

Martin and Therese, as the owners of Head over Hills, love their wines. As a former golf professional Martin knows that whatever you do, you have to practice and train to develop your skills. So not just any wine is going to be listed at Head over Hills.

Only the wines that have a story and mean something to them are going to be part of the journey of Head over Hills. For example: You will find the 3 South African golf major winners' wines in the cellar, Ernie Els, Retief Goosen and Louis Oosthuizen.

These wines are top of the range. There are also some very special items which have been given to the Head over Hills wine cellar. Enjoy browsing through this wine list and choose one of the wines which have been hand picked by Martin and Therese. Let the journey begin!





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# VINTAGE SPECIFIC RATING

Any differences from the general rating are noted in brackets beside the particular vintage.

****	95-100 /18-20 pts	Superlative. A South African Classic
****	90–94 /17–17.5 pts	Outstanding
***	86–89 /16–16.5 pts	Excellent
***	83–85 /15.5 pts	Very good / Promising
***	80–82 /15 pts	Good, for early drinking
**☆	77–79 /14.5 pts	Average, with some appeal
**	73–76 /14 pts	Pleasantenough
*☆	70–72 /13 pts	Plain and simple
*	65–69 /12 pts	Unexciting
$\stackrel{\wedge}{\Rightarrow}$	60–64 /11 pts	Very ordinary
No star	50–59 /10 pts	Somewhat less than ordinary



# WINE LIST AWARDS SYSTEM

If you get to eat out you've probably noticed that some of the restaurants you visit proudly display a framed Diners Club Wine List Award certificate on their window or wall.

That's because being able to boast a wine list award is prestigious confirmation that the establishment has a fine and well thought-out wine list which compliments the menu. And to anyone who has discovered the symbiotic joy of well-matched food and wine, that's a huge compliment for the restaurant.

FIRST PLACE - **DIAMOND**SECOND PLACE - **PLATINUM** 

THIRD PLACE - GOLD FORTH PLACE - SILVER

# WINE OF ORIGIN



# WESTERN CAPE

#### WARDS NOT PART COASTAL REGION CAPE SOUTH COAST OLIFANTS RIVER Districts: OVERBERG OF REGION **SWARTLAND** LUTZVILLE VALLEY WALKER BAY CERES STELLENBOSCH **SWELLENDAM** CITRUSDAL VALLEY CEDERBERG TYGERBERG **CAPE ALGULHAS** CITRUSDAL MOUNTAINS PRINCE ALBERT VALLEY CAPE POINT PLETTENBERG BAY SWARTBERG CONSTANTIA (Ward) BREEDE RIVER VALLEY ELGIN (Ward) LAMBERT'S BAY TULBAGH Districts: PAARL KLEIN KAROO BREEDEKLOOF FRANSCHHOEK WORCESTER Districts: CALITZDORP DARLING ROBERTSON LANGEBERG-GARCIA



The establishment of a victual station at the Cape midway through the 17th century led to the planting of the first vineyard in 1655 and the making of wine from grapes grown at the Cape on 2 February 1659. As in Europe, certain areas and farms became known for wines with their own distinct character. The wines of Constantia, for instance, became famous - and even today are considered among the finest ever produced.

For a long time, this uniqueness of the South African-wine producing areas and farms was not legally protected. An official Wine of Origin scheme was only established in 1972, when legislation in this regard was formulated. This new scheme would not only protect wines of origin but also wines made from a specific cultivar or vintage.

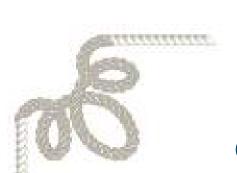
Mirroring the French Appellation d'origine contrôlée (AOC) system, all South African wines listing a 'Wine of Origin' or the abbreviation 'W.O.' together with the name of a production area, such as Stellenbosch, Durbanville or Robertson appears on a label, it confirms that 100% of the grapes from which the wine was made come from that specific area.

Certain basic principles were taken into consideration when the system was formulated. It was, for example, necessary to comply with EU regulations because a great deal of South African wine is exported to Europe. Principles such as honesty in business, factual terms, titles, adaptability, local marketing truths and free participation were addressed.

South Africa's Wine of Origin certification scheme was officially instituted in 1973, in accordance with the Wine, Other Fermented Beverages and Spirits Act of 1957.

The use of the name of a grape cultivar on a label is authorised in terms of the Wine of Origin Scheme and only the cultivar names attached may be used. The name of a grape cultivar may be used if 85% of the content of the wine originates from that cultivar.









#### Moët & Chandon Brut NV

R1100

Vineyards in Epernay, Champagne, France

This spectacular wine replaces White Star as the flag bearer for the brand. It is a stunning improvement with a lovely citrus nose that shows hints of white flowers, minerals and brioche; it is smooth textured with graceful structure, bright acidity and showing long, precise and vivid flavors.

#### Moët & Chandon Rosé NV

R1250

Vineyards in Epernay, Champagne, France

This Champagne displays lively, expressive, aromas dominated by the scent of wild strawberries. It is full-bodied, with zestful, assertive fruitiness.

# Moët & Chandon Ice Impérial NV

R1895

Vineyards in Epernay, Champagne, France

Moët Ice Impérial, the first and only champagne especially created to be enjoyed over ice. A new champagne experience combining fun, fresh and free sensations while remaining true to the Moët & Chandon style. This style is distinguished by its bright fruitiness, seductive palate and elegant maturity.

# Perrier-Jouët Belle Époque 2007

R5500

Wine of Origin: France

Hawthorn blossom, linden blossom and white clover. A fresh, stylish wine with good structure, silky and elegant, based on the mineral notes of the best Chardonnay Grand Crus. The floral, fruity notes give way to subtle spicy hints for a pleasant finish on the palate.

#### Barons de Rothschild Brut NV

R1395

Wine of Origin: Champagne Region, France

This exceptionally fine cuvée exudes aromas of pear and nuts, (almonds fresh hazelnuts) that marry with hints of white flowers. A strong, assertive opening that leads into a well-rounded wine that is powerful yet contained; the sign of long ageing in traditional cellars.

"When I opened this amazing Barons de Rothschild for the first time on the balcony at Head over Hills, the waves were rolling in as smoothly as the taste in this bottle. Along with the golden colour, I pick up fresh pear and a hint of honey. This is a delicious dry champagne." Martin – Head over Hills





# MÉTHODE CAP CLASSIQUE

Drunk at any time of the day, there's always an excuse for a celebration! Champagne is derived from France where the original "Bubblies" came from, known as Méthode Cap Classique in SA. Delicious shortcake flavours with hints of fruitiness on the nose & a dry finish. Champagne produced traditionally, undergo a second fermentation, where sugar & yeast are added to the bottled wines, then resealed. Carbon dioxide is trapped inside the wine under pressure & is released as bubbles "mouse," when the MCC is served. Brut — Dry or dryish in taste. Blanc de Blancs — "White of Whites" / White wine made from only white grapes.



#### Mooiplaas Duel NV

R385

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch, Bottelary Hills | Winemaker: Louis Roos Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★

This MCC leans more towards the Pinot Noir character showing cherries, almond and honey comb on the nose, also dried peach and apricot. Palate is full and rounded, fine creamy mousse



#### Weltevrede Entheos NV

R295

Wine of Origin: Robertson | Winemaker: Philip Jonker

Platter's  $\star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

- ~ SAA Trophy for Best Cap Classique
- ~ Global Traveller World Best Sparkling Wine

A pale coloured Cap Classique with a slight green tinge and a delicate stream of bubbles gliding to the surface. The nose is creamy and biscuity with hints of green pear and lemon. This follows through on the palate with flavours of winter melon and a slight smokiness on the finish.



#### L'Ormarins Brut

R395

Area: Franschhoek | Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Zanie Viljoen

Delicate peach hue. Constant stream of fine bubbles. Appealing aroma of candied apple, citrus pith and light flinty, limestone nuance. Distinctly fruity white peach and apple entry. Good vibrance and crisp crunch of acidity to balance the ripe fruitiness. Rounded, creamy, broad and textured in the mouth. Elegant and statuesque. Its long aftertaste finishes on a light lemon zest note.

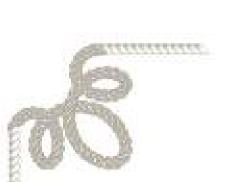


#### L'Ormarins Rosé

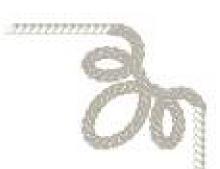
R495

Area: Franschhoek | Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Zanie Viljoen

Enticing pale salmon hue. Vivacious lime/lemon edge to cranberry- and red fruit aromas. In the mouth the entry is crisp and vibrant with lively peach-, pomegranate- and cranberry flavour. The palate is focussed, structured and taut with lovely dryness and elegance. The wine finishes with a leesy, creamy tail but remains precise to the end.







Translated to "wild white," Sauvignon Blanc is the most popular white cultivar in SA. Distinct regionally-based styles. From Darling there are dusty green peppers but a flinty minerality creeps in as you move south through Durbanville & Constantia to Agulhas where it becomes seashells & ozone. In Stellenbosch & Robertson, a rich tropical fruit is never far from the surface.



#### Ghost Corner 2016

R495

Wine of Origin: Elim | Winemaker: David Nieuwoudt with Alex Nel & Tammy Turck-Nel Platter's - No Platter Rating

- ~ 2015: Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$
- ~ 2014: Silver Medal: Decanter World Wine Awards 2015
- ~ 2015: Double Gold Medal: Veritas Awards 2015

A unique Sauvignon blanc that cannot be compared to any other. Powerful concentrated layers of green figs and gooseberries, with a touch of grapefruit, fynbos and a steely minerality on the palate.



#### Klein Constantia 2016

R275

Wine of Origin: Constantia | Winemaker: Matthew Day Platter's - No Platter Rating

Bright and light in colour, aromas of white peach and berries fill the nose. The fruit flavours follow through onto the full and expressive palate with an intense long finish, showcasing the typical Klein Constantia minerality.



