

# French Connection

## BISTRO

### HOUSE WINES

- BOSCHENDAL THE PAVILLON BLANC** 36 | 120  
*Chenin Blanc based, soft, fruity off-dry*
- BOSCHENDAL THE PAVILLON ROUGE** 40 | 145  
*Shiraz/Cabernet Sauvignon, ripe berry, soft fruit palate*

### WINE per carafe

- 250ml
- WOLFTRAP WHITE** 46
- HAUTE CABRIÈRE CHARDONNAY/PINOT NOIR** 86
- EIKEHOF CHARDONNAY** 55
- BOSCHENDAL 1685** 86
- ANTHONIJ RUPERT PROTEA CHENIN BLANC** 49
- AA BADENHORST SECATEURS** 80
- PORCUPINE RIDGE SAUVIGNON BLANC** 46
- LA MOTTE SAUVIGNON BLANC** 80
- TERRA DEL CAPO PINOT GRIGIO** 59
- FRANSCHHOEK PASS WINERY ROSÉ** 46
- PIERRE JOURDAN TRANQUILLE** 59
- LA MOTTE MILLENNIUM 2016** 86
- WOLFTRAP RED (SHIRAZ BLEND)** 46
- LYNX VINO TINTO (CABERNET BLEND)** 76
- ANTHONIJ RUPERT PROTEA CABERNET SAUVIGNON** 59
- PORCUPINE RIDGE MERLOT** 56
- BELLINGHAM PINOTAGE** 76
- HAUTE CABRIÈRE UNWOODED PINOT NOIR** 86
- ANTHONIJ RUPERT PROTEA SHIRAZ** 59

### SMALL BOTTLE SELECTION

#### WHITE WINE

- KEN FORESTER PETITE CHENIN BLANC (375ML)** 110
- WATERFORD ELGIN SAUVIGNON BLANC (500ML)** 180
- SPRINGFIELD LIFE FROM STONE SAUVIGNON BLANC (500ML)** 225
- DE WETSHOF BON VALLON CHARDONNAY (375ML)** 270

#### RED WINE

- KEN FORESTER PETITE CABERNET/MERLOT (375ML)** 110
- WATERFORD CABERNET SAUVIGNON (375ML)** 265
- SPRINGFIELD WHOLE BERRY CABERNET SAUVIGNON (500ML)** 295
- DE TOREN FUSION V (375ML)** 585

### OLD ROAD WINE Co.

- JULIETTE SAUVIGNON BLANC 2018** 265
- PARDONNEZ -MOI CINSAUT 2018** 265
- SPOTTED HOUND RED BLEND 2018** 295
- THE BUTCHER AND CLEAVER CAPE BLEND 2015** 395

### CHAMPAGNE

- JACQUART BRUT MOSAIQUE (CHAMPAGNE FRANCE)** 1295  
*Complex fruit aromas and palate, lingering flavours*
- VEUVE CLICQUOT YELLOW LABEL (CHAMPAGNE, FRANCE)** 1350  
*Fine and vigorous, fresh fruit palate*

### CAP CLASSIQUE

- L'ORMARINS BRUT CLASSIQUE (PER GLASS 65)** 295  
*Crisp fruity finesse, complex finish*
- L'ORMARINS BRUT ROSÉ (PER GLASS 65)** 295  
*Ripe, rounded, red fruits, soft finish*
- PIERRE JOURDAN CUVÉE BRUT** 325  
*Ripe aromas and palate, medium-bodied*
- GRAHAM BECK BRUT 375ML** 240  
*Chardonnay/Pinot Noir, rounded mouthfeel, firm fruit*
- GRAHAM BECK BRUT** 395  
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- GRAHAM BECK BLISS (DEMI-SEC)** 395  
*Complex fruity profile, elegant flavours*
- FRANSCHHOEK PASS MORENA BRUT ROSÉ** 380  
*Firm yet elegant berry and mineral character*
- BOSCHENDAL LE GRAND PAVILLON BRUT ROSÉ** 445  
*Lively nose, mineral, red fruits, dry*
- COLMANT BRUT RESERVE** 460  
*Crisp, appley finesse, hints of lengthy and careful maturation*

