

# The Exeter Arms

Pub, Restaurant, Orangery & Accommodation

"This list is as much about what has been excluded as included. We have shied away from super-brands, where every subtle nuance, every hint of character is blended away to obscurity. Instead, we have sought out the personal hands-on wine producers, all of whom excel in creating wines of individuality, passion and flair. We have thoroughly enjoyed compiling this list. We hope you enjoy drinking it..."

## Champagne and Sparkling

1. **Prosecco Brut, Fiol, Veneto, Italy NV** £22.95  
A lively, crisp, sparkling wine with a delicate lemon character and an aromatic, dry, refreshing finish.
2. **Pruno Nero, Lambrusco Di Grasparossa di Castelvetro, Chiarli Emilia Romagna, Italy, NV** £24.95  
The palate is soft, generously fruity and delightfully refreshing, offering ripe, concentrated red berry fruits such as cranberries, raspberries and strawberries.
3. **Brut Mosaïque, Jacquart, Champagne, NV** £34.00  
The bouquet is fresh with pear hints mingled with intense notes of bread crust. Fresh and powerful on the palate with a long-lasting finish of spice bread and fruit flavours.
4. **Billecart-Salmon Rosé, Champagne, NV** £65.00  
Elegant, with ripe strawberries, raspberries and fresh bread. On the palate, it is refined, with prominent fruit flavours, and a long, fresh finish.
5. **Special Cuvée, Bollinger, Champagne, NV** £56.50  
Rich, toasty and full bodied, with wonderful concentration and depth of flavour.
6. **Yellow Label Brut, Veuve Clicquot Ponsardin Champagne, NV** £63.00  
Intense, floral and fruity aromas with a musky tinge and lingering apple and pear notes.

## Rosé

7. **Le Notaire Carignan Rosé, 2011** £15.95  
*Languedoc Roussillon, France*  
A nose of fresh strawberries. Light and moreish on the palate with excellent balance.
8. **Malbec Rosé, Bodegas Santa Ana, 2012** £19.95  
*Mendoza, Argentina*  
Fresh and aromatic with a crisp, fruit driven palate and a dry finish.
9. **Comte de Provence Rosé, La Vidaubanaise, 2011** £19.50  
*Provence, France*  
A light, bright nose of wild strawberries with a refreshing, smooth palate.

## White Wines

### Floral, zesty and fruity

10. **Le Notaire Colombard, 2011** £15.95  
*Languedoc Roussillon, France*  
A nose of apples, grapefruit and mown grass. A light, crisp palate with bracing freshness.
11. **Treixadura, Ailala Ribeiros Do Avia, Ribeiro, Spain 2011** £20.50  
Clean, powerful aromatics on the nose of apricot and white flowers. Spices such as clove, mint and fennel are also present.
12. **Garganega/Pinot Grigio del Veneto, Via Nova 2011** £17.95  
*Veneto, Italy*  
Dry and medium bodied with apple and pear fruit flavours, citrus acidity and hints of almonds.
13. **Vouvray Demi-Sec, Sylvain Gaudron 2010** £21.95  
*Loire, France*  
Hints of honey and fresh hay with a chalky minerality.
14. **Sauvignon Blanc, La Paz, Central Valley, Chile 2012** £16.95  
Aromatic nose of gooseberries and lychees accompanied by herbaceous, grassy, lemon and lime flavours and a dry, crisp structure.

### Rich, soft and mellow

15. **Petit Chenin, Ken Forrester Wines 2011** £18.95  
*Western Cape, South Africa*  
Supple and spicy Chenin Blanc with a steely edge.
16. **Reserve Chardonnay, Tooma River, 2011** £17.95  
*South Eastern Australia*  
Packed with grapefruit, lime and melon flavours, all bound up with a zesty, crisp, citrus balance which cuts through to the finish.
17. **Chablis, Domaine Bernard Defaix, 2011** £29.95  
*Burgundy, France*  
Fruit notes of apple and melon with underlying minerality. Dry, steely and rich, with a complex finish.
18. **Chassagne Montrachet, Phillippe Colin Burgundy, France** £59.50  
Subtle nose of pear puree, delicate vanilla; like a fine patisserie. Delicately-flavoured and medium-weight in the mouth with discrete acidity.

