## OUR APPROACH TO SOURCING DRINKS

Interesting, innovative, ethical & local!

At the heart of Three Blue Ducks are the people; the roasters, brewers, winemakers and distillers. Our aim is to share what real food and beverage means to us, by showcasing the best quality local suppliers. We source ethically made, independently produced beverages to complement your dining experience.

We love Australia, the land we get to live and work on.

New South Wales is Australia's most populated state but it represents only about 30% of Australia's total wine production on an annual basis. What that means is there is a lot of hand-crafted, carefully considered wine being made in our home state. Here we are aiming to champion the producers of NSW, the birthplace of modern-day Australian wine.

Because we're really passionate about doing our part for the planet, we've made sure to highlight on our menu the wines made from organically farmed grapes. This way, you can easily choose wines that match your personal values and show support for those who are dedicated to the principles you find important.

Natural wine? The wines on our menu that have this denoted next to them are made by the most dogmatic of producers. Sticking rigidly to using no chemicals, heavy machinery, preservatives or modern manipulations of their wines. This is how wines were made thousands of years ago. Expect the unexpected here, the wines can be cloudy, spritzy, lively and often they do not have the typical flavour profiles associated with modern day examples. There is a raw beauty in this style of wine, that's why we've listed a few of them of course!

The Ducks

## **FIZZY**

Here we have a little bit of everything, from the traditional method of Australian sparkling to the re-emerging seemingly avant-garde style of pétillant naturel.

2023 Freeman, Prosecco, Hilltops, NSW | 74 + outstanding Prosecco, light-bodied, creamy lemon & pear

NV Cape Jaffa 'Sparkling', Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Limestone Coast | 66 +biodynamic, traditional method, strawberry & apple pastry

2023 Ba-Ba Rumba Prosecco, Tumbarumba, NSW | 64 high acidity, tight green apple, dry, crisp

2023 Mercer Fizz, Chardonnay, Central Ranges, NSW | 62 juicy Nashi pear, star fruit, hazelnut

NV Arras 'Blanc de Blancs', Chardonnay, Tasmania | 117 world-class sparkling, pristine, white stone fruit & fresh sourdough

2020 Babche, Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Geelong | 58 +natural, aged traditional method fizz, textural, bright & fruitj

NV Perrier Joüet 'Grand Brut', Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinot Meunier, Champagne, FR | 165 Champagne, you know! Toasty & rich, fresh green apple, length

## WHITE

White wines have a whole array of styles and flavours ranging from lighter and more aromatic to more textural and complex. Perhaps give a grape variety you haven't tried before a go? We've listed the wines from light to heavier to help you find what you're looking for...

2023 Ablington Vineyard 'Organic', Semillon, Hunter Valley, NSW | 58\* +certified organic, lime juice, taut acidity, distinctively Hunter Semillon

2023 Oakvale. Chardonnay, Hunter Valley\* | 68 +certified organic, green apple, subtle oak, mineral finish

2021 Mount Mcleod, Gruner Veltliner, Gippsland | 69 +certified organic, light-bodied, striking, green plum & white pepper, savoury white

2022 Frankland Estate, Gruner Veltliner, Margaret River | 98 +certified organic, spice & dried pear, delicate florals, undeniably Gruner

2022 Mountain People, Gewürztraminer, Orange, NSW | 84 rose water, jasmine, floral, the classic accompaniment for spicy food

2018 Apis, Gewürztraminer, Henty | 109 lychee, red apple skin, elegant florals, balanced richness & freshness

\*Denotes a tap product

## WHITE

2022 Grosset, 'Polish Hill', Riesling, Clare Valley | 202 +certified organic, so much energy, enduring acidity, great minerality, stand out

2023 Mercer, Pinot Grigio, Hunter Valley, NSW | 77 Easy drinking, fruity, crisp acidity, spiced pear

2022 Maker Master Merchant, Pinot Gris, Central Ranges, NSW | 63 +certified organic, grapefruit, orchard fruits, subtle cream

2022 Te Whare Ra, Pinot Gris, Riesling, Gewürztraminer, Marlborough, NZ | 95 +biodynamic, structured, amazing purity, honeysuckle, texture, lingering minerality

2022 Churton, Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, NZ | 86 +biodynamic, textured, apricot, vibrant mineral backbone, lime citrus finish

