#### **WE LOVE LOCAL!**

The best beverages, sourced locally.

The Ducks is all about enjoying food and drink with your mates and loved ones. 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 mean to us, by showcasing the best quality local suppliers. We source ethically made, independently produced beverages to complement your dining experience. What we have gathered here is some of our local favourites from the Snowy Valleys and its surrounds.

Mem Hemmings, Group Beverage Manager

### **LOCAL PICKS**

#### Travla 'Australia's Lager', Australia

A classic Australian style lager, Travla is Country-grown, Country-brewed and Country-owned. Can't say that about many of your classic "Aussie" beers! Our very own Andy Allen (co-owner of Three Blue Ducks) is one of the founders of this Australian lager from all-Australian ingredients. We're pretty bloody proud to be stocking Travla, you should give it a go!

#### The Bees Bourbon

The ingredients for this cocktail come from the gardens of our wonderful staff - Courtney grows the meyer lemons and Sal & her husband produce the delicious honey!

Ladbroken Distilling Co, 'Eliksir Signature' gin, Tumbarumba Robbie and Neil Ladbrook founded this distillery in 2020 and have just opened up their cellar door to visitors over the hill in Tumbarumba!

# COCKTAILS

#### Aperol or Campari Spritz | 20

Your choice of Aperol or Campari, prosecco, soda

#### Lemongrass & Jasmine Highball | 21

Lemongrass Wyborowa vodka, orange Wyborowa vodka, lemon, jasmine tea, soda

#### Camellia Gimlet | 20

Beefeater gin, lime, camellia flower cordial

#### Either Or | 22

Olmeca Altos Plata tequila, orange Wyborowa vodka, cranberry, lime, spent citrus

#### The Bees Bourbon | 23

Jefferson's VSB bourbon, meyer lemon, honey, orange bitters

# NON-ALC COCKTAILS

#### Cranberry Lime Fizz | 12

Cranberry, lime, spent citrus, soda

#### Noperol Spritz | 16

Lyre's Italian spritz, orange, rosemary, soda

#### Espres-no Martini | 17

Lyre's coffee originale, Lyre's white cane spirit, vanilla, coffee

# DESSERT COCKTAILS

#### Slowgroni | 23

Brookie's slow gin, Beefeater gin, Campari, Okar, Fee brother's bitters

#### Espresso Martini | 23

Kahlua, Wyborowa vodka, coffee, vanilla

# **BEERS**

Travla 'Australia's' mid-strength lager 3.5% AUS | 12

Travla 'Australian' lager 4.2% AUS | 12

Tumut River Brewing Co Czech pilsner 3.5% Tumut, NSW | 14

Young Henrys 'Natural Lager' 4.2% Newtown, NSW | 15

Capital Brewing 'Capital XPA' 5% Fyshwick, ACT | 14

Tumut River Brewing Co 'Bounty Hunter' dark ale 5.1% Tumut, NSW | 14

# **NON-ALC BEERS**

Heaps Normal 'Quiet XPA' Canberra, ACT | 14

# CIDER & FRIENDS

Tumut River Brewing Co 'Ginja Ninja' ginger beer 5.3% Tumut, NSW | 14 Crafty Cider 'Bittersweet' 5.6% Batlow, NSW | 15

### ABOUT OUR WINE

Here at the Ducks we focus on wines made from grapes grown using organic or biodynamic practices in the vineyard. If it's good for the earth, it gets our backing! 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!

We support the local Aussie wine industry. Aiming for low 'food miles' means we offer a lot of beautiful Australian wine and limited international wine.

We want wine to be approachable, but recognise that sometimes it isn't! So, we've grouped wines with their like-minded friends to help guide you, if you need it.

But mainly we have really trained our team.

