

Wine List

Our wines have been carefully chosen to complement the menus chosen by our team along with John McDonnell, one of Ireland's best regarded wine experts.

We want every glass of wine served here to be enjoyed to the maximum so please let us know if, for whatever reason, you are not enjoying your wine experience and we will endeavor to find you a replacement to suit.

Along with choosing the best tasting wines, we have also, worked to include many organic and biodynamic wines on this list, but even more so, we have taken the time to source wines produced by businesses that work to B-Corporation standards, a standard the Armada aspires to. 'B-Corp' companies, balance purpose with profit, making a positive difference to those engaged with it, including community, employees, suppliers. And set a new standard of good business practices.



Pouring Fizz Wines

	<i>Glass</i>	<i>Bottle</i>	<i>Bin</i>
Monte la Reina, Frizzante Rosé	€8.95	€36.00	30
<i>Spain</i>			
Bursting with delicious strawberry and rasperry fruit, kept in check with fizz and chill.			

Bedin, Prosecco Frizzante	€8.95	€38.00	31
<i>Italy</i>			
Nothing like a glass of this bubbles to lift the spirit. Treat yourself.			

Jean Pernet, Champagne Brut Tradition	€17.00	€93.00	32
<i>Champagne</i>			
As served regularly on Aer Lingus. Fasten your seat belts and prepare for take off!			

	<i>Bottle</i>	<i>Bin</i>
Mistinguett, Cava Rosé	€65.00	33
<i>Penedes, Spain</i>		
Cava has been forgotten in our rush for Prosecco. This dry, salmon pink, savoury wine might make us think again.		

Parès Balta, Cava Brut	€55.00	34
<i>Penedès, Spain</i>		
On the nose are classic Cava notes of green apple, pear and lemon zest while the first sip reveals a crisp dryness, plenty of mouthwatering acidity and citrus flavours.		

Deutz Blanc Rose	€180.00	38
<i>Champagne,</i>		
A blend of the first Pinot Noir grands crus from the Montagne de Reims with a touch of Chardonnay (respectively about 90% - 10%)		

Jean Pernet, Champagne Brut Tradition	€93.00	32
<i>Champagne</i>		
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Deutz Blanc de Blanc	€180.00	38
<i>Champagne, 2016</i>		
Made exclusively from Chardonnay grapes, this Deutz 2011 is an elegant, classy and refined Champagne.		

Bollinger, Grand Année	€280.00	39
<i>Champagne, 2012</i>		
One of Champagne's most famous names. Bollinger's Grand Annee is all about power and elegance. In Bond terms a blend of Daniel Craig and Timothy Dalton.		



Pouring Wines

White

Glass Bottle Bin

Comte de Treillière, Sauvignon Blanc €6.90 €30.00 1

Vin de France, 2020

Classic French Sauvignon Blanc. Gentle gooseberries and elderflower with delicious crisp acidity. Perfect with our Burren Smoked Salmon.

Mezzacorona, Forte Alto Pinot Grigio €7.20 €34.00 2

Dolomites, Italy, 2021

Pinot Grigio can be a bit bland, but Forte Alto's grapes work hard to ripen in their high altitude vineyards in the alpine foothills. It gives their wines just that bit extra flavour, attitude and interest.

**Domaine des Lauriers,
Treize Vents Picpoul de Pinet** €8.90 €38.00 3

Picpoul, Languedoc, 2020

In a world awash with SB and PG, Picpoul from Pinet is local, unique and idiosyncratic. Well worth your time.

Montford Estate, Sauvignon Blanc €8.90 €38.00 4

Marlborough, New Zealand, 2021

Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc has become one of Ireland's most popular wine styles. A glass of this Montford Estate version shows why.

Etra, Albariño €9.00 €38.50 5

Rias Baixas, Galicia, 2021

Albariño, Spain's 'hot' white grape variety from the top left hand corner of the country. Fruity and floral aromas make you think it's Sauvignon Blanc but citrus and apricot flavours prove it isn't.

