

Westernport Hotel Wine List

This wine list has been put together with the intention of bringing to you an amazing array of Australian and international wines. They have been chosen for their exceptional vintages and their region. You can see that I have used a scoring system to help you see the quality of these wines. These scores are a combination of extremely well recognised Australian wine writers and my own personal opinion. I hope that you really enjoy the list for all that it has to offer.

Yours Sincerely Marcus Johns

87-89 points-Recommended, 90-93 points-Highly Recommended, 94-100 points-Outstanding

Bubbles by the Glass

				<u>150ml</u>
NV	The Anchorage Bubbles	South Aus	89/100	\$7.20
NV	Angove Studio Series Chardonnay Pinot Noir Sparkling	South Aus	89/100	\$7.70
NV	T'Gallant Prosecco	Mornington Peninsula	90/100	\$8.70

Whites by the Glass

				<u>150ml</u>	<u>250ml</u>
NV	Morgan's Bay Chardonnay	Mildura VIC	92/100	\$7.20	\$9.80
2017	Cape Vine Reserve Chardonnay	Margaret River WA	92/100	\$7.50	\$10.10
NV	The Anchorage Semillon Sauvignon Blanc	South Aus	90/100	\$7.20	\$9.80
2018	Ara Estate Sauvignon Blanc	Marlborough NZ	93/100	\$9.20	\$13.30
2017	Tahbilk Riesling	Tahbilk VIC	90/100	\$7.50	\$10.10
2017	Angove Chalk Hill Blue Moscato	South Aus	88/100	\$7.50	\$10.10
2016	Angove Studio Series Pinot Grigio	South Aus	92/100	\$7.50	\$10.10
2018	Tucks 'NOW' Pinot Gris	Mornington Peninsula	93/100	\$9.20	\$13.30
2016	Angove Nine Vines Rose	Southern SA	92/100	\$7.80	\$10.30
2019	Les Peyrautins Grenache Rose	Languedoc, FRANCE	93/100	\$7.80	\$10.30

Reds by the Glass

				<u>150ml</u>	<u>250ml</u>
NV	Morgans Bay Shiraz Cabernet	Mildura VIC	90/100	\$7.20	\$9.80
2015	Cape Vine Reserve Shiraz	Margaret River WA	92/100	\$7.50	\$10.10
2015	Angove Rhythm & Rhyme Shiraz	South Aus	90/100	\$7.50	\$10.10
2014	Cape Vine Cabernet Sauvignon	Margaret River WA	90/100	\$7.50	\$10.10
NV	The Anchorage Cabernet Merlot	South Aus	90/100	\$7.20	\$9.80
2013	Cape Vine Merlot	Margaret River WA	90/100	\$7.50	\$10.10
2018	Tucks 'NOW' Pinot Noir	Mornington Peninsula	93/100	\$9.20	\$13.30

Bubbles

NV	The Anchorage Bubbles	<i>Southern SA</i>	<i>89/100</i>	\$29.00
	Pale gold in color with fruity aroma, the palate brings forward a luscious strawberry sweetness			
NV	Angove Studio Series Chardonnay Pinot Noir Sparkling	<i>South Aus</i>	<i>89/100</i>	\$31.00
	Pale straw in colour aromas of lemon and a hint of strawberry and precede slightly toasty/yeasty characters. Distinctively creamy the opulent, lemon sherbet like, crisp palate fills the mouth.			
NV	T'Gallant Prosecco	<i>Mornington Peninsula</i>	<i>90/100</i>	\$36.00
	Fresh and dry with aromas of citrus, apple & pear leading to a bright and zesty finish			
NV	Domaine Chandon Brut	<i>Yarra Valley Vic</i>	<i>93/100</i>	\$50.00
	Bright green-straw, tangy chardonnay prevailing over the softer pinot, some brioche/nougat notes, long, clean finish. Like all domaine sparkling wines, is a methode traditionnelle.			

Chardonnay

NV	Morgan's Bay Chardonnay	<i>Mildura Vic</i>	<i>92/100</i>	\$29.00
	Lightly oaked chardonnay delivers white peach and green melon fruit with a cleansing citrus kick on the finish.			
2017	Cape Vine Reserve Chardonnay (reserve)	<i>Margaret River WA</i>	<i>94/100</i>	\$36.00
	Intense aromas of white peach, orange blossom and sauteed lemon. Richly flavoured yet light and refreshing. Mix of vibrant fruit characters with linear acidity that drives the flavour and makes the wine finish beautifully dry.			
2016	Dragonfly Chardonnay	<i>Geographie WA</i>	<i>94/100</i>	\$35.00
	Barrel-fermented in used French oak and the fruit flavours are, in any event, intense, with grapefruit and mineral to the fore; the finish is long.			
2016	Rhythm & Rhyme Chardonnay	<i>Southern SA</i>	<i>96/100</i>	\$35.00
	Attractive pale-medium straw colour with green hues. Aromas of ripe stone fruit, melon and peach abound. The palate has good weight, peach and melon flavours dominating with a hint of citrus, and a clean, delicate finish.			
2016	Domaine Chandon Chardonnay	<i>Yarra Valley Vic</i>	<i>94/100</i>	\$45.00
	Medium yellow colour, with a toasty, oaky bouquet. Lively and fresh, clean and vital, with toasted cashew and stone fruits adding up to an attractive nose. It shows slight forward-development. It's rich and medium to full-bodied, smooth and intense with appealing balance.			

