



PARTENAIRES OFFICIELS

Laurent-Perrier Dom Pérignon MOËT & CHANDON POMMERY TAITTINGER

Grand Marnier Hennessy S.PELLEGRINO GLENMORANGIE ROZÈS

*All prices are inclusive of VAT
At the current rate*

Summer Lodge

COUNTRY HOUSE HOTEL, RESTAURANT AND SPA

Bar List



Liqueurs and Spirits Tasting

Our Head Barman Jonathann Cocogne and Assistant Maxime Tribot would be delighted to offer you a liqueurs and spirits tasting to match your tea or coffee and petit fours.

Somerset Cider Brandy Tasting	£ 8.00
Somerset Cider Brandy 5yrs, 10yrs, 15yrs	
Mexico “Tequila, Mescal, Sotol” Tasting	£ 8.00
Sotol “Chihuahua” Reposado, Mescal “La Penca”, Tequila “Profidio” Anejo	
Blind Tasting	£ 8.00
Challenge yourself to discover 3 specially selected liqueurs or spirits by our expert barman.	
Grand Marnier Tasting	£ 11.00
Grand Marnier Cordon Rouge, Centenaire, 150 ans	
Armagnac Darroze Tasting	£ 16.00
Domaine De Monturon 1988, Domaine De Rieston 1974, Domaine De Peyrot 1965	
World Whiskies Tasting	£ 18.00
India “Amrut 12yrs”, Irish “Kilbegan 15yrs”, Canadian “Glen Breton ice Wine” Japan “Suntory Hakushu 12yrs”, Scottish “Bowmore 18yrs”, Bourbon “Elijah Craig”	
Cognac Hennessy Tasting	£ 61.00
Hennessy XO, Paradis, Richard	
Luxury Tasting	£145.00
Calvados Christian Drouin 1939, Armagnac Baron De Lustrac 1893, Cognac L'Esprit De Courvoisier (blend from 1802 to 1930)	

*All measures are 1cl, however please do not hesitate to ask for an alternative.
Prices vary according to measure request*

H Upmann

Coronas	Light to Medium Flavour	£21.00
Upmann 50 “limited edition”	Light to Medium Flavour	£42.00

Punch

Punch-Punch	Medium Flavour	£24.00
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Trinidad

Reyes	Medium Flavour	£19.00
Robusto Extra	Medium Flavour	£45.00

Vegas Robaina

Unicos	Medium to Full Flavour	£30.00
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Ramon Allones

Specially Selected	Full Flavour	£22.00
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Sancho Panza

Non Plus	Medium Flavour	£27.00
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Cigar — Dominican Republic

Santa Damania Coronas

Coronas	Light to Medium Flavour	£14.00
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Cigar - Cuba

Cohiba		
Siglo 1	Medium to Full Flavour	£22.00
Esplendidos	Medium to Full Flavour	£55.00
Monte Cristo		
Monte Cristo Joyitas	Medium to Full Flavour	£12.00
Monte Cristo No A	Medium to Full Flavour	£83.00
Hoyo de Monterrey		
Epicures 2	Light Flavour	£24.00
Cuaba		
Cuaba Generosos	Medium to Full Flavour	£17.00
Cuaba Exclusivos	Medium to Full Flavour	£22.00
Bolivar		
Beli Finos	Full Flavour	£26.00
Romeo y Julieta		
Churchill	Medium Flavour	£32.00
Petit Coronas	Medium Flavour	£17.00
Partagas		
Serie No 4	Full Flavour	£32.00
Lusitanias	Full Flavour	£37.00

Cocktails

Champagne Cocktails

Summer Lodge Champagne Cocktail	£13.00
Champagne, Rose Liqueur	
Champagne Cocktail	£14.00
Champagne, Cognac, Angustura, Sugar	
Bellini	£13.00
Champagne, Peach Juice	
Kir Royal	£13.00
Champagne, Creme de Cassis	
Mimosa	£13.00
Champagne, Orange Juice	
Dorset Spring	£13.00
Champagne, Cointreau, Cognac, Creme de Fraises des Bois	
Blue Champagne	£13.00
Champagne, Cointreau, Vodka, Blue Curacao	
Caribbean Champagne	£13.00
Champagne, Malibu, Creme de Banane	
Gin Fizz Champagne	£13.00
Champagne, Gin, Lemon Juice, Caster Sugar	
The Parisian	£13.00
Champagne, St Germain	
The Green Champagne	£13.00
Champagne, Cognac, Parfait d'Amour	

Short Drinks

Magarita	£10.50
Tequila, Cointreau, Lemon Juice	
Dry Martini	£10.50
Dry Vermouth, Gin	
Manhattan	£10.50
Rye Whiskey, Sweet Vermouth, Angostura	
Aphrodisiac	£10.50
Grand Marnier, Gin, Lemon Juice	
Blue Lagoon	£10.50
Vodka, Blue Curacao, Lemon Juice	
Black Pearl	£10.50
Vodka, Chambord	

