

# BEST VALUE Whites UND'R \$12.00

The Best Value Whites Under \$12.00 - what do we mean? To us it means we must find wines with a compelling reason why you will want to buy them. Thus we explain in great detail the reasons why we have selected each wine. Our final selections of the 12 'Best Value Whites Und'r wines are featured below and on pages 4-5. We

nominate our top three wines for your interest and guidance. You will find you can drink very well for \$12.00 or under. If we were to draw your attention to one wine it would be the outstanding Vidal Marlborough New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc - Save \$6.00 on this New Zealand Savvy.

Our two fine  
selections below...

... turn to pages 4 & 5  
for a further 10 wines

Sir George Fistonich  
Villa Maria and  
Vidal wines



**Established  
in 1905 & made  
by Villa Maria**

Vidal Marlborough New Zealand  
Sauvignon Blanc

We happily add another new comer to our list of those incredibly satisfying wines that come from Marlborough, New Zealand. While the parade of Marlborough onto the world's wine stage is very recent the history of winemaking in New Zealand does go back a fair way. Vidal started in 1905 at Hawkes Bay on the North Island. Like most companies they saw that the future action was to be focussed on the South Island, namely at Marlborough, and now source fruit from this very important region. By now you know what to expect with the flavour of these wines so we just add that we are quite selective about those we promote and in our view you get a bit more flavour, fruit and polish with this lovely Vidal savvy.

The price is \$10.99 per bottle or \$131.88 when you buy a dozen.



Adam Hazeldine  
Wine Maker,  
Sams Creek  
Marlborough  
Sauvignon Blanc



**Fresh and Juicy**

Sams Creek Marlborough  
Sauvignon Blanc 2008

What a wine, and is easy to have in our Best Value White Und'r \$12.00. If you drink wine regularly you will return time and time again to sauvignon blanc's loaded as they are with fresh, sappy, fruity flavours. No one of course does it better than the region of Marlborough in New Zealand. New wines arrive every day from Marlborough each seemingly more pleasing than the previous one. We line them up and try them against each other looking for the best value. The first thing we find is that the opinion of which are best is so variable that its best to stock a wide range. We also note that the cheaper wines are frequently as good as the most expensive wines and this is reflected in the many reviews we read from International Wine magazines. Yes you can drink well by buying cheaper wines and that is just one of the attractions of this Sams.

The price is \$9.99 per bottle or \$119.88 when you buy a dozen.



# Tempting Whites & Sparkling Bargains



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**\$15.99** ea  
 WAS \$21.99

## Good Price on Home Town Favourite

### Oyster Bay Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc

Oyster Bay leads the parade of New Zealand sauvignon blancs from Marlborough as it is the most popular of the myriad brands that come to Australia. Everyone it seems loves the Oyster. The company that makes the wine has a long and distinguished history, indeed Oyster Bay was created back in 1990 though only from 2003 did they make enough to 'invade' the Australian market. We can be pleased they did as following on have been dozens of similar wines which provide plenty of competition. At Down Under we love them all and over the last year have found a few dozen that we thought you would enjoy. The Oyster though reigns supreme. The price is \$15.99 per bottle or \$191.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$12.99** ea  
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## Finest Margaret River

### Watershed Margaret River Shades Sauvignon Blanc Semillon

The Watershed winery is right in the dress circle of Margaret River not far from the famous Cape Mentelle and Leeuwin Estate and just south of the town of Margaret River. It is also a five star rated winery by our top wine writer James Halliday. So with the scene set we can now affirm that this Shades Sauvignon Blanc Semillon is just wonderful and in our view better than the two bronze medals it has been awarded. If you like sauvignon blanc we recommend you buy from the following three regions, Marlborough (NZ), Margaret River or Adelaide Hills. The wines are quite similar as you would expect as they are made to express the fruit with no winemaking tricks. And so you know we are on the ball we visited this winery in November, 2008 and met the winemaker Severine Logan and she is a champion. The price is \$12.99 per bottle or \$155.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$8.99** ea  
 WAS \$13.99

## Contender for Best Value

### Jacobs Creek Chardonnay Pinot NV

We have been a big supporter of this wine since its first release in the late 1990's. Back then it busted the market apart as it offered very high quality for a modest amount. In our view it still does. Most wine judges have the view that the best sparkling wines are made from the grape varieties traditionally grown in the Champagne region of France. These are of course chardonnay and pinot noir, the two varieties used to make this budget wine. You may of course make sparkling wine from any grape variety you like though the results from using these two varieties are pleasing, so many winemakers globally are content to stick with the trusted duo. It took a long time to grow stocks of these varieties so it is only recently that they have found their way down to the budget end. The price is \$8.99 per bottle or \$107.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$12.99** ea  
 WAS \$17.99

