

BEL & THE DRAGON | COUNTRY INNS

wine list

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small parcels

september

Each month we supplement our main list with a handful of carefully selected fine, rare or unique bottles.

We never buy more than a case at a time of these wines; and when they're gone they're gone..

WHITE

2016	Bordeaux Blanc 'Le Merle', Château Clarke, France	£45
2016	Rupert & Rothschild 'Baroness Nadine' Chardonnay, Western Cape, South Africa	£50
2016	Condrieu La Combe du Malleval, Domaine Ogier, Rhône, France	£65
2010	Corton-Charlemagne Grand Cru, Latour, Burgundy, France	£143

RED

2010	Château Chasse-Spleen, Cru Bourgeois, Moulis-en-Médoc, France	£74
2009	Château Batailley, 5ème Cru Classé, Pauillac, France	£110
2003	Château Gruaud-Larose, 2ème Cru Classé, Saint-Julien, France	£140
2009	Alter Ego de Palmer, Château Palmer, 3ème Cru Classé, Margaux, France	£143
2008	Château Brane-Cantenac, 2ème Cru Classé, Margaux, France	£149

before

CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING WINE

BY THE GLASS

		(125ml)	
Laurent-Perrier La Cuvée, Tours-sur-Marne, France	NV	£12	£65
Laurent-Perrier Cuvée Rosé, Tours-sur-Marne, France	NV	£14.5	£85
Bel & the Dragon Blanc de Blancs, Surrey Hills, England	2018	£9	£49
Prosecco Brut 'Saomi', La Tordera, Treviso DOC, Italy	2018	£7.5	£36



BY THE BOTTLE

Laurent-Perrier Ultra Brut, Tours-sur-Marne, France	NV		£80
Laurent-Perrier La Cuvée, Tours-sur-Marne, France	NV	Half Bottle	£33
Prosecco Brut 'Saomi', La Tordera, Treviso DOC, Italy	2018	Magnum	£72
Laurent-Perrier La Cuvée, Tours-sur-Marne, France	NV	Magnum	£130
Laurent-Perrier Cuvée Rosé, Tours-sur-Marne, France	NV	Magnum	£170
Laurent-Perrier La Cuvée, Tours-sur-Marne, France	NV	Jeroboam	£260

APERITIFS

V.J.O.P Vesper Martini		£12
Sipsmith V.J.O.P Gin, Ketel One Vodka, Lillet Blanc, Orange Bitters		
Sipsmith Sloe Royale		£14
Sipsmith Sloe Gin, Laurent-Perrier La Cuvée		
Elderbubble		£14
Sipsmith Vodka, Elderflower, Lemon Juice, Laurent-Perrier La Cuvée		
Tawny & Spice		£11
Sandeman 20yr Tawny Port, Hennessy VS, Albury English Vermouth, Orange Bitters		
Bramble		£9
Bombay Sapphire, Lemon Juice, Crème de Mure		
Negroni		£9
Sipsmith London Dry Gin, Campari, Martini Rosso		
Margarita		£10
El Jimador Reposado, Fresh Lime Juice, Cointreau		
Cosmopolitan		£9
Ketel One Vodka, Cointreau, Fresh Lime & Cranberry		



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white & rosé

by the glass






HOUSE WHITE WINE

(125ml) (175ml) (Magnum)

Our House White is a crisp and refreshing Colombard blend from the Languedoc £4.5 £5.5 £44
Our House wine is served by the glass or in a magnum, perfect for sharing

WHITE

(125ml) (175ml)

Fiano, Masseria Bianca, Salento, Italy (13.5%)		2018	£5	£7.5
Sauvignon Blanc 'Y' Reserve, Cachapoal, Chile (13%)		2018	£6	£8
Pinot Blanc, Jean Biecher, Alsace, France (12.5%)		2017	£6	£8.5
Bel & The Dragon White Burgundy, Olivier Leflaive, France (12.5%)		2017	£7.5	£11
CRU Sauvignon Blanc, Smith & Sheth, Marlborough, New Zealand (12.5%)		2019	£8.5	£11.5

ROSÉ

Pinot Grigio Blush, Ca'Maritta, Veneto, Italy (12.5%)		2019	£5	£7
Love by Château Léoube, Côtes de Provence, France (13%)		2019	£6.5	£9

fine white wine by the glass via Coravin

The Coravin is a revolutionary device which enables wine to be served without the need to remove the cork - allowing us to offer you some of the finest options from our cellar by the glass.

