



In the beginning, all wine was created equal....

It was just a drink. Grapes were grown, harvested, crushed, fermented, bottled and drunk. End of story! There was no wine culture to tangle yourself up in, no pretty labels to be baffled by, no fancy wine-speak to learn, and no tricks to make choosing any easier. There was no choice. There was just wine. You drank it.

Then something happened. Wine became a saleable commodity-a popular one, a product with real value. It became clear that particular countries were better at producing wine than others, but it didn't stop there. Particular areas within particular countries were better than others. Particular producers within particular areas were better than others.

It became clear that there were a lot of, "particulars" and just as many others, and that's when wine stopped being simply a drink and became something far more complex.

Here at Waterfront House we have endeavoured to source wines from small organic or biodynamic producers where possible. Wines from larger producers are always quality focused, with a view to giving you maximum drinking enjoyment. Our wine by the glass selection is put together with food pairing in mind. Therefore, we are always happy to share our favourite food and wine matches. We would like to offer uncompromising quality at affordable prices and we really do feel that these wines deliver on all counts.

Wine Lover's Wine's of the Week

White

Slovenia – Goriska Brda **37**

Chardonnay/Rubula, Gasper 2017

Light straw colour, this is a fresh and fruity wine that displays hints of peach and citrus. A vibrant acidity and lovely roundness.

Australia – Margaret River **35**

Sauvignon Blanc Semillon, Domaine Naturaliste 2016

Bold aromas of red currant, passion fruit and orange blossom laced with exotic notes of lychee and clove. A creamy mouth filling palate delights the senses with an unexpected richness and depth of flavor.

Red Wine

France - Languedoc
Syrah/Mourvedre, Saint Chinian 2014 **35**

A red blend with buckets of bramble fruit allied to leathery spicy notes with medium body and rounded soft palate.

Spain – Rioja **49**
Tempranillo, Rioja, D-12 2013

Aromas of red fruit and liquorice - characteristic of the Tempranillo variety, combine with cocoa. Tasty, round and silky on the palate. A really, really fabulous wine.

"One should always be drunk. That's all that matters...But with what? With wine, with poetry, or with virtue, as you chose. But get drunk."

– Charles Baudelaire, circa 1850s

Waterfront's Favourites

White Wine

	per Glass	per Bottle
Viura, Tandem Casual, Blanco, Navarra, Spain 2016 Floral and fruity with aromas of peach, apples and pear.	6.5	25
Pinot Grigio, 'P' Alpha Zeta, Veneto, Italy 2017 Aromas of ripe peach and pear and slight hints of flint. Refreshing and crisp.	7	26
Sauvignon Blanc, Villa Montes, Central Valley, Chile 2017 Bright and lifted with a good balance of zesty citrus fruit with racy acidity.	7.5	27
Chardonnay, Rawson Retreat, South East, Australia 2016 An enjoyable wine packed with a generous amount of melon fruit.	8	28
Viosinho/Malvsia/Rabigto, Vila Regia, Douro, Portugal 2016 Bright lemon in colour. Aromas of pineapple and passion fruit.	8.5	29

Red Wine

Tempranillo/Merlot, Tandem Casual, Navarra, Spain 2014 Multi layered with deep, dark berry and damson fruit.	6.5	25
Pinot Noir, J. Morreau, Languedoc-Rousillon, France 2015 Peppery nose, medium dry, medium body.	7	26
Cento Nero d' Avola, Sicily, Italy 2016 Full and fleshy with grainy tannins and a dark plum and chocolate character.	7.5	27
Shiraz/Cabernet, Rawson Retreat, South East Australia 2016 Aromas of dried cranberry, sour cherry and clove with an earthy background.	8	28
Malbec Clasico, Kaiken, Mendoza, Argentina 2016 Aromas of strawberries and cherries with spicy notes and menthol aromas.	8.5	29

Rose Wine

Garnacha/Graciano, Tandem Casual, Navarra, Spain 2014 Full of berry fruit with a refreshing dry finish.	8.5	29
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Prosecco & Champagne

Prosecco Frizzante NV, Tiresia, Veneto, Italy Frothy bubbles, pear and peach fruit with soft acidity.	8	39
Champagne Black Label NV, Lanson, Reims, France Toasty and honey notes lead to a palate of ripe fruits and citrus flavours.		69
Champagne Rose NV, Lanson, Reims, France Aromas of roses and delicate red berry notes.		79
Champagne Brut Reserve NV, Charles Heidsieck, Reims, France Pale gold colour with fine, persistent bubbles. Aromas of ripe apricot, mango and greengages,		89

White Wine

South Africa – Coastal Region 45

Viognier, Fairview 2015

Powerful stone fruit and honeysuckle aromas, followed by a full bodied palate with spice and lingering fruit flavours.