## New From the Great Innovators-Brown Bros

### Brown Brothers Cienna Rosso Sparkling

A new arrival is the Brown Bros Cienna which adds to the remarkable range of wines which they have developed for our customers who prefer, fruitier, riper tastes, often with a balanced touch of sweetness. They are a very innovative company and to make this wine have turned to a variety Cienna developed by our CSIRO which in turn made it by crossing the well known cabernet with a little known Spanish variety, sumoll. For many decades the CSIRO has been testing varieties that are uncommon but may be just right for our warmer climate. As always Brown Bros are way in front of competitors and have made for us this delicious, fruity, sweeter style and at low alcohol so you do not have to worry about a few extra glasses. The price is \$12.99 per bottle or \$155.88 when you buy a dozen.



**BONUS**  
 Two FREE Riedel "O" glasses every 6 bottles

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**\$18.99** ea  
 WAS \$24.99

## Full of Inviting Flavours

### Taylors Jaraman Adelaide Hills-Clare Chardonnay 2008

Many of our customers now understand that Taylors, the Clare Valley winery, makes wines with lots of flavour that are not expensive. We recommend them time and again. This month we highlight a delicious chardonnay. Now the sad truth about the Clare Valley is that for some white varieties, and we include chardonnay in this, the region is in most years a bit hot for making quality wines. Thus the winemakers have elected to go to the much cooler Adelaide Hills for a chardonnay they thought would combine well with the estate grown Clare chardonnay. As you are aware this type of blending is very common in Australia. The result is a wine with 55% Adelaide Hills and 45% Clare Valley. The winemakers then did the following: "Barrel fermentation and subsequent battonage has given the wine a deliciously creamy mid palate. French oak fermentation and maturation has added a strong cashew character and subtle spice to the palate. The wine has a clean and crisp acid structure and great persistence". The price is \$18.99 per bottle or \$227.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$14.99** ea  
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## Marlborough Magic

### Secret Stone Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc

Another delight from Marlborough and we happily add this to our extensive range of sauvignons. Keep sending them over NZ as we love them and as we have often remarked think they are the perfect wines for our climate. It is hard to believe now but just a few years ago many of these wines were on allocation but now there is plenty for everyone. The point being that as a general observation we think the price per bottle has come back two to three dollars - and that is money back in your pocket - exactly where it belongs. The price is \$14.99 per bottle or \$179.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$49.99** ea  
 WAS \$79.95

## Value French

### Piper Heidsieck Brut N.V.

Plenty of times now new wine areas snatch the crown from the French for the best wines but they grimly hold onto the one that says 'world's best sparkling wine - Champagne'. The opposition is closing in but for the moment they keep the crown. Without question one of the best value - as determined by local wine writers - is the Piper Heidsieck. Next special occasion trot out a bottle of this delightful wine; it shows a good price to quality ratio. The price is \$49.99 per bottle or \$599.88 when you buy a dozen.

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# A Range of High Quality Reds



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**\$6.99** ea  
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## New Release from Banrock Banrock Station Crimson Cabernet

New into our shops is this bright, fresh, vibrant wine with the emphasis of forward fruit flavours. It continues some of the recent, 'all new' wine innovations from Banrock Station, the Crimson having an emphasis on a slight effervescence, lowish alcohol, and fruity tastes with a hint of sweetness. This is what Banrock say about the wine: "Cabernet displays fresh raspberry, strawberry and floral aromas. On the palate, refreshing flavours of raspberries are coupled with a mouth filling creaminess. This wine is sweet and lightly spritzed." Quite an innovation underway and will provide a big challenge to our customers who enjoy Brown Bros as this wine is much cheaper.

The price is \$6.99 per bottle or \$83.88 when you buy a dozen.



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## Beautiful Cabernet from Western Australia

### Madfish Premium Red Cabernet Blend (Western Australia)

What another glorious wine from the Madfish team. Western Australia has really come of age and by this we mean that tentative moves to southern vineyard regions (well south of the Swan Valley) in the late 1960's has since then led to the opening of a number of new and very exciting new vineyard regions. All of this takes time as viticulturalist and winemakers work to discover how to get the best flavours from the new plantings. As they learn this information is shared around such that now we can say regions such as Margaret River and the vineyards running along the southern coast eastward are making world class wines. This Madfish is a blend of cabernet, merlot and cabernet franc. A beautiful wine at an undemanding price.

