

Good booze isn't cheap
and
cheap booze isn't good.

And we love our customers and our booze
so we only provide what we can be proud
of and stand by as good booze.

Most of what we sell is available take away.
Ask the bartender about discounts and
ordering in what we sell so you can enjoy
the good stuff at home too.

BEERS and CIDERS

"He was a wise man who invented beer." – Plato.

Bent Spoke Sprocket Big and Hoppy	7.0%	ACT	\$15
Mr Banks West Coast IPA	6.2%	VIC	\$13.5
Balter "Captain Sensible" Ale	3.5%	QLD	\$10
Eagle Bay Brewing Co Lager	4.8%	WA	\$10
Colonial IPA	6.5%	VIC	\$10
Nail Oatmeal Stout	6.0%	WA	\$10.5
Wilson – on rotation		WA	\$10
Hop Nation The Buzz American Red	6.0%	VIC	\$15
One Case Wonder:	We bring in different beers, one case at a time. Check the specials menu for what's on offer today.		
Running with Thieves Ginger Beer	4.0%	WA	\$11
Beerfarm Manjimup Apple Cider	4.8%	WA	\$10

COCKTAILS – CLASSICS

These have stood the test of time, and we serve them with integrity and respect. We offer some with a little tweak, a modern nod to the masters.

Negroni. Gin, Campari, sweet vermouth.	\$20
Spanish Negroni. Gin Mare, Campari, sweet vermouth, burnt rosemary	\$23
Old Fashioned. Buffalo Trace, orange and Angostura bitters, sugar	\$20
Banana Old Fashioned. Banana infused bourbon, smoked maple syrup	\$20
Hemingway Daquiri. White rum, cherry liqueur, grapefruit, lime, sugar	\$20
Hanky Panky. Gin, sweet vermouth, Fernet Branca	\$21
Martini. Choose from any of our gins or vodkas (prices vary – please ask waitstaff or our bartenders). Do you want it dry? Dirty? Wet? Lemon? Ginger twist? We have options and are happy to oblige.	
Bloody Mary. Vodka, tomato juice, Worcestershire, Sriracha, lemon	\$18
Charlie Chaplin Sloe gin, apricot brandy, lime	\$19
Aviation. Gin, cherry liqueur, creme de violette, lemon	\$21

Know some others? So do we. Ask our bartenders and if we have the booze, we'll make the drink.

MOCKTAILS

LiberTEA. Peach green iced tea	\$8
Soft Passions. Passionfruit syrup, soda, lime, in a salt rimmed glass	\$10
Shirley Spritzer. House-made orange and szechuan shrub, soda	\$10
Vietnamese Iced Coffee. Black coffee, condensed milk \$10. Try it boozy	\$16

COCKTAILS – LIBERTE ORIGINALS

"I wanted to try this new drink. That's all we do, isn't it - look at things and try new drinks?" – Hemingway.

La Vie En Rose. Plum gin, Okar Island Bitters, rosewater, plum sorbet and bubbles	\$21
My Little Negroni. Applejack brandy, Wild Rose vermouth, Aperol	\$21
Cheshire's Grin. Mandarin infused gin, Mando liqueur, lemon, whites	\$20
Pink Galah. Musk stick infused vodka, lemon, lemon soda, Peychaud's	\$16
Summer Rain. Vodka, brandy, blue curacao, creme de peche, lime, cream, orgeat, soda and whites	\$21
Rumble Jam. House blend of three rums, lime, pineapple juice, bitters	\$20
Little Gray Gimlet. Earl Grey gin, lime skin syrup, fresh lime, orange and cardamom bitters	\$18
Green Beret. Tequila, cucumber juice, Vietnamese mint, lime, agave	\$20
Tamarind Sour. Buffalo Trace, tamarind, lime, sugar	\$20
Roger Ramjet. Mezcal, Cynar, Goslings rum, lemon, chargrilled pear syrup, burnt orange. (Like smokeyness? You'll love this.)	\$20

Remember some of our old originals? Did you have something in mind when you knew you were coming? We feel you. Just ask. If we can make it, we will.

WINES

BUBBLES

Voyager Estate Project Sparkling Chenin Blanc 2019 Margaret River
"An absolute baller," Amy commented. "Quite possibly, the best sparkling I've ever tasted," Hessa concurred. We're rapt to offer it at Liberte. **12/54**

Madame Coco Blanc de Blancs NV Aude Valley
Pure and crisp, apple and citrus, long elegant finish. It's been on the menu since we opened for a reason. **10/45**

Franck Bonville Champagne 2020 Champagne
Blended in 2014/2015 and disgorged in 2020. Chardonnay grapes. Grand cru, cuvee prestige. Chosen to suit our cuisine and to be a great example of classic French champagne. **Bottle 155**

Brave New Wine Glitter Us! Pet Nat 2021 Great Southern
Vermentino and riesling wild fermented. It sparkles in your mouth and tastes like fruity, bubbly joy but it's not sweet. Pleasure in every sip. **Bottle 59**

ROSE – SKIN CONTACT – CLOUDS

A place to enjoy the experimentation of wine making. If you like something a bit different, you'll love to try these. Trust us: we know what we're choosing.

