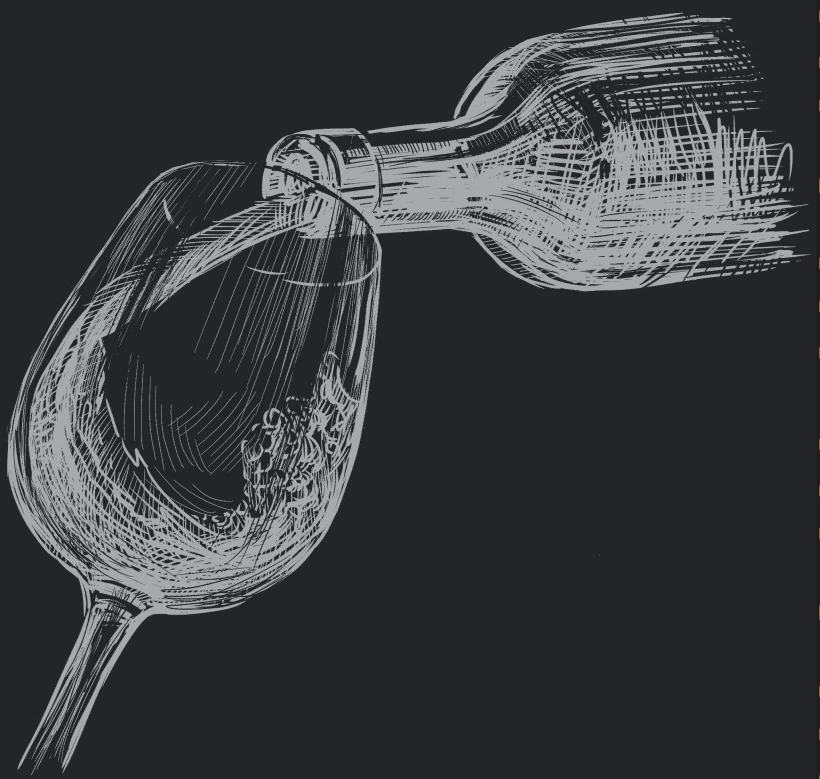
Veer Dhara 2009

Exquisite North Indian - Punjabi Restaurant | St. Albans



WINE & DRINKS LIST

Our wine list has been carefully chosen to match the style of our contemporary North-Indian Punjabi cuisine. Offering an eclectic mix of wines it incorporates producers and regions from all over the world. We have included a truly varied blend of affordable and prestigious champagnes and wines, with stunning bottles to sample. Our extensive range of spirits includes many popular brands of vodka, rum, whisk(e)y and gin. We have some excellent beers on draught or in bottle, and our cocktail menu features some of the most famous cocktails from around the world, which we would be most happy to adapt to suit your tastes where possible.

SPARKLING WINE & CHAMPAGNE

Sparkling wine is great with food, mouth-watering and dry examples make excellent partners for fish and other seafood, as well as light chicken dishes, salads and many lightly-flavoured starters. They are particularly good with salty ingredients, such as cheese or ham.

		20cl	Bottle
1	**GALANTI PROSECCO SPUMANTE DOC EXTRA DRY, ITALY** *Fine, persistent, soft fizz surrounds a fruit spectrum of apple, pear and a hint of peach.*	9	32
2	**GALANTI SPUMANTE ROSÉ, ITALY** *This vibrant pale pink Prosecco is freshing with light summer fruits with a hint of white peach.*	10	33
3	**BOUCHÉ PÈRE ET FILS CUVÉE RÉSERVÉ BRUT, FRANCE** *Elegant Champagne with perfumes of brioche and complex flavours of dried apricot, lemon and praline.*		65
4	**LAURENT-PERRIER CUVÉE ROSÉ BRUT NV, FRANCE** *The briefest liaison with grape skins tantalisingly leaves this delicate colour yet exudes a floral fragrance evolving soft red berry richness.*		100
5	**DOM PÉRIGNON, FRANCE** *Long and satisfying on the palate with layers of yeasty, nutty flavours, superbly fat and ripe. Complex, luxury Grand Cru Champagne made only in the best years.*		300
6	**ARMAND DE BRIGNAC BRUT, FRANCE** *A multi-vintage blend of wines made from only grapes from Premier and Grand Cru vineyards.*		350
7	**LOUIS ROEDERER CRISTAL BRUT, FRANCE** *Aromas of green apple, caramel and lemon zest: with concentrated, minerally flavours that announce apples served with cream.*		350

