

Welcome to the Valley, Esk Valley, both of them . . .

From the New World back to the Old, we're delighted to list a couple of outstanding wines that we would like to share with you, which begin in the Esk Valley winery, Hawkes Bay, New Zealand, and finishes here at the Wheatsheaf Inn, Egton, almost twelve thousand miles later.

The Esk Valley range is a range of classic wines that have built up a very loyal following over the years. The Esk Valley range receives the care and attention that is normally lavished on Reserve wines. The result is a range of elegant, intensely flavoured wines that are extremely food-friendly. Definitely worthy of sharing the title of The Wheatsheaf's beloved valley with its sweeping heather moorland and narrow wooded gorges.

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Sauvignon Blanc, Esk Valley, New Zealand, 2016

£22.95

This is a very intense and powerful wine. True to its Marlborough origins its flavours are a mix of ripe tropical fruits, citrus and cooler notes of fresh herbs and pea pod. It is dry and full bodied but a crisp finish provides freshness and length.

Pinot Gris, Esk Valley, New Zealand, 2016

£24.50

This is a full bodied style of Pinot Gris with a hint of residual sugar to balance the natural acidity. Barrel fermentation in seasoned barriques provides the wine with richness and the early picked sites provide fresh, natural acidity. Aromatics and flavours of stone fruit, honey and pears are evident with a hint of spice providing complexity.



Wines by the Glass

125ml 175ml 250ml

White

1. **Sauvignon Blanc, Rio Rica** £3.10 £4.10 £5.25
Chile, 2017
Fresh, zesty and herbaceous with citrus flavours from Chile's most traditional wine growing region.
2. **Muscadet Les Ligeriens** £3.25 £4.45 £5.95
France, 2015
A deliciously fresh, crisp dry white wine with flavours of citrus and green apples. Made from the Melon de Bourgogne grape in the charming Loire Valley region.
3. **Pinot Grigio, Sentito** £3.45 £4.60 £6.15
Italy, 2016
Clean and intense in aroma. Dry to taste with a pleasant green apple aftertaste. A lively and easy to drink wine.
4. **Barrel Fermented Rioja Blanco, Cune** £3.45 £4.60 £6.15
Spain, 2015
Elegant, and attractive aromatic intensity. Aromas of pineapple, apple and banana are harmoniously blended with the notes of the oak.

Rosé

13. **Cabernet Sauvignon Rose, La Bastille** £3.15 £4.45 £5.95
France, 2016
Packed full of fruit, with a distinctive rich pink hue and delightful strawberry aromas, dangerously easy drinking.
14. **Pinot Grigio Blush, Sentito** £3.45 £4.60 £6.15
Italy, 2016
Light, fresh and fruity aroma. Aromatic notes of freshly crushed cranberries and mineral elements. Dry and light to taste. Delicious balance of citrus fruits, cherry and fruity red berry aromas.



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Red

16. **Merlot, Rio Rica** £3.10 £4.10 £5.35
Chile, 2016
Full of lovely plum and dark berry fruits, with silky smooth tannins and a long finish.
17. **Malbec, Valle Ceibo** £3.15 £4.35 £5.95
Argentina, 2016
Shows aromas of ripe black fruits and leather. Gorgeous ripe fruit flavours of prune and damson with a hint of liquorice, with a soft, mellow mouthfeel.
18. **Pinot Noir, Philippe de Rothschild** £3.25 £4.45 £5.95
France, 2016
The nose has plum and strawberry aromas. The attack is fruity and finely spiced. The finish is well-balanced.
19. **Shiraz, Little Rascal** £3.45 £4.60 £6.15
Australia, 2016
Warm, forward, ripe plums and blackberries which are enhanced on the palate with a juicy, smooth complexity. Great easy drinking wine.

Sparkling Wine

(20cl) bottle

29. **Baby Prosecco** £6.95
Italy's most famous sparkling wine in a convenient single serve bottle.
29. **Baby Rosato Frizzante** £6.95
Fruity and flowery bouquet with delicate notes of summer fruits. Dry, fresh and zesty.