Carriaggi Cocktail	£10.50
Kirsch, Strega, Orange Juice	
Betty James Cocktail	£10.50
Gin, Maraschino, Lemon Juice, Angostura	
V.E.P Cocktail	£19.50
Grand Marnier, Chartreuse V.E.P	
Midori Martini	£10.50
Gin or Vodka, Midori	
Button Hook	£10.50
Cognac, Apricot Brandy, Crème de Menthe White	
Evershot Mojito	£10.50
Rhum, Lime Juice, Fresh mint, Strawberry Juice, Caster Sugar	
Long Drinks	
Tequila Sunrise	£10.50
Tequila, Orange Juice, Grenadine	
Gin Fizz	£10.50
Gin, Lemon Juice, Soda, Caster Sugar	
Pimm's Cocktail	£10.50
Pimm's, Lemonade, Fresh Fruits	
San Juan Sling	£10.50
Bacardi, Heering, Benedictine, Lime Juice, Soda	
Melon Ball	£10.50
Gin, Midori, Orange Juice	
Envy	£10.50
Agwa, Crème de Menthe Green, Lemonade	
Fuzzy Hippo	£10.50
Hypnotic, Archers, Vodka, Lemonade, Pineapple Juice	
Boukha	£10.50
Vodka, Boukha Bokobsa, Ginger Ale	
Carribbean Cocktail	£10.50
Bacardi, Malibu, Passoa, Pineapple Juice	
Apple Cocktail	£10.50
Vodka, Goldschlager, Apple Schnapps, Apple Juice	
Fizzy Bobby	£10.50
Cognac, Peach Juice, Lemon Juice, Appletizer, Grenadine	
The Fontain	£10.50
Whisky, Amaretto, Lemon Juice, Orange Juice, Blue Curaçao	
The Loan	£10.50
Gin, Pisang Ambon, Pear Juice, Orange Juice, Lemon Juice	
Renina	£10.50
Vodka, Cherry Brandy, Cuaranta y Tres, Pineapple	

Ciders & Beers

Cider			
Somerset Dabinett "Perry's Farmhouse", 6%	500ml		£5.50
Cidre Bouché Brut de Normandie, 4.5%	275ml		£6.50
Poiré, Christian Drouin, 4%	275ml		£6.50
Beer			
Ringwood, "Old Thumper" (ale), Hampshire, UK, 5.6%	500ml		£5.50
Bombardier (Bitter), Wells, UK, 5.2%	500ml		£5.50
Kronenbourg 1664, 5%, France	330ml		£4.50
Guinness, Ireland, 4.2%	330ml		£4.50
Lapin Kulta, Finland, 4.5%	330ml		£4.50
Desperados Tequila, France, 5.9%	330ml		£5.00
Budwar, Czech Republic, 5%	330ml		£4.50
Hoegaarden Gran Cru, Belgium, 8.5%	330ml		£5.50
Timmermans "Kriek", Belgium, 6%	330ml		£5.50
Erdinger Weissbier, Germany, 5.3%	330ml		£5.00
Kasteel Cru, France, 5.2%	330ml		£5.50
Kasteel Cru Rosé, France, 5%	330ml		£5.50
Alcohol Free Beer			
Beck's, Germany, 0.05%	330ml		£4.50

"I would drink beer with a goat, on a boat, in a box, in my socks, in a car, at the bar. I do, I do, I do like beer"

Dr Seuss

Mineral Water & Soft drinks

Mineral Water			
Panna, Still, Italy	75cl		£4.50
San Pellegrino, Sparkling, Italy	75cl		£4.50
Soft Drinks			
	200 ml	275 ml	330 ml
Coca Cola	£3.00	-	-
Coca Cola Zero	-	-	£3.50
Diet Coca Cola	£3.00	-	-
Lemonade	£3.00	-	-
Bitter Lemon	£3.00	-	-
Tonic Water	£3.00	-	-
Tonic Water Slimline	£3.00	-	-
Soda Water	£3.00	-	-
Ginger Ale	£3.00	-	-
Ginger Beer	£3.00	-	-
Appletiser	-	£3.00	-
Baby Mixers			
Baby Mixer	125 ml		£1.50
Juices			
			200 ml
Pineapple			£4.00
Fresh Orange			£4.00
Fresh Grapefruit			£4.00
Dorset Apple			£3.50
Tomato			£3.50
Mango "Pago"			£3.50
Banana "Pago"			£3.50
Peach "Pago"			£3.50
Pear "Pago"			£3.50
Strawberry "Pago"			£3.50
Cranberry "Pago"			£3.50

The Barman's have created a list of nice simple long drinks

The Egerton	£13.00
Chambord, Champagne	
The Rubens	£ 9.50
Gin, Cranberry Juice, Lime Cordial, Lemonade	
The "41"	£ 9.50
Grey Goose Citron, Ginger Beer	
The Montague	£ 9.50
Drambuie, Apple Juice, White Wine	
Hotel D'Angleterre	£ 9.50
Jack Daniel, Tuaca, Lemonade	
Old Government House	£ 9.50
Southern Comfort, Woodford Reserve, Ginger Beer	
12 Apostles	£ 9.50
Cazadores Reposado, Grapefruit Juice, Lime Cordial, Soda	
Bushman Kluff	£ 9.50
42 Below Kiwi, Angostura, Lime, Soda	
Oyster Box	£ 9.50
Finlandia Mango, Cranberry, Grapefruit Juice	
Chesterfield Palm Beach	£ 9.50
Bacardi Oro, Ginger Ale	
Chesterfield Mayfair	£ 9.50
Tuaca, Apple Juice, Cinnamon	
After Dinner Cocktails	
Brandy Alexander	£10.50
Cognac, Crème de Cacao, Cream	
Rusty Nail	£10.50
Scotch Whisky, Drambuie	
White Russian	£10.50
Vodka, Kahlua, Cream	
Michaela	£10.50
Bailey's, Mozart Chocolate, Metaxa	
Fruit Cocktails	
Secret Garden	£ 8.50
Banana Juice, Strawberry Juice, Pineapple Juice, Lemonade	
The Ivy	£ 8.50
Orange Juice, Apple Juice, Pineapple Juice, Grenadine	
The Coach House	£ 8.50
Banana Juice, Pear Juice, Orange Juice, Lemonade	
Lucy	£ 8.50
Apple Juice, Mango Juice, Orange Juice, Grenadine	

