiveley 375ml £21.50

Côte de Nuits

Most of the world's great Pinot Noirs are made here

Gevrey Chambertin

Deeper in colour, firmer in body & tannic in structure

Gevrey Chambertin 2012 Vigne Belle Thierry Moret £59

Gevrey Chambertin 2009 La Justice Hubert Lignier £99

Gevrey Chambertin 2002 1er Cru Fontenys Domaine Bruno Clair £156

Charmes Chambertin 2007 Grand Cru Hubert Lignier £288

Morey St Denis

Masculine in character, full & powerful, good with strong meat dishes

Morey St Denis 1er Cru Clos Baulet 2008 Hubert Lignier £125

Morey St Denis 1er Cru 2007 Les Chaffots £129

Morey St Denis Tres Girard 2010 Hubert Lignier £99

Morey St Denis 1er Cru Les Blanchards 2007 Hubert Lignier £140

Chambolle Musigny

Graceful & charming, sensuous fruit, soft texture

Chambolle Musigny 2009 Les Bussières Hubert Lignier £99

Chambolle Musigny 2010 1er Cru Les Baudes Hubert Lignier £150

Vosne Romanée

Extraordinary intensity of fruit, power & finesse – Côte de Nuits' brightest stars

Vosne Romanee 2013 Domaine Coquard Fleurot £69

Vosne Romanée Vincent Girardin Echezeaux Grand Cru 2002 £395

Romanée St Vivant 2000 Grand Cru Sylvain Cathiard £550

Nuits St Georges

Intense crimson colour, aromas of cherry, strawberry & blackcurrant, well structured, long lived & reliable

Nuits St Georges 2014 Domaine Faiveley £55

Nuits st George 1er cru 1999 Les Perrières Jean Chauvenet £139

Côte de Beaune

Lighter but no less persuasive than their Côte de Nuits counterparts, the fruit is more red berries, delightfully aromatic & often pale in colour. These wines have arresting charm & balance

Beaune Les Beaux Fougets 2012 Domaine Rodolphe Demougeot £57

Beaune Greves 1er Cru 2005 Domaine Jaques Prieur £96

Corton Clos du Roi 2010 Grand Cru Dubreil Fontaine £109

Volnay Clos de Santenots 1er Cru 2006 Domaine Jaques Prieur £139

Corton Bressandes 2005 Grand Cru Domaine Jaques Prieur £255

Côte Chalonnaise

Mercurey Clos des Myglands 1er Cru 2016 Domaine Faiveley £49

magnum £109

Mercurey Clos des Myglands 1er Cru 2012 Domaine Faiveley 59

magnum £119

Mercurey Clos des Myglands 1er Cru 2010 Domaine Faiveley £69

Mercurey Clos des Myglands 1er Cru 2009 Domaine Faiveley £69

Mercurey Clos des Myglands 1er Cru 2008 Domaine Faiveley £69

Bordeaux**St Estèphe***The heavier clay soil of St Estephe adds weight & texture*

Château Haut Beausejour 2014	£48
Château de Pez 2012	£66
Château Marbuzet 2000	£85
Château Calon Segur 1996	£169
Château Haut Marbuzet 1990	£195

Pauillac*High percentage of Cabernet Sauvignon, aromatically complex, rich full bodied & tannic*

Lacoste Borie 2011 by Château Grand Puy Lacoste	£79
Château Pontet Cannaet 2006	£139
Château Pichon Longueville Comtesse de Lalande 1999	£199
Château Pichon Longueville Comtesse de Lalande 1988	£245
Château Pichon Longueville Comtesse de Lalande 2009	£295
Château Pichon Longueville Comtesse de Lalande 1995	£359

St Julien*Elegant & refined, yet powerful & structured*

Château Moulin Riche 2009 by Leoville Poyferry	£69
Château Talbot 2005	£115
Clos Du Marquis 1985	£139
Château Leoville Barton 1995	£195