Sauvignon Blanc

NV	The Anchorage Semillon Sauvignon Blanc	<i>Southern SA</i>	<i>90/100</i>	\$29.00
	Pale straw color with attractive green hues. A distinctive tropical and herbaceous palate of typically well ripened sauvignon blanc			
2017	Angove Studio Series Sauvignon Blanc	<i>South Aus</i>	<i>88/100</i>	\$30.00
	Vibrant combination of fresh passionfruit and citrus flavours. These characters are brought together in a zingy, easy drinking style that will beautifully accompany contemporary food styles where fresh, wholesome flavours of the ingredients are allowed to shine.			
2016	Mt Riley Sauvignon Blanc	<i>Marlborough NZ</i>	<i>95/100</i>	\$35.00
	Palish yellow colour. Very fragrant fresh lime juice and passionfruit aromas, clean and vibrant and inviting. Very fresh, clean and alive on the palate. Light and crisp, refreshing and balanced with good acidity not overdone, and a clean finish without obvious sweetness.			
2018	Ara Single Estate Sauvignon Blanc	<i>Marlborough NZ</i>	<i>93/100</i>	\$46.00
	Delivers aromatic grapefruit and punchy capsicum aromas and flavours with lush fruit and balanced crisp acidity.			

Something Sweet

2018	Angove Chalk Hill Blue Moscato	<i>South Aus</i>	<i>88/100</i>	\$31.00
	Crystal clear with pale green hues. Crisp and fresh bursting with grapey flavours that flow seamlessly onto the palate with crisp tropical fruit and a clean finish.			
2011	Elderton Botrytis Semillon (375ml)	<i>Barossa Valley SA</i>	<i>93/100</i>	\$45.00
	Glowing green-gold masses of juicy cumquat and mandarin flavours.			

Other

2017	Tahbilk Riesling	<i>Tahbilk VIC</i>	<i>90/100</i>	\$31.00
	Shows great length and depth with intense citrus, lime and passionfruit with background hints of guava and refreshing natural acidity.			
2019	Angove Nine Vines Rose	<i>Southern SA</i>	<i>92/100</i>	\$31.00
	Pale, bright pink; parcels of sangiovese, tempranillo and merlot, spice on the bouquet, and a striking juicy, yet dry, palate with good length and balance.			
2016	Domain Chandon Pinot Noir Rose	<i>Yarra Valley Vic</i>	<i>94/100</i>	\$45.00
	Vibrant with delightful aromas of strawberry, cranberry, musk & cinnamon spice. Bright fruit characters are complimented by a soft texture & dry finish. Best enjoyed young and fresh.			
2018	Les Peyrautins Grenache Rose	<i>Languedoc, FRANCE</i>	<i>93/100</i>	\$31.00
	Light salmon colour. Subtle aromas of fresh red fruit such as raspberry, strawberry, plum, redcurrant with some grapefruit. Dry, medium(+) acidity, medium alcohol, light body, medium flavours intensity of elegant and fresh red fruit, such as strawberry, raspberry, redcurrant, grapefruit			
2016	Angove Studio Series Pinot Grigio	<i>Yarra Valley Vic</i>	<i>94/100</i>	\$45.00
	Bright, light pink, the bouquet has strawberry and spice, the palate is long, crisp and fresh, with a juicy but dry finish.			
2018	Tucks 'NOW' Pinot Gris	<i>Mornington Peninsula</i>	<i>93/100</i>	\$46.00
	Lovely silky texture with aroas of poached pear, peach and spice			