The price is \$14.99 per bottle or \$179.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$27.99** 2 Bottle Pack  
 WAS \$37.98

## Quit Price - Two Bottle Pack

### Taylor's Clare Valley Cabernet Sauvignon Taylor's Clare Valley Shiraz

We have been big fans of the wines of Taylors over the last decade. They offer superior, big rich flavours for an agreeable price. These types of flavours you only get from our long established warm vineyard regions, namely McLaren Vale, Barossa Valley and Clare Valley. In a very competitive market Taylors are well aware that they must keep their prices down. They have barely moved a cent in the last 8 years-tough for them but very good for lovers of big wine styles. Both varieties have appeal so we do not recommend one over the other. Their wines appeal overseas as Taylors frequently are given high praise in London wine shows and elsewhere.

The price is \$27.99 per two bottle pack.

Bonus Srixon Golf Ball valued at \$6.00 with every two bottle pack



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**\$7.99** ea  
 WAS \$8.99

## Big Barossa Red/ All Dry Grown Shiraz Two Birds One Stone Barossa Shiraz 2008

You have to have your ear close to the ground to find wines like this that sell for a song and are stamped with the famous Barossa name. Here is the story. The base shiraz is from an Eden Valley vineyard, which we are not allowed to mention but just happens to adjoin the blue chip Mount Adam vineyard. The winemaker, David Norman made that wine, then to lift the 'sweet' mid palate fruit a shiraz from the Barossa artisan Kym Teusner was added to the final blend. This shiraz came from the northern Barossa Valley vineyard of Kalleske. We grabbed a parcel for Down Under and because of the blue chip status of the vineyards and regions (Eden Valley and Barossa Valley) and the price it was included in this catalogue. Great wine - exceptional value.

The price is \$7.99 per bottle or \$95.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$9.99** ea  
 WAS \$13.99

## Triumph From Venerable Hunter Company

### Tyrrells Old Winery Cabernet Merlot

Created in the late 1970's to over deliver quality for the price this wine style has gone on to be awarded 2 Trophies, 10 Golds, 27 Silvers and 37 Bronze medals which is quite a haul and confirms that the Tyrrell family have indeed achieved what they set out to do. They make three reds in the Old Winery range but this cabernet has always been our favourite and you may be surprised to know has gone down in price since 2002. The wine industry is pretty tough and they found that to get the volume they wanted they lowered the price. Helpfully this makes them happy and our customers.

The price is \$9.99 per bottle or \$119.88 when you buy a dozen.



**BONUS**  
 Magnum of Capel Vale Shiraz FREE with every 4 bottles

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**\$13.99** ea  
 WAS \$19.99

## Remarkable New Release Capel Vale Debut Cabernet Merlot 2007

Our opinions are not needed about this wine as the following two experts say it all!

"Another example of the Larry Cherubino broomstick sweeping through the Capel Vale operation with very pleasing results. This medium bodied red blend is restrained, even fine; highlighting bright blackcurrant and red cherry flavours that persist. There's succulence which entices and balance on the finish. Classy. Rating: Bloody Good. From-Peter Forrestal - Quaff.

Long, fine and intense black and red fruits plus nuances of spice and mint; very high quality tannin structure. Rating: 94/100.

From-James Halliday's, Wine Companion, 2009

Larry Cherubino may mean little to you unless you are a dedicated wine buff so he has been on our radar for many years. He made beautiful wines when at Houghtons and some sensational wines more recently under his own label. Now at Capel Vale the results are obvious.

The price is \$13.99 per bottle or \$167.88 when you buy a dozen.



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 WAS \$16.99

## 227 Awards over 10 Years

### Wyndham Estate Bin 555 Shiraz

This shiraz frequently wins multiple medals in our wine shows: to date 227 awards including 4 trophies, 36 golds, and 77 silvers. Like a good race horse it shows lots of form vintage to vintage. Wines like this display a steady quality, perhaps they lack the glamour of all the new entrants that entice us, but parting with your hard earned dollars is a serious business. We cannot see how any objective drinker (and thinker) could argue that this wine is not worth the price - because it is.

The price is \$9.99 per bottle or \$119.88 when you buy a dozen.