### WHITE WINES

#### CHARDONNAY

- EIKEHOF (PER CARAFE 55)** 155  
*Very finely oaked, subtle fruit*
- GLENWOOD UNWOODED** 270  
*Forthcoming crisp fruit, yet soft leesy palate*
- BOSCHENDAL 1685 (PER CARAFE 86)** 245  
*Well-rounded, some spicy oak, refreshing aftertaste*
- LA BRI VINEYARDS** 315  
*Fresh citrus, integrated oak, medium-weight flavours*
- CHAMONIX** 445  
*Medium-bodied, refined oaking, firm fruit*
- STERHUIS BARREL SELECTION (STELLENBOSCH)** 465  
*Intense leesy, complex fruit, rich palate*
- LOUIS LATOUR EN PARADIS VINZELLES (MÂCONNAIS, FRANCE)** 875  
*Stylish brioche, lemon aromas, textured mouthfeel, persistent finish*

#### CHENIN BLANC

- ANTHONIJ RUPERT PROTEA (PER CARAFE 49)** 135  
*Bright nectarine and stone fruit freshness on the nose*
- RICKETY BRIDGE** 195  
*Delicately rich, tropical fruit, dry*
- MARRAS PIEKENIERSKLOOF** 215  
*Fine floral aromas, elegantly flavourful*
- AA BADENHORST SECATEURS (MALMESBURY) (PER CARAFE 80)** 230  
*Mineral, citrus fruits, ripe, full finish*
- HOLDEN MANZ** 365  
*Softly structured, firm lingering flavours*
- BERNARD SERIES "OLD VINE"** 555  
*Rich, honeyed, dried peach tone, good texture and tangy grip*

#### SAUVIGNON BLANC

- PORCUPINE RIDGE (PER CARAFE 46)** 125  
*Balanced, fresh and flinty*
- LA MOTTE (PER CARAFE 80)** 230  
*Medium-bodied, grassy, ripe fruit, crisp*
- NEIL ELLIS GROENKLOOF (DARLING)** 245  
*Aromatic citrus, fynbos hints, lengthy finish*
- CAPE OF GOOD HOPE ALTIMA** 245  
*Full-bodied, hint of fynbos, ripe fruit, rounded finish*
- BLACK ELEPHANT VINTNERS "TWO DOGS"** 260  
*Medium-intense aromas and flavours, firm finish*
- STONY BROOK** 255  
*Firm and fruity with mineral tones*
- STEENBERG (CONSTANTIA)** 355  
*Intensely-styled, crisp minerals, mellow finish*

### SEMILLON

- HAUT ESPOIR** 295  
*Medium-bodied, open flavour, waxy edge with length*
- RICKETY BRIDGE PAULINA'S RESERVE** 345  
*Nutty nuances intermingled with zesty lime and red apple aromas. A full, rich palate of honey, nougat and citrus*
- LANDAU DU VAL PRIVATE SELECTION** 630  
*From vineyards over 100 years old, intense, rich bouquet and palate, slightly oxidative style, long and lingering*

### AROMATIC CULTIVARS

- TERRA DEL CAPO PINOT GRIGIO (PER CARAFE 59)** 165  
*Subtle deciduous fruits, low acid, lightly-styled*
- THELEMA RHINE RIESLING (STELLENBOSCH)** 255  
*Balanced, soft richness and limey freshness*
- SIMONSIG GEWÜRZTRAMINER (STELLENBOSCH)** 285  
*Rose petal aroma, soft, semi-sweet palate*
- LYNX WINES VIOGNIER** 290  
*Fruit with finesse, fresh palate, dry finish*
- LA COURONNE BARREL-FERMENTED VIOGNIER** 545  
*Full-bodied, hints of toasted oak/apricots, creamy mouthfeel*
- GUSTAVE LORENTZ RIESLING RESERVE (ALSACE, FRANCE)** 725  
*Complex and refined, rich flavour, long and lingering*

### WHITE BLENDS

- WOLFTRAP WHITE (PER CARAFE 46)** 125  
*Spice and almond flavours, well-textured palate, Viognier, Chenin Blanc and Grenache*
- HAUTE CABRIÈRE CHARDONNAY/PINOT NOIR (PER CARAFE 86)** 245  
*Deciduous fruit, firm, soft palate*
- RICKETY BRIDGE FOUNDATION STONE** 255  
*Blossom aromatics, refined structure, rich yet dry and flavourful, Chenin Blanc based*
- BLACK ELEPHANT VINTNERS TIMOTHY** 295  
*Fragrant aromas, supple palate, crisp finish*
- STONY BROOK GHOST GUM (SEMILLON/CHARDONNAY)** 370  
*Firm, smooth-textured palate, lingers*

