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• WINE MENU •

SAUNTON SANDS

HOTEL & SOURCE SPA



Sustainability and traceability are becoming more and more important to us and to our guests so look for the symbols below on the list to help you choose a wine most suited to you.

Organic ORG

Organic wine is made with no added synthetic pesticides, herbicides or any other chemicals like artificial fertilisers. The wines are accredited by the country's relevant organisation such as The Soil Association of Britain. Many more producers operate to "organic principles" but may be too small or too stubborn to go through the rigorous certification process.

Vegetarian VG

It may seem that a beverage made from pressed and fermented grapes should be vegetarian, but animal derivatives can be used in the fining process, such as Isinglass for example.

Vegan V

Vegan wines don't contain fining or clarifying agents (like egg white or Casein).

Sustainably Produced SP

Sustainable Winegrowing is a comprehensive set of practices that are environmentally sound, socially equitable and economically viable. They work to conserve energy, maintain healthy soil, protect air and water quality, enhance relations with communities, preserve ecosystems and improve the vitality of vineyards and wineries. Different wine regions have different challenges and each country has their own certifying body.

CHAMPAGNE

AYALA
MAISON FONDÉE EN 1860
AY - FRANCE

Champagne Ayala has been specially selected as the House Champagne of Brend Hotels. It is owned by the Bollinger family and is one of the longest established champagne houses, based in the town of Ay since it was founded in 1860.

Ayala Champagne was first awarded the Royal Warrant by Edward VIII in 1908 and for over a century Ayala has been the house Champagne of many a British institution.

Ayala Champagne is known for its Chardonnay driven, fresh and elegant wines, crafted on a boutique scale. The low dosage and delicate style make it the perfect epicurean pairing to be enjoyed on any occasion.



CHAMPAGNE

Glass | Bottle

1 **AYALA BRUT MAJEUR** SP - France, Champagne £13.50 | £60.00

Light gold in colour, with a delicate mousse. The nose unveils expressive notes of citrus, florals and white fruits. Ayala has been owned by Bollinger since 2005 and has grown up to be the chic little sister. The style is one of modernity exemplified by their grower relationships and the use of stainless steel in the production of their Chardonnay led style.

2 **AYALA ROSE MAJEUR** SP - France, Champagne £69.00

Delicate and tangy, light, frothy mousse. Ayala is one of the only large houses to produce a Chardonnay dominated Rose. This wine therefore displays characteristics of grapefruit and blood orange with a lip-smackingly dry finish.

3 **AYALA BLANC DE BLANCS** SP - France, Champagne £95.00

Produced in small quantities, only in exceptional vintages and then aged for 6 years. Light yet voluptuous and vibrant, showing a silky texture and a touch of raciness. Citrus, white flowers culminate in a long tight finish from the low dosage.

4 **BOLLINGER SPECIAL CUVÉE** SP - France, Champagne £19.50 | £90.00

Bollinger is one of the oldest family houses still in existence in Champagne, steeped in history and tradition. Methods have little changed and their wines are truly outstanding. Pinot Noir is the backbone of this house, giving richer flavours, further enhanced by their unique use of cask.

5 **BOLLINGER LA GRANDE ANNÉE** SP - France, Champagne £180.00

One of very few Champagnes to be entirely barrel fermented, this results in a richer and fuller style of Champagne. Flavours of honey, candied lemon with citrus pink grapefruit and toasty biscuit.

6 **DOM PERIGNON V** SP - France, Champagne £290.00

Bright floral notes give way to candied fruit, herbaceousness and finally hints of liquorice. Confidently mineral and persistent, this is a classic accompaniment to a stylish celebration.

PROSECCO & SPARKLING

Glass | Bottle

7 **CHIO ROSE SPUMANTE V** - Italy, Veneto £32.00

Light delicate pink Italian sparkling wine with soft summer berry hints and refreshing smooth bubbles.

8 **CHIO PROSECCO V** - Italy, Veneto £8.50 | £36.00

Fruity flavours of apple, melon and pear mingle with a gently floral note. The mousse is fine, frothy and persistent.

9 **CHIO PROSECCO DOCG V** - Italy, Veneto £40.00

This refreshing sparkler is from the premium Prosecco area of Asolo, known as 'The Pearl of Treviso.' This is a fruit-filled wine, expressing pear and apple flavours and a touch of nuttiness. It has more complexity and finesse than a DOC Prosecco due to the uniquely hilly aspect and mineral-rich soil. This gives the wine great structural character.