2022 Cullen 'Grace Madeline', Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon, Margaret River | 112 +biodynamic, fruit forward, kaffir lime, vibrant acidity, lively with persistent flavour & finish

2022 Sassafras, Fiano, Hilltops, NSW | 88 fleshy, soft, gentle acidity, mineral-driven Fiano

2023 Byrne Farm, Chardonnay, Orange, NSW | 109 fresh citrus, white flowers, complex nuttiness, great intensity

2018 Castagna 'Growers Selection', Roussanne, Beechworth | 114 +biodynamic, complex yellow stone fruit, rockmelon, oatmeal, full bodied & rich

2021 Sorrenberg, Chardonnay, Beechworth | 175 +biodynamic, pure class, soft, textural, the pinnacle of Australian Chardonnay

### ORANGE/AMBER

2022 Clark Wines 'Golden', Chardonnay, Orange, NSW | 80 approachable, medium-bodied, gentle citrus & stone fruit

2021 Chateau Acid 'Bianco', Vermentino, Cowra, NSW | 102 +certified organic, +natural, skin contact giving body, texture & intrigue

2021 Ravensworth 'Seven Months', Blend, Canberra District, NSW | 78 + organically grown, complex & spicy, highly perfumed, great for aromatic foods

# ROSÉ

Not to be overlooked, rosé has weathered a few storms of mass production and insincerity over the years. Rosé made with intention can be profound and taken just as seriously as red or white wines. Remember don't judge a rosé by its colour, the colour of the rosé has nothing to do with whether it is dry or sweet.

2021 Cobaw Ridge 'El Pinko', Syrah, Macedon Ranges | 110 +biodynamic, world-class rosé, crisp acidity, dry, nuanced, taut, savoury

2022 M&J Becker 'Hunter Rosé' Merlot, Shiraz, Hunter Valley, NSW | 73 +organically grown, food friendly, dry rosé with a savoury edge

2022 Jilly White Wolf of Cumbria, Orange, NSW | 84 + certified organic, fresh, lively and textural, strawberries and cream flavours

2022 Stefano Lubiana, Pinot Gris, Tasmania | 130 +biodynamic, brimming with flavour, quince, pear, crisp acidity, refreshing

2022 Mount Horrocks, Rosato, Clare Valley, South Australia | 89 cranberry, blood orange,, generous red berries, crisp, dry, steely finish

## RED

A staple of the Australian wine landscape – red wine makes up the largest proportion of production in Australia. However these days producers are starting to focus more on reds that are suitable for our warm weather and the style of dining we lean towards. Namely foods with an Asian influence!

2023 Mercer, Pinot Noir, Central Ranges, NSW | 78 + light Pinot, preservative free, red fruits, notes of fresh garden herbs

2022 Clark Wines 'Light Juicy Red', Cabernet Sauvignon, Orange, NSW | 83 light bodied, easy going, low tannin, fruit forward, juicy as the name suggests

2022 Lark Hill 'Dark Horse Vineyard', Pinot Noir, Canberra District, NSW | 169 +biodynamic, complex savoury layers over soft fruit, retaining vibrancy

2018 Bass Phillip 'Estate', Pinot Noir, Gippsland | 352 +certified organic, multi layered, black cherry, game aromas, powerful length

2023 Stefano Lubiano, 'Primavera' Pinot Noir, Tasmania | 116 +biodynamic, iconic, abundant red fruit, strawberry, plum, cherry, balanced

## RED

2022 M&J Becker 'Hillview', Nebbiolo, Hilltops, NSW | 123 dried cherry & bramble, firm tannin but the signature lightness of Nebbiolo

2022 Mercer Wines 'Joven', Tempranillo, Hilltops, NSW | 73 +organically grown, focus on drinkability, mid-weight, spice & plush cherry

2021 Henschke 'Johann's Garden', Grenache, Mataro, Barossa Valley | 177 + organically grown, juicy, plush, spiced cherry & velvety tannins

2022 Renzaglia Wines 'Cabernets di Renzo', Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Orange, NSW | 97

fuller bodied, green peppercorns, herbaceous perfume, red plums & cranberries

2021 Ravensworth Estate, Shiraz, Viognier, Canberra District, NSW | 141 + organically grown, exquisite balance & grace, black cherry, dried leaves, complex