Bordeaux Blanc Sec 'Le Merle', Château Clarke, France (12%)		2016	£8	£12
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Clarke have produced a white wine on their estate since 1890, a rare commitment to White Bordeaux. 70% Sauvignon Blanc, with a blend of Muscadelle, Semillon and the rare Sauvignon Gris bringing ripeness. White peach, yellow plum and tropical fruit.

Terre Alte, Livio Felluga, Friuli, Italy (13.5%)		2016	£15	£21
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One of Italy's most prestigious white wines, this blend of Sauvignon Blanc, Friuliano and Pinot Blanc is exotic, intense and highly complex. Definitely one to try.













Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru 'Les Folatieres', Dom.Jean Pascal, France (13.5%)		2015	£19	£26
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1er Cru Puligny from the 'Les Folatieres' vineyard renowned for its superior quality - supremely elegant, with concentrated white peach and cream. Top notch White Burgundy.

white & rosé



WHITE


(175ml)

Pinot Grigio, Sartori, Veneto, Italy (12%)		2019		£26
Fiano, Masseria Bianca, Salento, Italy (13.5%)		2018	£7.5	£28
Sauvignon Blanc 'Y' Reserve, Cachapoal, Chile (13%)		2018	£8	£31
Picpoul de Pinet, Chemin des Dames, Languedoc, France (12.5%)		2019		£32
Pinot Blanc, Jean Biecher, Alsace, France (12.5%)		2018	£8.5	£34
Sauvignon Blanc, Lofthouse, Marlborough, New Zealand (12.5%)		2017		£36
Gavi di Gavi, Villadoria, Piedmont, Italy (12.5%)		2019		£38
Bel & The Dragon White Burgundy, Olivier Leflaive, France (12.5%)		2017	£11	£40
Grüner Veltliner, Allram, Kamptal, Austria (12.5%)		2018		£41
Riesling Kabinett, J.J. Prum, Mosel, Germany (10%)		2011		£43
Pouilly-Fumé 'La Moynerie', Michel Redde, Loire, France (13.5%)		2018		£45
CRU Sauvignon Blanc, Smith & Sheth, Marlborough, New Zealand (12.5%)		2019	£11.5	£46
Sancerre Vieilles Vignes, Domaine Durand, Loire, France (12.5%)		2017		£47
Montlouis 'Remus', Jacky Blot, Loire, France (13%)		2016		£49
Chardonnay 'Baroness Nadine', Rupert & Rothschild, Western Cape, South Africa (14%)		2015		£50
Mâcon-Villages 'Les Sardines', Robert-Denogent, Burgundy, France (13%)		2017		£51
Pouilly-Fuissé Vieilles Vignes, Domaine Auvigue, Burgundy, France (13%)		2017		£55
Chablis 1er Cru 'Beuroy', Laurent Tribut, Burgundy, France (13%)		2017		£59
Condrieu La Combe du Malleval, Domaine Ogier, Rhône, France (12.5%)		2016		£65
Meursault 'Les Tillets', Patrick Javillier, Burgundy, France (13.5%)		2016		£74
Terre Alte, Livio Felluga, Friuli, Italy (13.5%)		2016		£79
Chardonnay, Rhys Vineyards, Anderson Valley, California, USA (13%)		2014		£86
Chassagne-Montrachet 1er Cru 'Les Vergers', Marc Morey, Burgundy France (13.5%)		2014		£91
Puligny-Montrachet 1er Cru 'Les Folatieres', Domaine Jean Pascal, France (13.5%)		2016		£103
Soave Classico, Pieropan, Veneto, Italy (12%)		2017	<i>Half Bottle</i>	£19
Bel & The Dragon White Burgundy, Olivier Leflaive, France (12.5%)		2015	<i>Half Bottle</i>	£20
Bel & The Dragon White Burgundy, Olivier Leflaive, France (12.5%)		2017	<i>Magnum</i>	£80
Sancerre, Domaine du Nozay, Loire, France (13%)		2016	<i>Magnum</i>	£94

ROSÉ

(175ml)

Pinot Grigio Blush, Ca'Maritta, Veneto, Italy (12.5%)		2019	£7	£27
Love by Château Léoube, Côtes de Provence, France (13%)		2019	£9	£36
Love by Château Léoube, Côtes de Provence, France (13%)		2018	<i>Magnum</i>	£72
Whispering Angel, Côtes de Provence, France (13%)		2018	<i>Magnum</i>	£96