Prinz Von Hessen, Classic Riesling €12.50 €52.00 6

Rheingau, Germany, 2020

Delicate, delicious & alive. Yes, this Riesling has just a hint of sweetness but is perfectly balanced with grapefruit, greens apples and a squeeze of lime



Pouring Wines

Rosé

Glass	Bottle	Bin
€7.20	€32.00	7

Château Fontarèche, Cuvée Tradition Rosé

Corbières, 2020

A delicious, dry rosé. Strawberry and grenadine fruits, with a hint of grown up gooseberry and mint.

Red

Glass	Bottle	Bin
€6.90	€30.00	40

TLG , Tempranillo

Cariñena, Spain, 2020

Cariñena may not be well known, but winemaking there has a long history. Long warm summers are producing tasty, soft, juicy wines.

Esporão Monte Vehlo Tinto, Touriga Nacional, Aragonez, Trincadeira

Alentejo, Portugal, 2020

A chance to taste (and pronounce) a blend of Portugal's unique grape varieties. Medium to full bodied, dark red fruits with hints of leather and sweet spices

€8.80	€38.00	41
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Finca Florencia, Malbec

Mendoza, Argentina, 2020

Malbec's bramble fruit flavours and dark chocolate intensity are softened by spending 6 months in American oak barrels, giving a smoother, silkier mouthfeel.

€7.90	€35.00	42
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Château Timberlay, Merlot Cabernet Sauvignon

Bordeaux Supérieur, 2017

A medium bodied, Merlot/Cabernet blend. Soft but not flabby, tannins but not tannic, reds fruits but not just, chocolate, liquorice and tobacco. Order the lamb!

€11.00	€45.00	43
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Baron de Ley, Rioja Reserva

Rioja, Spain, 2017

Our signature red & a vineyard we have visited, experienced, and are passionate about. It's been the wine of choice for very special events here - a wine that delivers every time

€11.80	€49.00	44
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Alvaro Palacios Camins del Priorat, Rioja Reserva

Rioja, Spain, 2019

A combination of one of Spain's oldest wine regions and most innovative wine makers gives us this beautiful wine. What a treat. Olé!

€17.50	€70.00	45
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Crisp, Invigorating, Dancing Whites

	Bottle	Bin
Siegal, Handpicked Reserva Sauvignon Blanc <i>Curico Valley, Chile, 2021</i> Tempted by the Fish and Chip? Wine-wise save yourself the stress and order this fresh, citrusy, slightly herbal Chilean beauty.	€32.00	8
Gorgorito, Verdejo <i>Rueda, Spain, 2020</i> Rueda is where the Rioja producers like to source Verdejo grapes for their refreshing, crisp white wines.	€33.00	9
Lyrarakis, 'Voila' Assyrtiko <i>Crete, Greece, 2020</i> Greece was making wines when France was still in short pants. Order it with me.....As-Sear-Tiko....and enjoy a Aegean delight.	€39.00	10
te Pā, Sauvignon Blanc <i>Marlborough, New Zealand, 2021</i> te Pā owner Haysley MacDonald descends from the original Māori people who landed in Marlborough in 1350. He lives this place, and loves its wines.	€42.00	11