10 **RAWSONS RETREAT SPARKLING 0.5% SP** - Australia, South East £20.00

Dry and fruity with flavours of lemon peel, peach. Elderflower, honey and yellow apples.

ROSÉ WINES

VIN DE PROVENCE

AIX



Maison Saint Aix is family owned winery nestled in the rolling Provence hills, North-East of Aix-en-Provence, France. This wonderful location with its cool nights and hot days and regular cooling Mistral winds are the perfect conditions for growing Grenache, Syrah & Cinsault which make up the backbone of AIX Rosé.

AIX Rosé is created to be the purest possible expression of what a rosé wine can be and as become a benchmark for Provence Rosé. Born from generosity, AIX is a wine that brings people together to share a glass, a meal, a story, a moment.

The nose is fresh and fragrant, delicately youthful, and offers class notes of strawberries, flowers and peaches. There is a subtle note of white pepper and a clean minerality through to the finish.

175ml | 250ml | Bottle

11 **VIN DE PROVENCE AIX ROSÉ VG SP**
France, Provence

£13.50 | £19.00 | £49.00

12 **WINSTON HILL ZINFANDEL ROSÉ**
USA, California

£8.00 | £10.70 | £29.00

Full of bold jammy red fruits, off dry style but with a light refreshing finish.

13 **COASTAL RESERVE PINOT GRIGIO ROSÉ V SP**
Italy, Pavia

£8.00 | £10.70 | £29.00

Produced in the province of Pavia, where the long slow ripening season helps create wines of complexity and finesse. Juicy red berry flavours, Galia melon and subtle honeysuckle lead to a clean finish with a hint of white pepper.

CLASSIC WHITE WINES

175ml | 250ml | Bottle

14 **BLASS RESERVE CHARDONNAY SEMILLON SP** £7.70 | £10.30 | £28.00
Australia, Adelaide Hills

Lifted notes of pear skin, melon and citrus. Richer stone fruit on the palate with a subtle creamy finish.

15 **COASTAL RESERVE SAUVIGNON BLANC V SP** £8.00 | £10.70 | £29.00
France, South West

A speciality of south west France, this dry white wine is vibrant and elegant. Typical of Sauvignon Blanc this wine has a fresh grassy character and punchy tropical fruit flavours.

16 **CAVALIERE D'ORO PINOT GRIGIO SP** £8.30 | £11.00 | £30.00
Italy, Veneto

Floral notes caress the nose, with nuances of pear and honeydew melon. Citrus flavours are evident on the palate, alongside crunchy green apple and pear. This wine finds an excellent harmony of fruit and acid, with a slightly nutty almond finish.

17 **BRUNNER PIESPORTER V** £8.00 | £10.70 | £29.00
Germany, Rheinhessen

A sweeter option with notes of apricot, fleshy peach and pear.

18 **THE CROSSINGS AWATERE VALLEY SAUVIGNON BLANC** £12.40 | £16.50 | £45.00

New Zealand, Marlborough

This wine shows lifted notes of gooseberry and passionfruit, underpinned with citrus zing. The palate is full, with pure fruit flavours and balanced with a persistent mineral finish

19 **DOMAINE CHANSON CHABLIS** £60.00
France, Burgundy

Delicate floral fragrances mingle with an abundance of citrus fruit. The wine is tight and tense with a good structure and a refreshing mineral finish.

CLASSIC WHITE WINES

Bottle

20 **LANGLOIS CHATEAU SANCERRE SP** £52.00

France, Loire Valley

Aromas of lemon, lime and white peach characterise the intense nose. The crisp fruit, mouth-watering acidity and touches of minerality all sit harmoniously on the palate. Drink as an aperitif, or partner with fresh seafood or goats cheese.

21 **M. CHAPOUTIER SCHIEFERKOPF RIESLING SP** £42.00

Germany, Baden

Amazingly aromatic with citrus, pineapple and mineral notes. Zippy acidity to balance the most subtle off-dry character.

22 **LANGLOIS CHATEAU MUSCADET SEVRE ET MAINE SUR LIE SP** £42.00

France, Loire Valley

Delicate aromas of stone and citrus fruit with a palate of everything you would want from a Muscadet of this quality: fresh, fruity, bone dry with a salty tang on the finish.