### ROSÉ STYLE

- FRANSCHHOEK PASS WINERY (PER CARAFE 46)** 125  
*Crisp, red berry character, dry throughout*
- PIERRE JOURDAN TRANQUILLE (PER CARAFE 55)** 165  
*Light-styled blush Pinot Noir/Chardonnay blend, fruity off-dry*
- LYNX BLANC DE NOIR** 180  
*Lively red fruits, fresh and dry*
- RICKETY BRIDGE FOUNDATION STONE** 195  
*Aromatic, fine, crisp complexity, dry*
- HOLDEN MANZ (ALSO AVAILABLE IN 1.5L MAGNUM 495)** 235  
*Fruity, berry flavour, medium-bodied, dryish*

### RED WINES

#### CABERNET SAUVIGNON

- ANTHONIJ RUPERT PROTEA 2016 (PER CARAFE 59)** 165  
*Spice and fruitcake populate the bouquet, the palate is rich, supple and rounded with layers*
- FRANSCHHOEK CELLARS 2017** 185  
*Intense blackcurrant on the nose, concentrated mulberry flavour*
- EIKEHOF 2013** 195  
*Mellow flavours of spice and cassis, lightly-oaked*
- TOPIARY 2015** 240  
*Softly-styled, red fruit, hint of tannins*
- THELEMA 2015 (STELLENBOSCH)** 640  
*Dense black fruit, full-bodied, stylish*

#### MERLOT

- PORCUPINE RIDGE 2017 (PER CARAFE 56)** 155  
*Dark berry fruit, medium-bodied*
- EIKEHOF 2016** 195  
*Earthy, ripe cherry, delicately-styled*
- NORMANDIE VINEYARDS CLARINGTON 2017** 265  
*Soft-textured, dark fruit, fine-grained tannins*
- GLENWOOD 2017** 275  
*Ripe, warm fruit, savoury, smooth finish*

The majority of our wines are from the Franschhoek Valley, but we have also included selected wines from both local South African and international producers.

## PINOTAGE

- BELLINGHAM HOMESTEAD 2017** 215  
(PER CARAFE 76)  
Savoury liquorice, clove and cardamom finish, lashings of ripe berry fruit
- RICKETY BRIDGE 2017** 265  
Black and blueberry flavours with layers of plums and dark chocolate. A velvety palate
- FOUR PAWS WINE COMPANY 2011** 370  
A full-bodied, well-structured wine, lots of character, deep colour, packed with wild berry flavours
- KANONKOP 2016 (STELLENBOSCH)** 945  
Perfumed bouquet, lingering rich fruit, full mouthfeel

## PINOT NOIR

- HAUTE CABRIÈRE UNWOODED PINOT NOIR 2018 (PER CARAFE 86)** 245  
Soft, light, cherry and strawberry fruit, dry
- CHAMONIX FELDSPAR 2016** 420  
Dark berries, rounded, ripe finish
- HAUTE CABRIÈRE RESERVE 2015** 550  
Light berry flavour, textured mouthfeel, delicate tannins
- NEWTON JOHNSON FAMILY VINEYARDS 2016** 975  
Fragrant berry notes, deep flavours, succulent palate

## SHIRAZ | SYRAH

- ANTHONIJ RUPERT PROTEA 2017 (PER CARAFE 59)** 165  
Forward plummy, smokey character, light structure
- LA VERDURE CHLOË 2015** 250  
Smooth tannins and notes of pepper, lengthy finish
- GLENWOOD 2016** 295  
Ripe black fruits, moderate tannins and palate
- LA BRI VINEYARDS 2015** 335  
Added Viognier provides diversity, concentrated berry finish
- LYNX WINES 2017** 415  
Medium-bodied, depth of dark fruit, fresh tannins
- KLEINOD TAMBOERSKLOOF 2014 (STELLENBOSCH)** 485  
Aromatic, red berry, white pepper, seamless finish
- EAGLES NEST 2015 (CONSTANTIA)** 795  
Inviting, complex aromas, ripe, rounded palate, layers of dark fruits

