

# The Running Horse

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## House Selection

### White

|   | 175ml | 250ml | Bottle |
|---|-------|-------|--------|
| <b>1. Alfredini Garganega Pinot Grigio, Italy</b>   | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| Dry with a fruity bouquet and a lovely, refreshing finish. 12% abv  |       |       |        |
| <b>2. La Grille Sauvignon Paul Buisse, Loire, France</b>  | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| The Sauvignon Blanc grapes are cool-fermented to preserve the trademark gooseberry and blackcurrant leaf aromas. Supremely fresh and well-balanced, 12% abv |       |       |        |
| <b>3. Bantry Bay Chenin Blanc, South Africa</b>   | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| An aromatic wine with hints of tropical and citrus fruit on the nose and palate. 12.5% abv  |       |       |        |
| <b>4. Tin Roof Chardonnay, Australia</b>  | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| A soft, buttery Chardonnay, with a smooth mouth feel and a rich fruity finish. 13% abv  |       |       |        |
| <b>5. Finca Las Moras Viognier, Tulum Valley, Argentina</b>   | £4.90 | £6.60 | £19.95 |
| A soft, buttery Chardonnay, with a smooth mouth feel and a rich fruity finish. 13% abv  |       |       |        |

### Red

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|--|-------|-------|--------|
| <b>6. Nandu Cabernet Sauvignon, Chile</b>  | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| A smooth wine with gentle tannins showing rich, dark fruit on the nose and palate leading to enticing undertones of vanilla and chocolate on the finish. 13% abv |       |       |        |
| <b>7. Montepulciano d'Abruzzo Grifone, Tuscany, Italy</b>  | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| A full and fruity wine with hints of black cherry and damson. 12% abv  |       |       |        |
| <b>8. Tin Roof Shiraz Cabernet, South Eastern Australia</b>  | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| A soft fruity red with ripe berry fruit and gentle spicy flavours in a mid weighted easy drinking style. 13.5% abv   |       |       |        |
| <b>9. Alto Plano Merlot, Chile</b>   | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| A smooth, soft merlot, with ripe aromas of raspberries, plums and cherries. 13% abv  |       |       |        |
| <b>10. Torre Aldea Rioja, Spain</b>  | £4.90 | £6.60 | £19.95 |
| Deep ruby in colour, packed full with ripe plums and blackberries, dried fruits, liquorice and vanilla. 13.5% abv  |       |       |        |

### Rosé

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|--|-------|-------|--------|
| <b>11. Bois des Violettes Rosé, France</b>   | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| Wonderfully fresh with intense aromas of violet and lychee. The palate is youthful, juicy, rich and well balanced. 12% |       |       |        |
| <b>12. Torre Alta Pinot Grigio Rosé, Italy</b>   | £3.95 | £5.40 | £15.95 |
| Elegant notes of acacia flowers on the nose with a soft yet rounded palate. 12.5% abv                                  |       |       |        |

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## White Recommendations

Bottle

**13. Fernlands Sauvignon Blanc 2009, Marlborough, New Zealand** £18.95

A citrus led palate and a long-lasting and refreshing finish encapsulate the essence of what Marlborough does best. 13% abv

**14. Macon Villages "Les Pierres Blanches" 2009, Burgundy, France** £22.50

A great wine from one of Burgundy's most reliable and well-reputed producers. This wine is crisp and elegant showing citrus, apple and pear fruit characters. It has a lovely streak of minerality on the finish. 13% abv

**15. Gavi La Lancellotta 2009, Italy** £26.00

Steely minerality, delicious crispy citrus notes and refreshing acidity with discernible apricot and peach flavours that have a beautiful tangy finish. 12.5% abv

**16. Gewurztraminer, Cave de Turkheim 2008, Alsace, France** £27.50

An excellent, aromatic wine with a rich well-balanced palate, spicy fruit and a long dry finish. 13% abv

**17. Pouilly-Fumé Les Cascadelles 2009, Loire, France** £32.50

A classic Sauvignon Blanc with flavours of gooseberries, lime and fresh grass backed by an elegant mineral character. 13.5% abv

**18. Sancerre Vieilles Vignes, Domaine Paul Cherrier et Fils 2008, Loire, France** £35.00

Made from 100% Sauvignon this wine exhibits classic peach and mineral characters coupled with a pronounced acidity giving excellent balance and structure. 13.5% abv

**19. St-Aubin Blanc 1er Cru 2008, Gérard Thomas, Burgundy, France** £38.00

Bordering the acclaimed vineyards of Puligny Montrachet, Gérard Thomas produces a St Aubin premier cru that challenges its pricier neighbour. Barrel fermented with gentle hazelnut aromas and dry mineral complexity. 12% abv

**20. Chablis 1er Cru "Vaillon" Vieilles Vignes 2008, Vocoret, Burgundy, France** £38.00

Classic Chablis from superbly situated vineyards. Top quality Chardonnay grapes result in a wine with mineral undertones and crisp citrus and ripe pineapple fruits. 12.5% abv

**21. Meursault Limozin, Buisson-Battault 2006, Burgundy, France** £46.00

Chardonnay flourishes in the poor, rocky soil of Meursault. From one of Burgundy's best producers, André Buisson, this is a deliciously dry and rich wine full of succulent, buttery hazelnut flavours. 13% abv

