

THE
PORTAFERRY
HOTEL



WINE LIST

WHITE WINES

Bottle	Glass	Glass
750ml	250ml	175ml

- 1. Valdivieso Sauvignon Blanc ~ Chile** £18.00 £6.50 £4.85
This Sauvignon Blanc has the usual mouthwatering, refreshing citrus fruit and gooseberries but also has slightly riper flavours and aromas of passion fruit and kiwi fruit.
- 2. Operetto Pinot Grigio ~ Italy** £19.00 £6.75 £5.25
Floral nose of jasmine and honeysuckle that is fresh and zesty on the palate. Good structure with a mineral finish.
- 3. Old Press Chardonnay ~ Australia** £20.00 £7.00 £5.50
Showing citrus, tropical fruits and mineral tones. Long, elegant and crisp acidity that lingers on the aftertaste.
- 4. Picpoul De Pinet Mas Puech ~ Languedoc, France** £22.00
The literal translation of the grape Picpoul is "lip-smaking" on account of its refreshing nature. Medium bodied with citrus fruit flavours, floral notes and some minerality. It is a very fresh and crisp wine that goes really well with simple seafood dishes.
- 5. Satellite Sauvignon Blanc ~ Marlborough, New Zealand** £24.00
The Sauvignon Blanc grapes selected for this wine have come from stony soils that deliver a vibrant wine with lively aromas of citrus, overlaid with tropical fruit that has a refined and elegant finish.
- 6. Cuatro Rayas Verdejo ~ Rueda, Spain** £23.00
Clean, powerful and fresh on the nose, the palate is full of fruity, herbal flavours with a touch of fennel coming through on the finish. Full flavoured and powerful but well balanced with a silky texture and wonderful length made for seafood.
- 7. Peth-Wetz Estate Riesling ~ Rheinhessen, Germany** £23.00
Elegant and classical Riesling, with aromas of tropical fruits. On the palate, there are flavours of green apples and citrus, pineapple and melon with a great deal of complexity.
- 8. Ara Single Estate Sauvignon Blanc ~ Marlborough, New Zealand** £27.00
Somewhat more elegant than its Marlborough competitors, this Sauvignon Blanc is a fusion of grapes from across our estate and is considered our most complete expression. If you have a passion for elegant sauvignon blanc, this wine will love you right back.
- 9. Jean Defaix Chablis ~ Burgundy, France** £30.00
Like all Chablis this wine is made from 100% Chardonnay; Chablis is the name of the place where it comes from. It is bone dry, with steely elegant flavours of apple and citrus.
- 10. Eric Louis Sancerre ~ Loire, France** £32.00
Fresh and flinty, good mineral notes in this fine Sancerre! It is delicate, fresh and lively. Later on developing an attractive roundness and enticing bouquet.

ROSÉ WINES

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750ml	250ml	175ml

- 11. The Bulletin Zinfandel Rosé ~ California** £18.00 £6.50 £4.85
This has plenty of raspberry and watermelon fruit flavours. Juicy and light, it has a refreshing bright acidity on the finish.
- 12. Petite Papillon Grenache Rosé ~ Languedoc, France** £18.50
Fresh and aromatic nose raspberries and spices. This wine is lively and rich on the palate.

CHAMPAGNE / SPARKLING WINE

Bottle
750ml

- 13. Vaporetto Prosecco ~ Italy** £23.00
This delicious sparkling wine comes from the Veneto region of northeast Italy. It is a soft, fruity and refreshing sparkling wine with citrus, pear and floral flavours and aromas.
- 14. Tosti Prosecco Snipes 20cl ~ Italy** £6.95
A pleasant combination for a Prosecco DOC which is ideal for aperitifs, with all courses of a meal and after hours.
- 15. Veuve Clicquot Brut N.V.** £65.00
Intense and bright gold with green tints, and a fine effervescence. Bright and sharp on the nose, with a strong character of citrus, finishing gradually with warm brioche notes. Zest of pepper, nutmeg, and fresh almond and a long finish.

