

# The Snowdon

# Wine List

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## *White*

### Crisp & Dry

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| 1. <b>Paparuda Pinot Grigio, Romania</b>  | £4.50 | £17.00 |
| Bags of ripe fruit, aroma of pears with hints of citrus fruit and a touch of honey. There is more of the same ripe fruit on the palate with a delicious, refreshingly clean finish. |       |        |
| 2. <b>Sauvignon Blanc, Pato Torrente, Valle Central, Chile</b>  | £4.45 | £16.95 |
| Zesty lime, juicy melon and ripe tropical fruit flavours. Lively, with good intensity and a well-balanced rounded palate.   |       |        |

### Dry & Aromatic

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| 3. <b>L'Ormarine Duc de Morny Picpoul de Pinet, France</b>  |       | £24.50 |
| Picpoul translates as lip-stinger which lets you know how this will taste. Vibrant with crunchy and refreshing fruit.   |       |        |
| 4. <b>The Cloud Factory Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, NZ</b>  | £5.75 | £23.50 |
| This delivers exactly what you'd expect from a Marlborough Sauvignon – need we say more?  |       |        |
| 5. <b>La Val Orballo Albarino, Rias Baixas, Spain</b>   |       | £26.95 |
| Orballo is what the Galicians call 'fine rain' – it turns out North West Spain is as wet as North Wales. The wine itself is full of peachy freshness – delicious. |       |        |

### Clean & Rounded

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| 6. <b>Sunnycliff Chardonnay, Australia</b>  | £5.25 | £20.95 |
| Deliciously crisp and fruity with acacia flower aromas, green apple hints and a ripe gooseberry finish, well rounded and extremely quaffable. |       |        |

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| 7   | <b>Laughing Giraffe Chenin Blanc, South Africa</b>  | £18.50       |
|     | Aromas of citrus tropical fruit lychee and peach beautifully rounded with a clean off dry finish Aromas of packed pear honeysuckle and orange blossom lead this expressive wine followed by a beautiful tropical peach undertone.   |              |
| 8.  | <b>Piesporter Michelsberg, Germany</b>  | £4.65 £17.75 |
|     | From the steep slopes of Germany's spectacular Mosel river valley. A really well-made, deliciously fruity wine that has a clean, grapey character and a refreshing off-dry sweetness.   |              |
| 9.  | <b>Baboon Rock Unwooded Chardonnay, La Petite Ferme, Robertson, South Africa</b>  | £25.75       |
|     | If unoaked chardonnay is your thing, this will not disappoint. Lime and honey, then melon and orange (fruit and flowers); brilliant concentration with some honeyed richness too. Clean as a whistle, and great bang for your buck! |              |
| 10. | <b>Gavi DOCG del Comune di Gavi, La Chiara, Tuscany, Italy</b>  | £30.50       |
|     | Immaculate, pure Cortese: fresh as a daisy and redolent of green apple, fruit blossom and honey. Well-structured with good richness and super length of flavour.  |              |
| 11. | <b>Domaine de la Motte Petit Chablis, France</b>  | £34.95       |
|     | There's nothing little about this Chablis. An intense and approachable Chablis that belies its name.  |              |

## *Rosé*

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| 12. | <b>California Creek White Zinfandel Rosé, California, USA</b>   | £4.85 £17.20 |
|     | The epitome of strawberries and cream in a glass.   |              |
| 13. | <b>Amori Pinot Grigio Blush, Venezie IGT, Italy</b>   | £5.35 £20.50 |
|     | A copper pink rose from Northern Italy's Venezie region with gently fragrant summer fruits on the nose and delicate strawberry fruit on the palate. Fruitily off-dry.           |              |
| 14. | <b>La Ruchette Dorée, Côtes du Rhône Rosé</b>   | £6.45 £23.95 |
|     | Côtes du Rhône is one of the best loved quality French regions. Known primarily for red wine, the rosés, especially from garrigue-strewn vineyards are a southern French treat. |              |

# Red

Elegant, Easy & Soft

175ml Bottle

**15. Merlot, Ladera Verde, Valle Central, Chile**

£4.65 £16.95

Medium-bodied, round and juicy, with ripe plum, cherry and raspberry fruit. A short time in oak gives hints of wood spice, toast, roasted coffee and vanilla.

**16. Vega del Rayo Rioja Tempranillo, Rioja, Spain**

£5.15 £18.95

A modern and vibrant young wine from Rioja Alta. All those familiar delicate tannins of Tempranillo, with plums and cherries balanced with a savoury earthy note.

**17. Pinot Noir. Honu, Marlborough, New Zealand**

£28.50

Strawberry leaf aromas leading into tantalising savoury, raspberry flavours and a blueberry finish. Great value Kiwi Pinot.

**18. Showdown Cabernet Sauvignon, California USA**

£4.95 £19.95

The 'Man with the Ax' is the nickname for the King of Diamonds in Poker-parlance, and in California, Cabernet is undoubtedly 'King'. Rich cassis fruit and a good lick of oak make this a plush, easy-drinking example of why it is so highly prized.

Warm & Spicy

**19. The Last Stand Shiraz, Australia**

£5.75 £21.95

Warm, soft and lusciously lush The Last Stand Shiraz is a smooth black and sultry with a salty finish. Premium fruit and mature vines have produced a wine with great balance, length and fruit intensity. Cherry & Mulberry notes!

**20. Bacca Nera. Negroamaro Primitivo, Salento, Italy**

£23.95

A stunner from the heat of the heel of Italy. A lovely plummy character with soft, jammy tannins and an intense red fruit bouquet.

**21. Cline 'Old Vine' Lodi Zinfandel, Lodi, California, USA**

£27.95

Classic and classy Californian Zin. French oak provides just the right amount of toasty vanilla character whilst the overtly ripe and luscious Zinfandel fruit makes this big and bold.

22. **Las pampas Shiraz/Malbec** £4.65 £17.20  
 A full, meaty wine with lots of spicy plum fruit and soft tannins providing the structure. Nice weight and good length in this perfect blend of Malbec and Shiraz.
23. **Rioja Reserva, Azabache, Bodegas Aldeanueava, Spain** £28.95  
 If you love your Rioja grown up, full and ripe, then this is the wine for you, with a blackberry bouquet, notes of vanilla and chocolate and a warming finish.

### Big, Powerful & Intense

24. **Nieto Malbec Reserva DOC, Mendoza, Argentina** £6.95 £24.95  
 A classic, full bodied Malbec with awesome flavours of blackberry, vanilla, sweet spices, clove, vanilla, mocha... there is so much there! This is a really vibrant, well-structured wine.
25. **La Ruchette Dorée Cotes du Rhone Villages, France** £24.95  
 A ripe, smooth and characterful red from the South Rhone, a lovely example of this Mediterranean classic.

## *Sparkling*

26. **Versetto Prosecco Extra Dry, Venetie, Italy** 125ml Bottle £4.95 £23.95  
 Classic pear drop and floral notes in this incredibly drinkable fizz.
27. **Fauno Cava, Cava DOP, Spain** £22.95  
 Light and fresh with just a hint of floral, lemony creaminess.
28. **Veuve Deloynes. Brut, France** £39.95  
 A smooth, dry palate with a light, floral, slightly creamy palate and lots of crisp citrus flavours.
29. **Veuve Clicquot** £69.95  
 For those occasions when only this Grande Marque with the yellow label will do. Crisp, fresh, full bodied and stunning.

Our wines by the glass are also available in 125ml and 250ml. Please just ask if you would prefer either of these sizes.