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## Light, Fruity and Refreshing

### Lindemans Early Harvest Semillon Sauvignon Blanc

Looking for a wine that is refreshing and juicy and has a far lighter palate weight than a normal wine-then this is worth a try. Alcohol is low at 8.5% which suits the modern trend 'to go light and go easy'. We think Lindemans have uncovered a real need with this Early Harvest. It has the taste of the grape and in the Germanic style the alcohol is kept down which is what you want, for say, a luncheon white-the lovely fragrance of wine without the kick!

The price is \$11.99 per bottle or \$143.88 when you buy a dozen.



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## Drinking History

### Moondah Brook Verdelho

Why not enjoy a twist to your daily drinking. The Verdelho variety has a long history in Australia and was introduced into Australia in 1824 by Sir William Redfern where he planted it in the Sydney suburb of Redfern. It then found a home in the Hunter where it is still grown. It is thought that this wine though is made from a different clone which is exclusive to W.A. and was saved by the Houghton wine company who cultivated it when others had lousy interest. We have always found the wine to be delicious and it's a variety that grows well in the burning summer heat of our country. It takes a worthy place in our Best Value Whites Und'r \$12.00.

The price is \$10.99 per bottle or \$131.88 when you buy a dozen.



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## A Great Master at Work

### Knotts The Custodian Adelaide Hills Sauvignon Blanc 2008

Two factors make great wine. A great region in this case the Adelaide Hills and a great winemaker in this case Tim Knappstein. Put the two together and magic is guaranteed. We have benchmarked this wine against the best from Adelaide Hills on a number of occasions and it has always been in the top few and more than a few times was the top wine. Thus proving to us yet again that more expensive wines are by no means the best. Slides easily into our Best Value Whites Und'r \$12.00.

The price is \$9.99 per bottle or \$119.88 when you buy a dozen.



## A Bargain Arrives for Our Sale

### Renwicks Adelines Choice Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc

Choosing which wine to buy is really very simple-always purchase good wines when they are on special. If your budget allows, buy what you can afford. Remember all Down Under stores will gladly swap wines should you buy too many of a special and later find it does not appeal. You are never caught with wines as that is not how we do business. Thus we believe this is an excellent Marlborough sauvignon blanc. We think you should take the opportunity to buy several or many bottles. What a glory Marlborough sauvignon blanc has turned out to be over the last few decades; beautiful, tasty wines that are attuned to the Australian outdoor lifestyle. The correct flavours though only develop in cool to cold regions such as New Zealand. This Renwicks offers the correct flavours and is most modestly priced.

The price is \$10.99 per bottle or \$131.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$9.99** ea

## Sensational Price on New Zealand

### Lobster Bay Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2009

It may seem hard now to believe that the taste we take for granted, Marlborough sauvignon blanc, has a very recent history. Prior to 2000 it was of course available in Australia but was enjoyed by few and sales spluttered along. Now it is our most popular white variety and dozens of beautiful wines arrive every month from Marlborough, New Zealand. We liked what we call the price to quality ratio of this wine as it provides easy, agreeable drinking at a modest price. We fail to see why you should pay \$5.00 to \$7.00 more just because the brand seems more familiar. Go back to the start of this story and reflect again on the fact that none of these wines were around 9 years ago. Because of the sensational value this wine offers it marches into our Best Value Whites Und'r \$12.00.

The price is \$9.99 per bottle or \$119.88 when you buy a dozen.



When you see this symbol it will alert you to a wine that has been made by traditional, time honoured, wine making techniques. The three elements of wine are **the vineyard, the winery and the winemaker**. We do try to buy wines that reflect traditional methods as we feel they often have a greater depth of flavours. Alas the traditional way means the wines are usually quite expensive so this symbol will not appear very often. When it does appear next to a wine it means that wine is worthy of your careful appraisal.

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## No Joking Matter - Instead a Great White

Peter Lehmann Barossa Blonde  
 Classic Dry White

Any Lehmann wine is worth trying. The firm has, in our view, enormous integrity and over the last decade they have offered an affordable, consistent taste that is far from boring. Most of the wines are true to their home which is the Barossa Valley and while they make plenty of Trophy winners that are expensive it is those that are affordable every day which has won them favour with budget conscious consumers. It does not say so on the label but this wine is a blend of four varieties, making a wine style we would loosely call Classic Dry White. You will love this wine and befitting a company that in 2003 and 2006 was made International Winemaker of the Year at the London wine show run by the International Wine and Spirit Competition. A very useful endorsement of Lehmann's quality. The price is \$9.99 per bottle or \$119.88 when you buy a dozen. Tasting in all outlets on Friday 5th March from 4-7pm