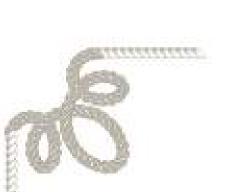
# Hermanuspietersfontein No.5 Kat met die Houtbeen 2014

R420

Wine of Origin: Hermanus, Sondagskloof | Winemaker: Wilhelm Pienaar Platter's ★★★★

- ~ 2010: Winemaker's Choice Award 2011 Top 5 Sauvignon Blanc
- ~ 2013: FNB Top 10 Sauvignon Blanc 2016

Lots of potential over the coming years. You will find apricot with a nice balance of oak and very nice texture. Elegant aromas of green apple, nettles and freshly cut grass with soft pear and lanolin.









#### The Goose Wines 2016

R250

Wine of Origin: Upper-Langkloof | Winemaker: Alwyn Liebenberg Platter's  $\star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

The Goose Sauvignon Blanc is an exciting and unique tasting experience. The bouquet of the wine is Cape Floral driven with a sure tropical distinction. Small hints of gooseberry support the nose. The wine lingers beautifully on the palate, with a complexity that showcases a typical cool-climate minerality with a full-bodied character.



#### Nitida "The Wild Child" 2016

R395

Wine of Origin: Durbanville | Winemaker: Danie Keulder | Cellarmaster: Bernard Veller Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

A crème de la crème of enchantment. Sensual wild ferment style tempts with old fashioned peaches and Bosc brown pears. Heady depths of satin smooth oak bewitchingly brush Turkish apricot and sweet limes.



#### Strandveld Wild Ferment Winemakers Reserve Blanc Fumé 2015

R395

Wine of Origin: Elim | Assistant Winemaker: Donovan Ackermann Platter's - No Platter Rating

This special wine was handcrafted by our assistant winemaker, Donovan Ackermann. Specially selected Sauvignon Blanc grapes were handpicked, naturally fermented and aged in 300L French oak barrels. It is a complex wine displaying richness and minerality with tropical fruit flavours. This wine is unfiltered and sediment may occur naturally.



#### Ataraxia 2016

R275

Wine of Origin: Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge | Winemaker: Kevin Grant Platter's - No Platter Rating

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2016: Wine Advocate Neil Martin 91 points

This wine favours individuality and minerality ahe<sup>ad</sup> of pure, pungent fruit, but still shows alluring white stone fruit, citrus and lemon grass aromas. These are effortlessly reflected on the palate and are complemented by a lively acidity which underpins a classy structure and succulent texture. A wine of substantial poise, length and charm.



Widely cultivated variety in the Cape. Characterized by its versatility. CB produces good natural wines covering the whole spectrum from sweet to dry, as well as sherry & sparkling wine. Fruity flavours. This is the "work horse" of SA white grapes. Often distilled into Brandy.

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# Ernie Els Big Easy 2017

R170

Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Louis Strydom Platter's - No Platter Rating

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2014: Top 100 SA Wines Chenin Blanc Category
- ~ Gold Medal: Veritas Wine Awards 2012

This Big Easy white is 100% Chenin Blanc and shows the beautiful, pure-fruited and charming 2015 vintage. Dominated by citrus in its youth, the nose offers complexity with peaches, strawberries and fresh cream. A sprinkle of spice and a slight peppery edge contrasts the soft, creamy mouth feel, while nutty and mineral notes gather further complexity. Medium bodied and stylish, the palate ends with a long and dry, discreetly fruity finish.

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# Perdeberg Dryland Collection 2015

R250

Wine of Origin: Paarl | Winemaker: Riaan Möller & Dylan Dowell-Ellis Platter's ★ ★ ★

- ~ 2014: Gold Medal: Veritas Awards 2015
- ~2014: Silver Medal: International Wine & Spirits Competition 2015

This unwooded wine is a fine display of the ability of bush vine Chenin Blanc, grown under dry land conditions, to create intensely flavoured and succulent wines. These stressful conditions result in smaller berries with a lower skin to juice ratio, producing high quality wines. Pear, lime, grapefruit and granadilla notes are all prominent on a very voluptuous and generous nose. The palate is rich, pure and well defined, amplifying hints of pineapple, citrus, mango and litchi. Indulge yourself now to experience the unique potential of this wine.

#### Rijk's Private Cellar 2014

R375

Wine of Origin: Tulbagh | Winemaker: Pierre Wahl Platter's - No Platter Rating

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ Winemaker of the Year Diners Club 2016

Upfront tropical flavours on the nose with litchi and peach aromas which follow through on the palate. These aromas are supported by hints of mango and a subtle touch of oak. A fresh presence of acid balances the residual sugar to perfection.



In January 1946 my great grandfather, Major David Steytler, bought the farm Rosendal in the Bottelary Hills. (My father, changed the farm name to Kaapzicht in 1984). Major David had returned from the Second World War and sold his Karoo sheep farm to buy something closer to Cape Town. A year later in the winter of 1947 he planted his first bush vine vineyard: Groot Steen 6 ha. This block has stood through 70 stormy winters and 70 dry summers and is today the second oldest block of Chenin Blanc in South Africa. It has been reduced to only 1.1 Ha but is still unirrigated since the day it was planted.

On the winemaking side we try to keep it as natural as possible. The grapes are picked by hand and the whole bunch is pressed. The juice is settled overnight and no enzyme, Sulphur, acid or yeast is added. The juice is then racked to  $4 \times 500$ L French Oak barrels and left to slowly and naturally ferment. After 11 months in the barrel the best 2 barrels are bottled and just before bottling a little bit of Sulphur is added to help the ageing process in the bottle. We want the vineyard to express herself without the influence of a meddling winemaker and I am sure you will love it as much as I do.

Danie Steytler – 4th Generation winemaker at Kaapzicht.

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Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \star$ 

	Kaapzicht The 1947 Barrel Fermented 2015	R950
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Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

	Kaapzicht The 1947 Barrel Fermente	d 2016	R850
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Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Danie Steytler

Platter's ★★★★

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ This 1947 is only 900 bottels and is coming from SA's 2nd oldest Chenin block.

5 Stars in platter. This wine is a must!

It's a hugely complex yet entirely drinkable affair. Lime, white peach, yellow apple, earth, some yeasty complexity. Oxidative in style but perfectly done – the resulting vague sherry-like quality suits the wine.

"This wine has a story in each and every drop. The wine has an exceptional flow, together with good aromas from the moment you open this wine. You have a unique opportunity to compare different excellent vintages." Martin – Head over Hills



Locally, experimentation has been taking place with barrel fermentation & oak ageing of Chardonnay. Bold, rich & complex with tastes of hazelnut, honey & butter, citrus fruit with limes & lemons. Queen of white grapes.



#### Weltevrede Place of Rocks 2015

R335

Wine of Origin: Robertson | Winemaker: Philip Jonker Platter's  $\star \star \star \star$ 

Rooted in broken shale rock slopes, these chardonnay vines bear fruit with juicy elegance and lively, lime-like flavours. The wine expresses its origin in a unique oyster shell minerality. Intense and focused, many describe this one as Chablis-like. A tighter style with a beautiful, feminine elegance and lingering aftertaste.



# Hartenberg The Eleanor 2014

R850



R750

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2014: Tim Atkins 93 points
- ~ 2013: Silver Medal Decanter World Wide Awards 2015
- ~ 2012: Gold Medal International Wine & Spirits Competition 2014

The Eleanor chardonnay honors the matriarch of the Finlayson family who owned Hartenberg estate from 1948 to 1977. Strong and resolute in character, yet always sophisticated and poised, who better perfumed, nutty, roasted almonds with vanillin notes. Complex and rich with a tangy finish.

#### Rustenberg Five Soldiers 2012

R950

Wine of Origin: Simonsberg, Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Randolph Christians, Gareth le Grange & Craig Christians Platter's  $\star\star\star\star$ 

- ~ 2012: Gold Medal Old Mutual Trophy Awards
- ~ 2012: Gold Medal Veritas Awards

Characters of ripe citrus, melon and peach with great minerality, rounded out by well-judged oaking. A very complex wine with a long and creamy finish and a good acid backbone.







#### Ataraxia 2015

R540

Wine of Origin: Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge | Winemaker: Kevin Grant Platter's - No Platter Rating

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2015: Wine Advocate Neil Martin 93 points
- ~ Decanter Magazine Best Chardonnay of the World outside Burgundy. Only 13 awarded
- ~ 2014: Platter's  $\star \star \star \star ^{1/2}$

This wine is 100% barrel fermented and carefully matured in specially selected small French oak barriques sourced exclusively from Burgundian coopers. A chiselled, focused wine that effortlessly manages to be both subtle and intense. The palate is penetrating and profound yet graceful and poised. A forceful mineral acidity is beautifully balanced by a subtle yet compelling intensity of fruit. Classic length, creaminess and intriguing complexity define this stylish, world-class chardonnay.

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#### Rhebokskloof Sandstone Grove 2014

R375

Wine of Origin: Paarl | Winemaker: Rolanie Lotz & Karin Louw Platter's ★ ★ ★

From its gold colour to the peach, lemon-peel and toasty character, this wine is designed to please. Matured in French oak barrels, yet harmoniously integrated, it is full bodied, with enough complexity and lingering freshness to accompany different food dishes.

"Drinking good wine with good food in good company is one of life's most civilized pleasures." Michael Broadbent







#### Haute Cabrière Pinot Noir / Chardonnay 2016

R245

Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Takuan von Arnim with Tim Hoek Platter's  $\star \star \star 1/2$ 

This enticing blend of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir shows elegant fruit underlined by firm acidity. You will find an abundance of zesty fruit - most notably white peach, litchi and red fruit - with a delectable full mouth feel and balance.