Shiraz & Blends

NV	Morgans Bay Shiraz Cabernet	<i>Mildura Vic</i>	<i>90/100</i>	\$29.00
	Notes of spice and plum, hints of cassis with lingering soft tannins providing excellent structure.			
2016	Cape Vine Reserve Shiraz	<i>Margaret River WA</i>	<i>92/100</i>	\$31.00
	Robust and spicy with a slightly sweet finish. You will also enjoy a velvety and slightly syrupy mouthfeel when enjoying this varietal.			
2015	Angove Rhythm & Rhyme Shiraz	<i>South Aus</i>	<i>90/100</i>	\$31.00
	Deep red with some purple hues. Enticing varietal fruit driven aromas of spicy cherry and plum with some herbal notes. On the palate cherry and plum fruits, some spice and a hint of oak with good length			
2012	Rosemount Little Berry Shiraz	<i>McLaren Vale SA</i>	<i>94/100</i>	\$40.00
	Deep colour, plummy and Juicy blackberry characters and hints of spicy chocolate.			
2015	Angove Family Crest Shiraz	<i>McLaren Vale SA</i>	<i>93/100</i>	\$40.00
	Rich, ripe smells of dark berries and cherries, a touch of Christmas cake, and a good lick of coffee and dark chocolate from the oak. The palate is surprisingly medium-bodied, but there is still bucket-loads of black fruits, some chewy but approachable tannins, and a good kick of mocha on the finish.			
2010	Penfolds Bin 150 Marananga Shiraz	<i>Barossa Valley SA</i>	<i>96/100</i>	\$90.00
	Very deep, dark, dense purple/red colour. The nose is very powerful, pungent and smoky with strong charred-oak notes. These translate to a distinct bitterness on the palate, but it's not disagreeable bitterness. A very big, powerful, opulent wine.			

Cabernet Sauvignon & Blends

NV	Anchorage Cabernet Merlot	<i>South Aus</i>	<i>90/100</i>	\$29.00
	Up-front dark berry flavour and cassis. Fleshy merlot fills the mid-palate, subtle oak influence to finish.			
2015	Cape Vine Cabernet Sauvignon	<i>Margaret River WA</i>	<i>90/100</i>	\$31.00
	Intense aromas of blackcurrants, plums and black cherries with a toasted chocolate eucalyptus background. Violets add freshness to the rich complexity and the palate is full of rich dark fruits filling your mouth with flavour.			
2012	Flametree S.R.S Wilyabrup Cabernet Sauvignon	<i>Margaret River WA</i>	<i>97/100</i>	\$65.00
	The immediate and striking strength of the wine is its extreme length and purity, a siren allure that may lead many to drink it long before it reaches its plateau of ultimate perfection; high quality grapes have been handled with admirable sensitivity by winemaker Cliff Royle.			
2010	Penfolds Bin 407 Cabernet Sauvignon	<i>Barossa Valley SA</i>	<i>96/100</i>	\$90.00
	Deep, dense purple/red colour, with a hi-fi cabernet blackcurrant bouquet, cassis and blackcurrant cordial. The tannins are firm and slightly rasping, while the palate is quite dense with masses of flavour, but it's robust and grippy wine.			
2010	Penfolds Bin 389 Cabernet Sauvignon Shiraz	<i>Barossa Valley SA</i>	<i>97/100</i>	\$90.00
	Dense red/purple colour, deep and dark. A big spiced plum and smoky oak shiraz driven bouquet (it's only 51% cabernet this year). There are some crushed leaf and tomato bush notes. A very big, strong, powerful wine that is gutsy and full-blooded. Very rich and dense. Full-bodied.			

Pinot Noir & Other

2018	Tucks 'Now' Pinot Noir	<i>Mornington Peninsula</i>	<i>93/100</i>	\$46.00
	Don't let the soft colour fool you, this pinot packs some punch with a palate of strawberries, spice & all things nice			
2014	Domaine Chandon Yarra Valley Pinot Noir	<i>Yarra Valley Vic</i>	<i>94/100</i>	\$50.00
	An elegant wine distinguished by a rich structure of firm, silky tanins.			
2012	Dog Point Pinot Noir	<i>Marlborough NZ</i>	<i>97/100</i>	\$70.00
	Very deep red/purple hue. The bouquet is impressive and loaded with rich, ripe, black cherry fruit, the palate likewise rich and concentrated, full-bodied and sweetly-fruited, but it's all balanced by good tannins and excellent structure. A glorious wine, very Burgundy-like.			
2013	Cape Vine Merlot	<i>Margaret River WA</i>	<i>90/100</i>	\$31.00
	It boasts earthy notes and develops distinctive berry notes as it ripens, along with licorice and chocolate flavors.			
2013	Blue Pyreness Merlot	<i>Pyreness VIC</i>	<i>93/100</i>	\$35.00
	Fragrant savoury red fruit mix on the bouquet, varietal cassis and black olive interwoven in the fine tannin and oak structure.			
2012	Leconfield Merlot	<i>Coonaworra, SA</i>	<i>95/100</i>	\$45.00
	Rich merlot with great depth of flavour & structure, in which oak plays an important, but not prominent role in the structure.			