Aperitif

Vermouth	50 ml
Dolin Vermouth de Chambéry, 17.5%, France	£ 6.00
Noilly Prat, Extra Dry, 18%, France	£ 6.00
Martini Extra Dry, 15%, Italy	£ 6.00
Cinzano Bianco, 15%, Italy	£ 6.00
Martini Bianco, 15%, Italy	£ 6.00
Martini Rosso, 16%, Italy	£ 6.00
Punt e Mes, 16%, Italy	£ 6.00
Dubonnet, 14.8%, France	£ 6.00
Stone's Green Ginger Wine, 13.5%, England	£ 6.00
Bitter	
Campari, 25%, Italy	£ 6.00
Pimm's No 1, 25%, England	£ 6.00
Pimm's No 6, 25%, England	£ 6.00
Pimm's No 3 Winter, 25%, England	£ 6.00
Anis	
La Fee Absinthe, "Parisian", 68%, France	£ 9.00
Hapsberg "Red Label", 85%, Bulgaria	£10.00
Absente, 55%, France	£10.00
Hills Absinth, 70%, Czech Republic	£15.00
El Masaya Arak, 53%, Lebanon	£ 7.00
Yeni Raki, 45%, Turkey	£ 7.00
Ricard, 45%, France	£ 7.00
Pernod, 40%, France	£ 7.00
Pastis de Provence "Lou Garagai", 45%, France	£ 7.00
Ouzo, 38%, Greece	£ 7.00
Gentiane	
Suze, 15%, France	£ 6.00
Gin	
Tanqueray, 43.1%, England	£ 7.00
Beefeater, 40%, England	£ 7.00
Plymouth, 41.2%, England	£ 7.00
Citadelle, 44%, France	£ 8.00
Hendricks, 41.4%, Scotland	£ 8.00
Bombay Sapphire, 40%, England	£ 7.00
Jenever Van Hoorebeke, 35%, Belgium	£ 7.00
Juniper Brandy, 42%, Slovakia	£ 7.00
G vine, 40%, France	£ 8.00
Brockman's 42%, England	£ 7.00

Fruit Liqueurs	25ml	50 ml
Archer's Peach, 23%, England		£ 7.00
Southern Comfort, 35%, U.S.A.		£ 7.00
Amaretto, Disaronno, 28%, Italy		£ 7.00
Pacharan Basarana "Negro", 25%, Spain		£ 7.00
Cointreau, 40%, France		£ 7.00
Grand Marnier, 40%, France		£ 7.00
Grand Marnier Centenaire, 40%, France		£15.00
Grand Marnier 150 ans, 40%, France	£14.50	£29.00
Cherry Liqueur Heering, 25%, Denmark		£10.00
Cherry Brandy Joseph Cartron, 25%, France		£ 7.00
Chambord, 16.5%, France		£10.00
Limoncello, 27%, Italy		£ 7.00
Mandarine Napoléon, 38%, Belgium		£ 8.00
Maraschino, Luxardo, 32%, Italy		£ 7.00
Midori, 20%, Japan		£ 7.00
Cuaranta y Tres, 31%, Spain		£ 7.00
Passoa, 20%, France		£ 7.00
Sloe Gin, Plymouth, 26%, England		£ 7.00
Pisang Ambon, 20%, Indonesia		£ 7.00
HpnotiQ, 17%, France		£ 7.00
Malibu, 21%, Caribbean		£ 7.00
Tuaca, 35%, Italy		£ 7.00
Van Der Hum, 24%, South Africa		£10.00
Keke Lime, 15%, U.S.A		£ 7.00
Safari, 20%, Netherlands		£ 7.00
Kibowi, 20%, France		£ 7.00
Mongalore, 40%, France		£ 7.00
Soho, 21%, France		£ 7.00

Coffee Liqueurs	
Tia Maria, 26.5%, Jamaica	£ 7.00
Kalhua, 26.5%, Mexico	£ 7.00
Toussaint, 26.5%, Cap Haitien	£ 7.00
Patron XO, 26.5%, Mexico	£11.00

Honey Liqueurs	
Barenjager, 35%, Germany	£ 7.00
Krupnik, 40%, Poland	£ 8.00
Stag's Breath, 19.8%, Scotland	£ 7.00