# Hermanuspietersfontein Die Bartho 2012

R395

Wine of Origin: Sondagskloof | Winemaker: Wilhelm Pienaar & Kim McFarlane Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ 2010: SA National Terroir Awards 2011 – Best White Blend

Sauvignon Blanc and Semillon Blend. An old world minerality with a whiff of soft lanolin and green pepper, fresh acidity. The remarkable flowing balance, sophisticated complexity and fresh finish characterizes this flagship white wine. Lightly flavoured, creamy dishes are required to match this equally lightly wooded and weighted wine.



# Longridge The Emily 2016

R165

Area: Stellenbosch | Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Jasper Raats & Hendrien de Munck Platter's ★ ★ ★½

- ~ 2016: Michelangelo International Wine Awards 2016 Double Gold Award
- ~ 2015: Veritas Wine Award 2015 Gold Medal
- ~2015: CWA Gold Awards 2015 Gold

Chardonnay and Pinot Noir. A wine with a slight blush, described by the winemaker as "oel de perdrix" - the eye of the partridges. A fresh wine, bursting with aromas of ripe guava, pineapple, kiwi, fresh citrus and kumquat preserve, green apple and ending with a well-balanced acidity and a lingering finish.

Although British born, Emily Hobhouse has become an honorary South African through her selfless and courageous actions, which exposed the inhumanity of concentration camps during the Anglo-Boer war. (1899 - 1902). We dedicate this wine to her memory and brave women fighting for what is right all over the world.





Strandveld Adamastor 2013

R350



Strandveld Adamastor 2012

R450

Wine of Origin: Elim | Winemaker: Conrad Vlok

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ 2013: Gold Medal - International Wine & Spirits Competition 2015

~ 2012: Silver Medal - Old Mutual Trophy Show 2015

Sauvignon Blanc and Semillon Blend. Wet gravel with an intense flintiness, combined with floral aromas. Full and creamy on the palate, with a combination of toasted oak flavours and a dry minerality on the aftertaste.

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R850



AABadenhorst Family White 2012

R650



AA Badenhorst Family White 2013

R550

Wine of Origin: Swartland, Coastal Region | Winemaker: Adi Badenhorst Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Chenin Blanc, Roussanne, Marsanne, Grenache Blanc, Viognier, Verdehlo, Chardonnay, Grenache Gris, Clairette Blanche and Palomino blend. The aromas are very complex and change considerably in the glass. Perfume, spice, tea, stone fruit and citrus blossoms are some of the notes that can be detected. In the mouth the texture and ripeness and gentle tannins result in a wine that has incredible length and flavour profile and has wonderful fruit volume characterized by stone fruit and mineral flavours. The finish is long and has slight phenolic edges supporting the fruit through the entire length of the wine.









Flavours resemble a mixture of ripe pears, citrus, almonds, spice, peaches & apricots, sometimes with a honeyed nuance. Lush & viscous on the palate. It is usually a dry wine & can be wooded.

Hilton Vineyards Rose Quartz 2015Hilton Vineyards Rose Quartz 2014

R350

R450

Wine of Origin: Elgin | Winemaker: Richard Hilton & Riaan Wassüng Platter's  $\star\star\star\star$ 

- ~ 2015 Only 3338 bottles produced
- ~ 2014 Only 3266 bottles produced

Highly aromatic, with hints of aromas of jasmine, peach and overtones of oak on the nose followed by a rich and opulent palate of orange rind, quince and white peach. Soft but full, an ideal accompaniment to fish and poultry dishes.

Hilton Vineyards The Emperor Probus 2015 R595
Hilton Vineyards The Emperor Probus 2014 R695

Wine of Origin: Elgin | Winemaker: Richard Hilton & Riaan Wassüng

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

- ~ 2015 Only 1892 bottles produced
- ~ 2014 Only 1000 bottles produced

Deep brooding peach and quince with judicious hints of vanilla oak overtones. This wine teases the senses with tropical notes and a pallet of white juicy fruits of litchi, peach and apricot. Rich, concentrated and with mouth watering appeal this full bodied yet soft wine will round out to become long and lingering.

# SEMILLON

Medium bodied dry white. In 1820, Sémillon or "Groendruif" comprised over 90% of the national vineyard. Today that figure is 1%, although it is making a comeback as a popular addition to white blends.

Hartenberg Tenacity 2014

R450

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz Platter's - No Platter Rating

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Flinty, chalky notes along with hints us lemon, limes on the bouquet. The palate is creamy with tropical fruit flavours, vanillin oak, honeysuckle and lemon meringue. The after palate is minerally and persistent.







Originating from the Rhine region of Germany, Riesling is an aromatic grape variety, displaying flowery, perfumed aromas as well as a high acidity and fruit flavours.



# Hartenberg Occasional 2016

R325

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz Platter's - No Platter Rating

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

The candyfloss, lanolin and perfumed notes on the nose give way to a rich, sweet and sour entry with a floral and honeyed mid-palate that has both balance and complexity. The residual sugar, although subtly noticeable, contributes extra fullness and richness to the palate. This is a quality wine that offers great value and food-pairing versatility.

# CHABLIS

The Chablis region is the northernmost wine district of the Burgundy region in France. The cool climate of this region produces wines with more acidity and flavors less fruity than Chardonnay wines grown in warmer climates. These wines often have a "flinty" note, sometimes described as "goût de pierre à fusil" ("tasting of gun flint"), and sometimes as "steely". The Chablis Appellation d'origine contrôlée is required to use Chardonnay grapes solely.



#### Domaine Des Malandes Chablis 2015

R690

Wine of Origin: Bourgogne | Winemaker: Guénolé Breteaudeau

Typical expression of Chablis with purity, tension, grapefruit aromas, nice liveliness and a fresh round finish.









Rosé - Light Pink in colour. Mostly made from red grapes whose skins are left on the must during fermentation. The juice is then run off the skins & treated the same way as white wine. Rosé can be Dry to semi-sweet. They vary greatly in the level of residual sugar.



# Waterkloof Circumstance Cape Coral Mourvèdre 2016

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Nadia Barnard Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★

Pale, salmon colour. Delicate floral aromas, with hints of minerality are prominent on the nose. The palate is soft, fresh and supple, finishing with a balanced acidity.



#### Quando Mourvèdre 2016

R165

R295

Wine of Origin: Robertson | Winemaker: Fanus Bruwer Platter's  $\star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

The wine is pale pink onion skin in color. Red Berries and cassis on the nose follow through with a juicy fruitiness on the palate and elegant acidity.

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#### Fable Mountain Vineyards Belle Flower 2015

R275

Wine of Origin: Coastal Region | Winemaker: Tremayne Smith Platter's ★ ★ ★

The colour is bright, pale pink with salmon hues. The nose is beautifully layered and complex with wild berries, roses and white flowers with a subtle suggestion of dill and wet stone minerality. The palate is powerful yet precise with soft creamy layered flavours of berries, dill and hints of wood. The finish is long and mineral with a fresh lingering acidity.

"Wine cheers the sad, revives the old, inspires the young, makes weariness forget his toil." Lord Byron

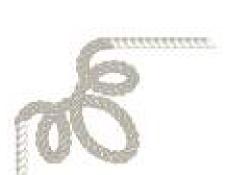
# CABERNET SAUVIGNON CEDERBERG FIVE GENERATIONS

The Five Generations range is Cederberg Private Cellar's flagship wine. The Nieuwoudt family started farming on Dwarsrivier farm in 1893 and winemaker David Nieuwoudt is the fifth generation Nieuwoudt on the farm. The first wine grape vineyards were planted in 1973 by David's grandfather, Oom Pollie Nieuwoudt. Oom Pollie made the first Cederberg wine in 1977 and was known for his cabernet sauvignon. In 1997 David took over from his uncle, Flippie Nieuwoudt. The Five Generations flagship cabernet sauvignon is made from a single vineyard. The top barrels are selected and a limited quantity of each wine is released every year.

Cederberg Five Generations 2008	R1850
Platter's 2008 $\star \star \star \star$	
Cederberg Five Generations 2009	R1550
Platter's 2009 $\star \star \star \star$	
Cederberg Five Generations 2010	R1350
Platter's 2010 $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$	
Cederberg Five Generations 2011	R1250
Platter's 2011 $\star \star \star \star \star$	
Cederberg Five Generations 2012	R1050
Platter's 2012 $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$	
Cederberg Five Generations 2013	R950
Platter's 2013 $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$	
Cederberg Five Generations 2014	R850
Wine of Origin: Cederberg   Winemaker: David Nieuwoudt, Alex Nel & Tammy Turck-Nel Platter's 2014 ★ ★ ★ ★ ½	
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~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

The 18 months of maturation in new French oak has intensified the rich aromas of blackcurrant and cassis, layered with decadent dark chocolate and cherry tobacco. A velvety texture that lingers on the palate with a distinct blackcurrant aftertaste. A ripe tannin structure from the grapes hanging up to 18 days longer in the vineyard, gives this wine the potential to mature for many years to come.







Liveliness in the mouth & a degree of richness, yet usually finishes with firm astringency. Blackcurrant flavour with a hint of mint & cedar. King of the '"Noble" grapes, famous for its use in a Bordeaux Blend. It develops well with age into spicy, full, complex wines.



#### Boschkloof 2014

R255

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Reenen Borman | Cellar Master: Jacques Borman Platter's  $\star$   $\star$   $\star$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

A classic Cabernet with ripe blackberry richness. Dense dark ruby red/black colour with ripe cassis and toasty oak on the nose. Chocolate and black-current fruit flavours mingle with the spicy aroma. Full flavoured palate and firm structure. Supple, yet complex. Well integrated with a generous long finish.