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red

by the glass

HOUSE RED WINE

(125ml) (175ml) (Magnum)

Our House Red is a rounded Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot blend from Pays D'Oc £4.5 £5.5 £44
Our House wine is served by the glass or in a magnum, perfect for sharing

RED

(125ml) (175ml)

Douro Tinto 'Esteva', Casa Ferreirinha, Portugal (12.5%)	2018	£5	£7
Faugères, Château des Adouzes, Languedoc, France (13%)	2016	£6	£8
Nebbiolo 'Argo', Villadoria, Piedmont, Italy (13%)	2017	£6	£8.5
Malbec, Cruz Alta Grand Reserve, Mendoza, Argentina (14%)	2017	£7.5	£9.5
Bel & The Dragon Red Burgundy, Olivier Leflaive, France (12.5%)	2015	£7.5	£11

fine red wine by the glass

via Coravin

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Santenay, Latour, Burgundy, France (13%)	2017	(125ml) £9	(175ml) £14
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Crisp, juicy red fruit aplenty in this excellent value Burgundy appellation, the most southerly in all of the Côte de Beaune and said to possess 'the soul of Volnay and the body of Pommard'.


















Côte Rôtie, Réserve, Michel et Stephane Ogier, Rhône, France (13%) 	2014	£14	£21
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Classic Northern Rhône Syrah from a father and son Domaine on the 'Roasted Slopes'. Typical intense red and black fruit and a savoury undertow, but with a modern touch made for earlier drinking.

La Croix de Beaucaillou, 2ème Cru Classé, Saint-Julien, France (13%)	2009	£17	£25
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The second wine from the Ducru Beaucaillou estate is always a treat, and of impeccable quality due to some of the most rigorous selection standards in the whole of Bordeaux. Packed deep full of dark cherry and maturing wonderfully.

red

		(175ml)	
Douro Tinto 'Esteva', Casa Ferreirinha, Portugal (13%)		2018	£7 £25
Syrah/Cinsault, Kraal Bay, Swartland, South Africa (13%)		2018	£27
Faugères, Château des Adouzes, Languedoc, France (13%)		2016	£8 £32
Pinot Noir, Edwin Fox, Marlborough, New Zealand (13.5%)		2018	£33
Nebbiolo 'Argo', Villadoria, Piedmont, Italy (13%)		2017	£8.5 £34
Morgon, Henry Fessy, Beaujolais, France (13.5%)		2017	£36
Saumur-Champigny 'Tuffe', Château du Hureau, Loire, France (13%)		2016	£37
Malbec, Cruz Alta Grand Reserve, Mendoza, Argentina (14%)		2017	£9.5 £38
Bel & The Dragon Red Burgundy, Olivier Leflaive, France (12.5%)		2015	£11 £40
Corbieres, Les Clos Perdus, Languedoc-Roussillon, France (14%)		2017	£41
Rioja Reserva, Izadi, Spain (14%)		2014	£42
Valpolicella Ripasso Superiore, Cecilia Beretta, Italy (13.5%)		2016	£43
Pinot Noir, Carmel Road, Monterey County, California, USA (13%)		2016	£48
Berry Bros. Extra Ordinary Claret, Bordeaux, France (13%)		2015	£47
Chianti Classico Riserva, Vignamaggio, Tuscany, Italy (14%)		2014	£50
Santenay, Latour, Burgundy, France (13%)		2017	£51
East Bench Zinfandel, Ridge Vineyards, California, USA (14.5%)		2016	£54
Les Fiefs de Château Lagrange, 3ème Cru Classé, Saint-Julien, France (13.5%)		2012	£55
Pegasus Bay Pinot Noir, North Canterbury, New Zealand (14%)		2015	£57
Châteauneuf-du-Pape 'Telegramme', Vieux Télégraphe, Rhône, France (14.5%)		2017	£59
Connétable Talbot, Château Talbot, Saint-Julien, France (13.5%)		2014	£60
CARO Malbec/Cabernet Sauvignon, Catena/Rothschild, Mendoza, Argentina (14%)		2016	£61
Barolo, Massolino, Piedmont, Italy (14%)		2015	£63
Château de Fonbel, Saint-Emilion Grand Cru, Bordeaux, France (14%)		2010	£64
Grains of Paradise Shiraz, Charles Melton, Barossa Valley, Australia (14.5%)		2014	£66
Château La Grave à Pomerol, Pomerol, France (13%)		2014	£71
Côte Rôtie, Réserve, Michel et Stephane Ogier, Rhône, France (13%)		2014	£75
Morey-St-Denis 1er Cru 'Les Sorbets', Bichot, Burgundy (13%)		2013	£79
Château Gruaud-Larose, 2ème Cru Classé, Saint-Julien, France (13%)		2003	£120
Château Grand-Puy-Lacoste, 5ème Cru Classé, Pauillac, France (13%)		2003	£128
Château Branaire-Ducru, 4ème Cru Classé, Saint-Julien, France (13%)		2000	£130
Château Gruaud-Larose, 2ème Cru Classé, Saint-Julien, France (13%)		2005	£140
Alter Ego de Palmer, Chateau Palmer, 3ème Cru Classé, Margaux, France (14.5%)		2009	£143
Château Brane-Cantenac, 2ème Cru Classé, Margaux, France (13.5%)		2008	£149