Ask their advice – they would love to share what they know

SPARKLING	120ML	
Mada, Prosecco, Hilltops, NSW	15	
fresh, fun, honeydew sorbet, green apple, lemongrass		

WHITE	150ML	250ML
Dead Man Walking, Riesling, Clare Valley, SA orange blossom, generous palate, lemon & lime, crisp apple	16	26
Courabyra, Pinot Gris, Tumbarumba, NSW white peach & stone fruit, tropical, refreshing citrus	15	25
Johansen Wines, Sauvignon Blanc, Tumbarumba, NSW aromatic, zesty & lively, passionfruit, citrus, crisp finish	14	24
Scarborough, Chardonnay, Hunter Valley, NSW rich & full flavoured, rockmelon, butterscotch, French oak	19	32
ROSÉ		
Wondalma, Pinot Noir, Tumbarumba, NSW savoury, dry & crisp, bright pomegranate & cherry	15	25
RED		
Johansen Wines, Pinot Noir, Tumbarumba, NSW red berries, elegant & silky, earthy, hint of spice	16	26
Robert Stein, Merlot, Mudgee, NSW intense red & black fruit, fine-grained tannin, dark cocoa, juicy acidity	17	28
Tumblong Hills, Shiraz, Gundagai, NSW +organically grown, elegant length, mulberry & blueberry, round, soft spice	18	30
Snake+Herring, Cabernet Sauvignon, Margaret River, WA savoury & elegant, blackcurrant, cedar, long fine finish	18	30

# CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING

2024 Mada, Prosecco, Hilltops, NSW | 85 fresh, fun, honeydew sorbet, green apple, lemongrass

NV Lark Hill 'Blanc de Blanc', Chardonnay, Canberra Region, NSW | 95 traditional method, lively, vibrant & refreshing

NV Arras 'Blanc de Blancs', Chardonnay, Tasmania | 105 world-class sparkling, pristine, white stone fruit & fresh sourdough

NV Palmer & Co, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Pinot Meunier, Champagne, FR | 160 toasty & rich, fresh green apple, great length

#### WHITE

White wines have a whole array of styles and flavours ranging from lighter and more aromatic to textural and complex. We've listed the wines from light to heavier to help you find what you're looking for...

2024 Dead Man Walking 'Clare Valley', Riesling, Clare Valley, SA | 75 orange blossom, generous palate, lemon & lime, crisp apple

2023 Dal Zotto, Pinot Grigio, King Valley, VIC | 86 bright & inviting, super aromatic, touch of nuttiness, crunchy & refreshing fresh fruit

2024 Grosset 'Springvale', Riesling, Clare Valley, SA | 148 +biodynamic, granny smith apple, lemon & lime, zesty finish

2021 Courabyra '1 of 11', Pinot Gris, Tumbarumba, NSW | 73 white peach & stone fruit, tropical, refreshing citrus

2022 Johansen Wines, Sauvignon Blanc, Tumbarumba, NSW | 68 aromatic, zesty & lively, passionfruit, citrus, crisp finish

2023 Crowded House, Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, NZ | 85 zesty lime, fresh cut passionfruit, white nectarine, rounded & soft finish

2022 Freeman 'Altura Vineyard', Fiano, Hilltops, NSW | 97 refreshing elegant, gently textural, lingering citrussy mineral palate

#### WHITE

2024 Shaw + Smith, Sauvignon Blanc, Adelaide Hills, SA | 110 fresh & bright, expressive, lime, passionfruit, cut-grass & nettle

2018 Tyrrell's 'Stevens Vineyard', Semillon, Hunter Valley, NSW | 124 vibrant citrus fruit, mineral edge, lemon sherbet, exceptional character & brightness

2021 Sorrenberg, Sauvignon Blanc, Sémillon, Beechworth, VIC | 138 +biodynamic, sublime presence, exceptional long lingering mouthfeel

2021 Georges Deschamps 'Chablis', Chardonnay, Chablis, FR | 152 +certified organic, toffee apple, mineral & citrus fruit, touch of chalkiness

2022 Mercer 'Organic', Chardonnay, Hunter Valley, NSW | 78 +certified organic, gentle oak, fresh peach, vanilla, nutty finish

2023 MEREDITH 'Carry the One', Chenin Blanc, Gundagai, NSW | 121 concentrated apple, hazelnut, full bodied, textural, length for days

2021 Wondalma, Chardonnay, Tumbarumba, NSW | 106 great fruit intensity, creamy texture, mouth-watering acidity, balanced oak