Elegant and Stylish Whites

	Bottle	Bin
Huber, 'Vision' Organic Grüner Veltliner <i>Austria, 2019</i> Markus Huber's take on Austria's unique grape variety. Ripe apples balanced with fresh lemon and lime.	€42.00	12
Symington Family Estates, Altano Branco <i>Douro Valley, Portugal, 2020, B-Corp</i> Yes, the Douro is famous for its fortified wines. But this wine shows what local white varieties can do in the region. Green apples, citrus and herbaceous.	€45.00	13
Seifried, 'Old Coach Road' Sauvignon Blanc <i>Nelson, New Zealand, 2021</i> Another classic example of this grape variety from Aotea-Roa, the Land of the Long White Cloud. All gooseberries, elderflower and sugersnap peas balanced with a mineral acidity.	€48.00	14
Cono Sur, Single Vineyard Riesling <i>Rulos del Alto, Bio-Bio Valley, Chile, 2018, B-Corp</i> Delicious Dry Riesling. Grapefruit, peach and toast balanced with lime & lemons. And did we mention it's dry!	€49.00	15
Domaine Chatelain, Sancerre <i>Loire Valley, 2020</i> The original, and classic, home for fresh, crunchy, alive Sauvignon Blanc.	€56.00	16
Domaine Laroche St.Martin, Chablis <i>Burgundy, 2020</i> Classic Chablis. Crisp, dry and zesty. Flavours of pears, white flowers and gooseberry, hints of vanilla, smoke and spice from one of the great growers of the area.	€76.00	17

Textured & Generous Whites

Vipava 1894, Sivi Pinot (Gris)

Bottle Bin
€49.00 18

Vipava Valley, Slovenia, 2017/2018

Pinot Gris, the same variety as Pinot Grigio, but what a difference. Later harvest, skin contact and natural fermentation give a rich, complex wine.

Baron de Ley, Tres Vinos Blanco

€56.00 19

Rioja, Spain, 2018

White Rioja, now that's unique. Generous butter, nuts & vanilla enlivened by grapefruit, lime and orange zest.

Cono Sur, '20 Barrels Chardonnay

€66.00 20

Casablanca Valley, Chile, 2017, B-Corp

The 'chile' (get it?) Casablanca Valley delivers freshness and life to this textured chardonnay.

Daniel Barrard, Chardonnay 'Alliance'

€68.00 21

Pouilly Fuissé, Burgundy, 2017/2020

Tempted by the Galleon seafood platter? Then this complex, toasty, textured Burgundy is the perfect match.

Puligny-Montrachet, Patriarche

€140.00 71

Burgundy, 2016

A mesmerising balance of flavours: peach, melon, roasted hazelnuts and cream, that somehow come together to make a fabulously harmonious wine.

Meursault 1er Cru "Château de Blagny"

€165.00 70

Côte de Beaune, 2017

With a pale yellow color, our Meursault 1er Cru "Château de Blagny" reveals an intense bouquet of exotic fruits and peach. The mouth is rich and attractive offering fleshy fruit flavor.

Clos de l'Oratoire Des Papes Blanc, Châteauneuf-du-Pape

€190.00 23

Rhone Valley, 2018

More known for its red wines, Châteauneuf-du-Pape also produces a small amount of rich, full bodied and complex whites.

Rosé Wines

Château Fontareche, Cuveé Tradition Rosé

Bottle Bin
€32.00 7

Corbières, 2020

A delicious, dry rosé. Strawberry and grenadine fruits, with a hint of grown up gooseberry and mint.

Baron de Ley, Rosada

€35.00 24

Rioja, Spain, 2020

Sound of the sea, gentle breeze on your back, glass of Baron de Ley Rosé in hand....cast all your cares away!

Château Léoube, Grenache, Cinsault, Syrah & Mourvedre

€58.00 25

Côtes de Provence, 2019

Now this is a serious Rosé. Lots of red summer fruits, shot through with local herbs (mint, thyme) and a saline edge lift this to another level.

Soft, Fruity, Forward Reds

Tenuta Giglio, Montepulciano d'Abruzzo Bottle Bin
€34.00 46
Abruzzo, Italy, 2020
Delicious, unique and no-nonsense Montepulciano from Abruzzo (just behind Italy's knee). Made for the Olive and Tomato Tapenade.

Herbe Sainte, Merlot €32.00 47
Vin de Pays d'Oc, 2021
A soft, juicy Merlot, with just enough spicy hints to work perfectly with our Beef Burger.