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red

half bottles, magnums and larger

HALF BOTTLES

Fleurie 'La Roilette', Bernard Metrat, Beaujolais, France (13%)		2017	£17
Nuits-St-Georges 'Les Lavières', Domaine Jean Chauvenet, Burgundy, France (13%)		2015	£36

MAGNUMS & LARGER

Malbec, Ruca Malen, Mendoza, Argentina (14%)	<i>Magnum</i>	2016	£76
Bel & The Dragon Red Burgundy, Olivier Leflaive, France (12.5%)	<i>Magnum</i>	2014	£80
Berry Bros. Extra Ordinary Claret, Bordeaux, France (13%)	<i>Magnum</i>	2014	£94
Château Brane-Cantenac, 2ème Cru Classé, Margaux, France (13%)	 <i>Magnum</i>	2003	£235
Château Lynch-Bages, 5ème Cru Classé, Pauillac, France (13%)	<i>Magnum</i>	2003	£390
Berry Bros. Extra Ordinary Claret, Bordeaux, France (13%)	<i>Double Magnum</i>	2014	£214

after

PORT & SHERRY - A PROPER GLASS

	(100ml)	(75cl)
Sandeman Unfiltered LBV	2015	£7 £50
<i>Also available by the bottle, decanted for the table</i>		
Sandeman Chilled 20yr Tawny	NV	£10 -
Warres Vintage	1997	£12 £75
Valdespino Pedro Ximenez	NV	£7 -

PUDDING WINE

	(75ml)	(37.5cl)
Château Briatte, Sauternes, France	2012	£6 £25
Tokaji Szamorodni 'Eloquence', Holdvölgy, Tokaj, Hungary [50cl bottle]	2007	£8 £49
Château Rieussec, Grand Cru Classé, Sauternes, France	2009	£10 £50

The Bel Espresso Martini

Havana Especial, Lavazza Espresso, dash of Kahlua & vanilla
Classic vodka version also available



£9
£10

DIGESTIFS

	(25ml)
Frapin VSOP, Grande Champagne Cognac	£5
Janneau VSOP, Grand Armagnac	£5
Hennessy XO, Cognac	£11

WHISKY & BOURBON

	(25ml)
Balvenie Doublewood, Aged 12 yrs, Speyside	£5
Glenfiddich, Aged 15 yrs, Speyside	£5.5
Glenfiddich IPA Cask, Speyside	£5.5
Oban, Aged 14 yrs, Highland	£5
Dalmore, Aged 12 yrs, Highland	£6
Lagavulin, Aged 16 yrs, Islay	£7
Four Roses Small Batch Bourbon	£4.5
Hudson Manhattan Rye	£6

RUM

	(25ml)
Matusalem 15 Gran Reserva, Dominican Republic	£4.5
Ron Zapaca 23, Guatemala	£6
Santa Teresa 1796, Venezuela	£6.5

CIGARS

	Flavour	Smoke Time	
H. Upmann Half Corona	<i>Light</i>	<i>Short</i>	£17
Hoyo de Monterrey Petit Robusto	<i>Light-medium</i>	<i>Medium</i>	£28
Partagas Serie D4	<i>Full</i>	<i>Long</i>	£35
Brewer Street Coffee & Teapigs Loose Leaf Teas		<i>From</i>	£3



Non-alcoholic version available, priced accordingly