ROSÉ WINE

		175ml	250ml	Bottle
8	**MARCHESI ERVANI PINOT GRIGIO ROSATO, PAVIA ITALY** *Pinky colour with copper highlights and a bouquet of wild flowers and vanilla. Delicate Strawberry fruit*	7.5	9.5	26
9	**CÔTES DE PROVENCE ROSÉ, HÉRITAGE, ESTANDON FRANCE** *Fresh aromas of peach and pear, followed by a soft and well-balanced palate.*			37

DRY, REFRESHING, DELICATE, LIGHT WHITE

Delicately flavoured, crisp, generally with a very dry finish; ideally suited to partner light, delicately flavoured dishes, particularly fish, shellfish and light salads.

		175ml	250ml	Bottle
10	**VINUVA ORGANIC PINOT GRIGIO TERRE SICILIANE, ITALY** *Light, delicately flavoured, refreshingly dry with hints of apple.*	**8**	**10**	**28**
11	**PICPOUL DE PINET, PETITE RONDE, FRANCE** *Fresh with a citrussy and stone fruit character highlighted with floral notes.*	**9**	**11**	**32**

ZESTY, HERBACEOUS OR AROMATIC WHITE

Great with white fish, chicken and other white meat dishes, particularly when cooked with green herbs or in light creamy sauces. The most aromatic and less-dry wines work well with lightly-spiced dishes.

		175ml	250ml	Bottle
12	**ALTORITAS SAUVIGNON BLANC CENTRAL VALLEY, CHILE** *Bright, refreshing, herbaceous aromas with gentle gooseberry and lemon fruit.*	**7.5**	**9.5**	**26**
13	**YEALANDS ESTATE SV SAUVIGNON BLANC MARLBOROUGH, NEW ZEALAND** *A generous palate with pure, concentrated fruit flavours balanced by a delicious, crisp mineral finish.*			**36**
14	**ICUANA PETIT CHABLIS, FRANCE** *Subtle floral notes mingling with citrus aromas which give the wine a refreshing energy.*			**46**

JUICY, FRUIT-DRIVEN RIPE WHITE

Richly flavoured these wines have a rich, ripe, fruit-led personality. They have the weight of flavour to cope with strongly flavoured seafood and chicken dishes, which may be lightly spiced or have a creamy sauce.

		Bottle
15	**LOS ROMEROS CHARDONNAY, CENTRAL VALLEY CHILE** *Appealingly fresh and fruity unoaked Chardonnay: shows plenty of tropical fruit aromas.*	**26**
16	**REIGN OF TERROIR CHENIN BLANC, SWARTLAND SOUTH AFRICA** *Hand-harvested premium quality grapes from some of the oldest vines on the estate are used to produce this elegant, full-bodied wine.*	**28**

ELEGANT, INTRICATE, MINERAL-LACED WHITES

Moderate acidity and light, crisp flavours pair well with the delicate flavours of some fish and Pan-fried, grilled or braised light meats such as capon, pork, veal, guinea foul

		Bottle
17	**GAVI DI GAVI, TOLEDANA, DOMINI VILLA LANATA ITALY** *This excellent producer crafts this refreshing gooseberry and mineral style with delicate floral hints, dry but not austere.*	**39**

JUICY, MEDIUM-BODIED, FRUIT-LED RED

With their juicy fruit-led character, these wines make great partners for fuller-flavoured chicken dishes particularly those with dark or rich sauces. Delicious with grilled lamb and char-grilled vegetables.

		175ml	250ml	Bottle
18	**ALTORITAS MERLOT, CENTRAL VALLEY, CHILE** *Soft, light and fruity Merlot with plummy aromas and a hint of spice.*	7.5	9.5	26
19	**MONTEPULCIANO D'ABRUZZO, PARINI, ITALY** *Plum and cherry with notes of violet: dry, soft but well structured with a finish of dried fruits and toasted hazelnut.*	8	10	27
20	**ÉLEVÉ PINOT NOIR, VIN DE FRANCE, FRANCE** *From the foothills of the Pyrenees, soft, lightly oaked cherries and blueberries with a hint of spice.*			28
21	**DON JACOBO RIOJA CRIANZA, BODEGAS CORRAL, SPAIN** *A traditional red Rioja very much in Bodegas Corral's style, matured for a minimum of 12 months in American oak followed by at least a year in bottle before release. A blend of 90% Tempranillo with small additions of Garnacha and Mazuelo varieties.*			35
22	**CÔTES DU RHÔNE ROUGE BELLERUCHE, M. CHAPOUTIER, FRANCE** *Intense, with blackcurrant and raspberry on the nose and hints of white pepper. Juicy, powerful and full of red fruits on the palate.*			36

SPICY, PEPPERY, WARMING RED

Their spicy character and often rich, fruity style make them a good selection with strongly flavoured meat dishes. The richest, ripest wines, when paired with spicy foods, intensify the foods spicy nature – they turn the heat up.

