



Wines and Champagnes



OUR OWN WINE STORY



Within our collection of hotels we are fortunate enough to have a Castle! Hazlewood Castle which was home to the Vavasour family for over 800 years and is mentioned in the Domesday book in 1086. The Vavasours, although Catholics, offered the Castle to Henry the VIII head of the English Church as a residence on his travels North to arrest the Archbishop of York.

Although he declined the Vavasours were spared their lives and a declaration made that the English Church should leave Hazlewood Castle and the family in peace and would not desecrate our St Leonards Chapel on the Estate. The Vavasour family moved to New Zealand in 1908 and have since become one of the best winemakers and we are delighted to offer exclusively four very special award winning wines from their vineyard in the Marlborough region of the South Island.

Vavasour Chardonnay Awatere Valley, Estate Bottled £32.00

An elegant wine showing lovely nectarine and apricot notes, balanced by toasty French oak.

Vavasour Pinot Noir Awatere Valley, Estate Bottled £32.00

A luscious and aromatic wine, which features black cherry, plum and anise spice.

Vavasour Sauvignon Blanc, Awatere Valley, Estate Bottled £32.00

Flaunts a powerful bouquet of fresh herbs, tomato stalk and blackcurrant, layered with ripe stone fruit and bright citrus flavours.

Vavasour Pinot Gris, Awatere Valley, Estate Bottled £32.00

Displays a richly structured palate featuring layers of ripe fruit, notes of ginger and the long mineral finish so typical of the Awatere Valley.



CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING WINE

					
	125ml	Bottle		125ml	Bottle
1	Da Luca Prosecco ITALY <i>Pear and peach fruit on a lively, yet soft and generous palate</i>	6.00	30.00	2	Louis Dornier et Fils Brut France <i>Light, fresh, vigorously youthful Champagne with a fine, elegant, slightly lemony nose, lively mousse, long, crisp palate.</i>
				3	Moët & Chandon Brut Impérial France <i>A well known blend of older reserves with young wines to ensure a consistency of this flowery aroma and warm biscuit hints.</i>
					60.00



ROSÉ - ELEGANT FLAVOURS OF SUMMER FRUIT



									
	175ml	250ml	Bottle		175ml	250ml	Bottle		
4	Vendange White Zinfandel, California Usa <i>A brief time with juice and skin together gives this delicate colour, delicious strawberry aroma and zingy freshness.</i>	5.00	6.70	19.50	5	Parini Pinot Grigio Rosé Delle Venezie Italy <i>Soft, coppery-pink rosé: delicate and fruity bouquet: soft and freshon the palate.</i>	5.30	7.20	21.50
				6	Don Jacobo Rioja Rosado Bodegas Corral Spain <i>Delightfully deep-coloured from Spain's premier wine region, with fresh summer fruits and a lively zing.</i>			24.50	





WHITE - JUICY, RIPE & FRUITY

	175ml	250ml	Bottle		175ml	250ml	Bottle
7 Cullinan View Chenin Blanc South Africa <i>Deliciously fresh and creamy with peachy fruit character. A classic South African style.</i>	5.00	7.00	20.00	9 Short Mile Bay Chardonnay Australia <i>Unoaked, a tropical fruit flavoured wine with notes of spring blossom and honey.</i>	5.30	7.20	21.00
8 Ayrum Verdejo Spain <i>This aromatic Verdejo shows floral notes with green apple and citrus fruit on the palate.</i>	4.80	6.50	19.50				



WHITE - VERY DRY & DELICATE

	175ml	250ml	Bottle		Bottle
10 Antonio Rubini Pinot Grigio Delle Venezie Italy <i>Shows apple and pear with hints of white peach and elderflower.</i>	5.30	7.20	21.00	12 Chablis Gloire de Chablis J. Moreau et Fils France <i>A traditional Chablis, dry, flinty and elegant with a distinctive Chardonnay character on the finish.</i>	45.00
11 Don Jacobo Rioja Blanco Bodegas Corral Spain <i>Fresh, dry, crisp and modern, from this classic Spanish region using the local Viura grape.</i>			26.00	13 Picpoul de Pinet, Reserve Sainte-Anne France <i>Citrusy southern French white made from the Picpoul grape.</i>	28.00



WHITE - DRY, HERBACEOUS & AROMATIC

	175ml	250ml	Bottle		Bottle
14 Los Romeros Sauvignon Blanc Central Valley Chile <i>Fragrant aromas of lemon and gooseberries with a zesty finish.</i>	5.30	7.20	21.50	15 Vavasour Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough New Zealand <i>Flaunts a powerful bouquet of fresh herbs, tomato and blackcurrant, layered with ripe stone fruit and bright citrus flavours.</i>	32.00

RED - SPICY, PEPPERY & WARMING

					
	175ml	250ml	Bottle		Bottle
16 Alma Mora Malbec San Juan Argentina <i>This is full-bodied wine with ripe red berry and plum flavours finishing with a long, elegant touch of toasty vanilla.</i>	5.70	8.00	23.00	18 Côtes du Rhône, Les Abeilles Rouge Jean-Luc Colombo France <i>Fresh and silky on the palate, the aromas of small red fruits followthrough, prolonged by notes of liquorice and spice.</i>	31.00
17 Berri Estates Shiraz Australia <i>Medium-bodied and fruity with raspberry, cherry and plum, complemented by vanilla spices.</i>	5.50	7.50	22.00		

RED - LIGHT, SIMPLE & DELICATE

			
	Bottle		Bottle
19 Chianti, Ruffino Italy <i>Harmonious and mellow, with violet and red berry notes on a soft and refreshing finish.</i>	29.00	20 Fleurie Château de Fleurie, Domaine Loron France <i>Vibrancy of violet aromas and soft raspberry smoothness with a lingering elegance from 18th Century heritage and northern granite hills.</i>	39.00

RED - JUICY, JAMMY & FRUITY

							
	175ml	250ml	Bottle		175ml	250ml	Bottle
21 Ayrum Tempranillo Tinto Spain <i>Cherry-red, very smooth with blackberry and plum fruit: the tannins are light and finish soft.</i>	4.80	6.50	19.50	23 Tekena Merlot, Central Valley Chile <i>Fruit-driven, raspberry and blueberry fruit leading to a soft finish.</i>	5.30	7.00	21.00
22 Between Thorns Cabernet Sauvignon South Eastern Australia Australia <i>Blackcurrant and fruits of the forest backed by notes of chocolate and vanilla.</i>	5.00	7.00	20.50	24 Don Jacobo Rioja Crianza Tinto Bodegas Corral Spain <i>Abundant bright raspberry aromas mingle with sumptuous cherries and are layered with a creamy barrique character.</i>			28.00

RED - OAKED, AGED & INTENSE

	
	Bottle
25 Chateaufneuf du Pape Cuvee Sainte Vierge France <i>Powerful and complex red fruits and ripe black fruits with spicy notes. It has a beautiful structure on the palate with an excellent balance between fruit and tannins which are fine and silky.</i>	46.00