2021 CLO, Chardonnay, Tumbarumba, NSW | 110 +organically grown, +natural, textual, ripe citrus, peach, nuttiness

2022 Scarborough 'Yellow Label', Chardonnay, Hunter Valley, NSW | 93 rich & full flavoured, stewed quince, rockmelon, butterscotch, French oak

2019 Bass Phillip 'Premium', Chardonnay, Gippsland, VIC | 260 +biodynamic, soft, round texture, lemon, stone fruits, nutty creamy finish

# **ORANGE**

2018 Ruggabellus 'Quomodo', Riesling, Semillon, Eden Valley, SA | 110 +organically grown, complex, savoury, minerality, deep copper, aromatic

2021 Allevare, Moscato Giallo, Heathcote, VIC | 83 +natural, medium bodied, grippy structure, pink lady apple, citrus

# ROSÉ

2023 Mada 'Rosé', Nebbiolo, Canberra Region, NSW | 93 crunchy acidity, watermelon slushy, orange rind, nectarine, juicy

2024 Wondalma 'Rosé', Pinot Noir, Tumbarumba, NSW | 73 savoury, dry & crisp, bright pomegranate & cherry

2021 Coup de Genie 'Cotes du Provence', Shiraz, Grenache, Cinsault, Provence, FR | 110

classic Provencal rosé, juicy, light-bodied, strawberry & red berries, hint of citrus

#### RED

A staple of the Australian wine landscape – red wine makes up the largest proportion of production in Australia. You'll find a broad range available here, from light and bright to the boldest of bold.

2022 Johansen Wines, Pinot Noir, Tumbarumba, NSW | 78 red berries, elegant & silky, earthy, hint of spice

2023 Nanny Goat, Pinot Noir, Central Otago, NZ | 125 bright & lively, juicy red fruits, toasted spice, cola, fine-grained tannin

2024 Rising, Pinot Noir, Yarra Valley, NSW | 110 blood plum, morello cherry, silky tannins, complex & structured

2022 Clark Wines 'Light Juicy Red', Cabernet Sauvignon, Orange, NSW | 79

+natural, light bodied, easy going, low tannin, fruit forward, juicy as the name suggests

2023 Frederick Stevenson 'Piñata', Cinsault, Grenache, Syrah, Mourvedre, Barossa Valley, SA | 100 +natural, fresh take on Aussie GSM, bright, red fruit.

+natural, fresh take on Aussie GSM, bright, red fruit, plenty of flavour & character

2023 Robert Stein 'Farm Series', Merlot, Mudgee, NSW | 83 intense red & black fruit, fine-grained tannin, dark cocoa, juicy acidity

2021 Mount Edwards, Gamay, Central Otago, NZ | 130 red & purple berries, herby spice, soft, refreshing acidity

### RED

#### 2023 Nick O'Leary 'Seven Gates', Tempranillo, Canberra Region, NSW | 108

cherry, plum, hint of tobacco, persistent tannin, great length & spice

2021 Kalleske 'Old Vine', Grenache, Barossa Valley, SA | 141 +biodynamic, super bright, lifted, captivating, defined tannins, outstanding length

#### 2022 Tumblong Hills 'Table of Plenty', Nero d'Avola, Gundagai, NSW | 69

+organically grown, bright red cherry core, fine ripe tannins & long finish

# 2022 Tumblong Hills 'J Block', Shiraz, Gundagai, NSW | 87 + organically grown, elegant length, mulberry & blueberry, round, soft spice

2022 Tyrrell's 'Hunter Valley', Shiraz, Hunter Valley, NSW | 80 bright red fruit, soft & savoury spice, medium body, crunchy acidity

#### 2021 Snake+Herring 'Dirty Boots', Cabernet Sauvignon, Margaret River, WA | 88

savoury & elegant, blackcurrant, bay & tomato leaf, cedar, fine knit tannin, long fine finish

2021 Torbreck 'The Gask', Shiraz, Barossa Valley, SA | 197 highly aromatic, structured, plush mid palate, balanced tannins & acid

#### 2019 Mount Horrocks, Shiraz, Clare Valley, SA | 143

+biodynamic, intensely flavoured, lively red & black fruits, classic shiraz spice