# Ernie Els Proprietor's 2011

R850

 $Wine \ of \ Origin: Stellenbosch \ | \ Wine maker: Louis \ Strydom$ 

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \star$ 

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ Double Gold Medal: Veritas Wine Award

The 2013 Proprietor's Cabernet Sauvignon is a perfect reflection of a great Stellenbosch vintage. It has a pitch black core with a deeply rich hue, leading to a nose that dazzles with vanilla, blackberry, liquorice and cherry. A touch of cedar spice add refined depth and complexity, all coated by incredibly fine, chalky tannins. Brooding in its youth, there is an aristocratic feel to its long, silky and powerful finish.



# Mooiplaas "Tabakland" 2010

R545

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch, Bottelary Hills | Winemaker: Louis Roos Platter's ★★★

Deep purple colour, nose shows the typical lead pencil, roasted oak and cassis flavours, well structured palate with good length. Long barrel ageing saw to well integration of fruit and oak, tannins more yielding than in some previous vintages.









R640

Wine of Origin: Chile | Winemaker: Julio Bouchon & David Nieuwoudt

Crafted from a premium selected vineyard parcel in the Valley of Maule. A true expression of coolclimate terroir with a breathtaking intensity and richness. Dark red fruit aromas of blackcurrant and tobacco. Ripe Tannin structure with a velvety finish.

# Hess Family Select 2013

R890

Wine of Origin: California, USA | Winemaker: Hess Dave Guffy

A classic Cabernet with ripe blackberry richness. Dense dark ruby red/black colour with ripe cassis and toasty oak on the nose. Chocolate and black-current fruit flavours mingle with the spicy aroma. Full flavoured palate and firm structure. Supple, yet complex. Well integrated with a generous long finish.

I have enjoyed great health at a great age
because every day since I can remember I have consumed a
bottle of wine except when I have not felt well.
Then I have consumed two bottles."

-A Bishop of Seville







# CABERNET SAUVIGNON LE RICHE RESERVE

"Le Riche - King of cabernet sauvignon in South Africa year after year. This wine is painted fine art in a bottle. This art attracts everyone and will tell you many stories. A painting says more than 1000 words. Your Le Riche journey starts here." – Martin – Head over Hills



#### Le Riche Reserve 2013

R1195



Le Riche Reserve 2014

R995

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Christo Le Riche & Mark Daniels

Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Currants, sour cherries and cassis flavours are supported by a fresh savoury nose. Lead pencil shavings and cedar aromas compliment the overall complexity and sophistication. The palate shows sweet, ripe fruit balanced by firmly structured, juicy tannins. A lingering, balanced finish reveals power to improve with time and an underlying elegance.



#### Le Riche Reserve 2008

R1795

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Christo Le Riche & Mark Daniels Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Classic ripe cherry fruit flavours, with spicy oak and some cedar on the nose. The palate is rich and succulent with smooth, juicy tannins. The underlying structure and long finish promise even greater complexity with further maturation in bottle.

"One of a kind." Owner Martin - Head over Hills









Grapes are identified by their loose bunches of large berries. The colour has less of a blue/black hue than Cabernet Sauvignon grapes, a thinner skin & fewer tannins. In food & wine pairings, the diversity of Merlot can lend itself to a wide array of matching options. Slightly herbaceous overall in both aroma & taste.



#### Remhoogte Aspect 2014

R350

Wine of Origin: Simonsberg, Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Chris Boustred Platter's - No Platter Rating ~ Robert Parker – 90 Points

Aromas of cherries and dark ripe fruit are balanced by fynbos, cedar and dark chocolate. The palate is full and sweet, savoury elements combine with ripe tannins to give fantastic balance and finish.

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# Hartenberg 2013

R400

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2005: World's Best Merlot at 2008 International Wine & Spirit Competition
- ~ Carl Schultz named Diner's Club Winemaker of the Year in 2005 for Hartenberg Merlot

Mulberry, black cherry plum aromas combine with smokey, cigar box notes to create a complex Merlot. The tannins are well intergrated in the structure of wine contributing to a long, silky finish.



#### Anura Reserve 2014

R195

Wine of Origin: Simonsberg | Winemaker: Johnnie Calitz Platter's ★★★

The wine has loads of ripe blackberry, red berry and blackcurrant flavours. There are hints of mint and violet aromas with tones of dark chocolate and coffee. The wine has comments well integrated French oak, a smooth palate and a long lingering aftertaste.



#### Groote Post 2015

R275

Wine of Origin: Darling | Winemaker: Lukas Wentzel Platter's - No Platter Rating

~ 2013 Decanter World Wine Awards - Commended

A wine that is a product of our never ending quest to perfect our winemaking craft. A hint of smoked beef and mint on the nose. An explosion of blackberries on the palate with well integrated tannins from the gentle oak process.







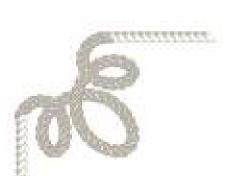


Pinotage was bred by the late Professor A.I. Perold in 1924 by crossing Pinot Noir & Cinsaut, then locally known as Hermitage. Abraham Izak Perold (20 October 1880 - 11 December 1941) was a remarkable man. He obtained his PhD in Chemistry (summa cum laude) in Germany during 1904 & was first appointed as a temporary professor in Chemistry at the University of Cape Town. The Cape Government sent him on an extended overseas tour to collect grape varieties that could be established locally. Perold is credited with the introduction of Barlinka, which he came across during a visit to Algeria. This variety became the backbone of South Africa's table grape production, earning millions in foreign exchange. Today, Pinotage is South Africa's signature red grape. Rich in texture, full bodied & firm in structure with delicate dark berry fruitiness overlain with smokey, tarry & spicy complexity that is often shocking to the uninitiated. Some of these flavours appear in many South African reds, but Pinotage is the most expressive.



Pinotage is ontwikkeld door Professor A.I. Perold in 1924 door de Pinot Noir druif te kruisen met de Cinsault, in Zuid Afrika toen beter bekend als de Hermitage-druif. Abraham Izak Perold (20 Oktober 1880 – 11 December 1941) was een bijzondere man. Hij behaalde in 1904 zijn doctorstitel scheikunde (summa cum laude) in Duitsland en werd daarna benoemd als tijdelijk professor scheikunde aan de universiteit van Kaapstad. Het gemeentebestuur stuurde hem op een wereldwijde zoektocht naar druifvarianten die konden worden gebruikt bij de lokale wijnbouw. De introductie van de Barlinka-druif, die hij ontdekte tijdens een bezoek aan Algerije, staat op zijn naam. Deze variant werd de ruggengraat van de Zuid-Afrikaanse druifproductie en leverde miljoenen op aan buitenlandse valuta. Op dit moment is Pinotage Zuid Afrika's gezichtsbepalende druif. Rijke textuur, zwaar, een stevige structuur met een delicate zwarte bessen fruitsmaak met een rokerige, teerachtige en kruidige complexiteit die verassend is voor de leek. Sommige van deze tonen komen terug in veel Zuid Afrikaanse rode druiven, maar het sterkst in de Pinotage.











Pinotage wurde 1924 von Professor A.I. Perold gezüchtet. Er kreuzte die Reben Pinot Noir und Cinsault, damals noch Hermitage genannt. Abraham Izak Perold (20. Oktober 1880 - 11. Dezember 1941) war ein außergewöhnlicher Mann. Er promovierte 1904 in Deutschland in Chemie( summa cum laude) und wurde vorläufig Professor für Chemie an der Universität von Kapstadt. Die Kapregierung schickte ihn auf eine ausgedehnte Reise nach Übersee, damit er von dort die verschiedensten Rebsorten sammeln und zurück bringen konnte, die er vor Ort züchtete und kreuzte. Perold ist es zu verdanken, daß wir die Barlinka Traube, eine rote Tafeltraube, kennen. Er fand sie auf einer Reise durch Algerien. Diese Sorte wurde eine wichtige Einnahmequelle in Südafrikas Traubenproduktion, die Millionen in Devisen verdienen ließ. Heute ist Pinotage eine charakteristische Rotweintraube Südafrikas. Reich an Konsistenz, mit vollem Körper und fester Struktur aus zarten, dunklen Beeren, die fruchtig und zugleich rauchig schmecken, wird der Laie oft von dieser würzigen Komplexität überfordert. Einige Aromen kommen in anderen südafrikanischen Rotweinen vor, doch Pinotage ist der aussagekräftigste.



Pinotage framställdes av professor A.I. Perold 1924 genom att korsa Pinot Noir & Cinsaut, då lokalt känd som Hermitage. Abraham Izak Perold (20 oktober 1880 till 11 december 1941) var en anmärkningsvärd man. 1904 erhöll han, i Tyskland, sin doktorsexamen i kemi (summa cum laude) & blev först utsedd som tillfällig professor i kemi vid universitetet i Kapstaden. Regeringen skickade honom sedan på en längre resa utomlands för att samla druvsorter som skulle kunna framställas lokalt. Perold belönades med införandet av Barlinka, som han upptäckte under ett besök i Algeriet. Denna mångfald blev stommen i Sydafrikas druvproduktion som en ätbar druva. Tack vare denna upptäckt sker stor export från Sydafrika och inbringar stor inkomst till landet. Idag är Pinotage Sydafrikas mest signifikativa röda druva. Den har en rik konsistens, en fyllighet och en fast struktur av mörka bär, fruktighet med rökig doft, en komplex kryddighet som ofta är lite chockerande för den oinvigde på området. Dessa smaker förekommer i många sydafrikanska röda druvor, men Pinotage är den mest uttrycksfulla av samtliga.











Raka 2014

R195

Wine of Origin: Kleinrivier, Stanford | Winemaker: Josef Dreyer Platter's  $\star \star \star 1/2$ 

~ 2009: Bronze Medal - Veritas Awards 2010

This wine has a nice dark colour and a typical Pinotage nose of banana and lots of Rooibos tea. It is full bodied, displays spice and pepper on the tongue, but is soft and smooth with a lingering aftertaste.