### Full and aromatic

19. **Sancerre, Domaine Franck Millet, Loire, France 2011** £31.50  
The wine has an intensely aromatic nose of leaves, herbs and minerals. It has fresh acidity and is dry and fruity with a flinty quality.
20. **Sauvignon Blanc, Silver Lake, 2012** £24.50  
*Marlborough, New Zealand*  
Flavours of passionfruit and blackcurrant leaf with underlying notes of wet stone and thyme. Good weight and texture, with a focused mineral acidity.
21. **Viognier Reserve, Bodegas Santa Ana, 2011** £20.95  
*Mendoza, Argentina*  
Medium bodied, rounded and fruity with a succulent mouthfeel. The finish is crisp and refreshing.
22. **Vernaccia di San Gimignano, Italy** £21.50  
Clean and fresh with creamy, biscuity fruit and a delicately aromatic nutty flavour, typical of this grape variety.

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## Red Wines

### Soft and fruity

23. **Le Notaire Grenache, Languedoc Roussillon, France 2011** £15.95  
A nose of plum jam and raisins. Light and moreish on the palate with excellent balance and ripe, soft tannins.
24. **Beaujolais Villages, Louis Tête, Burgundy, France 2011** £22.50  
An elegant, fresh intense nose of soft red fruits. The palate has lots of fruit with plenty of character backed by good balancing acidity.
25. **Valpolicella Classico DOC, Accordini, Veneto, Italy 2011** £17.95  
A bouquet of red berries, roses and minerality. Elegant and well-balanced on the palate, it is fruity and fresh, with light tannins and good length.
26. **Unravelled Pinot Noir, Carrick Winery, 2011** £27.95  
*Central Otago, New Zealand*  
Ripe berries and black cherries with a hint of oak.

### Velvety and round

27. **Merlot, La Paz, Central Valley, Chile 2012** £16.95  
Red cherry and plum aromas. Filled with currant, ripe plum, cherry, vanilla and blackberry flavours, complemented by sweet ripe tannins.
28. **Côtes du Rhône, Domaine Brusset, 2011/12** £21.50  
*Rhône, France*  
Red berry fruit aromas precede subtle flavours of raspberries and well balanced, smooth tannins.
29. **Saint Aubin 1er Cru Les Frionnes** £29.95  
*Burgundy, France*  
Layers of ripe peach and apple aromas. Chunky fruit on the mid palate leads to crisp lemony acidity on the finish.
30. **Petit Cabernet Merlot, Ken Forrester, 2011** £18.95  
*Western Cape, South Africa*  
A youthful, fresh Bordeaux-styled blend showing plums and spiciness. Very accessible with a smooth and balanced texture.
31. **La Garenne Syrah, IGP Pays d'Oc, 2011** £17.95  
*Languedoc Roussillon, France*  
Cherry and pepper flavours are offset by the wine's meaty and bitter chocolate aromas.
32. **Reserve Shiraz, Tooma River, South Eastern Australia 2011** £17.95  
A rich nose redolent with red and black berry aromas and a smooth, textured palate dripping with juicy dark fruits, hints of chocolate and lively spices.
33. **Rioja Crianza, Paternina, Banda Azul, Rioja, Spain 2007** £21.50  
Spicy aromas of sweet red berries lead to a rounded, lush palate of red fruits.
34. **Chianti Classico, Fonterutoli, 2009** £27.50  
*Tuscany, Italy*  
The nose is perfumed with black cherry and spice and hints of woodsmoke.

### Hearty and aromatic

35. **Malbec Cabernet Sauvignon Corte B, Vistalba, 2009** £22.50  
*Mendoza, Argentina*  
Intense red colour with ruby and black reflections. Aromas of ripped red fruits.
36. **Cabernet Sauvignon, La Place Languedoc, France 2011** £15.95  
Lively ruby red in the glass with a nose of blackcurrants and plum jam. Supple structure in the mouth with fine ripe tannins and good balancing acidity.

