

WINE OF THE MONTH

This handpicked selection for this month will make you want more, which is really a sign of exceptional wine.

The white wine offers abundance of refreshing acidity thanks to the fruit growing in higher altitude in the heart of Douro Valley and made by Sophia and her team, who happen to be a great friend of Boisdale and was one of the first winemakers to start making still table wines in otherwise port producing region.

Podere Scopetone's Rosso di Toscana, one of Montalcino's hidden treasures. The legendary Ferruccio Biondi Santi, planted his first Sangiovese on the best location he could find in the region. This happens to be where Scopetone's vines sit today. 20% of fruit for this wine comes from this site with the rest from surrounding vineyards, this is the bit which makes it 'Baby-baby Brunello'. There is no oak influence to show the purity of fruit and terroir and its only aged in bottle before release.

As for the rose, often overlooked but always producing great roses is Sancerre, only Pinot Noir is used, which lends its elegance, complexity and natural affinity with food. An excellent alternative to Provençale rose. The pedigree is there, Roger family made wine since early 1600's.

WHITE

		175ml	500ml Carafe	Bottle
151	La Rosa Branco 2019 <i>Quinta de la Rosa, Douro, Portugal</i>	13.20	36.60	46.50
	An ideal summer apéritif. It has a fresh and zingy palate, balanced by succulent white and tropical fruit with a delicious herbaceous note. From vineyards as high as 450 metres above sea level. This is a wine to enjoy now, ideally outside on a sunny day.			

RED

		175ml	500ml Carafe	Bottle
238	Rosso di Toscana Sangiovese 2019 <i>Podere Scopetone, Toscana IGT, Italy</i>	15.40	42.90	54.50
	Remarkably fresh, bright and perfumed with notes of cherry, strawberry, sage and rose. Very pure, with good acidity and no interfering oak this wine shows off the true Sangiovese Grosso as it is known in Montalcino, home of famed Brunello. The wine continues to open in the glass with every sip and swirl, while the complex finish is remarkably persistent.			

ROSE

		175ml	500ml Carafe	Bottle
184	Sancerre 'La Grange Dîmière' 2019 <i>Jean-Max Roger, Loire Valley, France</i>	19.70	54.70	69.50
	Light and elegant with great finesse, 100% Pinot Noir, which lends aromas and flavours of red fruit, persistent on the nose and palate. Great for light brunch or as a companion for those long summer evenings. Pairs incredibly well with food especially charcuterie and smoked salmon.			

YOUR SERVER WILL BE HAPPY TO OFFER YOU A SMALL SAMPLE