#### Kaapzicht Steytler 2012

R650



Kaapzicht Steytler 2011

R750

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch, Bottelary Hills | Winemaker: Danie Steytler Platter's  $\star \star \star \star ^{1/2}$ 

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2012: Gold Medal Michelangelo International Wine Awards
- ~ 2012: Silver Medal International Wine & Spirits Competition London

Sweet spice, freshly picked red plums, black cherries and cola are supported by aromatic toasted coconut and milk chocolate from the youthful oak. The bright cored palate of the 2012 shows more elegance and freshness, but retains the characteristic fine grained, polished tannin structure that is accessible and mouth-watering now, but will also develop further complexity with bottle age.

#### Beyerskloof Diesel 2014

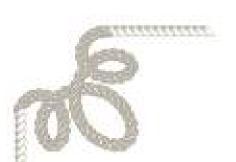
R1250

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Anri Truter Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild - Beyers Truter

A big structured Pinotage with intense dark fruit flavors. A complex middle leads to a smooth finish with pleasant cedar flavors from the oak. Great balance between fruit and oak will allow superb ageing in the bottle for 10 years and more. The ideal match to spicy Indian dishes or a well matured rump/sirloin steak.

"Dark fruit and a very well balanced pinotage which stands out in our range. This is a great wine treat." Owner Martin - Head over Hills









# Diemersfontein Carpe Diem 2014

Diemersfontein Carpe Diem 2013

R550

Wine of Origin: Wellington | Winemaker: Francois Roode Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ 2008: Terroir Award Best Pinotage 2010

On the nose plums and blueberries with sweet vanilla undertones followed by soft mouth filling tannin.

"Hidden Gem." Martin – Head over Hills



# Beyerskloof Reserve 2015

R295

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Anri Truter Platter's - No Platter Rating ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild - Beyers Truter

Bundles of blackberry and prune flavours upon entry which combine well with the cedar oak aromas from Barrel maturation. A wine with good structure, excellent balance and a long juicy finish. This wine will pair well with any spicy curries or traditional Bobotie (SA curry).

#### De Waal Top of the Hill 2012

R995

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star$ 



De Waal Top of the Hill 2013
Platter's \*\*\*\*\*

R755



# De Waal Top of the Hill 2014

R1195

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch TWinemaker: Daniël de Waal Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

- ~ Chosen as the Best Pinotage at the Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show 2015.
- ~ The Top of the Hill Pinotage wines consistently receive 4½ and 5 stars in John Platter's Wine Guide, it was awarded WINE magazine Pinotage Champion and has received Double Gold medals at the Veritas Awards on numerous occasions

Dark-coloured wine with intense plum and black fruit flavours, as well as dark chocolate, spice and a hint of cigar box. A wonderful rich wine with many different layers and long finish. De Waal Pinotage was the very first pinotage to be made in South Africa. If you enjoy drinking a pinotage with a rich history behind it, this is the bottle for you. A piece of art.

"We at Head over Hills, are VERY proud to say that we are the number one buyer for the De Waal Top of the Hill pinotage in the world!"



A noble variety of French origin, also known as Syrah. Deep purple, smokey, spicy wines which develop a complex character with age. Exudes white pepper, spicy notes on the nose & palate. Big bold wines with good fruit tannins.



#### The Goose Wines 2011

R495

Wine of Origin: Upper-Langkloof | Winemaker: Alwyn Liebenberg Platter's  $\star \star \star$ 

The Goose Cabernet Sauvignon has a brilliant purple colour with a sweet nose of blackberries and hints of cherry.

Hilton Vineyards Ironstone 2013	R350
Hilton Vineyards Ironstone 2012	R450
Hilton Vineyards Ironstone 2011	R550

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Richard Hilton & Riaan Wassüng

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star$ 

- ~ 2012 Only 4243 bottles produced
- ~ 2011 Only 3300 bottles produced
- ~ Top 100 SA Wines 2014

Bursting with small red fruits accompanied by aromas of spice, liquorice and cloves, this is followed by a soft smooth and rich palate of dark fruits and an elegant, opulent mouth-feel. Ripe tannins offer a particularly finely tuned balance of a wine possessing a seductive appeal.

#### Nicolas van der Merwe from Saxenburg 2013

R585

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Nic van der Merwe Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

Full bodied but elegant, soft tannins, dense middle palate, black fruit and mocca hints with a long finish. It is more Rhône style and less block buster.





#### Perdeberg Dryland Collection 2012

R250

Wine of Origin: Paarl | Winemaker: Riaan Möller & Dylan Dowell-Ellis Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★

- ~ 2012: Silver Medal Veritas Awards 2015
- ~ 2012: Silver Medal International Wine & Spirits Competition 2015

This modern day Shiraz is a fine example of a wine made from vineyards grown under dry land conditions. As is the case when using small berries, this wine shows a voluptuous bouquet and a rich after taste, leaving you with much food for thought. The nose is spicy with hints of white pepper, cloves, fresh tobacco and violets. The palate shows tones of mulberries, cherries and fynbos, while the structure is broad with delicate tannins and a fresh aftermath.

$\geq$	Hilton Vineyards Dalmation 2014	R750
$\geq$	Hilton Vineyards Dalmation 2013	R850
	Hilton Vineyards Dalmation 2012	R950

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Richard Hilton & Riaan Wassüng Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

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- ~ 2013 Only 1208 bottles produced
- ~ 2012 Only 1973 bottles produced

Beautifully fragrant nose of loganberries, dark forest fruits and a hint of spice supported by vanilla oak overtones. On the palate the structure is still very tight but with a wonderful mouthfeel of intense fruit displaying characters of dark plum laced with soft tannins.

Louis 57 Open Championship 2014	R450
Louis 57 Open Championship 2012	R500

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jacques Borman Platter's  $\star \star \star ^{1/2}$ 

- ~ Double Gold Vitis Vinifera
- ~ Double Gold Medal Michelangelo International Wine Awards

A full bodied premium red wine, carefully mature in 225L French oak barrels. The nose is complex with a mix of oriental spices, pepper and fruit flavours, highly concentrated, complex and rich.







Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Reenen Borman | Cellar Master: Jacques Borman Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2014: Tim Atkin 98/100 "My Favourite red wine of the year is made entirely with the superior SH 99 clone, planted in 1996. It's a new benchmark for Syrah, combining the experience of Jacques Borman with a youthful brilliance of his son Reenen."

Modern Rhone in style, this wine has a lot of perfumed aromas with hints of black and white pepper. Great concentration on the mid-palate with silky tannins. A truly well balanced wine. Good to drink now, but will develop and mature over the next 10 years.

# SHIRAZ Fairview beacon

#### Fairview Beacon 2001

R2150

Wine of Origin: Paarl | Winemaker: Anthony de Jager

- ~ 2001 Gold at the Michelangelo International Wine Awards 2002
- ~ 2001 Gold at the Veritas Awards 2002
- ~ 2001 4½ stars John Platter Guide
- ~ 2001 Silver at the International Wine Challenge 2002
- ~ 2001 91 points in the Wine Spectator 2003
- ~ 2001 Gold at the International Wine Challenge 2003
- ~ 2002 93 points in the Wine Spectator 2003
- ~ 2002 Gold medal at the Concours Mondial de Bruxelles 2004
- ~2002 Silver medal at the Michelangelo International Wine Competition 2004

The 2001 vintage is a very warm vintage yielding ripe full flavoured wines. This vineyard is naturally low in vigour. The wine is amongst the most complex and interesting expressions of shiraz in the Cape.

"This wine has really developed over the years since 2001. The colour from ageing compared to a younger vintage is a little more see-through, just as it should be! You will taste pepper and there is dark fruit on the nose. The palate will follow the colour of the wine with smooth and soft tannins. It will work with many dishes so please think outside the box. This wine is a masterpiece." Martin – Head over Hills

# SHIRAZ CEDERBERG CAPE WINEMAKERS GUILD - TEEN DIE HOOG

Innovation, bench-marking and the sharing of knowledge spanning over thirty three years of winemaking excellence. This is the proud accomplishment of the Cape Winemakers Guild.

The Guild, an association of some of South Africa's finest winemakers, has evolved into a body of 49 members which jointly represent the pinnacle of South African wine achievement.

All experts in their respective fields, Guild members have played a significant role in the development of the South African wine industry. From the making of champion port-style wines and the establishment of Méthode Cap Classique and Cape blends, to the opening up of new, cooler wine regions and the introduction of sustainable, environmentally responsible farming practices, Guild members have always been at the forefront of innovation.

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# Cederberg CWG Teen Die Hoog Shiraz 2014

R2350

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Wine of Origin: Cederberg | Winemaker: David Nieuwoudt, Alex Nel & Tammy Turck-Nel Platter's  $\star \star \star \star 1/2$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

The Cederberg climate allows for a long ripening period providing us with grapes picked at a great phenolic ripeness. The shiraz shows great fruit intensity with aromas of mulberries and blackberries with a combination of liquorice and violets on the nose. A firm structure on the palate and a long lingering aftertaste of dark berries and spices.





# SHIRAZ HARTENBERG GRAVEL HILL



# Hartenberg Gravel Hill Shiraz 2005

R1899

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Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild



# Hartenberg Gravel Hill Shiraz 2006

R1299

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

This wine is certainly about a sense of place. The Gravel Hill terroir consistently provides a shiraz which is unique in character, quality and expression. An iron fist in a velvet glove, Hartenberg's flagship red was previously only available at the Cape Winemakers Guild Auction. A dark centered, black-red and ruby rim with outspoken black fruit, violets, cloves, smokiness and black pepper on the bouquet. An elegant palate of sweet ripe fruit, spicy oak, and rich tannins end with a lingering, savoury finish. A superb expression of Carl's towering



# Hartenberg Gravel Hill Shiraz 2007

R1699

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Dark-centered, black-red and ruby rim. Elegant, black fruit with violets, cloves, smokiness and black pepper on the bouquet. The palate shows sweet ripe fruit, spicy oak, elegance and rich, dry tannins made for the long haul. The palate ends with a lingering, savory finish—all iron fist in velvet glove.