Liqueurs

Plant Liqueurs

Agwa, 30%, Holland	50 ml	£ 8.00
Arquebuse, 43%, France		£ 7.00
Becherovka, 38%, Czech Republic		£ 7.00
Goldschlager, 40%, Italy		£ 7.00
Marie Brizard, 25%, France		£ 7.00
Galliano, 35%, Italy		£ 7.00
Sambucca Luxardo, 38%, Italy		£ 7.00
Coca Buton, 36.5%, Italy		£12.00
Kummel, Wolfschmidt, 39%, Holland		£ 7.00
St Germain "elderflower", 20%, France		£ 7.00
Chartreuse "Verte", 55%, France		£ 9.00
Chartreuse "Jaune", 40%, France		£ 9.00
Elixir Vegetal Chartreuse, 71%, France		£ 9.00
Chartreuse "Verte" V.E.P, 54%, France		£18.00
Creole Clement Shrub, 40%, France Martinique		£ 8.00
Underberg, 44%, Germany		£ 7.00
Izarra Yellow, 40%, France		£ 7.00
Izarra Green, 40%, France		£ 7.00
Verveine Du Velay Green, 55%, France		£ 9.00
Verveine Du Velay Yellow, 55%, France		£ 9.00
Benedictine "DOM", 40%, France		£ 7.00
Drambuie, 40%, Scotland		£ 7.00
Strega, 40%, Italy		£ 7.00
Jagermeister, 35%, Germany		£ 7.00
Fernet Branca, 40%, Italy		£ 7.00
Frangelico, 24%, Italy		£ 7.00
Crème de Menthe Verte, Marie Brizard, 25%, France		£ 7.00
Crème de Menthe Blanche, Combier, 25%, France		£ 7.00
Glavya, 35%, Scotland		£ 7.00
Thym sauvage, 35%, France		£ 7.00
Graspaviola, 35% Italy		£ 7.00

Creams

Bailey's, 17%, Ireland	£ 7.00
Amarula, 17%, South Africa	£ 7.00
Mozart Original Chocolate, 17%, Austria	£ 7.00

Vodka

Absolut, 40%, Sweden	50 ml	£ 7.00
Smirnoff Black, 40%, Russia		£ 7.00
Caviar House, 40%, Russia		£ 7.00
Zubrowka, 40%, Poland		£ 7.00
Finlandia mango, 40%, Finland		£ 7.00
Snow Queen, 40%, Kazakhstan		£ 8.00
Grey Goose, 40%, France		£ 8.00
Ketel One, 40%, Holland		£ 8.00
Belvedere, 40%, Poland		£ 8.00
42 Below kiwi, 42%, New Zealand		£ 8.00
Grey Goose orange, 40%, France		£10.00
Indio wasabi, 40%, U.S.A		£10.00
Xellent, 40%, Swiss		£10.00
Ciroc, 40%, France		£13.00
Stolichnaya Elite, 40%, Russia		£14.00
Kauffman "Vintage 2003", 40%, Russia		£18.00

Akvavit

Aalborg Jubilaums, 42%, Denmark	£ 8.00
Aalborg Taffel, 42%, Denmark	£13.00

Rum

Bristol Classic, 40%, Caribbean	£ 7.00
Pirassununga Cachaca 51, 40%, Brazil	£ 7.00
Mount Gay "Eclipse", 40%, Barbados	£ 7.00
Havana Club 3yrs, 40%, Cuba	£ 7.00
Havana Club 7yrs, 40%, Cuba	£ 8.00
Reserve Rum of Nicaragua 1995, 40%, Nicaragua	£ 8.00
Jamaica Plantation 8yrs, 45%, Jamaica	£ 9.00
Profidio Plata, 45%, Mexico	£11.00
Profidio Anejo, 40%, Mexico	£13.00
Bally J., 45%, Martinique	1989 £13.00
Zacapa, 23 yrs, 40%, Guatemala	£15.00

Tequila

Jose Cuervo "Especial", Jalisco, 38%	£ 8.00
José Cuervo "Silver", Jalisco, 38%	£ 7.00
Profidio "Plata", Jalisco, 38%	£15.00
Profidio "Anejo", Jalisco, 38%	£20.00

Sotol

Sotol "Reposado", Chihuahua, 38%	£ 8.00
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Mescal

La Penca, 38%, Mexico	£ 9.00
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Malt Whisky

Highland		<i>25ml</i>	<i>50 ml</i>
Dalmore Cigar, 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Glen Ord, 40%	12yrs	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Aberfeldy, 40%	12yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Oban, 43%	14yrs	£ 5.50	£11.00
Dalwhinnie, 43%	15yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Glenogyne, 43%	17yrs	£ 6.00	£12.00
Oban, "Montilla Fino Finish", 43%	1993	£ 7.00	£14.00
Dalwhinnie "Oloroso", 43%	1990	£ 5.00	£10.00

Glenmorangie Collection, Highland

10 Years old, 40%	10yrs	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Sauternes Wood "Nectar d'or"	NV	£ 7.00	£14.00
18 Years old, 43%	18yrs	£ 7.00	£14.00
Margaux Wood, 46%	1987	£30.00	£60.00