Germany - Pfalz

Riesling, Lingenfelder Bird Label

This crisp, refreshing Riesling is at first wonderfully floral on the nose and finishes with peachy fruit on the palate

New Zealand – Marlborough 39

Sauvignon Blanc, Stopbanks 2016

Intense aromas of passion fruit, complemented by ripe gooseberry, herbal notes and a touch of lime. It is a light-bodied, dry, crisp wine with lime and herbal tones on the palate

Austria – Kamptal 42

Grüner Veltliner ‘Lois’, Loimer 2016

Pale lemon in the glass. Fresh green apple and spicy notes. Full bodied and juicy, supported by harmonious acidity and herbal, peppery nuances that mingle with juicy green apple flavours.

France – Alsace 39

Pinot Blanc Reserve, Klevner 2016

Very fresh and striking on the nose, with citrus aromas and a floral hint. Rich and silky, full-bodied wine with good balance and fresh acidity. Bouquet of lemon and pear.

France – Burgundy 69

Chardonnay, Chablis 1er Cru, Domaine Corinne Perchaud 2015

The initial bouquet is floral, followed by citrus aromas such as orange and fresh pear notes. The palate is mineral with a citrus vein. It is a full-bodied and well-balanced wine.

Portugal – Vinho Verde 49

Alvarinho, Morgadio Da Torre 2016

Lemon yellow in appearance with youthful hints of green. Aromas of peach, pineapple and jasmine blossom. The fruit is supported by mineral notes.

Germany – Pfalz 43

Scheurebe Kabinett, Lingenfelder Estate 2015

Scheurebe signature flavour is always grapefruit, which this has, but also look for blackcurrant leaf aromas and an off dry palate.

Italy – Veneto 34

Garganega, Soave DOP Classico, Rizzardi 2016

Lightly floral with cool fruit and citrus on the nose, leading to a vibrant palate with crisp apple and citrus under laid by a stony, mineral quality.

Spain – Galicia 39

Albarino, Burgans 2016

Ripe with citrus and tangerine notes on the nose, with a ripe tropical hint. Joined by floral aromas with hawthorn, jasmine and orange blossom, and a herbal hay character.

“Penicillin cures, but wine makes people happy.”

– Alexander Fleming

Red Wine

- USA – California** 42
Zinfandel, De Loach 2016
Dark in colour, rich with spice on both the nose and the palate. Flavours of ripe strawberry, raspberry and blackberry blend nicely with notes of blackcurrant and molasses. This wine is full bodied with soft tannins
- Argentina – Mendoza** 39
Malbec Clasico, Altos Las Hormigas 2016
This Malbec is deep violet-red in colour. The nose displays characteristic notes of red fruits, raspberries and plums with white pepper.
- Chile - Colchagua** 59
Syrah/Cabernet Sauvignon/Carmenere, Coyam, Emiliana 2013
Layers of satisfying flavour of blueberries, blackberries, black pepper and a lovely hint of vanilla on the finish.
- Uruguay – Canelones** 43
Tannat, Familia Deicas, Bodegones del Sur Vineyard 2015
Uruguay's signature grape variety Tannat is used here to great effect with this brilliant red.
- Australia – Margaret River** 45
Cabernet Sauvignon, Domaine Naturaliste 2014
Rich aromas of currants, plums and cedar, complimented by hints of cloves, vanilla and cherries.
- New Zealand - Marlborough** 39
Pinot Noir, Stopbanks 2013
Intense aromatics of black cherry and plum mingle with subtle toasty oak. The dark stone fruits are complemented by subtle cassis and hints of bramble, with a well balanced acidity.
- France – Bordeaux** 79
Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot, Charmes de Kirwan, Chateau Kirwan 2014
Floral on the nose, aromas of red fruits, tobacco spice, nutty oak note with firm tannins.
- France – Cotes-du-Rhone** 34
Syrah/Grenache/Mourvedre, Cotes du Rhone, Les Terres Du Roy 2016
This Côtes du Rhône has an enticing nose that is ripe and concentrated, full of black and red berry fruit. It is supple, rich yet balanced with crisp acidity.
- Italy – Veneto** 44
Corvina/Corvinone/Rondinella, Valpolicella Ripasso, Rizzardi 2013
The distinct black pepper and dark cherry of Corvina greet the nose. No oak here, just a mix of wild dark berry fruit and a complex truffle undertone. Medium bodied with perfectly balanced acidity.
- Spain – Rioja** 39
Tempranillo, Rioja Crianza Bodegas LAN 2013
Intense red cherry colour. Aromas of red fruits - strawberry, raspberry and cranberry with hints of vanilla and toffee. Silky and structured on the palate, a long-lasting and satisfying finish.

“Men are like wine – some turn to vinegar, but the best improve with age.”

— Pope John XXIII