# Hartenberg Gravel Hill Shiraz 2008

R1599

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2008: Syrah Du Monde France 2013 Gold

Dark-centered, black-red and ruby rim. Elegant, black fruit with violets, cloves, smokiness and black pepper on the bouquet. The palate shows sweet ripe fruit, spicy oak, elegance and rich, dry tannins made for the long haul. The palate ends with a lingering, savory finish—all iron fist in velvet glove.





# Hartenberg Gravel Hill Shiraz 2009 Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

R1399

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2008: Syrah Du Monde France 2013 Gold

Dark-centered, black-red and ruby rim. Elegant, black fruit with violets, cloves, smokiness and black pepper on the bouquet. The palate shows sweet ripe fruit, spicy oak, elegance and rich, dry tannins made for the long haul. The palate ends with a lingering, savory finish—all iron fist in velvet glove.



# Hartenberg Gravel Hill Shiraz 2010

R995

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Fruit purity of 2010 ably framed by subtle violet, spice & pepper nuances. Layered, textured, elegant & refined, it speaks of its gravelly vineyard. Superbly smooth, with wonderful integration of all new oak & fruit. Lithe yet retained, one for the long haul.



#### Hartenberg Gravel Hill Shiraz 2011

R1199

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Carl Schultz

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

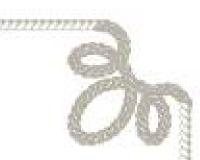
Complexity & purity define the 2011 from gravelly terroir. Silky smooth & elegant but muscular, with rich black fruit, spice, ink & even cocoa nuances. Layered, refined.

"This range is in a class of its own in the heart of the best shiraz for a very long time. The pepper spices with the violet colour are exceptional. The wine lives long on your palate and develops more and more. Thanks Carl Schultz for sharing these wines." Martin – Head over Hills

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This is called the heartbreak grape because it is difficult to cultivate. In Sout Africa it is the second most popular restaurant red thanks to a perception of elegance. It may be the toughest grape to grow, but the effort is worth the constant care and investment. Fruit forward red wine.

#### Paul Cluver Estate 2013

R450

Wine of Origin: Elgin | Winemaker: Andries Burger with Drew Harty Platter's  $\star \star \star \star$ 

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2013: Gold Medal Decanter World Wide Awards 2015
- ~ Top 100 SA Wine Challenge

This wine has a lovely luminosity – the colour is bright plum skin. The nose has delicate earthy almond aromas combined with cranberry, pomegranate and raspberries. On the palate these characteristics follow through combining with interesting seaweed, umami savory flavours.

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#### The Goose Wines 2014

R395



The Goose Wines 2013

R495

Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Alwyn Liebenberg Platter's  $\star \star \star ^{1/2}$ 

The Goose Pinot Noir has bright red fruit notes and a touch of spice are underscored by an earthy forest floor nuance.

#### Ataraxia 2015

R550



#### Ataraxia 2014

R620

Wine of Origin: Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge | Winemaker: Kevin Grant Platter's - No Platter Rating

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2015: Wine Advocate Neil Martin 92 points

The wine has an intriguing luminous hue that reflects rather than absorbs light. The svelte nose offers up a fine blend of red cherries, pomegranate, delicate forest floor and a hint of spice and new oak. On the palate the wine is sensual and embracing, with a captivating mid-palate depth, lovely transparency and excellent focus on the suavely-tannic finish.

"A Pinot Noir grows best in the Hemel-en-Aarde Valley. This is the valley where it belongs. A good see-through colour with strawberry on the nose. Excellent spice and a great balance from the oak. Well done Kevin." – Martin – Head over Hills



Cabernet Franc is a medium-bodied red wine whose origins likely lie in the Basque country of France. The wine is loved for its savoury, bell pepper-like flavours, medium-high acidity and mouthwatering taste. It is an ideal food pairing wine. You can find single-varietal Cabernet Franc wines, but the variety is also quite popular as blending grape in the famous Bordeaux Blend.



#### Môreson 2014

R475

Wine of Origin: Franschhoek | Winemaker: Clayton Reabow Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

An intense plum hue. Classic red berry and wild cherry. A smooth, well-balanced, palate with tastes of cherry and subtle cigar box flavours.

# CINSAUT

Cinsault wines tend to be quite fruit-forward, strongly aromatic, lightly tinted, and of medium body and weight: "pretty", as Jancis Robinson describes them. The usual taste descriptors involve the lighter-red berry family. It tends to be low in tannins, and is usually best drunk while young.



# Kaapzicht Skuinsberg 2015

R395

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Danie Steytler

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \star$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

Dark ruby coloured core, which is bold for the cultivar. Black cherry and plums combine with sweet herbs and a slight smoked meat element. Generous fistfuls of chunky red and black fruit on the full palate that is juicy, yet structured, savoury and dry. "Cinsaut's daddy!" - Higgo Jacobs

"Nothing more excellent or valuable than wine was every granted by the gods to man."

Plato







Grenache (noir) is the international (ie French) name for the Spanish grape garnacha. Widespread in Spain and southern France, generally used in blends (as in Rioja and Châteauneuf) but occasionally solo. When vigour is restrained, capable of greatness.



#### Fairview Old Piekenierskloof 2014

R220

Wine of Origin: Piekenierskloof | Winemaker: Anthony de Jager Platter's ★ ★ ★

We've carefully cultivated a home for old Grenache bush vines along the Piekenierskloof mountains where, with extreme weather conditions and poor soils, the high lying vineyards undeservedly reward us with a profound style of wine. Having provided the backbone to some of our finest blends, we are proud to bring this single variety to the fore. If you're new to reds, this is a fool proof place to start, offering a lighter style wine with plenty of red fruit and soft tannins.

# SANGIOVESE

Sangiovese is a red Italian wine grape variety whose name derives from the Latin Sangius Jovis, "The blood of Jove". Young Sangiovese has fresh fruity flavours of strawberry and a little spiciness, but it readily takes on oaky, even tarry flavours when aged in barrels. Sangiovese was already well known by the 16th century.



#### Anthonij Rupert Terra Del Capo 2014

R195

Wine of Origin: Coastal Region | Winemaker: Dawie Botha, Zanie Viljoen, Vernon van der Hoven & Mark van Buuren

Appealing ripe red and black cherry aromas. Beautiful spicy entry to the palate, packed with the same ripe cherry succulence. Ample fruitcake flavour but well balanced by oak which provides defined structure and texture. Softly sensual and elegant with a long, lingering tail.

# PETITE SIRAH



#### Fairview Petit Sirah 2012

R265

Wine of Origin: Paarl | Winemaker: Anthony de Jager Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★½

- ~ 2011: 92 points Tim Atkins SA Report Publication 2014
- ~ 2011: Top 100 SA Wines 2014

Dark red in colour with blackberries, cloves and a hint of white pepper on the nose. The palate is silky, creamy and full, with a robust tannin structure.



Primarily Rhone Blends consist of Syrah, Mourvèdre, Grenache, Carignan, Cinsault & Viognier. A wonderful combination of rustic & ripe, showing their flavours & character upon release. Blends from all regions are good with juicy, gamey meats & common French spices, like rosemary or herbs de Provence.



### Hermanuspietersfontein Die Martha 2012

R420

(Shiraz, Mourvèdre, Viognier, Grenache) Wine of Origin: Walker Bay | Winemaker: Wilhelm Pienaar Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

This flagship Rhône style blend characterised by its generous length, rounded tannins, muscular body, consistent intensity and supple consistency, a solid structure, clean finish and flowing balance with flavours of Black olive, cinnamon, buttery, violets, leather, mushroom, cedar and coconut.

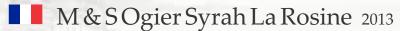
AABadenhorst Family Red 2013	R550
Platter's ★★★★	
AABadenhorst Family Red 2012	R650
AABadenhorst Family Red 2008	R850

(Shiraz, Cinsault, Tinta Barocca, Grenache, Mourvèdre) Wine of Origin: Swartland | Winemaker: Adi Badenhorst

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

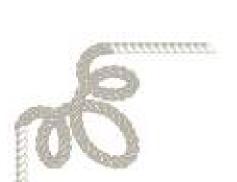
The aromas are brooding with complex notes of pepper, liquorice, perfume and black cherries. The palate entry is quite dense with lavender and dark berry fruit. The finish is dry with well spread tannins ending with savoury and currant flavours. The aromas are slightly more forward than the 2007 vintage which will result in immediate gratification for some, as if this is necessary!



R890

Wine of Origin: France

Made from 100% Syrah, it is tremendously elegant, displaying flavours of cassis, raspberries and black pepper. It has a silkiness and texture that is reminiscent of a Burgundy Pinot Noir.







A South African red wine made of a blend of varieties of which one must be a Pinotage.



### Raka Figurehead 2013

R270

(Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Petit Verdot, Malbec, Pinotage) Wine of Origin: Kleinrivier, Stanford | Winemaker: Josef Dreyer

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ 2008: Silver Medal - Veritas 2008

The berries and black currant of the Cabernet Sauvignon is prominent with hints of spicy eucalyptus. This is supported by a lovely caramel and chocolate flavour of the Merlot and soft pepper and sandalwood flavours of Cabernet Franc. This is rounded of beautifully with the Pinotage offering banana, boiled sweets and a touch of mocha. Palette: Layers of herbaceous black olives, smoky cedar with a touch of cigar box, pencil shavings and sour cherries. This is supported by good toastiness from sweet oak.



### Remhoogte Estate Wine 2007

R650

Platter's  $\star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

## Remhoogte Estate Wine 2012

R450

(Merlot, Syrah, Cabernet Sauvignon, Pinotage)

Wine of Origin: Simonsberg, Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Michel Rolland & Murray Boustred

Platter's ★★★★

~ 2008: Silver Medal - Veritas 2008

Rich dark berried, smokey nose freshened by hints of indigenous fynbos. Spiced red fruit upon entry with a full mid palate. Firm refined tannins lead into a finish that smacks of dark chocolate.