Skigh Wine Coda Rose 2019 Margaret River
Indigenous yeast, minimal intervention and maximum flavour and enjoyment. Dry with many flavour characteristics that make it interesting yet easy. **12/54**

La Violetta Loosie 2021 Great Southern
Gewurztraminer riesling and pinot gris all perfectly blended together in an inspiring and delightful wine. From the first sip to the end of the bottle, it is a delight. **12/54**

South By South West Arancia 2020 Margaret River
It has a feeling of love and cuddles, a delicious mouth feel and soft flavours. Arancia, Italian for orange, but this one on the lighter side. A great introduction to skin contact, orange wines. **12/54**

WINES

WHITES

South by South West 'Fieldie' SSB 2020 Margaret River
While predominately SSB, it is a five-way blend including chenin blanc, riesling and arneis. A masterclass in blending, it has a hint of oak and a texture that suits both warm and cool days. A standout. **11.5/52**

Silverstream Single Vineyard Riesling 2019 Denmark
Bold and deep with full flavours, a long mineral finish and romantic mouthfeel. Exceptionally well made from a vineyard that loves their soils, and it shows through the quality of the grapes. **11.5/52**

Puppet Master Fume Blanc 2019 Margaret River
Dead-set, flat-out just all round delicious. A brilliant example of a perfectly executed wooded sauvignon blanc. Whether you love or loathe sb, this is a winner with or without food. **11/50**

Turon Chardonnay 2019 Adelaide Hills
An impressive, easy to drink and quietly interesting chardonnay. Hand-picked, whole bunch pressed. Wild ferment. Matured in French oak for nine months. **11/50**

Apricus Hill Semillon 2017 Great Southern
Aromas of an orchard: citrus, spiced pears and flint with a super crisp finish. Strong hints of Granny Smith apple. **13/60**

Oliver's Taranga Fiano 2019 McLaren Vale
Prepare your palate for a textural journey. One minute it's all pine nuts and cashew, the next it's kaffir lime and fresh basil with a touch of the tropics. It has become a favourite with our regulars (hasn't it Ingrid?). **11/50**

Castelli The Sum Sauvignon Blanc 2019 Pemberton
Tropical aromas of passionfruit and lychee with subtle asparagus top notes and sprinkles of lemon sherbet. Fresh and crisp. **10/46**

WINES

REDS

La Violetta 'Nova Syrova' 2019 Made in the GS
Crafted by one of our favourite wine makers, this combines whole bunch pinot noir, shiraz and garnatxa, some wild ferment, skin contact, bit of oak and splash of vermentino. Drinks like a red, finishes like a white. 13/58

Lonely Shore Pinot Noir 2020 Manjimup
Vibrant garnet. Seductive aromas of rose petal, raspberry, pine needle and subtle wood smoke. Feathery tannins and sappy acidity lead to a mouth-watering slate like finish. 12/54

First Drop 'Moderno' Barbera 2020 Adelaide Hills
Love a deep red? This hits the mouth and travels all the way down to your toes for those delicious, warm, red-wine feels. So, so good.10/46

Montefalcon Cabernet Sangiovese 2018 Porongurup
Strong aromas hit the nose and translate to a warm red, rich with tannins and depth. Organic, vegan and preservative free. 13/58

Les Courtilles Côtes du Rhone 2016 Rhone Valley
Plums, sour cherries, smokey chocolate. A great example of the region, the grenache, shiraz, mourvedre (GSM) blend perfected there. 10/48

Forest Hill Estate Shiraz 2018 Mount Barker
Intense bright purple hues. Lifted aromas of blue fruits with florals and classic Mount Barker spice. Medium bodied but dense. 12/54

Silverstream Cabernet Franc Rouge 2018 Denmark
Medium bodied to light with soft tannins. A great food wine, it will match but not overpower the vegetarian and red meat dishes. 12/54

ABSINTHE

"The man let the water trickle gently into his glass, and as the green clouded, a mist fell from his mind." – Ernest Dowson.

We have an absinthe fountain. If you would like your absinthe prepared with the fountain, please tell your bartender.

La Fee NV 40% FRA \$16

La Fee Blanche 53% FRA \$18

GIN

"I exercise strong self-control. I never drink anything stronger than gin before breakfast." — W.C. Fields.