Margaux*Refined, sensuous, elegant & perfumed*

Blason D'Issan 2011 by Château D'Issan	£65
Château Kirwan 1996	£139
Château Palmer 1982	£289

Pessac Léognan*Smoke & truffle character, more gentle than the northern communes, perfect with lamb, pork or duck*

Château Langlet 2012 (Graves)	£39
Domaine de Chevalier 1989	£197
Château Haut Brion 1995	£450
Chateau Haut Brion 1er Cru Classe Pessac Leognan 1988	magnum £1095

St Emilion*Blends of Merlot & Cabernet Franc; the wines are rich & have great breadth of flavour supported by firm ripe tannins*

Château Grand Mayne 1998	£149
Château Figeac 2005	£265

Pomerol*These Merlot dominated wines combine dark fruit flavours & rich earthiness*

Château St Pierre 2012	£59
Château Beaugard 2005	£79

Rhône

Parallel 45 Grenache, Syrah 2015 (Rhône Valley)	£35
<i>Elegant & aromatic, with a final spicy note</i>	
Domaine de Ferrand Châteauneuf du Pape 2005 (Southern Rhône)	£99
Domaine de Ferrand Châteauneuf du Pape 2011	£69
<i>Multi award winning modern Châteauneuf du Pape</i>	
Paul Jaboulet Domaine de Thalabert Crozes Hermitage 2012 (Northern Rhône)	£65
<i>Depth, history & concentration</i>	

Red

750ml

Spain

Hacienda Grimon 2016 (Rioja) £32
Classic old style Rioja

Finca Allende 2011 (Rioja) £49
Modern styled ageworthy Rioja by very talented winemaker Miguel Angel de Gregorio

2009 50cl £33
2011 magnum £99
2011 double magnum (3L) £219
2011 jéroboam (5L) £325

Psi by Peter Sisseck 2016 (Ribera del Duero) £69
Peter Sisseck of top wine Pingus, in a wine that showcases Ribera's rich styling

Pintia 2005 (Toro) £135
Massive wine, combination of red fruit, smoke & oaked spices

Vega Sicilia Unico Gran Reserva 1996 (Ribera del Duero) £695
The most sought after Spanish wine, deep fruit, exceptional length, legendary stuff... from an excellent vintage

Italy

Tommasi Arele 2015 (Veneto) £39
A baby Amarone

Fonterutoli Chianti Classico 2016 (Tuscany) £45
A rounded structured wine with ripe tannins and a touch of spice on the long finish.

Alpha Zeta Amarone della Valpolicella 2014 (Veneto) £59
Rich, luscious & accessible Amarone, perfect with one of our cheeseboards!

Poggio San Polo Brunello 2012 (Tuscany) £89
Rich, full & keeps on giving – a wine made for steak

Sassicaia 2005 (Tuscany) £320
Most famous super Tuscan; brain child of Marchese Mario Incisa della Rocchetta, and a magnificent wine of great provenance

The Americas

Andeluna 1300 Malbec 2017 (Mendoza, ARG) £32
The Malbec style we all fell in love with, from high altitude vineyards

Alto Las Hormigas Reserve Malbec 2014 (Mendoza, ARG) £59
Decanter gold medal winner. Intense & full Malbec designed to enjoy with steak

Ridge Monte Bello 2004 (Santa Cruz, USA) £295
An elegant vintage of Monte Bello; strong Californian Cabernet Sauvignon yet smooth & accessible

Dominus 1991 (Napa Valley, USA) £510
Christian Moueix doing his thing in Napa, mostly Cabernet Sauvignon with splashes of Cab Franc & Petit Verdot; elegant, beautifully aged... some wine

Dominus 1994 (Napa Valley, USA) £550

If you hold your party in the Allende room (Farringdon branch) and choose exclusively the winemaker's wine from our list you will get 10% discount on the wines! Cannot be used in conjunction with other offers.