### Kaapzicht Steytler Vision 2012

R1050

(Cabernet Sauvignon, Pinotage, Merlot)

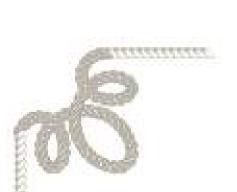
Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch, Bottelary Hills | Winemaker: Danie Steytler

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \star$ 

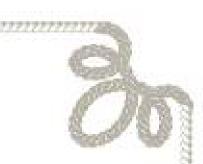
- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2012: ABSA Top 5 Cape Blends finalist
- ~ 2012: Tim Atikin 92 Points
- ~ 2012: International Wine & Spirits Competition Silver

Power and concentration, within a tightly woven structure showing lots of promise. Generous cassis and black berries as well as vanilla and spice from oak. Complex and multi-dimensional. Those who can resist the temptation will be rewarded well with cellaring.

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### Simonsig Frans Malan 2014

R595

(Pinotage, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot)

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Debbie Thompson, Hannes Meyer & Charl Schoeman

Platter's ★★★★

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2014: Mundus Vini Awards 2016: Gold

The wine displays a dense opaque colour, a perfume entrance of rich plums, cinnamon spice and a dash of lead pencil. The three varieties unite and form a powerful trio of concentrated blackberry fruit. The tannins are soft and supple and the refined dry finish captures the characteristics of this Cape style blend, leaving lingering notes of sweet plum and spice.

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### Kaapzicht The Glimpse 2015

R585

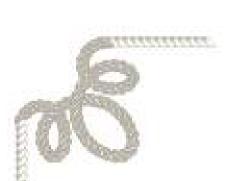
(45% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Cabernet Franc, 45% Pinotage) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch, Bottelary Hills | Winemaker: Danie Steytler ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

This wine is made only in years when we have run out of Steytler Vision, our flagship Cape blend. This wine should give you a "Glimpse" of what our "Vision" is – a love for pinotage and the beautiful blend it can make! The 3 cultivars are vinified and aged separately in small French oak barrels for 12 months, personally selected by the winemaker and then blended together.

"The Glimpse is a great, medium bodied wine. I have been very fortunate to taste this amazing wine with Danie Steytler himself! You will have pepper on the nose with some black berries. The palette is smooth with a hint off vanilla and a violet after taste. I love it! For me, this is a perfect wine to drink with a luxury beef burger! If you would like to do a very special tasting, you can enjoy the Steytler Vision and compare it to the "Glimpse". A very special and cool tasting!" Martin - Head over Hills

"Wine makes every meal an occasion, every table more elegant, every day more civilised." Andre Simon

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CELLAR









R520

R695

(Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot)

Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Dawie Botha, Zanie Viljoen, Vernon van der Hoven & Mark van Buuren

Alluring spicy aromatic overlay to dark berry and plum fruit with blackcurrant leaf and a hint of cracked black pepper and violet. This wine is all about texture - from its soft, velvety entry to the gentleness of the spice which pervades the cassis, back fruit and cedar flavour. Ample turned earth and tobacco leaf notes too. Beautifully layered and harmonious with the fruit ideally supported and gramed by sympathetic oak. Nothing is overplayed or dominant. Refined and elegant throughout. Rich, plush and nuanced with an aftertaste that lingers.



## Ernie Els Big Easy 2015

R350

(Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon, Grenache, Cinsaut, Mourvèdre, Viognier) Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Louis Strydom Platter's ★★★

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

As the name suggests the Big Easy is bold in flavour and yet easy in demeanor. Pure, ripe, purple and red fruits immediately leap out of the glass in an array of complexity, amplified by hints of rose-petals and boiled sweets. Warm notes of milk chocolate and roasted coffee round off wonderful complexity and depth. The Syrah dominated palate is juicy and succulent with the Cabernet Sauvignon backbone providing an inky structure. A dash of Rhône varieties give a dried, provincial-herb edge to the exquisitely balanced finish.

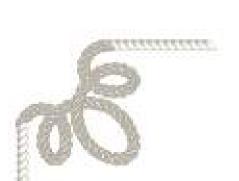
### Spice Route Chakalaka 2014

R355

(50% Syrah, 15% Mourvèdre, 13% Petite Sirah, 8% Carignan, 8% Grenache, 6% Tannat) Wine of Origin: Swartland | Winemaker: Charl du Plessis & Licia Solomons Platter's - No Platter Rating

Intense red-purple in the glass. Initial smoky cloves and savory notes give way to a plum and black cherry nose with hints of intense oak spice. Medium bodied with well-integrated oak and fruit, this wine has a smooth tannin structure and lingering spice flavours.

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# The Goose Wines Expression 2009

R550

The Goose Wines Expression 2008

R650

(Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon)

Wine of Origin: Upper-Langkloof | Winemaker: Alwyn Liebenberg

Platter's ★★★

~ Gold Medal - China Wine Awards

The Goose Expression features intense, upfront spice with a juicy blackcurrant and cigar box finish, yet a very soft wine on the palate. This is a velvet structured wine, full bodied with huge complexity showing black cherries on the nose, featuring herbaceous character and white pepper support.

#### Waterford Pecan Stream Pebble Hill 2012

R195

(Shiraz, Merlot, Sangiovese, Grenache, Mourvèdre) Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Mark le Roux Platter's  $\star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild - Kevin Arnold

This wine portrays the richness of the 2012 vintage but still maintains its characteristic medium bodied style. The aromas are an intense combination of leather spices, bitter cherry and cloves. The palate expresses dark and red fruit with a classic dry tannin structure followed by a fresh finish.



#### Iona One Man Band 2010

R595

(Syrah, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Petit Verdot, Mourvèdre) Wine of Origin: Elgin | Winemaker: Werner Muller with Thapelo Hlasa Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★

~ 93/100 in Tim Atkin's

Elegant with ripe, juicy red and black fruit. Lovely white pepper and sweet, exotic spice on the nose. The entry is intense, with underlying cedar wood, followed by a long savoury, earthy finish with fine grained tannins.

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"Fabulous... this is the finest red wine I have ever had from South Africa... This debut release, the 2005, a blend of 37% Syrah and the balance of Cabernet Sauvignon, is world class stuff, exceptional wine..." Robert Parker

Anwilka Vineyards is located just 7 kilometres from the ocean in Stellenbosch's prime Helderberg region. The property was purchased in the late 1990s and extensive replanting of 40ha of vineyards comprising primarily cabernet sauvignon, shiraz and some merlot followed.

The then owners, Lowell Jooste (the former co-owner of Klein Constantia) along with internationally well-known Bordeaux wine personalities Hubert de Boüard (co-owner of Chateau Angélus in Saint-Emilion) and Bruno Prats (former owner of Chateau Cos d'Estournel in Saint-Estèphe) released the eponymous maiden vintage blend of Syrah-Cabernet in 2005



#### Anwilka 2013

R840

(62% Shiraz, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon, 13% Petite Verdot) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jean du Plessis Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★ ½

"Fabulous... this is the finest red wine I have ever had from South Africa... This debut release, the 2005, a blend of 37% Syrah and the balance of Cabernet Sauvignon, is world class stuff, exceptional wine..." Robert Parker



### Anwilka 2012

R1095

(87% Shiraz, 13% Cabernet Sauvignon) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jean du Plessis Platter's ★★★½

Elegant with ripe, juicy red and black fruit. Lovely white pepper and sweet, exotic spice on the nose. The entry is intense, with underlying cedar wood, followed by a long savoury, earthy finish with fine grained tannins.



#### Anwilka 2011

R1125

(67% Shiraz, 31% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2% Petit Verdot) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jean du Plessis Platter's ★★★½

Anwilka 2011 displays an intense, deep ruby core and ruby rim with fresh, vibrant and concentrated layered fruit on the nose. The palate is balanced with fresh acidity, supple tannins and elegant texture. Flavours of blackcurrant fruit, dark chocolate and toasted mocha are evident. Bottled in October 2012, this wine will benefit from some bottle ageing and decanting is highly recommended. Drink mid-2013, will age gracefully up to 2025!

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### Anwilka 2009

R1620

(56% Shiraz, 44% Cabernet Sauvignon) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jean du Plessis Platter's ★★★½

2009 was the perfect vintage. The wine exhibits a deep ruby core, with a bright ruby rim. The nose reveals succulent black cherry and blueberry fruit with discreet eucalypt notes along with oak spice and violets. On the palate, flavours of blackberry and damson with supple, textured tannins and a refreshing acidity. Hints of chocolate on the finish with elegant toasted notes!



#### Anwilka 2008

R2100

(48% Shiraz, 42% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Merlot) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jean du Plessis Platter's ★★★½

The excellent 2008 vintage exhibits a deeply coloured core, edged by a brightly youthful ruby rim. Enticing aromas of oak spice and violets precede vivid red currant and damson flavours, framed by supple tannins, and carried by a fine thread of acidity to a pleasingly long, fresh and complex finish. Fruit, tannin and acidity show seamless integration in this youthful wine that you can start to enjoy from 2012!



### Anwilka 2007

R2500

(50% Shiraz, 46% Cabernet Sauvignon, 4% Petit Verdot) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jean du Plessis Platter's ★★★½

Vintage exhibits a deeply coloured core, edged by a brightly youthful ruby rim. Enticing aromas of oak spice and violets precede vivid red currant and damson flavours, framed by supple tannins, and carried by a fine thread of acidity to a pleasingly long, fresh and complex finish. Fruit, tannin and acidity show seamless integration in this youthful wine.