RED WINES

Bottle **Glass** **Glass**
750ml 250ml 175ml

- 16. Valdivieso Vine Merlot ~ Chile** **£18.00** **£6.50** **£4.85**
Ultra smooth, juicy Merlot with jammy plum, blackberry and damson fruit served up with lashings of mocha coffee and chocolate.
- 17. The Old Press Shiraz ~ Australia** **£20.00** **£7.00** **£5.50**
This is a great example of an easy drinking, fruity red made from the Shiraz grape. It's got lots of rich plummy and red berry aromas and flavours along with a bit of spice and pepper.
- 18. Monte Clavijo Rioja Tinto ~ Rioja, Spain** **£21.00** **£7.25** **£5.75**
Juicy, easy-going Rioja with a gently perfumed nose and soft underbelly of raspberry, strawberry and red cherry fruit flavours on the palate. Red Rioja can be aged and intense or like this one which is young, soft and juicy. It's got lots of mouth-watering, red fruit flavours and just a hint of pepper and spice.
- 19. Alto Bajo Cabernet Sauvignon ~ Chile** **£19.00**
Ripe blackcurrant and plum fruit, with a hint of minty eucalyptus and toasty oak spice. Flavours of ripe red cherries and blackberries with notes of pepper and dried figs, and a smooth finish.
- 20. Chateau L'eglise ~ Bordeaux, France** **£21.00**
Aged in oak barrels, its classic Bordeaux: dry yet appetising with crunchy fruit and elegant tannins. Deep violet with a perfumed nose of ripe plums, cherries and vanilla. Rich damson and mulberry flavours and a delicious lick of creamy oak.
- 21. Paul Jaboulet Cotes Du Rhone ~ Rhone, France** **£22.00**
Deep ruby, limpid and bright. Intense, complex and aromatic with a blend of red berries and animal notes. Powerful and fine; noble tannins; full, well-balanced finish.
- 22. Finca Las Moras Malbec Reserve ~ Argentina** **£24.00**
Grown in the foothills of the Andes this wine also has aromas of plums, dark chocolate and blackberries with some spice and pepper notes too.
- 23. Castillo Clavijo Reserva ~ Rioja, Spain** **£25.00**
The Reserva is aged for up to 24 months in French and American oak casks to give this wine real complexity, with ripe mature fruit, lots of spice and vanilla oak flavours.
- 24. Campomaggio Chianti Classico ~ Tuscany, Italy** **£27.00**
Smooth, ripe Chianti Classico in a modern style; juicy black cherries, blackberries, cinnamon spice, vanilla and chocolate abound. The ripe, bold tannins and crisp Sangiovese acidity add the all important backbone.
- 25. Cave De Fleurie ~ Beaujolais, France.** **£27.00**
A striking and vivid red colour with several punnets worth of red berry fruit on the nose and palate. Soft and fresh with light ripe tannins and crisp acidity.
- 26. Peth-Wetz Estate Spatburgunder (Pinot Noir) ~ Rheinhessen, Germany.** **£29.00**
This Pinot Noir offers outstanding balance and opens with aromas of red cherry, raspberry, wild strawberry and spice. The palate delivers a lovely, smooth texture and notes of liquorice, pomegranate and toast accented by a touch of red tea on the lingering finish.
- 27. Charles Smith Boom Boom Syrah ~ Washington, USA.** **£36.00**
Full of meaty dark fruit and some tobacco flavours, very full bodied and should be enjoyed with food, particularly red meats. Smooth, firm, fresh and dark. Dense purple with meaty dark fruit, Asian five spice and sweet tobacco.
- 28. Chateau Viramiere St-Emilion Grand Cru ~ Bordeaux, France** **£40.00**
Beautiful deep crimson colour. Powerful and complex nose with ripe red fruits entangled in delicate vanilla notes. Soft and well-balanced on the palate, it delivers fresh fruits flavours together with a subtle but persistent empyreumatic range of flavours.

DESSERT WINES

Bottle **Glass**
350ml 70ml

- 29. Valdivieso Eclat Botrytis Semillon 35cl ~ Chile** **£23.00** **£5.00**
Lovely honeyed grapefruit with some gentle candied lemon on the nose. Very intense on the palate with some good natural fruit sweetness and vibrant acidity. Well made and very enjoyable.

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