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Best Value White Under \$12.00  
**No.3**  
 Best Value White Under \$12.00

## Very High Quality Score - 89/100

De Bortoli Sacred Hill Semillon  
 Sauvignon Blanc 2008

What a glorious wine for the price and a must for our Best Value Whites Und'r \$12.00. Recently our most famous wine writer and Judge, James Halliday said this about the wine: "...a magical piece of winemaking at the price. Crisp and lively, it has authentic tropical/kiwi fruit sauvignon blanc flavours backing up the grassy/lemony Semillon; soft acidity follows on the clean finish." He gave it a point score of 89/100. Well that is a fine endorsement for a wine at this price point particularly when you find wines that score one or two points more can sell for over \$20.00. We prefer to keep the other \$15.00 in the bank, thank you. We might also add that the semillon in this wine came from Griffith in N.S.W. a region noted for very high quality semillon at agreeable prices. The result is most apparent with this delicious wine. The price is \$5.99 per bottle or \$71.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$11.99** ea  
 WAS \$16.99

## The Best of Marlborough

Nobile Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc

Just in time for our Sale edition is this lovely Marlborough sauvignon blanc from the famous New Zealand firm of Nobile. Currently the wine press is full of stories about the flood of new wines from New Zealand reaching our shores. If by chance you are concerned about trying new, unknown wines, and we do embrace these readily at Down Under, you will find that this Nobile gives you the security of a well known brand at a bargain SALE price. Great SALE value and the safety of a famous maker makes very good buying sense. And the saving always comes in handy.

The price is \$11.99 per bottle or \$143.88 when you buy a dozen.



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**\$6.99** ea  
 WAS \$10.99

## Astonishing Value - Yet Again

Jacobs Creek Sauvignon Blanc

Good value here because it's from one of the most trusted names in Australian wine. You can go the Jacobs Creek visitors centre in the Barossa Valley and learn a lot but the real place to see what is going on is to enter the inner sanctum, at the nearby winery, where the winemakers meet, taste and worry about how to make the wines taste just right. They could probably rename Jacobs Creek wines 'Just so' in the term, just right or perfect. For a sauvignon blanc at a price point that is half that of New Zealand it would have been a lot harder to come up with the winning blend. They could not just bring it over from New Zealand as the grapes are too expensive as indeed they are in Australia's premium areas for sauvignon blanc such as Margaret River. Still they have solved the problem and this is a delicious, ripe example showing great winemaking skill. The price is \$6.99 per bottle or \$83.88 when you buy a dozen.



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 WAS \$15.99

## Another Beautiful NZ Sauvignon Blanc

Rochfort Rees Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc 2008

With loads of juicy flavour and a fair price what else could we do but promote this NZ sauvignon blanc into our Best Value Whites Und'r \$12.00 wine bracket. Wine consumers are telling us you cannot have too much of a good thing so we keep looking for wines such as this even though we have quite a few of these New Zealanders already in stock. Each one is subtly different so just seek out the one you prefer though we would tend not to follow the more expensive wines. In masked tastings we seldom see the difference between the budget and the expensive. We know you perhaps take comfort in the familiarity of your favourite though be warned this is costing you money.

The price is \$10.99 per bottle or \$131.88 when you buy a dozen.



When you see this sign it will alert you to a wine that has been created by a 'master blender' or winemaker. The three elements of wine are **the vineyard, the winery and the winemaker**. Many of the wines we buy are created by industry greats who now have legendary status. For example, we buy many wines from Tim Knappstein, who began making wine in 1966. That is an awful long time ago and we want to sell wines made by the best.



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**\$42.99**

30pk

VB cans x 30

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**\$12.99**

4 pk

**BONUS**  
FREE Glass  
with every  
Guinness 4 pack  
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Guinness x 4  
440ml cans -  
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plus Bonus  
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Guinness 4 pack  
purchased

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**\$74**

TWO 30 pk  
CASES

Carlton Mid cans x 30  
.....**\$42.99**

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**\$50.99**

24 pk

Crown Lager stubbies x 6 .....**\$15.99**  
Crown Lager stubbies x 24 .....**\$50.99**

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**\$44.99**

24pk

Hahn Super Dry  
stubbies x 24

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**\$47.99**

24 pk

Budweiser stubbies x 6 .....**\$14.99**  
Budweiser stubbies x 24 .....**\$47.99**