23 **FONTANAFREDDA GAVI DI GAVI DOCG V** £58.00

Italy, Piemonte

One of Italy's most fashionable whites, it is noted for acute dryness and fresh, flinty acidity. It has a full, delicate, elegant bouquet which brings flowers and fresh fruit to mind - mostly lemons, lilies of the valley and green apples. Its palate is attractively young, dry, fresh and well-balanced.

24 **DOMAINE CHANSON MEURSAULT V SP** £110.00

France, Burgundy

Floral fragrances of acacia mixed with refreshing citrus fruit. Tight and precise texture with hazelnut and vanilla on the finish. Long and mineral finish.

25 **KEN FORRESTER CHENIN BLANC RESERVE** £45.00

South Africa, Stellenbosch Somerset West

Mr Chenin! Ken Forrester is an icon of the wine world when it comes to the humble championing of Chenin Blanc. This is a great example, full bodied and well-rounded with a complex structure. Bursting with flavours of dried apricots and hints of vanilla and honey that last long on the finish.

CONTEMPORARY WHITE WINES

Bottle

26 JEAN- LUC COLOMBO 'LES GIRELLES' PICPOUL

£36.00

France, Languedoc

An organic wine from a family producer. This wine has a rich but subtle nose, with fresh notes of white flowers. Nicely rounded on the palate with flavours of lemon and grapefruit. Each of the wines of Jean Luc Colombo has a distinctive label, carefully created by painter and family friend of the Colombo family, Marie-Annick Dutreil. The Rainbow Wrasse or 'Les Girelles' are commonly found in the Mediterranean, close to where this wine originates from.

27 LA JOYA VIOGNIER V SP

£33.00

Chile, Colchagua

The delicate nose is reminiscent of white flowers with subtle notes of white peach. Its slightly mineral profile adds complexity and its balanced acidity in the mouth gives the wine a more persistent and classy finish.

30 TALBOTT 'KALI HART' CHARDONNAY

£52.00

USA, California

The cool climate on these vineyards brings out the Chardonnay grape's subtle and elegant aromas. Made in a Burgundian style, this wine is the most fruit-forward in Talbott Vineyards' portfolio. This is bright and refreshing, with notes of white stone fruit, tropical fruit and vanilla.

31 YOU & ME ALBARINO V SP

£45.00

Spain, Rías Baixas

This fabulous Albarino comes from the most northern and coolest subzone of Rías Baixas. A truly refreshing Albarino oozing with flavour, from apricot and banana to acacia honey with a tantalising mineral finish.

CONTEMPORARY WHITE WINES

175ml | 250ml | Bottle

32 **KLEIN CONSTANTIA METIS SAUVIGNON BLANC SP** £62.00
South Africa, Constantia

Inspired by the time Matt Day (winemaker) spent in the Loire Valley, this is a naturally fermented Sauvignon Blanc made with minimal sulphur dioxide. Savoury, wild and leesy with fresh citrus aromas. The wine has a round and expressive palate, full and grippy with a zesty acidity. It finishes with a long burst of mineral and lime flavours and a Sancerre-like tang.

33 **SHARPHAM DART VALLEY RESERVE** £10.50 | £14.00 | £38.00
England, South Devon

This wine is ripe and fruit driven but dry. Stone fruit such as white peach dominate the aroma profile. The palate is rounded with subtle spice on the finish.

34 **KILIKANOON PEARCE ROAD SEMILLON** £55.00
Australia, Clare Valley

Citrus-driven, the wine is primary yet complex with lemons, limes and cut grass, perfectly in sync with creamy yoghurt character, crisp acidity and sublime French oak in the background.

35 **RAWSONS RETREAT CHARDONNAY SEMILLON 0.5% SP** £18.00
Australia, South East

Sourced from carefully selected fruit parcels, this low alcohol Semillon Chardonnay is crisp and vibrant. Fresh, tropical and citrus fruit flavours spread across the mid palate. Melons, lemons and limes are easily detected followed by crisp rounded acidity and a slight tartness.

36 **ORUBE RIOJA BLANCO** £36.00
Spain, Rioja

White peach and tropical fruit freshness lead to rich nuttiness and a lick of coconut from the oak. Creamy and unctuous in texture. A real gem.