#### Anwilka 2006

R3600

(66% Cabernet Sauvignon, 29% Shiraz, 5% Merlot) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jean du Plessis Platter's ★★★½

Deep ruby at the core, with fresh, youthful ruby rim. Nose: Abundant blackcurrant & blackberry fruit aromas with exotic spiciness adding to the aromatic complexity. Palate: Exhibits hallmarks of a classically-styled wine: linear, concentrated dark berry and plum fruit flavours are perfectly balanced by the supple tannins and fresh acidity, evident through to the positive, flavourful finish. Moderate alcohol and judicious oaking contribute perceptibly to freshness & elegance. Potential: Accessible now, but can be enjoyed within the next 8-10 years.!

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Most blends are Bordeaux recipe, featuring some (or all) of the Bordeaux Big Five: Cabernet Sauvignon, Cabernet Franc, Merlot, Malbec, Petit Verdot. Blending allows the winemaker to show their skills.



### Ernie Els Signature 2012

R1490

(Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Petit Verdot, Malbec, Cabernet Franc) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Louis Strydom

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show 2012 Silver
- ~ Top 100 SA Wines 2012 Bordeaux Blend Status

The 2012 Cabernet Sauvignon-led Bordeaux-style blend really shines in the epic 2012 Stellenbosch vintage. It shows an intensely purple rim and deep crimson core, leading to impressive concentration and startling depth. Rather closed at first, nuances of fig jam, cigar box and meat spice slowly arise from the glass, complemented by ripe red cherries and a hint of fine milk chocolate. The palate is supported by ultra-fine, layered tannins that are seemingly wrapped in mixed red berry fruits. Pure and elegant, the finish lingers with juicy cassis and a salty, mineral tail.



### Raka Quinary 2013

R255

(Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Petit Verdot, Malbec) Wine of Origin: Kleinrivier, Stanford | Winemaker: Josef Dreyer

Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★

- ~ 2007: Silver Medal Michelangelo International Wine Awards 2010
- ~ 2007: Silver Medal Monde Selection Canada 2009

Dark, deep red colour. Bold aromas of blackcurrant and mulberries with hints of aromatic herbs. The palate is finely formed and elegant with forest floor earthiness complimented by the blackcurrant fruitiness. Long, soft, lingering fruity finish.



#### Boschkloof Conclusion 2013

R555

(Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot) Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Reenen Borman | Cellar Master: Jacques Borman Platter's ★ ★ ★ ★

- ~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild
- ~ 2013 Vintage: Veritas Awards Gold
- ~ 2013 Vintage: Jamie Goode 94/100

A true expression of good grape quality and terroir. The wine was made as natural as possible. On the nose the aromas are chocolate, vanilla and some lovely cigar box flavours. The wine is highly concentrated with a big, but elegant mid-palate with a long finish.

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Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jasper Raats & Hendrien de Munck Platter's  $\star\star\star\star$ 

This wine with its unique golden colour entices the palate with flavours such as honeycomb, marmalade, apple and dried peach. With its clean and crisp finish, this wine will pair well with creme brulee and a variety of cheese.

Longridge Edelgoud (Verdelho) 2012 50ml R90 375ml R295

Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch | Winemaker: Jasper Raats & Hendrien de Munck Platter's  $\star\star\star\star$ 

This wine with its unique golden colour entices the palate with flavours such as honeycomb, marmalade, apple and dried peach.

Klein Constantia Vin de Constance 2013 50ml R125 500ml R1795

Klein Constantia Vin de Constance 2011

500ml R2195

Wine of Origin: Constantia | Winemaker: Matthew Day

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ The first wine ever made in South Africa, Its a must with your dessert or to a nice cheese platter.

Wonderfully bright on both the nose and palate. Concentrated flavours of apricot and orange zest with aspects of frangipani flowers abound. Mouth filling yet clean and focused, the wine tapers into a rich luscious finish.









# Boplaas Cape Vintage Reserve 2011

750ml

Boplaas Cape Vintage Reserve 2009 Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Margaux Nel

R1850 750ml

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star \frac{1}{2}$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

~ Double Gold - Veritas Awards

A quartet of Portuguese varietals - Tinta Barocca, Touriga Nacional, Souzao & Touriga Francesca combine in this inky black wine bursting forth with a bouquet of crushed black berry, blue berry, tart cranberry, kirsch and purple plums with bright all-spice top notes intermingled by fynbos, apricot and savoury undercurrents. The bouquet slowly unfurls onto bold juvenile palate with liquorice, dried peach and cocoa hints to the dry finish. Time will temper the fiery fruity exuberance of youth, slowly unfurling the complexities of this fine Cape fortified.



### Boplaas Cape Vintage 2012

R550 750ml

Wine of Origin: Calitzdorp | Winemaker: Margaux Nel

Platter's  $\star \star \star \star$ 

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

~ Gold Medal - Michelangelo International Wine Awards

This is a dark port, purplish black port with flavours of cherries, plum, blackberries, violets, pepper, spiciness and dark chocolate. Expectations are met when you taste the wine - full-bodied with big ripe tannins and integrated alcohol, with a long and luscious after-taste.



### Boplaas The Chocolate 2012

R200 375ml

Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Margaux Nel Platter's ★★★★

~ Member of the Cape Winemakers Guild

~ Top 10 CAPPA Cape Port & Wine Challenge - Red table wines of Portuguese cultivars 2015

Bright purple-black wine with garnet coloured rim, while the bouquet abounds with ripe black plum, peach, kirsch, sweet apricots, bramble, piquant spice and hints of fynbos. The palate abounds with ripe apricot, peach, plum and black berry flavours, while the all-spice, wisps of liquorice and sumptuous cocoa after-taste entices the sense. This wine exhibits a deft balance between intense fruit flavours, supple tannins and exuberant spice that make it such a versatile and enjoyable style of Cape fortified wine.



#### L'Ormarins

R400

Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Winemaker: Vernon Van der Hoven

Appealing sweet, spicy, nut and plum red fruit bouquet. Blueberry cordial and Christmas pudding notes too. A rich, spicy mouthful, packed with Christmas pudding, roasted hazelnuts and pecans with a lovely dried orange rind note too. Smooth and balanced, the fortification has been immaculately done with the spirit beautifully integrated. Gentle yet plush and generous, the flavours remain in the mouth for ages.





PINOTAGE  Raka 2014  Wine of Origin: Western Cape   Platter's ★★½	150ml	R60
CABERNET SAUVIGNON  Boschkloof 2014  Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch   Platter's * * * *	150ml	R60
SHIRAZ Hilton Vineyards Ironstone 2014 Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch   Platter's * * * *  ~ Only 4243 bottles produced	150ml	R80
MERLOT		
Hartenberg 2013 Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch   Platter's * * * *	150ml	R85
Groote Post 2015 Wine of Origin: Darling   Platter's - No Platter Rating	150ml	R80
PINOT NOIR  Ataraxia 2015 Wine of Origin: Walker Bay   Platter's - No Platter Rating	150ml	R150
RED BLEND  Ernie Els Big Easy 2015  Wine of Origin: Western Cape   John Platter * * * *	150ml	R60
Raka Figurehead Cape Blend 2013 Wine of Origin: Klein River   Platter's * * * * * ½	150ml	R80
CAPE RUBY Boplaas The Chocolate 2012 Wine of Origin: Western Cape   Platter's * * * *	60ml	R40





MÉTHODE CAPE CLASSIQUE  Weltevrede Entheos  Wine of Origin: Robertson   Platter's ★★½	150ml	R70
SAUVIGNON BLANC  The Goose Wines 2016  Wine of Origin: Western Cape   Platter's ★★★½	150ml	R60
Ataraxia 2016 Wine of Origin: Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge   Platter's - No Platter Rating	150ml	R70
CHENIN BLANC  Rijk's Private Cellar 2014  Wine of Origin: Tulbagh   Platter's - No Platter Rating	150ml	R85
CHARDONNAY Ataraxia 2015 Wine of Origin: Hemel-en-Aarde Ridge   Platter's - No Platter Rating	150ml	R120
Rhebokskloof Sandstone Grove 2014 Wine of Origin: Paarl   Platter's ***	150ml	R99
VIOGNIER Hilton Vineyards Rose Quartz 2015	150ml	R80



Wine of Origin: Elgin | Platter's ★ ★ ★





#### WHITE BLENDS

Longridge The Emily 2016

150ml

R45

Area: Stellenbosch | Wine of Origin: Western Cape | Platter's ★★★½

#### ROSÉ

Fable Mountain Vineyards Belle Flower 2015

150ml

**R85** 

Wine of Origin: Coastal Region | Platter's ★ ★ ★

#### **Dessert Wine**

Klein Constantia Vin de Constance 2013

50ml

R125

Wine of Origin: Constantia | Platter's ★★★★½

~ This was the first wine ever made in South Africa. It is a must with your dessert or a tasty cheese platter.





Raka Quinary 2011 Raka Quinary Wooden Box 2011 Wine of Origin: Kleinrivier, Stanford   John Platter ***	51 51	R495 R585
Anthonij Rupert Optima 2010 Wine of Origin: Western Cape	1.5l	R1200
The Goose Wines Expression 2014 Wine of Origin: Upper-Langkloof	1.5 <i>l</i>	R1600
Boschkloof Conclusion 2011 Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch	1.51	R1695
The Goose Wines Expression 2014 Wine of Origin: Upper-Langkloof	31	R2500
Bouchard Finlayson Hannibal 2011 Wine of Origin: Walker Bay   John Platter * * * *  ~ This bottle was purchased for children with down syndrome on an auction	1.51	R3500
The Goose Wines Expression 2014 Wine of Origin: Upper-Langkloof	51	R5000
Ernie Els Signature 2012 Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch   John Platter ★★★½  ~ Commemorative release The open championship 2012. 273 bottles (273 strokes are made and Head over Hills has two of these exclusive wooden box nr 246 and		R7000
Le Bonheur Prima 2009 Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch   John Platter * * * *	51	R4695
Le Bonheur Cabernet Sauvignon 2009 Wine of Origin: Stellenbosch   John Platter * * * * * ½	51	R4695