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**\$74**

TWO 24 pk  
CASES

XXXX Bitter stubbies x 24  
.....**\$43.99**

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**\$45.99**

24 pk

Miller Chill stubbies x 6 .....**\$13.99**  
Miller Chill stubbies x 24 .....**\$45.99**



## Best Value Sparkling for November

### Yellow NV Sparkling

A sparkling budget favourite of ours and for a great number of wine drinkers. Years ago we spent a day talking to the winemaker of the Yellowglen range, Charles Hargraves, and came away with our heads spinning with details about making the perfect sparkling wine. Like us, you will be impressed by the attention to minute detail that is needed to make a satisfying taste. This in turn made us recall that the Yellowglen brand was created by Ian Home back in the 1970's. Ian had sold his supermarkets and was looking for the next business adventure and made the brave decision to create a sparkling wine. He survived and indeed Yellowglen prospered so let us toast this enterprise.

The price is \$7.99 per bottle or \$95.88 when you buy a dozen.



## 250ml Bonus!

### Wolf Blass Red Label Chardonnay and Cabernet Merlot 1 litre

A venerable, trustworthy name plus you get an extra 250ml of delicious wine for the same price as the smaller bottle. That strikes us as a good deal. We have a simple message when buying wine. Hold back until the right deal comes along. This is the right deal and we think it makes the ideal house white and red for the next few months. With this wine you can buy without risk. Wolf Blass is now an iconic Australian brand and when companies stimulate sales with a friendly consumer offer its time for you to buy. The price is \$8.99 per bottle or \$107.88 when you buy a dozen.



## Our Best Value Red? Yes Indeed

### Shearers Lament Langhorne Creek McLaren Vale Cabernet Merlot

We are always on the look-out for very good wines that offer outstanding value to our customers. Over the last year we have been offer wines on a number of occasions by a small team that operates out of the Barossa Valley. That may be the home base but they travel the country looking for interesting, small lots of wine that are shipped back to the Barossa and which are then blended with other tasty parcels. The Shearers Cabernet Merlot is a blend of Langhorne Creek Cabernet and McLaren Vale Merlot and we believe is one of the best budget offerings we have ever made. We were told that the label was inspired by a visit to the Shearers Hall of Fame in the town of Hay, NSW.

The price is \$6.99 per bottle or \$83.88 when you buy a dozen.



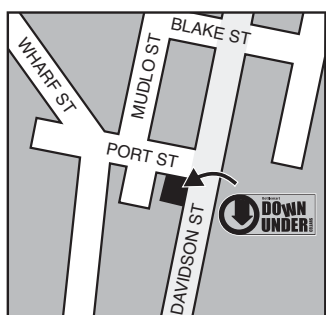
## A Down Under Bargain

### Prince Hill Acrobat Mudgee Shiraz & Chardonnay

Our buying team has done very well to unearth this great bargain. 100% dry grown fruit from a region that traces its origins back to 1858 all going for a song. Now Mudgee has something else in its favour. The average height above sea level is about 450 metres. This is just enough for the hot summer days to be followed by evenings that cool off very quickly. We now know that this cooling effect in the evenings has an important bearing on grape quality. The heat of the Mudgee day should lead to enormous fat wines that many would not enjoy-but it doesn't. The evenings see to that. One other useful fact. It may be that the very important variety chardonnay existed only in Mudgee after coming to Australia in 1832. It was found again in the late 1960's growing at Mudgee Wines and is likely to be a direct descendant of those original cuttings. So these wines are way above the cheap and cheerful range. Enjoy.

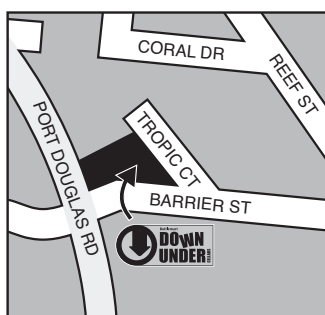
The price is \$3.99 per bottle or \$47.88 when you buy a dozen.

## Port Douglas — 3 great convenient locations!



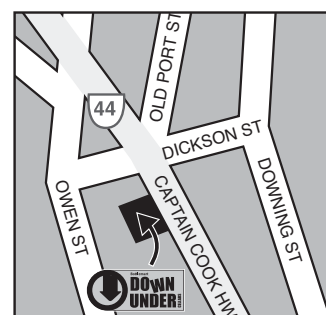
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