White Wines

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| 1. | Sauvignon Blanc, Rio Rica
Chile, 2017
<i>Fresh, zesty and herbaceous with citrus flavours from Chile's most traditional wine growing region.</i> | £15.00 |
| 2. | Muscadet Les Ligeriens
France, 2015
<i>A deliciously fresh, crisp dry white wine with flavours of citrus and green apples. Made from the Melon de Bourgogne grape in the charming Loire Valley region.</i> | £17.95 |
| 3. | Pinot Grigio, Sentito
Italy, 2016
<i>Clean and intense in aroma. Dry to taste with a pleasant green apple aftertaste. A lively and easy to drink wine.</i> | £18.15 |
| 4. | Barrel Fermented Rioja Blanco, Cune
Spain, 2015
<i>Elegant and attractive aromatic intensity. Aromas of pineapple and banana are harmoniously blended with notes of the oak.</i> | £18.15 |
| 5. | Picpoul de Pinet, Domaine del Sol
France, 2015
<i>The nose is fruity, slightly floral with green fruits and underlying citrus and lime. Touch of boiled sweets, pear drops on the mid weight palate but well-balanced with juicy, citrus acidity. Great with seafood.</i> | £18.50 |
| 6. | Sauvignon Blanc, Touraine, Vallée Loire
France, 2015
<i>Bouquet featuring soft fresh tropical fruit, blackcurrant, and citrus and floral aromas. On the palate, it is light, fresh, and bursting with fruit. Nice length with some mineral character.</i> | £18.75 |
| 7. | Dr 'L' Riesling, Dr Loosen
Germany, 2014
<i>Fresh and vibrant notes of peach and citrus fruits on the palate. Well-balanced acidity and refreshing on the finish.</i> | £19.95 |
| 8. | Saint Veran
France, 2014
<i>Apple fresh style, slightly herbaceous with underlying minerality and a mouth-watering complexity.</i> | £21.50 |
| 9. | Luma Grillo, Cantine Cellaro
Italy, 2014
<i>Enticing aromas of ripe stone fruits and citrus, the palate develops into delicious flavours of zesty citrus, pear drops and a gentle peach finish.</i> | £21.50 |



White Wines

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10.	Sauvignon Blanc, Taringi New Zealand, 2016 <i>The grapes are sourced from premium sites across Marlborough. A beautifully fresh, crisp palate with flavours of gooseberry and ripe guava.</i>	£21.95
11.	Sancerre Blanc, Domaine Chatelain France, 2014 <i>Attractive citrus nose with exotic fruit and gooseberries on the palate, charming and elegant.</i>	£26.95
12.	Chablis, Seguinot Bordet France, 2015 <i>Classic Chablis from a producer dating back to 1590. An elegant minerally wine, crisp and dry.</i>	£29.95

Rosé Wines

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13.	Cabernet Sauvignon Rose, La Bastille France, 2016 <i>Packed full of fruit, with a distinctive rich pink hue and delightful strawberry aromas, dangerously easy drinking.</i>	£16.50
14.	Pinot Grigio Blush, Sentito Italy, 2016 <i>Light, fresh and fruity aroma. Aromatic notes of freshly crushed cranberries and mineral elements. Delicious balance of citrus fruits, cherry and fruity red berry aromas.</i>	£18.15
15.	Le Saint Andre Rose, France, 2016 <i>Classic Provence rose, elegant and delicate, slightly floral with delicious taste of light red summer fruits.</i>	£21.50