Highland Speyside

Red Carnation "Inverarity", 40%	10yrs	£ 3.50	£ 7.00
Edradour "Bordeaux Finish", 57%	1995	£ 7.50	£15.00
Cragganmore, 40%	12yrs	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Cardhu, 40%	12yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Glenlivet, 40%	12yrs	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Aberlour, 40%	10yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Aberlour, 40%	15yrs	£ 7.00	£14.00
Balvenie, Single Barrel, 47.8%	15yrs	£ 6.50	£11.00
Glenfiddich, 40%	18yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Macallan, 43%	18yrs	£10.00	£20.00
Linkwood, 52.3%	18yrs	£10.00	£20.00
Benromach, 43%	21yrs	£ 6.00	£12.00
Inchgower, 42.4%	14yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Macphail's, 40%	25yrs	£ 8.00	£16.00
Glenlivet, 57%	26yrs	£13.50	£27.00
Glenfarclas, 43%	30yrs	£15.00	£30.00
Macallan "Adelphi Selection", 45.3%	30yrs	£17.50	£35.00
Macallan "Speymalt", 40%	1998	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Clynelish, 59.3% (bottled 2005)	1995	£ 5.50	£11.00
Glenrothes, 43% (bottled 2005)	1992	£ 5.50	£11.00
Macallan "Speymalt", 40%	1972	£ 8.50	£17.00

Sherry

Fino	<i>25ml</i>	<i>75 ml</i>
Romate, 16%		£ 4.50
Palo Cortado Viejisimo		
Gutierrez, "Colosia", 22%		£10.00
Manzanilla		
Bodegas Argueso, "San Leon" Classica, 15%		£ 4.50
Bodegas Argueso, "Las Medallas de Argueso", 15%		£ 4.50
Amontillado		
Gonzalez Byass, "La Concha", 17%		£ 4.50
Sanchez Romate, "La Sacrista de Romate 30 yrs", 19%		£10.00
Pedro Ximenez		
Sanchez Romate, "La Sacristia de Romate 20yrs", 16%		£10.00

Vin de Liqueurs

Floc de Gascogne, Domaine du Miquier, 15%	£ 9.00
Pineau des Charentes, Plessis, 17%	£ 9.00
The Somerset Pomona, Somerset, 20%	£ 8.00
Kingston Black, Somerset, 18%	£ 7.00
Ratafia de la Champagne "Gosset", 18%	£ 7.00

Eaux de Vie

Eau De Vie Figue, 37.5%, Tunisia	£ 5.00	£10.00
Framboise "Sauvage", J. P. Mette, 45%, France	£ 8.00	£16.00
Mirabelle, J. P. Mette, 45%, France	£ 8.00	£16.00
Kirsh "Vieux", Morand, 43%, Switzerland	£ 5.00	£10.00
Poire "Williamine", Morand, 43%, Switzerland	£ 5.00	£10.00
Salamandre, Vieille Prune "Reine-Claude", 42%, France	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Prunelle Supérieure, 35%, France	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Pisco ABA, 40%, Chile	£ 4.00	£ 8.00

Vieux Marc, France

Marc d'Alsace de Gewurztraminer, 45%	NV	£ 7.50	£13.00
Marc de Champagne Egrappe, Gosset, 40%	NV	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Gabriel Boudier, Marc de Bourgogne, 40%	NV	£ 3.50	£ 7.00
La Romanée Conti "Fine Bourgogne", 42%	1979	£25.00	£50.00