2021 Cullen 'Diana Madeline', Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Margaret River | 405

+biodynamic, dark plum, full bodied, tannin, violet & plum, power & presence

# **DRINKS**Wine by the glass

FIZZY	120ML	150ML	250ML	750ML
2023 Freeman, Prosecco, Hilltops, NSW Outstanding, light-bodied, creamy lemon, pear	15			74
2020 Babche, Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Geelong +natural, beautifully aged, toasty, fresh acidity	g 12			58
WHITE				
2023 Ablington Vineyard 'Organic', Semillon, Hunter Valley, NSW* +certified organic, light, crisp, lemon, lime pith		12	22	58
2022 Maker Master Merchant, Pinot Gris, Cent Ranges, NSW +certified organic, grapefruit, orchard fruits, subtle cream		13	23	63
2023 Cape Jaffa, Sauvignon Blanc, Limestone C +biodynamic, tropical fruit, zesty, fresh acidity	Coast*	15	25	73
2022 Frankland Estate, Gruner Veltliner, Marga River	ıret	18	26	88
+certified organic, spice & dried pear, delicate florals, undeniably Gruner				
2023 Oakvale Chardonnay, Hunter Valley* +organic, green apple, subtle oak, mineral finish		14	24	68

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AMBER	150ML	250ML	750ML
2021 Ravensworth 'Seven Months', Blend, Canberra District, NSW +organically grown, complex, spicy, perfumed	16	26	78
ROSÉ			
2022 M&J Becker 'Hunter Rosé', Merlot, Shiraz, Hunter Valley, NSW * Light, red fruits, fragrant	15	25	73
2022 Mount Horrocks, Rosato, Clare Valley, South Australia cranberry, blood orange,, generous red berries	15	25	89
RED			
2023 Mercer, Pinot Noir, Central Ranges, NSW +light Pinot, preservative free, red fruits, notes of fresh garden herbs	16	26	78
2022 Mercer 'Joven', Tempranillo, Hilltops, NSW Easy going, dark fruit, spice	15	25	73
2022 Clark Wines 'Light Juicy Red', Cabernet Sauvignon, Orange, NSW light bodied, unfiltered, low tannin, fruit forward, juicy as the name suggests	17	27	83

#### **DRINKS**

#### Sweet, spirits & the harder stuff

# OH SWEET THING

2021 ChaLou Off dry, Riesling, Orange, NSW | 104

2018 Yarrh 'Late Harvest', Sauvignon Blanc, Canberra District, NSW | 77

Heiwa Shuzo Tsuru-ume Yuzushu | 15

Heiwa Shuzo Tsuru-Ume Nigori Umeshu | 15

Brookie's 'Mac', macadamia & wattleseed liqueur, Byron Bay, NSW | 12

Pennyweight 'Reserve Ruby' port, Beechworth | 15

# GIN

Brookie's 'Byron Dry', Byron Bay, NSW | 15

Young Henrys 'Noble Cut', Newtown, NSW | 15

# **VODKA**

Wyborowa, Poland | 12

Grey Goose, France | 15

# **TEQUILA & MEZCAL**

El Jimador blanco, Mexico | 12

El Jimador reposado, Mexico | 12

Herradura plata, Mexico | 12

Herradura reposado, Mexico | 15

Verde Momento, Mexico | 16

# WHISK(E)Y

#### SINGLE MALT SCOTCH / BLENDED SCOTCH

Auchentoshan '12 yr', Lowlands | 15

Ardbeg, Islay | 33

#### **AUSTRALIA**

Starward 'Two Fold' Double Grain, Port Melbourne, VIC | 15

#### **JAPAN**

Suntory TOKI, Tokyo | 15

#### **UNITED STATES**

Old Forester, Kentucky | 12

Woodford Reserve 'Distiller's Select', Kentucky | 14

# RUM

Havana Club 'Añejo 3 Años', Cuba | 12

Havana Club '7 Años', Cuba | 15

Havana Club 'Añejo Especial', Cuba | 12

Brix 'White', Surry Hills, NSW | 15

Brix 'Spiced Rum', Surry Hills, NSW | 15

# SAKE

2022 Akishika Shuzō Kobo #7 Omachl | 21

2022 Akishika Shuzō 'Pressed Moto | 26

Heiwa Shuzo Tsuru-ume Yuzushu | 15

Heiwa Shuzo Tsuru-Ume Nigori Umeshu | 15