CLASSIC RED WINES

175ml | 250ml | Bottle

37 **BLASS RESERVE SHIRAZ CABERNET SAUVIGNON SP** £7.70 | £10.30 | £28.00
Australia, Langhorne Creek

Bright and juicy plum, redcurrant and red berries with subtle hints of oak. Soft and easy - drinking with a hint of spice from the Shiraz and a classic eucalyptus note from the Cabernet.

38 **COASTAL RESERVE MERLOT V SP** £8.00 | £10.70 | £29.00
Spain, La Mancha

The dry summer heat of Spain beautifully ripens the grapes and concentrates the rich plum and red fruit flavours. The wines supple structure is complimented by a hint of liquorice and warm vanilla spice.

39 **M. CHAPOUTIER CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE, LA BERNARDINE SP** £85.00
Rhône Valley, France

Crimson in colour with a complex nose of blackcurrant and plum followed by roasted coffee and cinnamon, red cherry and morello cherry. A spicy palate with liquorice, pepper and clove.

40 **JEAN-LUC COLOMBO CAIRANNE** £55.00
France, Rhône Valley

Cairanne is a Cru of the Rhône Valley and a hidden gem of the region. This wine is a blend of mainly Grenache with some Syrah. Deep garnet colour, the nose has wonderful aromas of red fruits and spices. The wine provides a fresh mouthfeel with silky tannins and flavours of ripe strawberries and fresh pepper.

41 **PENFOLDS RETRO SHIRAZ CABERNET SAUVIGNON SP** £45.00
Australia, Eden Valley

Spicy and fruit driven, with a medley of blackcurrant and black fruit cascading onto the palate. There is sweet vanilla spice and cedar oak adding complexity.

42 **CAVALIERE D'ORO CHIANTI CLASSICO RISERVA SP** £11.50 | £15.40 | £42.00
Italy, Tuscany

Created from the estate's oldest vineyards, this Riserva Chianti Classico keeps the most typical characteristics of this old tradition wine emphasised by a balanced ageing in wood.

CLASSIC RED WINES

175ml | 250ml | Bottle

43 **THE CROSSINGS PINOT NOIR V SP** £13.20 | £17.60 | £48.00
New Zealand, Marlborough

This expressive Pinot Noir has lifted aromas of black plums and violets. Ripe berry fruit flavours combine with savoury notes on the palate to produce a wine that is both elegant and approachable.

45 **BLASON DE L'EVANGILE POMEROL SP** £120.00
France, Bordeaux

Blason de l'Evangile Pomerol is made from grapes grown in Domaines Barons de Rothschild (Lafite)'s vineyards with the same care and attention as the Grand Vins but made from the younger vines. This allows for a fresher, and less aged style of classic top notch Bordeaux.

46 **CHÂTEAU BLACERET ROY** £45.00
France, Beaujolais Village

A lighter bodied yet structured wine with heady and rich flavours of wild strawberry and cherry complimented in flavour by cocoa and leather notes.

47 **CHÂTEAU RAUZAN-SÉGLA** £90.00
France, Burgundy

Ségla is the second wine of the famous Margaux Second Growth Châteaux Rauzan-Ségla. It's your chance to taste their famous expertise for less. Its tannins are ripe and smooth and its deliciously approachable in its youth. It shows fragrant notes of ripe fruits, violets and cedar with beautiful length.

49 **FONTANAFREDDA BAROLO DI SERRALUNGA D'ALBA V** £85.00
Italy, Piemonte

Classic dark tar and perfumed roses on the nose, light in colour but with great power, concentration and well balanced ripe tannins. This is a wine to match with rich foods and game dishes.

50 **JULIO BOUCHON CANTO SUR CARMENERE CARIGNAN PAIS** £40.00
Chile, Maule Valley

Brilliant red with violet notes. It presents a complex nose, with red fruits, black pepper and dried herbs. The wine is juicy on the palate with firm tannins with a granular texture. Made from three patrimonial grapes of Chile-Carmenere, Carignan, Pais, fermented with native yeast in concrete vats to allow the expression of the Maule grapes to shine through.

CONTEMPORARY RED WINES

175ml | 250ml | Bottle

51 **RAVENSWOOD OLD VINE ZINFANDEL** – USA, California £45.00

This wine is velvety smooth, with layers of blueberries, black plums, vanilla, which are complemented by a long and lingering finish. Surviving prohibition by a legal loophole, Lodi boasts some of America's most ancient Zinfandel vines. Old vines craft the most concentrated fruit. So it's no surprise that this pumps with black-fruit flavour. If you like a full-bodied red with gallons of taste, you'll love this.

