



# theWildGarlic



## WINE LIST

The list is carefully chosen to complement Mat's menu. That dash of wild artisan is matched head on with traditionally farmed wines that express their own region and culture. The food and wine will bring out the best in each other. The staff are here to help you and to show which are available by the glass\*

*James Handford*

Master of Wine

*\* Glass sizes are 175ml unless otherwise stated*

## WHITES

### Pinot Grigio 2008 Malandrino

Northern Italy - Mellow, honeydew melon nose and lush, white peach mouth-filler

## PRICE

£14      £4  
*Per glass*

### Le Mas Robert Vic 2009 Blanc

Southern France - Vermentino and Chardonnay varieties grown near Carcassone give body and power. Herbal notes and a good match for oily fish and white meats

£16      £4  
*Per glass*

### Montana Gisbourne Chardonnay 2008

North Island, New Zealand - Cool fermented to allow the freshest expression of chardonnay; exotic fruit power and a cool, delicate touch in the same glass

£19      £5  
*Per glass*

### Touraine Sauvignon Blanc 2009, Paul Buisse

Loire Valley, France – Aromatic, fresh, dry and grapey with citrus notes and some elderflower. Classic seafood wine and especially good with goat's cheese

£19      £5  
*Per glass*

### Torre Nava 2009 Rueda

Spain - An unsung region and ancient variety of central Spain ... grown at nearly 1000m and so a crisp texture complements the richer texture of Verdejo

£20

### Little James Basket Press White 2009, Saint Cosme

Southern France – Louis Barruol is married to a Brit and this is named after their eldest. Apricot stone Viognier fruit with a touch of zesty Sauvignon

£23

### Conders Forest Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2008

South Island, New Zealand – Passion fruit, grapefruit and strong mineral notes with a sturdy acid backbone. Lingering melon and passion fruit finish

£25

### Bourgogne Chardonnay 2008, Alain Geoffroy

Burgundy, France - A refreshing yet deep Burgundy with fleshy, mineral and citrus fruits. Lovely juicy white and a gourmet all-rounder

£26

### Chablis 2008 Simonnet-Febvre

Northern Burgundy, France – With no barrel ageing and no nonsense wine making this is expressive of the region; mineral, pineapple, lemon zest, all with a persistent and clean finish

£27

### Pazo san Mauro Albarino 2009, Rias Baixas

Galicia, north-west Spain – Aromatic pears, minerals, chalky citrus and lemons, and a lovely zesty concentration. Superb varietal purity, freshness and a long, dry finish

£32

### Sancerre Domaine de la Perriere 2008, Guy Saget

Loire Valley, France - From the village of Bue, one of the two great communes in the appellation, this offers classic gooseberry Sauvignon but with depth and a creamy side

£35

### Saint Romain 'sous la velle' 2007 Henri & Gilles Buisson

Burgundy, France – Chardonnay vineyards are planted around a high valley and overlooked by cliffs and rocks. Akin to a delicate Meursault, whose vines are 200m below

£42

## REDS

### La Fete Rouge 2008 Vin de Pays de l'Herault

Southern France - Lively, crushed strawberry and cherry style (we serve it a little chilled to bring out these fruits). The zingy finish makes a good match for many lighter dishes, even fish

## PRICE

£14      £4  
*Per glass*

### Le Mas Robert Vic Rouge 2008, Vin de Pays d'Oc

Southern France – This is fuller in body and with some crunchy texture too. Abundant wild fruits (bramble, damson and elderberry) make for bottle of good French forage

£16      £4  
*Per glass*

### Tyrrell's Moore Creek Shiraz 2009

South Eastern Australia - Peppery plum, chocolate and vanilla flavours make this rich red the perfect partner to red meats and spicy dishes

£19      £5  
*Per glass*

### Chamonix Rouge 2007 Franschhoek

South Africa - A utopian farm in the heart of the Cape wine region; riding, lake swimming, fruit orchards, Schnapps, spring water and plenty of wine. This is made in the style of Bordeaux, using the same varieties

£19      £5  
*Per glass*

### Château les Eyquems 2006, Cotes de Bourg

Bordeaux, France - Run by Christian de Subercasaux, whose family have owned the estate since 1757. 20+ year old vines face east and south at the high point of the Bourg. Unusually there is a pocket of gravel here so this resembles Pauillac with attitude.