Armagnac

		25ml	50 ml			25ml	50 ml
	Armagnac			Knockando, 43% (bottled 2003)	1993	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Marquis de Puységur, 40%	VSOP	£ 4.50	£ 9.00	Strathisla, 40% (bottled 2005)	1987	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Marcel Trepout, 42%	1975	£ 9.00	£ 18.00	Brora, 58.1% (bottled 2002)	1982	£14.00	£28.00
Loubère, 40%	1961	£19.00	£ 38.00	Convalmore, 40% (bottled 1998)	1981	£ 6.00	£12.00
Montal, 40%	1959	£12.50	£ 25.00	Benrinnes, 58% (bottled 1999)	1979	£ 9.00	£18.00
Marquis de Montdidier, 40%	1953	£22.50	£ 55.00	Banff, 40% (bottled 2002)	1976	£ 9.00	£18.00
Saint Christeau, 42.10%	1934	£24.50	£ 49.00	Speyburn, 46% (bottled 2000)	1973	£12.50	£25.00
Baron de Sigognac, 40%	1934	£37.50	£ 75.00	Tomatin, 43% (bottled 2004)	1968	£ 9.00	£18.00
Marquis de Montdidier, 40%	1930	£32.50	£ 65.00	Balvenie, 49.7% (bottled 1999)	1967	£32.50	£65.00
Baron de Lustrac, 40%	1924	£60.00	£120.00	Glen Grant, 40% (bottled 1996)	1965	£11.00	£22.00
Baron de Lustrac, 40%	1893	£85.00	£170.00	Glen Avon, 40% (bottled 1997)	1961	£15.00	£30.00
	Bas-Armagnac			Glenlivet, 40% (bottled 2005)	1955	£17.50	£35.00
Laubade, 40%	XO	£ 9.50	£ 19.00	Linkwood, 40% (bottled 2000)	1954	£20.00	£40.00
Chateau de Lacquy, 48%	1995	£ 8.00	£ 16.00	Macphail's, 40%	1946	£32.50	£75.00
Chateau de Lacquy, 47%	1990	£ 9.00	£ 18.00				
Domaine de Jaianchicot, 48%	1988	£ 9.00	£ 18.00	Organic			
Domaine de Monturon, 44%	1988	£12.50	£ 25.00	Benromach Organic, 43%		£ 3.50	£ 7.00
Domaine de Lagoue, 52%	1987	£ 9.50	£ 19.00				
Domaine de Tarbia "Baco", 42%	1985	£ 7.50	£ 15.00	Pure Malt			
Domaine de Hourtica, 46%	1983	£ 7.50	£ 15.00	Johnnie Walker "Green Label", 43%	15yrs	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Domaine du Miquier, 45%	1982	£ 7.50	£ 15.00				
Domaine de Saint Aubin, 48%	1981	£ 9.50	£ 19.00	Lowland			
Chateau de Lacquy, 45%	1981	£13.50	£ 27.00	Glenkinchie, 43%	10yrs	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Chateau de Lacaze, 40%	1981	£ 5.50	£ 11.00	Auchentoshan, 40%	23yrs	£13.50	£27.00
Domaine de Lagraves "Baco", 46%	1980	£ 8.00	£ 16.00	Glenkinchie "Amantillado", 43%	1992	£ 5.00	£10.00
Chateau de Lassalle, 46%	1979	£ 9.00	£ 18.00	Bladnoch, 40% (bottled 2004)	1991	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Domaine Jaurrey, Laberdolive, 46%	1979	£10.00	£ 20.00	Inverleven, 40% (bottled 2004)	1990	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Chateau de Ravignan, 45%	1978	£ 8.50	£ 17.00	Rosebank, 40% (bottled 2002)	1989	£ 6.00	£12.00
Dartigalongue, 40%	1976	£ 7.00	£ 14.00	St Magdalene, 40% (bottled 2001)	1982	£14.00	£28.00
Domaine de Rieston, 47%	1974	£ 9.00	£ 19.00				
Domaine de Durre, 48%	1974	£10.00	£ 20.00	Campbeltown			
Domaine de Courros "Folle Blanche", 42%	1970	£ 8.00	£ 16.00	Springbank, 46%	10yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Domaine Boingnère "4 Cépages", 48%	1968	£26.50	£ 53.00	Longrow, Tokaji Wood, 55.6%	10yrs	£ 7.00	£14.00
Domaine de Peyrot, 48%	1965	£17.50	£ 35.00	Glen Scotia, 46%	12yrs	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Domaine de Lagarosse, 42%	1962	£12.00	£ 24.00	Longrow, 46%	14yrs	£ 7.00	£14.00
Chateau de Gaube, 45%	1959	£22.50	£ 45.00	Springbank, 58.5%	35yrs	£25.00	£50.00
Castarede, 40%	1953	£22.50	£ 45.00	Longrow, 46%	1992	£ 8.00	£16.00
Castarede, 40%	1946	£45.00	£ 90.00				
Delord, 40%	1944	£27.50	£ 55.00	Arran			
	Armagnac-Tenareze			Robert Murns, 40%		£ 5.00	£10.00
Domaine Magnol, 42%	1966	£ 9.00	£ 18.00	Arran, 58.2% (bottled 2003)	1999	£ 8.00	£16.00
				Arran "sassicai", 55%		£ 7.00	£14.00

	Jura	25ml	50 ml
Isle of Jura, 40%	10yrs	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Isle of Jura, 40%	16yrs	£ 6.50	£11.00
	Orkney		
Highland Park, 40%	12yrs	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Highland Park, 43%	18yrs	£ 7.50	£15.00
Scapa, 40% (bottled 2004)	1993	£ 5.00	£10.00
Highland Park, 46% (bottled 1983)	1961	£22.50	£45.00
	Skye		
Talisker, 45.8%	10yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Talisker "Amorosa Finish", 45.8%	1993	£ 6.00	£12.00
	Mull		
Tobermory, 40%	10yrs	£ 3.50	£ 7.00
Ledaig, 43%	20yrs	£ 8.00	£16.00
	Islay		
Laphroaig, 40%	10yrs	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Breath of Islay , 57.2%	12yrs	£ 9.50	£19.00
Laphroaig, 43%	15yrs	£ 5.50	£11.00
Bruichladdich, 46%	15yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Lagavulin, 43%	16yrs	£ 5.50	£11.00
Bowmore, 43%	18yrs	£ 9.00	£18.00
Caol Ila, 61.7% (bottled 1978)	23yrs	£14.00	£28.00
Bowmore "Port Cask", 53.1%	1991	£ 8.00	£16.00
Bunnahabhain, 40% (bottled 2004)	1991	£ 6.00	£12.00
Lagavulin "Pedro Ximenex", 43%	1991	£ 6.00	£12.00
Caol Ila, 46% (bottled 2001)	1989	£10.00	£20.00
Port Ellen, 56.2% (bottled 2004)	1978	£15.00	£30.00
Ardbeg, 43% (bottled 2004)	1976	£18.00	£36.00

Blend & Whiskey

	Blend		
Ballantines, 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
J&B Rare, 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Bell's, 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Chivas "Regal", 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Johnnie Walker "Blue Label", 40%		£17.50	£35.00
Royal Salute "Hundred Cask", 40%		£17.50	£35.00
Famous Grouse, 40%	10yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Cutty Sark, 43%	18yrs	£ 6.00	£12.00
Johnnie Walker "Gold Label", 40%	18yrs	£ 7.50	£15.00
Antiquary, 43%	21yrs	£ 7.50	£15.00