## RED BLENDS

- BORDEAUX CULTIVARS**
- LA MOTTE MILLENNIUM 2016 (PER CARAFE 86)** 245  
Complex cherry, cedar, lingering earthy mouthfeel
- RUPERT & ROTHSCHILD CLASSIQUE 2015** 415  
Savoury, redcurrant, subtle tannins, rounded finish
- REYNEKE BIODYNAMIC CORNERSTONE 2015 (STELLENBOSCH)** 495  
Dominant dark berry aromas, cedar on the nose, wonderful balance
- ANTHONIJ RUPERT OPTIMA 2014** 510  
Intensely pleasurable black fruit wrapped up in chocolate and cream, sweet spiced notes
- HOLDEN MANZ BIG G 2014** 595  
Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc, rich with hints of minerality
- CHATEAU DES COMBES 2009 (ST-EMILION, FRANCE)** 885  
Medium-bodied, fine, grainy tannins, ripe berry/spice flavours
- MEERLUST RUBICON 2015 (STELLENBOSCH)** 995  
Medium-bodied, fine, complex flavours, integrated with oak tannins

## RED BLENDS

- VARIOUS CULTIVARS**
- WOLFTRAP RED 2017 (PER CARAFE 46)** 125  
Shiraz-based, complex, rich forward fruit
- LYNX VINO TINTO 2017 (PER CARAFE 76)** 215  
Cabernet, Petit Verdot and Shiraz-based, earthy, berry fruit, lingering vanilla finish
- RICKETY BRIDGE THE FOUNDATION STONE 2015** 255  
Medium-bodied, complex fruit and spice, fine structure
- THE FIRST XI INFINITY WINES THE PARTNERSHIP 2015** 430  
Concentrated Merlot, Cabernet and Syrah, silky red fruits, multi-dimensions
- BOEKENHOUTSKLOOF CHOCOLATE BLOCK 2017** 485  
Mainly Syrah with Cabernet Sauvignon and more, plummy, spicy notes
- AKKERDAL WILD BOAR 2015** 515  
Full flavours of wild "fynbos" spices with whiffs of chocolate and candy floss
- PERRIN CÔTES DU RHÔNE RESERVE (RHONE, FRANCE) 2015** 655  
Dark fleshy fruit, black pepper, medium-weight, pure finish, Grenache, Mourvedre and Syrah

## RARE CULTIVARS

- CHANTECLAIR MALBEC 2016** 240  
Lightly intense, juicy berry fruit, soft, spicy tones
- WATERKLOOF SERIOUSLY COOL CINSAULT 2017 (HELDERBERG)** 325  
Aromatic, supple mouthfeel, elegant integrated tannins
- LA COURONNE MALBEC 2015** 410  
Vibrant aromas of dark chocolate and spices. Rich, full and plummy with crushed berry flavours on the palate, balanced with a creamy oak finish
- CHAMONIX CABERNET FRANC 2016** 445  
Red berry aromas, dark stone fruit on the palate, fine finish
- MÔRESON CABERNET FRANC 2016** 495  
Overtones of elegant leather and blackberry is palate enticing
- TORREVENTO VIGNA PEDALE RISERVA 2009 (ITALY)** 675  
Medium-bodied, complex Nero di Troia, long and lingering finish

## APÉRITIF

- per 25ml glass
- PERNOD RICARD, CAMPARI, MARTINI** 38
- SHERRY: MEDIUM CREAM OR PALE DRY** 38

## DESSERT WINES

- per glass
- TRIENSPoor HANEPOOT JEREPIGO** 44  
Well balanced sweetness, lively acidity for a harmonious finish
- PIERRE JORDAN RATAFIA** 48  
Tropical sweetness, fortified Chardonnay, fine length
- THELEMA SEMILLON LATE HARVEST** 48  
Apricots/nectarines, long creamy finish
- STONY BROOK V ON A NOBLE LATE HARVEST** 52  
Barrel-fermented sweet Viognier, elegant, characterful