Domaine Leyre-Loup, Fleurie €52.00 48
Beaujolais, France, 2019
A famous name that can disappoint. But from older vines, in the right hands, Fleurie can produce elegant, balanced, delectable wines. Brothers Jacques and Christophe Lanson share those 'right hands'.

Medium Bodied, Refined Reds

Angove's Naturalis, Cabernet Sauvignon Bottle Bin
€38.00 49
South Australia, 2019, Organic
One of Australia's oldest family company, doing the right thing by wines and vineyard.

Olivier Ravoire, 'La Pouladiere' Côtes du Rhône €45.00 50
Rhone Valley, 2020
All you'd expect from a good Côtes du Rhône. Soft red fruits, generous palate and a hint of peppery spice.

Symington, Altano Organic €48.00 51
Douro Valley, Portugal, 2018/2020, B-Corp
Famous for it's Port wines, the Douro Valley is now producing some great table wines. Think Port without the sweetness

Cono Sur, 20 Barrels Pinot Noir €68.00 52
Casablanca Valley, Chile, 2018, B-Corp
Delicious fresh Pinot Noir. Delicate cherry and raspberry fruit, bottle age brings a hint of savoury earthiness. And a lip smacking pirouette of freshness on the end. Chef, the duck please!

Domaine Antonin Guyon, 'Clos du Village' €210.00 53
Chambolle Musigny, Burgundy, 2018
"It's a hard grape to grow...thin skinned, temperamental, ripens early. Pinot needs constant care and attention...it can grow in these really specific, little, tucked away corners of the world. And only the most patient and nurturing of growers can do it, really. Only somebody who takes time to understand Pinot's potential can then coax it into its fullest expression." Name that movie?

Phélan Ségur, €220.00 54
St Estephe, Bordeaux, 2016
Unique, beautiful, Bordeaux. Grace and power, sweet fruit and exocitic spices, cassis and cigar box, line and length. Bernard O'Phelan from Tipperary would be proud.



Big, Generous, Everest like Reds

Bodega Familia Cassone, Siete Cuchillos Malbec Bottle Bin
€32.00 55
Mendoza, Argentina, 2021

Malbec, originally from Cahors in France but now Argentina's unique calling card in the wine world. Big, rich, dark fruits cut through with smoke and spice.

Baron de Ley, Reserva Tempranillo, Grenache €49.00 44
Rioja, Spain, 2017

This red has been the wine of choice for very special events here - a wine that delivers every time.

D'Arenberg, 'The Footbolt' Shiraz €52.00 57
Mc Laren Vale, South Australia, 2018

"Lovely smooth clean fruits that get better and better as the bottle empties. A very stylish all-rounder to put alongside red meats and cheese." John Wilson, Irish Times

Château Puynard, 'The Steps' €60.00 58
Blaye, Bordeaux, 2017

Owned by a couple from Cavan. But nothing mean here. Big rich, dark fruits with hints of spice and wood.

Esporão, Reserva Tinto €66.00 59
Alentejo, Portugal, 2019

A serious and delicious Portuguese red wine. Lots of rich, ripe fruit kept in check with hints coffee, mint, pepper, clove and a brush of tannin

**Domaine des Peres de L'Eglise,
Le Calice de St Pierre** €75.00 60
Châteauneuf du Pape, 2019

Niece Laeticia and Uncle Serge make classic CdP wines. Powerful, dark cherries and baked strawberries, hints of licourice, lavender and cinnamon all kept in check with some gentle tannins.

Delas Frères, 'Domaine des Grand Chemins' €95.00 61
Crozes-Hermitage, 2018

Another Rhone Valley classic, but very different to the CdP above. 100% Syrah here, dense, dark red fruits with savoury hints of bacon, smoke, pepper and dark chocolate. Did someone order the steak?

Penfolds, Bin 389 Cabernet Shiraz €190.00 62
South Australia, 2018

Affectionaltly known as 'Baby Grange'. (But only a baby in relation to that most famous Penfold's wine). Bin 389, a classic Australian blend of Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz, is a seriously grown up wine.