Cognac

	Grande Champagne	25ml	50 ml
Frapin Cuvee Rare, 40%	VSOP	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Chateau Fontpinot, 41%	XO	£ 7.00	£ 14.00
Hennessy, 40%	XO	£12.50	£ 25.00
Hennessy Paradis, 40%	VO	£35.00	£ 70.00
Hennessy Richard, 40%	VO	£105.00	£210.00
Marcel Ragnaud, Fontveiller, 43%	VO	£13.00	£ 26.00
Remy Martin "LOUIS XIII", 40%	VO	£75.00	£150.00
La Pouyade, 40%	VO	£60.00	£120.00
L'Esprit De Courvoisier, 40%	VO	£225.00	£450.00
Maxime Trijol "Reseve", 40%	VO	£10.50	£ 21.00
Tesseron Lot N°53 Perfection, 40%	VO	£10.50	£ 21.00
A.E d'Or N°7, 42%	VO	£20.00	£ 40.00
Menuet, 40%	50yrs	£46.50	£ 93.00
Raymond Ragnaud, 41%	1988	£ 8.00	£ 16.00
Hine, 40%	1984	£11.50	£ 23.00
Pierre Frapin, 41%	1982	£12.00	£ 24.00
Jean Grossepperrin, 50.7%	1980	£ 7.00	£ 14.00
Rouillet Fransac, 47.5%	1970	£13.00	£ 26.00
Planat, 40%	1972	£ 9.50	£ 19.00
Maxime Trijol, 40%	1969	£10.50	£ 21.00
Jean Grossepperrin N°24, 44%	1924	£32.50	£ 65.00
Lafrayette, 40%	1906	£70.00	£140.00
Lafrayette, 43%	1873	£90.00	£180.00
	Petite Champagne		
H By Hine, 40%	NV	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Vallet, 40%	NV	£ 6.50	£ 13.00
Chateaux De La Raillerie, 40%	NV	£ 8.00	£ 16.00
Château de Montifaud, 43%	1973	£16.00	£ 32.00
Planat, 40%	1971	£10.50	£ 21.00
La Fine Goule, 43.7%	1967	£18.00	£ 36.00
	Fine Champagne		
Seguinot, 40%	VSOP	£ 6.00	£ 12.00
A De Fussigny, 40%	XO	£11.50	£ 23.00
	Fin Bois		
Leyrat "Chais des Petits Tonneaux" Lot N°10		£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Leyrat "Chai de la Distillerie" Lot N°71		£ 9.00	£ 18.00
Bonnin, 40%	VSOP	£ 5.50	£ 11.00
Château de Beaulon, 40%	1976	£ 8.50	£ 17.00
	Borderies		
Jean Grossepperrin, 49.6%	1965	£18.00	£ 36.00

Calvados, Brandy, Grappa, Marc & Eaux de Vie

Calvados		25ml	50 ml
Blanche de Normandie, Christian Drouin, 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Christian Drouin Selection, 40%	NV	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Berneroy , 40%	XO	£ 5.00	£10.00
Lemorton "Grande Réserve", 40%	1963	£17.50	£35.00

Calvados du Pays d'Auge			
Henri d'Osne, 40%	VSOP	£ 5.00	£10.00
Chateaux du Breuil "Royal", 41%	NV	£17.50	£35.00
Adrien Camut, 40%	25yrs	£11.50	£23.00
Roger Groult, 40%	50yrs	£20.00	£40.00
Coeur de Lion, Christian Drouin, 42%	1973	£13.50	£27.00
Domaine Dupont, 42%	1972	£12.50	£25.00
Daron, 40%	1970	£10.50	£21.00
Coeur de Lion, Christian Drouin, 42%	1939	£43.00	£86.00

Cider Brandy			
Somerset Royal, 42%	5yrs	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Somerset Royal, 42%	10yrs	£ 5.00	£10.00
Somerset Royal "Shipwreck", 44.3%	10yrs	£ 6.50	£11.00
Somerset Royal, 42%	15yrs	£ 7.50	£15.00

Brandy			
Asbach, 38%, Germany		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Metaxa, 40%, Greece	7 Star	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Cardenal Mendoza , 42%, Spain	NV	£ 5.00	£10.00
Metaxa Olympian Reserve, 40%, Greece	NV	£ 7.50	£15.00
KWV Brandy, 38%, South Africa	10yrs	£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Vecchio 800, 53%, Italy	1976	£ 8.50	£19.00

Grappa, Italy			
Rau Vermentino, 42%	NV	£ 5.50	£11.00
Nonino "Monovitigno, Chardonnay", 41%	NV	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Invecchiata Nonino , 45 %	NV	£18.00	£36.00
Berta "Nibbio", 40%	NV	£ 5.50	£11.00
Berta "Aquavite Di Vino",	1988	£ 7.00	£14.00
Berta "Moscato d'Asti",	2001	£ 9.50	£19.00

Vatted Grain	25ml	50 ml
Hedonism, 43%	£ 7.50	£13.00

Irish Whiskey			
Tyrconnell Single Malt, 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Jameson, 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Jameson Gold, 40%		£ 7.00	£14.00
Bushmill "Black Bush", 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Connemara "Cask Strength", 60%		£ 5.50	£11.00
Kilbeggan, 40%	15yrs	£10.50	£21.00
Bushmill "Malt", 40%	16yrs	£ 7.50	£15.00
Midleton Very Rare 2006, 40%		£ 14.50	£29.00