£20      £5  
*Per glass*

### Beaujolais Villages 2009 Saint Ennemond

Southern Burgundy, France – A stupendous vintage has put Beaujolais back on the wine lover's map. Mid weight but with ripe cherry and raspberry fruits. Delicious

£21      £6  
*Per glass*

### Bodegas del Medievo Seleccion Especial 2007 Rioja

Spain - Pungent, berry nose with hints of spices and oak. On the palate, the wine is full flavoured but elegant with dominant fruits of wild red, black and blue berries combined with balsamic, cedar wood and well polished soft tannins

£22      £6  
*Per glass*

### Cotes du Rhone 2008, Saint Cosme

Southern Rhone, France – With rich red soils and large stones, the terroir mimics that of nearby Chateaufort du Pape. Like it's neighbour, this is chiefly from the smooth and supple Grenache variety

£25

### Chateau le Destrier 2006 Saint Emilion

Bordeaux, France – 65 year old Merlot vines grown on the Pomerol side of the village yield a sinuous, textured, yet low acid style of claret. Classical

£30

### Gabriel's Gully Central Otago Pinot Noir 2006

South Island, New Zealand – Spicy, dark plum and cherry with dried wild herbs and hints of violets, well supported with soft velvet tannins

£32

### Cotes de Nuits Villages Clos des Faulques 2008, Millot

A quirky, walled vineyard south of Nuits Saint Georges; deep red, red apple and bramble jelly fruit with a strong backbone to complement rich meats and smelly cheeses!

£36

### Hospitalet de Gazin 2006 Pomerol

Bordeaux, France – Second wine of Chateau Gazin. Wonderful complexity of black cherry, tapenade, espresso and truffle

£55

## SPARKLING WINE & CHAMPAGNE

### Lindauer Brut NV

Kiwis love Lindauer for its lush, open fruit style and just a hint of classic, yeasty Champagne character

## PRICE

£22      £6  
*125ml glass*

### Camel Valley 'Cornwall' Brut 2007

England – A delicious and elegant traditional method quality sparkling wine, the nose is pure and fresh

£32      £8  
*125ml glass*

### Champagne Brochet-Hervieux 1er Cru NV

From the 1er Cru village of Ecueil, near Reims, where there is more pinot noir than chardonnay (80:20 for this wine). So the colour and nose are rich and intense with some red fruit and slightly toasted characters

£45      £25  
*375ml bottle*

### Champagne Perrier Jouet

France

£45

## ROSE

### Domaine du Fraise Rose 2009, Faugeres

Southern France - A pretty domaine, high above the Mediterranean basin offers elegant, with an ultra fresh and clean acidity giving the rose wonderful, defining structure. Attractive and refreshing, with soft, strawberry fruit style

£20      £6  
*Per glass*

### Furleigh Estate Sea Pink 2009

England - Made from grapes grown in Dorset. This English Rose is a well-balanced, silky smooth wine with aromas of cream and wild strawberries. A family-owned vineyard and winery, Furleigh Estate, is set in the beautiful Dorset countryside.

£23

### Camel Valley 'Cornwall' Sparkling Rose 2007

England – An award winner with classic English Pinot character. Lovely floral and strawberry fruit nose. Crisp acidity with a touch of yeast and very well balanced.

£40

## SWEET

### Somerset Pomona 20%

A blend of juice and brandy is aged for two years to give exotic smells of apples spiked with gentian and almonds. In the words of the esteemed owner, 'any cheese board is empty without it!'

£5  
*100ml glass*

### Taylors late bottled vintage Port 2003

£7  
*100ml glass*

### Muscat de Beaumes de Venise 2008 Vidal Fleury

Southern Rhone, France - That classic, aromatic grapey style that defines Muscat and Vin doux Naturel. This has retained lovely cool notes too

£25      £7  
*375ml bottle*      *100ml glass*

## APPLE & CIDER FROM JULIAN TEMPERLEY

### Burrow Hill Apple juice (russet or bramley) 75cl

It's wonderful to compare the flavours, just like eating the fruit of course! Russet is dry and crunchy and bramley is tart; an ideal non alcoholic drink with rich cheese or fatty meat dishes

£5      £2  
*Per bottle*      *Per 250ml glass*

### Burrow Hill Pressed Dry Cider 50cl

Blended from at least 11 varieties and only from apples grown on the farm. Pure, refreshing and reassuringly authentic

£3

### Somerset Five Year Old 42%

Age mellows the spirit that lies in sherry barrel to give even more of a supple finish. Although made a similar way to Calvados, this is distinctly Somerset!

£7  
*50ml glass*

### Shipwreck, single cask 10 year old 43.8%

Aged in barrels, acquired from the nearby wreck of the SS Napoli. It's a 10 year old that gives a more solid and robust finish.

£9  
*50ml glass*