	<u>botanicals</u>		
Boatrocker Jungle Gin	kaffir leaf, ginger, lemongrass, orris	VIC	\$14
Poor Toms	granny smiths, myrtle, strawberry gum	SYD	\$13
Hendricks	cucumber, juniper, rose	SCT	\$14
Archie Rose	blood lime, pepperleaf, river mint	SYD	\$14
Four Pillars Rare	Asian spice, orange, Australian botanicals	VIC	\$14
Tanqueray No Ten	citrus, juniper, coriander, chamomile	SCT	\$15
Gin Mare	olive, rosemary, thyme, basil, mandarin	SPN	\$15
Giniversity Barrel Aged	juniper, coriander, angelica, citrus	WA	\$15

VODKA

"Vodka is kind of a hobby." – Betty White.

Margaret River Distilling Co.	made with grapes, a truly masterful vodka	WA	\$14
Hippocampus	finished through their custom-made copper still	VIC	\$15


RUM

Rum, originally called "Kill-Devil" by the Barbadians who first distilled it, is truly a product of the island. The abundance of molasses and their legendary thirst for alcohol lead to this unique discovery in spirit production.

Goslings Black Seal	BER	\$13
Plantation 5yo Barbados Rum	BAR	\$15
Ron Zacapa Centario 23	GUA	\$15
Sailor Jerry	USA	\$12
Kraken Black Spiced Rum	CAR	\$13
Diplomatico	VEN	\$16

COGNAC, BRANDY AND LIQUEURS

Pierre Ferrand 1840 Cognac	FRA	\$18
Not Your Nanna's Brandy	SA	\$12
Cointreau	FRA	\$13
Chambord	FRA	\$12
Drambuie	SCT	\$14
Grand Marnier	FRA	\$14
D.O.M Benedictine	FRA	\$14
Amarula Cream (60ml)	SAF	\$12

"That's the problem with drinking," I thought, as I poured myself a drink.  "If something bad happens you drink in an attempt to forget; if something good happens you drink in order to celebrate; and if nothing happens you drink to make something happen." -Bukowski.

APERITIF – AMARO

"The decline of the aperitif may well be one of the most depressing phenomena of our time." - Luis Bunuel.

An aperitif is a pre-lunch or dinner drink that stimulates the appetite and prepares the palate for food.

Alcoholic drinks served after a meal (to aid digestion) are called digestifs. Amari refer to the collective class of aromatic, herbal, bittersweet liqueurs traditionally served as a digestif after a meal.

APERITIF	45ml pours		
	<u>flavour profiles</u>		
Aperol	bitter orange, rhubarb, vanilla	ITA	\$16
Campari	strong bitter orange, herbs, spices	ITA	\$17
Lillet Blanc NV	dry style aperitif wine	FRA	\$16
Cocchi Americano	fortified moscato, and botanicals	ITA	\$19
Suze	gentian root- spicy, fruity, bitter	FRA	\$19

AMARO	30ml pours		\$12
	<u>flavour profiles</u>		
Okar Island Bitter	wattleseed, finger limes, native currents	AUS	
Cynar	artichoke, bitter, herbs	ITA	
Averna	chocolate, orange rind, herbs, forest	ITA	
Amaro Montenegro	floral, citrus, earthy spice, wormwood	ITA	
Fernet Branca	the 'mean little spirit' from Italy	ITA	
Becherovka	herbal liqueur, anise, cinnamon etc	CZE	
Zucca Rabarbaro	smoked rhubarb, bitter orange	ITA	

All served on ice, with garnish unless otherwise requested.

WHISKY, WHISKEY AND BOURBON

“Too much of anything is bad, but too much good whisky is barely enough.” – Mark Twain

The term '**whisky**' derives from Gaelic usquebaugh, loosely translating to 'water of life'. Whisky (no e) generally denotes a Scottish whisky or the Scottish method.

SCOTCH WHISKY

Auchentoshan 'American Oak'		LOWLANDS	\$14
Talisker	10yo	SKYE	\$16
Yamazakura Fine Blended		JAPAN	\$17
Glenlivet	16yo	SPEYSIDE	\$17
Lagavulin	16yo	ISLAY	\$21
Oban	14yo	HIGHLANDS	\$20
Aberlour A'Bunadh		SPEYSIDE	\$21
Limeburners Sherry Cask Single Malt		WA	\$19

WHISKEY AND BOURBON

Buffalo Trace		USA	\$11
Longbranch Small Batch		USA	\$13
Eagle Rare 10yo		USA	\$14
Knob Creek Rye		USA	\$17
Rittenhouse Rye		USA	\$17
Bakers 7yo Bourbon		USA	\$18
Writer's Tears		IRE	\$14