Canadian Whiskey			
Canadian Club, 40%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Corby "Lot 40", 43%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Gooderham & Worts , 45%		£ 4.00	£ 8.00
Glen Breton "Ice Wine", 43%		£ 8.50	£17.00

Bourbon			
Blanton "Original", 46.5%		£ 7.00	£14.00
Old Fitzgerald "Very Special", 45%	12yrs	£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Elijah Craig, "Single Barrel", 45%	18yrs	£ 6.00	£12.00
Evan Williams "Single Barrel" , 53.5%	23yrs	£13.00	£26.00
Vintage Bourbon "Single Cask", 43%	1976	£ 9.50	£19.00

American Whiskey			
Jack Daniel's, "Old N°7", Tennessee, 40%		£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Jack Daniel's, "Single Barrel", Tennessee, 45%		£ 6.00	£12.00

Welsh Whiskey			
Penderyn, 46%		£ 7.50	£15.00

New Zealand			
Milford, 43%	10yrs	£ 6.00	£12.00

India			
Amrut, 40%		£ 5.00	£10.00

Japan Whiskey			
Suntory "Yamakazi", 43%	12yrs	£12.00	£24.00
Suntory "Hakushu" , 43.3%	12yrs	£ 7.50	£13.00
Suntory "Yamazaki", 43%	18yrs	£ 8.00	£16.00
Nikka Black Label, 43%		£ 4.50	£ 9.00
Nikka Yoichi, , 45%	10yrs	£ 7.50	£15.00

If you are anything like me, your spirits expand to include after-dinner drinks such as Cognac, brandy and other grape-based distillates, dispensed in small but necessary portions after dinner. The French refer to these drinks as eaux-de-vie, which translates as "the waters of life" implying these liquids are an essential element for living. Not a bad philosophy, especially during the coldest months.

Whether you think of these distillations as digestifs, restoratives, or calming potions to be taken before bed, you might want to know a bit more about them, to be able to choose the most appropriate one for both your purse and your mood. Though there are local favourites everywhere, the following are the best-known French grape-based distilled drinks: Armagnac, brandy and Cognac.

Brandy, Cognac and Armagnac are differentiated basically by their geographic designations. Cognac and Armagnac are brandies that can only be produced in their designated appellations in France. Both appellations are in Southwest France; Cognac borders the Atlantic to the north of Bordeaux, and the Armagnac region lies inland, South of Bordeaux. Brandy can be - and is - produced in many parts of the world, notably from South Africa, Spain and now California.

Brandies can be made with other fruits; however, here we are concerned only with grape-based products. Rather counter-intuitively, some of the less well known white grape varieties are used: Ugni Blanc, Colombard and Folle Blanche (sometimes with traces of other grapes in the blend), because they ripen later and make a high-acid, low-alcohol wine.

During the late Middle Ages, this wine was shipped to regions such as Britain and the Low Countries; areas that were too far North to produce their own wines. The wines suffered during transportation, so the Dutch brought their copper stills to Armagnac and Cognac in an effort to create a more stable product. Hence the name "brandy" which comes from the Dutch brandewijn, referring to "cooked" or "burnt" wine.

If you're not a Francophile, Armagnac is one of the more rare after-dinner drinks. In the US, it is practically a mystery. Consulting five reference books written by various British and American writers, I found five slightly differing versions of the production and regulation of Armagnac. This definitive information comes from the Bureau National Interprofessionnel de l'Armagnac: Traditionally, Armagnac was made in



much the same way as Cognac. Or rather, the other way around, as Armagnac is considered the oldest spirit in France; up to 200 years older than Cognac. For both, the young wine, barely a few months old, is distilled during the first winter after harvest to not less than 40% alcohol by volume.

In Armagnac, the process is done in a single distillation, where the copper still is exactly regulated every step of the way; this must be completed by mid-February (some double-distillation may now be allowed in Armagnac, but it is just beginning).

Cognac has traditionally been twice-distilled, with the process always completed by the end of March. Both spirits are aged in wood casks mainly to impart color - not flavor - and allow aeration. You may have heard that a significant percentage of Cognac evaporates; this is romantically (or fatalistically) termed "the angels' share."

Strict laws govern all areas of production, storage and aging. If blended, the age listed is for the youngest spirit used in the Armagnac or Cognac, dating from the year of harvest.

Brandies from other regions of France and around the world can be made with different grapes according to each area's regulations. Some of the French houses such as Remy and Germain-Robin have begun making excellent brandies in California.

The Spanish have been upgrading and promoting a variety of brandies over the past five years, resulting in products definitely worth trying out. South Africa's KWV brandies have been notably good, especially considering their extremely reasonable cost. Australia has wide range of prices and several nice, new, lighter-style brandies.

When you go looking for your Holiday grape-based spirits, a good general guideline is that price and quality tend to rise together. And when you are pouring out the liquid for sipping, you have a choice of glassware.

While nobody disputes the appeal of hand-warmed brandies sniffed and tasted from large, balloon-shaped glasses, the current fashion is for smaller, narrow glasses that can either be tulip-shaped or have slightly closed tops.

Either way, sip slowly, and enjoy.