Red Wines

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<i>Shows aromas of ripe black fruits and leather. Gorgeous ripe fruit flavours of prune and damson with a hint of liquorice, with a soft, mellow mouthfeel.</i> | £15.95 |
| 18. | Pinot Noir, Philippe de Rothschild
France, 2016
<i>The nose has plum and strawberry aromas, but also of morello cherry and pickled fruits. The attack is fruity and finely spiced. The finish is well-balanced.</i> | £17.95 |
| 19. | Shiraz, Little Rascal
Australia, 2016
<i>Warm, forward, ripe plums and blackberries which are enhanced on the palate with a juicy, smooth complexity. Great easy drinking wine.</i> | £18.15 |
| 20. | Cabernet Sauvignon, Mapu
Chile, 2015
<i>Excellent crunchy red fruits with a good balance.</i> | £17.95 |
| 21. | Pinotage, 'Stone Bridge' Franschoek Cellars
South Africa, 2015
<i>Vibrant ruby colour with mulberry and plum aromas and hints of chocolate spice on the nose. Well integrated with firm structure and a soft fruity finish.</i> | £17.95 |
| 22. | Rioja Crianza, Hacienda Lopez de Haro
Spain, 2014
<i>This wonderful example from Hacienda de Lopez is rich, smooth with a palate of bilberry, blackberries, tobacco and dark chocolate integrated with a touch of toasty oak.</i> | £18.95 |
| 23. | Beaujolais Villages, Henry Fessy
Burgundy, 2015
<i>This is a classic, fresh Beaujolais Villages offering aromas of summer red fruit and hints of spice.</i> | £19.95 |
| 24. | Chateau La Roca
France, 2015
<i>Made from Grenache and Syrah, La Roca has flavours of smooth red berry fruit, aromas of vanilla and spice with a long fruity finish.</i> | £19.95 |



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25.	Merlot, La Tenca Chile, 2015 <i>Full of lovely plum and dark berry fruits, with silky smooth tannins and a long finish.</i>	£21.95
26.	Verso Rosso Italy, 2014 <i>Aromas of ripe, dried fruits (plums and raisins) complemented by flavours of dark chocolate, black pepper spice. Full bodied and velvety with sweet dark fruit and brambles.</i>	£22.50
27.	Cotes du Rhone Rouge, Colombo & Fille France, 2015 <i>Aged for at least 8 months in order to achieve a crunchy, bright wine, packed with red fruit characters, well-rounded tannins and balanced acidity.</i>	£23.50
28.	Pinot Noir, Taringi New Zealand, 2013 <i>Smooth, soft and mellow on the palate with autumn fruit flavours. This is a lovely Pinot Noir.</i>	£25.95



Champagne & Sparkling Wines

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29.	Baby Prosecco (20cl) <i>Italy's most famous sparkling wine in a convenient single serve bottle.</i>	£6.95
29.	Baby Rosato Frizzante <i>Fruity and flowery bouquet with delicate notes of summer fruits. Dry, fresh and zesty.</i>	£6.95
30.	Prosecco Delfina <i>Fresh, creamy, medium dry with hints of apples and pears, well-balanced and clean.</i>	£22.95
31.	Jacques Boncoeur Brut Champagne <i>Dry in style with classic apple and citrus fruit on the palate. Bronze Medal Winner at the 2013 Decanter World Wine Awards.</i>	£45.00
32.	Nyetimber Classic Cuvee <i>Aromas of fresh melon, meyer lemon, proving bread, sweet pea flowers & vanilla. Fresh apricot and melon flavours on the palate and lovely tiny bubble texture.</i>	£49.50
33.	Taittinger Brut Reserve Champagne <i>The nose, very expressive and open, is both fruity and bready. It exudes aromas of peach, white flowers and vanilla pod. This is a delicate wine with flavours of fresh fruit and honey.</i>	£49.50
34.	Bollinger Special Cuvee <i>Lots of depth to this with an apple-like freshness on the refreshing finish. A wine with a beginning, middle and end.</i>	£55.00
35.	Laurent Perrier Rosé <i>Intensely fruity flavours begin clean and well-defined upon entry, the wine then opens up to provide a melange of flavours consisting of fresh strawberries, raspberries and wild cherry.</i>	£65.00



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37.5cl Bottle

36. **Campbell's Rutherglen Muscat** £17.75
Australia, N.V
Bright amber gold with copper tints. Fresh raisin fruit backed by subtle oak characters. Luscious mouthfilling raisined fruit combine with the oak flavours to produce a wine of great length.
37. **Chateau Petit Vedrines, Sauternes** £19.95
Bordeaux, 2011
Sweet with lovely vibrant honey and orange fruit flavours. Long on the finish.
38. **Tamar Ridge, Botrytis Riesling** £27.50
Australia, 2013
On the palate luscious ripe tropical fruits with strong hints of ripe apricot, well-balanced by cleansing acidity, finishing with a lovely crisp edge.