		175ml	250ml	Bottle
23	**CASA ALBALI TEMPRANILLO-SHIRAZ VALDEPEÑAS, SPAIN** *A blend of the Spanish Tempranillo grape variety and the more famed international variety Shiraz; plenty of ripe cherry and plum fruit flavours*	7.5	9.5	26
24	**FAMILIA ZUCCARDI BRAZOS MALBEC, UCO VALLEY, MENDOZA, ARGENTINA** *Dark violet, medium bodied wine with cherry, plum and blackberry flavours gives a fruity and spicy finish.*			36

SOPHISTICATED, POLISHED, COMPLEX RED

Sophisticated wines for the sophisticated dining experience. Perfect for classic dishes based upon red meat; they also work well with autumnal vegetables and mushrooms.

		Bottle
25	**CHÂTEAU LYONNAT, LUSSAC-SAINT-ÉMILION, FRANCE** *A small district of St Emilion with a common terrain, the style is full of soft plums and brambly cassis flavours.*	55
26	**BAROLO, ENRICO SERAFINO, ITALY** *Big, well-structured red, intensely elegant nose, with red fruit and spicy notes of liquorice and vanilla.*	65

APERITIF

Martini Extra Dry 50ml **4.95**
Martini Bianco 50ml **4.95**
Martini Rosso 50ml **4.95**
Pernod 50ml **4.95**
Campari 50ml **4.95**

RUM

Bacardi 25ml **4.95**
Captain Morgan 25ml **4.95**
Captain Morgan Spiced Gold 25ml **4.95**
Havanna Club 3yrs 25ml **4.95**
Havanna Club 7yrs 25ml **5.95**
Bacardi Gold 25ml **5.95**
Kraken 25ml **5.95**

VODKA

Smirnoff Red 25ml **4.95**
Absolut 25ml **5.95**
Belvedere 25ml **6.25**
Grey Goose 25ml **6.25**

GIN

Bombay Sapphire 25ml **4.95**
Gordons Pink Gin 25ml **4.95**
Tanqueray 25ml **5.25**
Hendricks Gin 25ml **5.95**
Ophir Gin 25ml **5.95**

LIQUEURS

Amaretto 25ml **4.95**
Southern Comfort 25ml **4.95**
Peach Schnapps 25ml **4.95**
Malibu 25ml **4.95**
Cointreau 25ml **4.95**
Drambuie 25ml **4.95**
Tia Maria 25ml **4.95**
Kahlua 25ml **4.95**
Baileys 50ml **4.95**
Sambuca 25ml **4.95**
Jagermeister 25ml **4.95**