52 **FERTUNA PACTIO SP** – Italy, Tuscany £49.00

Pactio was born from the meeting of Fertuna and Nicolò Incisa della Rocchetta (of Sassicaia). Unbelievable Super Tuscan with red fruit, vanilla hints and great structure.

53 **KLEIN CONSTANTIA ESTATE RED SP** – South Africa, Constantia £62.00

Intense red and black fruit with notes of cinnamon spice on the nose. Full bodied and savoury with a well-integrated oak component, ending with a long and rich finish. The blend is dominated by king of the red grapes: Cabernet, and further enhanced with Shiraz, Malbec and Petit Verdot.

54 **BODEGAS RODA SELA VG SP** – Spain, Rioja £58.00

Made from bush vines 15-30 years old which are low yielding but produce quality concentrated fruit. The nose is bursting with aromas of cherries, redcurrants and blackberries. The palate is elegant with lively, fresh flavours. An entire year in semi-new French oak rounds the wine out to perfection.

55 **ME & YOU TEMPRANILLO V SP** £10.20 | £13.60 | £37.00
Spain, Ribera Del Duero

Soft, fresh and velvety on the palate, this wine is perfectly balanced and opens up with juicy red fruit like strawberry, cherry and plum. To finish, there are lingering flavours of fruit caramels.

56 **RAWSONS RETREAT CABERNET 0.5% SP** – Australia, South East £18.00

Deep flavours of raspberry and blackcurrant with a slight tartness, followed by layers of sweet spice like cinnamon and clove.

CONTEMPORARY RED WINES

175ml | 250ml | Bottle

57 **FINCA FLICHMAN DEDICADO TUPUNGATO MALBEC V SP** £58.00
Argentina, Mendoza

Made from the best hand-harvested fruit from the high altitude Tupungato vineyards in the Valle de Uco, giving the wine a balance of elegance and intensity. It bursts with aromas of ripe red fruits, plums and redcurrants, along with integrated oak influences. It shows good concentration, and has a complex and wonderfully persistent finish.

58 **ACORDEÓN MALBEC V SP** £10.70 | £14.30 | £39.00
Mendoza, Argentina

Opening with blackberries and black plums, together with vanilla, cinnamon and chocolate touches. Wonderfully complex and velvety in texture yet balanced by good acidity.

59 **KALI HART PINOT NOIR SP** £58.00
USA, California

Delightful and intriguing nose with spices, cedar oak, red fruits and hints of herbs. Characterful palate with strawberry, rhubarb and mushroom.

61 **CIACCI PICCOLOMINI D'ARAGONA ATEO SANT' ANTIMO DOC V** £52.00
Italy, Tuscany

Ateo or 'the Atheist' has a bouquet that is intense with herbal, spicy, fruit-forward notes. Well structured, full bodied, quite soft and balanced with pronounced tannins, A wine with a great personality and long after-taste.

62 **BRIO DE CANTENAC BROWN 2015** £110.00
France, Margaux

The second wine of Château Cantenac Brown, has a deep intensity with aromas of ripe raspberry. Full and round, with flavours of red and black fruits, complemented by hints of cherry and blackberry. Showing fine tannins, the finish is delicate and elegant.

DESSERT WINES

100ml | Bottle

63 **PALAZZINA MOSCATO PASSITO V SP** £10.00 | £32.00 (375ml)
Italy, Piedmont

A nose of intense lemon meringue pie, marmalade, hard caramel and toffee apple. The palate has lots of ripe apricot and acacia honey characters with a core of homemade lemon curd running through to the long, fresh and lingering citrus finish.

64 **M. CHAPOUTIER AC BANYULS DESSERT WINE SP** £12.00 | £55.00 (500ml)
France, Rhone

Stewed fruits subtly influenced by cocoa with sumptuous balance between the strength of the wine and the finesse of its tannins. The perfect pairing with black fruit desserts and chocolate.

66 **LUCIEN LURTON ET FILS GARONNELLES SAUTERNES** £18.50 | £61.00 (375ml)
France, Bordeaux

An elegant wine - rich flavours of exotic fruit, pineapple and citrus. Well balanced with a long finish.