Soft drinks

VB's freshly squeezed juice: Carrot & apple or Apple, pear, lime & ginger (lunch only)	£3.95
Still/ sparkling water	£2.95
Freshly squeezed orange juice	£3.75
Red Bull	£3.65
Coca Cola	£2.95
Diet Coca Cola	£2.95
Fever-Tree ginger ale	£2.50
Fever-Tree tonic water	£2.50
Fever-Tree lemonade	£2.50

Beers

Beck's Blue (alcohol free)	£3.95
Fentimans Ginger Beer 275ml	£4.20
Windhoek lager Namibia 330ml	£4.20
Peroni Italy 330ml	£4.20
Curious IPA England 330ml	£5.50
Curious Apple cider England 330ml	£4.70

Spirits

Whisky

25ml

Blends

Chivas Regal 12 years old	£4.95
Chivas Regal 18 years old	£7.50
Johnny Walker Black Label	£3.95
Johnny Walker Blue Label	£19.95

Highlands

Famous Grouse	£3.00
Talisker 10 years old	£5.50
Glenmorangie The Original	£5.50

Lowlands

Glenkinchie 12 years old	£6.50
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Speyside

Macallan Gold	£5.75
Aberlour 10 years old	£4.95
Glenfiddich 12 years old	£4.95
Balvenie 12 years old	£5.95

Islay

Laphroaig 10 years old	£5.50
Lagavulin 16 years old	£7.50

Irish Whiskey

Jameson	£2.95
Bushmills 10 years old	£4.10

Bourbon

25ml

Jim Beam	£2.95
Jack Daniels	£3.50
Maker's Mark	£3.95
Wild Turkey	£4.95

Spirits

Gin

25ml

Bombay Sapphire	£3.50
Hendricks	£4.25
Plymouth	£3.95
Tanqueray N° Ten	£4.50
William Chase	£5.95

Vodka

25ml

Wyborowa	£2.95
Wyborowa Exquisite	£5.95
Absolut	£3.50
Chase	£5.50

Rum

25ml

Captain Morgan	£2.95
Bacardi	£2.95
Malibu	£2.90
Havana Blanco	£3.25
Havana Special	£3.95

Grappa

50ml

CiVidina Bepi Tosolini	£8.50
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Cognac

50ml

Martell VS	£7.95
Hine Rare VSOP	£11.50
Remy Martin VSOP	£11.95
Remy Martin XO	£29.95
Martell Cordon Bleu	£29.95

Armagnac

50ml

Janneau Tradition	£10.95
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Calvados

50ml

Berneroy VSOP	£8.95
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Liqueurs

50ml

Tia Maria	£4.95
Amarula	£4.95
Cointreau	£5.95
Kahlua	£4.95
Baileys	£4.95
Amaretto Disaronno	£5.50
Benedictine	£6.95
Grand Marnier	£7.20
Pimms	£4.95

Bin Ends

White

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Meinert La Barry Sauvignon Blanc, 2015 Stellenbosch, South Africa	£39	£34.50
Wattle Creek Winery Chardonnay, 2002 USA	£48	£37.50
Bonny Doon Vineyard Le Cigare Volant, 2008 Central Coast, USA	£51	£45.50
Domaine Faiveley Bourgogne 'George Faiveley' Blanc Chardonnay 2005 (Burgundy, France)	£55	£47.50
The Sadie Family 'Palladius' White, 2007 Swartland, South Africa	£51	£45.50

Red

Bouchard Finlayson Hannibal 2013, Walker Bay, (South Africa)	£49	£46
Mont du Toit 2003	£85	£79

Sweet wine

Bonny Doon Vinferno 2007 (USA)	£55	£39
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Port

Collector Reserva Ramos Pintos	£37	£33.50
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Have you heard about our **Secret Cellars**? Ask one of the VB team to show you our cellars to handpick your bottle, or ask to see a copy of our full cellar selection list.