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## Red Recommendations

Bottle

### 22. Baron de Baussac Carignan Vieilles Vignes 2009

£20.00

Deep red in colour, the wine is crammed with black cherry fruit, lifted by subtle vanilla aromas from a touch of oak ageing. Bold, meaty tannins provide satisfying texture and length. 12.5%

### 23. Beaujolais-Villages, Georges Duboeuf 2008, Beaujolais, France

£22.50

From the 39 superior villages of Beaujolais this wine is packed with luxurious fruits marked with floral aromas of violets and berries. Delicious! 12.5% abv

### 24. Errazuriz Pinot Noir 2009 Casablanca Valley, Chile

£26.00

Winemaker Francisco Baettig limits the oak ageing to just 7 months for less than half the finished wine to retain typical fresh, fruity Pinot Noir characteristics. Ripe blackberry, floral aromas and a smooth, silky mouthfeel make this an excellent partner to roast pork or fillet of salmon. 13.5%

### 25. Rioja Gran Reserva, Berberana 2003, Spain

£28.00

A multi dimensional wine bursting with flavour. On the nose fruits of the forest mingle with a touch of vanilla. The palate is mature yet fresh with vanilla, toasty notes adding complexity. The mouth feel is full with fine tannins, impressive structure and a long finish. 14% abv

### 26. Vieux Ramparts 2007, Lussac St-Emilion, Bordeaux, France

£28.50

This is a rich, full bodied wine showing great concentration of flavour. With juicy black fruit on the nose and palate backed up by a smoky sandalwood character. It will make a great accompaniment to hearty meat dishes and strong cheeses. 13% abv

### 27. Barolo "Galarej" Fontanafredda 2004, Italy

£38.50

This is a robust, full bodied wine packed with structure. The bouquet is clean, full and intense, with typical Barolo characteristics of wild roses and tar. 13.5% abv

### 28. Bonterra Vineyards Zinfandel 2008 Mendocino – Organic

£39.00

Bonterra's belief that the use of organically grown grapes make wines 'simply taste better' has fuelled their quest in becoming one of the world leaders in organic viticulture. This formidable Zinfandel was 100% barrel fermented, resulting in a rich black cherry-scented wine with a lovely spicy finish. 14%

### 29. Châteauneuf-du-Pape 'Cuvée des Antiques' 2008, Rhône Valley, France

£39.50

This wine is dark ruby with a complex nose of spices and hints of pear with a smooth and lingering finish. 14.5% abv

### 30. Les Gartieux de Pichon Lalande Pauillac 2003, Bordeaux, France

£46.00

This remarkable wine offers an enticing fragrant bouquet of ripe berries with a developing and complex nose, complemented by a full, lingering palate. 13%

### 31. La Réserve de Léoville-Barton 2005, St Julien, Bordeaux, France

£62.00

The second wine of Château Leoville-Barton is concentrated but elegant, with ripe fruits and delicate perfume – a claret of true class. 13% abv

### 32. Château Laroze 2001, Grand Cru Classé, Bordeaux, France

£63.00

From a bio-dynamically farmed vineyard, this is a real sweet driven, hedonistic offering that is all pleasure. This dark plum coloured wine is tasty and pure. 13% abv

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## Red Recommendations

Bottle

### 33. Sassicaia 2007, Italy – One of the worlds most sought after wines

£145.00

A 'Super-Tuscan' wine considered to be one of Italy's best Bordeaux style reds. Conceived in the 1920s by Mario Rochetta as an attempt to match the heights achieved by producers of the finest Bordeaux, but on Italian soil. Balanced and concentrated in flavour, with immense depth. 13.5% abv  
This is a wine you will never forget!

## Champagne & Sparkling

125ml Bottle

### 34. Prosecco Corte Alta NV, Italy

£3.95 £20.50

Delicate and aromatic with a light body and fine bubbles. 11% abv

### 35. Corte Alta Raboso Rosado NV, Italy – Rosé

£20.50

An elegant and intense bouquet, dry and soft and with fresh peach and red berry flavours on the palate and a round and full-bodied structure.

### 36. De Telmont Grande Réserve NV, Champagne, France

£5.95 £34.50

Medium bodied, with apple and lemon fruit flavours and a classically yeasty style. 12.5% abv

### 37. Veuve Clicquot NV, Champagne, France

£43.00

Superb marriage of freshness and power; with rich fruit and mouth filling mousse. 12.5% abv

### 38. Pol Roger Réserve NV, Champagne, France

£46.00

Full-bodied and toasty, as one expects of Pol Roger, with a crisp, fresh, clean finish. 12.5% abv

## Dessert Wines

### 39. Late Harvest Sauvignon Blanc 2007, Concha y Toro, Chile

£3.95 £15.50

This sumptuous wine displays ripe papaya, peach and honey aromas. The palate is light, fresh and fruity with a long, subtle, honeyed finish. Half Bottle 12% abv

### 40. Clos L'Abeilley, Half Bottle 2007, Sauternes, France

£18.95

A superb Sauternes with excellent botrytis characteristics exhibiting wild honey aromas, luscious apricot fruit and excellent length. Half bottle 13.5%