TEQUILA

Jose Cuervo Gold 25ml **4.95**

Jose Cuervo Silver 25ml **4.95**

Tequila Rose 25ml **4.95**

PORT

Taylors Port 10 yrs old 50ml **6.95**

COGNAC

Courvoisier VS 25ml **5.95**

Hennessy VS 25ml **5.95**

Martell VS 25ml **5.95**

Remy Martin VSOP 25ml **6.95**

Remy Martin XO 25ml **12.95**

SCOTCH WHISKY

Famous Grouse 25ml **5.25**

Johninie Walker Black Label 25ml **5.95**

Chivas Regal 12 yrs old 25ml **5.95**

Monkey Shoulder 25ml **5.95**

Chivas Regal 18 yrs old 25ml **10.95**

Johninie Walker Blue Label 25ml **16.95**

SINGLE MALT

Laphroaig 10 yrs old 25ml **6.25**

Dalwhinnie 15 yrs old 25ml **6.95**

Glenmorangie 10 yrs old 25ml **6.95**

Jura 10 yrs old 25ml **6.95**

Glenfiddich 12 yrs old 25ml **6.95**

Talisker 10 yrs old 25ml **6.95**

Glenlivet Founders Reserve 25ml **6.95**

Macallan 12 yrs old 25ml **7.95**

Glenfiddich 18 yrs old 25ml **12.95**

IRISH WHISKEY

Jameson 25ml **5.25**

AMERICAN WHISKEY

Jack Daniel's 25ml **5.25**

Makers Mark 25ml **5.25**

Gentleman's Jack 25ml **5.95**

BEER & CIDER

Cobra ½ Pint **4.95** Pint **6.95**

Kingfisher ½ Pint **5** Pint **7**

Kingfisher 650ml **7.5**

Cobra 660ml **7.5**

Cobra 330ml **4.95**

Corona 330ml **4.95**

Becks Blue Alcohol free 330ml **4.5**

Kopparberg Strawberry and Lime 500ml **6.95**

Orchard Pig Apple Cider 500ml **6.95**

Fever Tree Ginger Beer **3.5**

CRAFT BEER

Peroni Nastro Azzurro Gluten-Free 330ml **4.95**

Peroni Nastro Azzurro gluten-free is brewed using the creativity and flair of Italians. A beer with a uniquely crisp and refreshing taste.

Neck Oil IPA 330ml **5.25**

Our every day, all day, easy drinking, go to IPA. This started life as a home brew. We wanted to create a light, crisp, punchy go to beer. A beer that you know you can pick up and appreciate or simply get it down ya neck.

MINERALS

Soft Drinks *(Coke/ Diet Coke/ Fanta/ Lemonade)* **3.95**

Fruit Juice *(Orange Cranberry/ Apple/ Mango)* **3.95**

Voss Mineral Water *(Still/ Carbonated)* 800ml **4.95**

Fever Tree Mixers 200ml **3.5**

(Mediterranean tonic, Elderflower tonic/Aromatic tonic/Indian tonic water)

Appletiser 275ml **4**

Dash of Mixer *(Coke/Diet Coke/Fanta/Lemonade)* **0.95**

COCKTAILS

BUBBLY

Kir Royal **11.95**
The classic pre dinner aperitif cocktail of blackcurrant liqueur creme de casis topped with chilled prosecco.

Bellini Veneto **11.95**
Looking for a refreshingly light and fruity drink? Then look no further! A choice of passion or peach puree topped with chilled prosecco. 7.5

Aperol Spritz **11.95**
A refreshing aperol aperitif, prosecco ,topped with soda and garnish with an orange slice.

St. Germain Spritz **11.95**
Light and refreshing Elderflower liqueur, prosecco ,soda water ,lime and garnish with fresh mint.

Himalayan Fizz **11.95**
Sweetness of lychee, infused with rose,splashed with vodka and topped with prosecco.

CLASSIC

Dark N Stormy **10.95**
A highball cocktail made with Goslings black seal dark rum and ginger beer served over ice and garnished with a slice of lime.

Pornstar Martini **10.95**
Feel the star with a twist of absolute vanilla vodka, with homemade passion fruit liqueur and home made purees, shaken over ice .

Clover Club **10.95**
Gordon's pink gin, fresh lemon juice, sweet vermouth shake with egg white for a silky velvet finish.

Cuban Mojito **10.95**
One of the first world cocktails in the alcohol prohibition era and still popular today. Made from fresh limes, mint and demerara sugar overloaded with Havana rum and a seltz splash.

Sex on the Beach **10.95**
Sweet combo of peach, vodka combined with orange and cranberry for a zingy twist.

Espresso Martini **10.95**
Kahlua coffee liqueur, Absolut vodka, sugar syrup and a shot of espresso to awake your senses!

MOCKTAILS

Electric Lemonade **7.5**
Sweet and sour based drink, twisted with ginger, blue curacao, lemon grass and topped with sparkling lemonade

Berry Blast **7.5**
A mixture of summer berries blitzed with lime and cranberry, topped with sparkling lemonade

Masala Coke **7.5**
Blend of indian spices and gently combine them with coke and fresh mint, with a touch of lemon . Unusual yet typically refreshing.

Mango or Namkeen lassi **7.5**
A very popular drink in northern india made with cold fresh plain yogurt. Try either of the two varieties- Mango or Namkeen (salt & roasted cumin powder)

Virgin Mojito - Classic or Passion **7.5**
The combination of zesty lime and fragrant mint muddled to perfection and topped with soda.

125ml is available upon request

INTOLERANCES

Should you have concerns about an intolerance,
please speak to our staff before you order your drink.

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