### Fortified and Dessert wine

37. **MR Malaga, 2006** £15.95  
*Spain*  
Lustrous, oozing Moscatel.
38. **Chateau de Cerons Sauternes, Bordeaux France** £22.00  
A highly complex wine with scents of lime, almond and honey. The palate is luscious with sweet apricot and marmalade flavours.
39. **Finest Reserve Port, Quinto Do Crasto, NV** £26.95  
*Douro, Portugal*  
Ripe red wild berries, figs and a slight touch of wild herbs.
40. **Late Bottled Vintage Port, Quinta do Crasto, 2007** £33.95  
*Douro, Portugal*  
This late bottled vintage shows brooding black cherry fruit with a huge cedary core. A simple, ripe and mouthfilling wine, rounded off by a sweet finish.

## Wines by the Glass

### Champagne & sparkling

- 150ml  
Prosecco Brut, Stelle d'Italia, Veneto, Italy NV (11.5% abv) £4.75
- Pruno Nero, Lambrusco Di Grasparossa di Castelvetro, Chiarli Emilia Romagna, Italy, NV (11% abv) £5.25
- Brut Mosaïque, Jacquart, Champagne, NV (12.5% abv) £6.95

### White

- 125ml 175ml 250ml
- Le Notaire Colombard, Languedoc Roussillon, France 2011 (11.5% abv) £2.70 £3.75 £5.35
- Garganega/Pinot Grigio del Veneto, Via Nova Veneto, Italy 2011 (12% abv) £4.20 £6.00
- Sauvignon Blanc, La Paz, Central Valley, Chile 2012 (12% abv) £4.00 £5.65
- Petit Chenin, Ken Forrester Wines South Africa 2011 (13.5% abv) £4.45 £6.35
- Reserve Chardonnay, Tooma River, SE Australia 2011 (12.5% abv) £4.20 £6.00
- Sauvignon Blanc, Silver Lake New Zealand 2012 (13% abv) £5.75 £8.20
- Viognier Reserve, Bodegas Santa Ana, 2011 Mendoza, Argentina (14% abv) £4.90 £7.00

### Rosé

- 125ml 175ml 250ml
- Le Notaire Carignan Rosé, Languedoc Roussillon, France 2011 (12% abv) £2.70 £3.75 £5.35
- Malbec Rosé, Bodegas Santa Ana, Mendoza, Argentina 2012 (13% abv) £4.70 £6.65

### Red

- 125ml 175ml 250ml
- Le Notaire Grenache, Languedoc Roussillon, France 2011 (14% abv) £2.70 £3.75 £5.35
- Unravelled Pinot Noir, Carrick Winery, 2011 Central Otago, New Zealand (14% abv) £6.55 £9.35
- Merlot, La Paz, Central Valley, Chile 2012 (12% abv) £4.00 £5.65

- Petit Cabernet Merlot, Ken Forrester, South Africa 2011 (13.5% abv) £4.45 £6.35
- Reserve Shiraz, Tooma River, South Eastern Australia 2011 (13% abv) £4.20 £6.00
- Rioja Crianza, Marqués de Arienzo, Rioja, Spain 2007 (13.5% abv) £5.05 £7.20
- Malbec Cabernet Sauvignon Corte B, Vistalba, Mendoza, Argentina 2009 (15.2% abv) £5.25 £7.50
- Cabernet Sauvignon, La Place Languedoc, France 2011 (13% abv) £3.75 £5.35

### Fortified and Dessert wine

- 125ml
- MR Malaga, 2006 Spain £4.80
- Chateau de Cerons Sauternes Bordeaux France £7.35
- 70ml
- Finest Reserve Port, Quinto Do Crasto, NV Douro, Portugal £3.95
- Late Bottled Vintage Port, Quinta do Crasto, 2007 Douro, Portugal £4.95

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