## PORT

- per glass
- LANDSKROON** 42  
Soft dark fruits, hint of tannins
- ALLESVERLOREN** 44  
Late-bottled vintage, mature, herb and dried fruit flavours
- DE KRANS CAPE TAWNY** 44  
Fine richness, earthy and savoury, yet fresh mouthfeel
- L'ORMARINS** 44  
Ripe, warm, dark fruit, full-bodied
- HOLDEN MANZ CAPE VINTAGE** 44  
Dense fruit, brandy spirit, structured long finish

## LIQUEURS

- per 25ml glass
- Amaretto** 42
- Amarula Cream** 42
- Cape Velvet Cream** 42
- Kahlua** 44
- Frangelico Hazelnut** 44
- Van Der Hum Naartjie (Tangerine)** 44
- Grand Marnier Triple Orange** 46

## SPIRITS

- per 25ml
- PREMIUM SOUTH AFRICAN BRANDY & COGNAC**
- House Brandy** 32
- KWV 10 Year Old Brandy** 40
- Van Ryn's 12 Year Old** 60
- Remy Martin VSOP Cognac** 70
- Hennessy VS Cognac** 65
- Bisquit VSOP Cognac** 60

## WHISKEY | WHISKY

- per 25ml
- Bells & J&B** 30
- Jack Daniel's Tennessee** 30
- Tullamore Dew Irish** 30
- Jameson Irish** 32
- Famous Grouse Black** 34
- Johnnie Walker Black Label** 40
- Chivas Regal** 40
- Glenfiddich Single Malt** 46
- Glenmorangie 10 Year Old Malt** 60
- Glenmorangie Lasanta 12 Year Old Malt** 70
- The Macallan Sienna Single Malt** 85

## RUM

- per 25ml
- Bacardi White Rum, Red Heart Rum** 30
- Captain Morgan Spiced Gold, Captain Morgan Dark Rum** 30
- Southern Comfort** 30

## VODKA

- per 25ml
- Smirnoff** 30
- Stolichnaya** 34
- Belvedere** 48
- Grey Goose** 48

## GIN & TONIC SELECTION

- GIN SELECTION per 25ml
- Gordon's London Dry Gin** 30
- New Harbour Distillery** 36
- Bombay Sapphire** 38
- Six Dogs Blue** 42
- Bloedlemoen** 36
- Wilderer Fynbos** 34

## TONIC SELECTION

- Fitch & Leedes Tonic** 23
- Fitch & Leedes Blue Tonic** 23
- Fitch & Leedes Pink Tonic** 23
- Barker & Quin Light at Heart (low calories)** 35
- Barker & Quin Honeybush Orange** 35
- Barker & Quin Marula** 35

## CRAFT BEER

- THE FRANSCHHOEK BEER Co.
- Striped Horse Lager 330ml** 48
- Striped Horse Pilsner 330ml** 48
- CBC Lager 440ml** 62
- CBC Pilsner 440ml** 62
- CBC Krystal Weiss 440ml** 68
- The Franschoek Beer Co**
- Three Oaks Lager 330ml** 62
- La Saison 330ml** 62
- Orange Pale Ale 330ml** 68
- The Stout 330ml** 68

## BEER · CIDER · COOLER

- Castle, Black Label** 32
- Amstel, Castle Lite, Windhoek Lager, Windhoek Light** 36
- Windhoek Draught (440ml)** 42
- Budweiser** 38
- Savanna Dry, Savanna Light, Hunter's Dry** 36
- Becks Blue (non-alcoholic)** 42

## TEA & COFFEE

- Ceylon, Rooibos or Earl Grey tea** 24
- Regular or decaf coffee** 28
- Espresso** 24 | 26
- Café Latte** 28
- Cappuccino** 28
- Hot chocolate** 28

## SOFT DRINKS

- Mixers: Lemonade, Dry Lemon, Soda, Ginger Ale** 23
- Coke, Diet Coke, Coke Zero, Tab, Sprite, Sprite Zero, Fanta, Cream Soda** 28
- Appletiser | Grapetiser, white or red** 38
- Lipton Ice Tea: peach, lemon, berry** 34
- Mineral Water**
- Small still or sparkling** 26
- Large still or sparkling** 32

Our environmentally positive water is helping You reduce your carbon footprint. Please enjoy our water and thank you for leaving the empty bottle on the table.

CORKAGE: We allow one bottle for every four guests, charged at 75 Rand per bottle. Red wine vintages are subject to change.