#### 2020 Cullen 'Diana Madeline', Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Margaret River, WA | 338

+biodynamic, structured, fine tannins, flavours of plum, dark chocolate, cigar box

2019 Grosset 'Gaia', Cabernet Sauvignon+, Clare Valley, SA | 216 breathtakingly fragrant, elegant & pure, brooding black cherry & blackcurrant

## DRINKS Sweet

# SWEET & OFF DRY

2022 Ricca Terra 'Daisy Chain', Moscato Giallo & Muscat Blanc à Petits Grains, Riverland, SA | 92

full flavour, sophisticated & pretty, lifted floral notes, citrus, off-dry

2019 Soumah d'Soumah 'Frizzante', Brachetto, Yarra Valley, VIC | 83 sweet bright strawberry, sweet berry, delightful light pink sparkles

2022 Thomas Wines 'Elevage', Semillon, Hunter Valley, NSW | 97\* opulent style, elegant orange blossom, citrus acidity, long & luscious finish

NV Pennyweight 'Gold', Riesling+, Beechworth, VIC | 18, 148 +biodynamic, brandy spirit fortified, ripe stone fruit & citrus peel, akin to white port

# **DRINKS**Spirits

# GIN

Beefeater 'London Dry', England | 12

Brookie's, Byron Bay, NSW | 15

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

Eliksir 'Signature', Tumbarumba, NSW | 17

# **VODKA**

Underground Spirits, Kambah, ACT | 17

Wyborowa, Poland | 12

Grey Goose, France | 16

# RUM

Havana Club 'Añejo 3 Años', Cuba | 12

Havana Club 'Añejo Especial', Cuba | 12

Sailor Jerry spiced, United States | 14

Brix 'White', Surry Hills, NSW | 15

Brix '3BD Trail Mix', Surry Hills, NSW | 16

Brix 'Urban Cane 2020', Surry Hills, NSW | 18

# DRINKS **Spirits**

# **BRANDY & COGNAC**

Black Bottle Brandy, Renmark, SA | 12

Chatelle Napoleon brandy, France | 16

Napoleon 1875 VSOP brandy, France | 14

Remy Martin VSOP cognac, France | 25

# WHISK(E)Y

Jameson Irish Whiskey, Dublin | 12

#### SCOTLAND

Ballantine's 'Finest Blended', Scotland | 12

Glenfiddich 10yr, Speyside | 16

Glenmorangie 10yr, Highland | 16

Macallan 12yr, Highland | 28

Lagavulin 8yr, Islay | 23

Suntory TOKI, Tokyo | 15

**AUSTRALIA** Starward 'Two Fold' Double Grain, Port Melbourne, VIC | 13

#### UNITED STATES

Woodford Reserve 'Double Oaked', Kentucky | 17

Jefferson's VSB, Kentucky | 12

### **DRINKS**

#### Spirits, Apéritifs & Liqueur

# **TEQUILA**

Olmeca Altos Plata, Mexico | 12

El Jimador reposado, Mexico | 14

Herradura reposado, Mexico | 20

Herradura añejo, Mexico | 23

# APÉRITIFS, DIGESTIFS

Aperol, Italy | 10

Campari, Italy | 13

Okar, Adelaide Hills, SA | 13

Disaronno 'Amaretto', Italy | 14

Amaro Montenegro, Italy | 15

# LIQUEUR

Baileys Irish Cream, Ireland | 11

Brookie's 'Mac' macadamia & wattleseed liqueur, Byron Bay, NSW | 18

Licor 43, Spain | 18

Pavan 'liqueur de france', France | 17

Cointreau, France | 18

Kahlua, Mexico | 13

#### **DRINKS**

Tasting Flights, Cold drinks

# **RUM TASTING FLIGHT**

A selection of three Australian rums | 25

Brix 'White', Brix 'Urban Cane 2020', Brix 'TBD Trail Mix'

# **TEQUILA TASTING FLIGHT**

A selection of three tequilas | 24

Olmeca Altos Plata, Herradura reposado, Herradura añejo

# **COLD DRINKS**

Capi dry ginger ale | 7

Capi lemonade | 7

Capi lemon squash | 7

Capi cola | 7

Capi tonic | 7

Capi sparkling water 750mL | 12