

DRINKS & WINES



WINE LIST

*Welcome to Cucinetta. My list is a very special wine list.  
This is not a simple wine list; it's a collection of emotions,  
tastes and memories.*

*Following these characteristics I wish you can give me the  
opportunity to suggest a suitable wine to match. Vincenzo's  
award winning food, together I will be able to bring you  
on a journey to experience the fragments, passion of  
wine and food from Italy and around the world.*

*I invite you to taste,*

*Grazie – Vincenzo*

CUCINETTA

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*1 Hat Restaurant 2018*

### *Waters*

Santa Vittoria sparkling - *Italy* 10.5

Santa Vittoria Still - *Italy* 10.5

### *Non-alcoholic drinks*

Chinotto San Pellegrino 9

Aranciata San Pellegrino 9

Coke, Coke Zero, Sprite,  
Tonic, Soda, Ginger Ale 5

Lemon Lime Bitters 6

Mocktails 12

### *Juices*

Orange, Apple, Pineapple 7

### *Cocktails (Classic Italian)*

**Aperol Spritz** 21

*Aperol, orange, prosecco, soda, olive*

**Bellini** 15

*Raspberry puree, Cipriani prosecco*

**Espresso Martini** 20

*Vodka, Kahlua, espresso coffee*

**Negroni** 20

*Gin, Campari, Martini Rosso*

**Amaretto sour** 20

*Amaretto, sweet & sour, whites*

**Lychee martini** 21

*Vodka, lychee liqueur, lychee juice*

### *Aperitifs*

Aperol - *Italy* 12

Campari - *Italy* 12

Martini Rosso / Bianco / Extra Dry - *Italy* 13

Pernod - *France* 11

Dubonnet - *France* 11

Pimms – N1 Cup - *London* 12

### *Imported Italian Beers*

**Peroni Nastro Azzurro**  
Pale Lager, Lazio 11

**Moretti**  
Pale Lager, Friuli Venezia Giulia 10

**Menabrea**  
Pale Lager, Piemonte 10

**Ichnusa Anima Sarda**  
Pale Lager, Sardegna 10

**Peroni Leggera**  
Light Pale Lager, Lazio 11

### *Our Hand-crafted beer*

#### *NSW*

**Vinnies Beer** 15  
Chef Vincenzo's Pale Ale  
*Fruity, non-pasteurised, spices, little bitter*

*...hand craft beers continue next page*

*with a surprise for our customers...*

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### *Spirits*

#### **Gin**

Gordon's	8
Bombay Sapphire	10
Hendrick's	12
Solo Wild Gin ( <i>Sardegna Italy</i> )	16

#### **Vodka**

Russian Standard	9
Zubrovka	10
Belvedere	12

#### **Tequila**

Herradura Blanco	12
Herradura Reposado	14

#### **Rum**

Bacardi Blanco	9
Appleton Estate 12y	12

#### **Cachaca**

Sagatiba Blanco	12
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#### **Bourbon**

Makers Mark	9
Wild Turkey	9
Jack Daniel's	9
Woodford Reserve	14

#### **Whiskey & Scotch Blends**

Jameson's	9
Canadian Club	9
Johnnie Walker Red Label	8
Johnnie Walker Black Label	10
Chivas Regal 12y	10

#### **Single Malt Scotch**

Glenfiddich 12y– <i>Spyside</i>	14
Oban 14y – <i>Highland</i>	16

#### **Armagnac, Cognac & Brandy**

Remy Martin Xo – <i>France</i>	25
Hennessy Vsop – <i>France</i>	12
1979 Bas Armagnac – <i>France</i>	20

#### **Calvados**

Christian Drouin Vsop	14
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### *Liqueurs*

Frangelico - <i>Italy</i>	9
Nocello - <i>Italy</i>	9
Amaretto Di Saronno - <i>Italy</i>	9
Tia Maria – <i>Italy</i>	9
Kahlua - <i>Mexico</i>	9
Patron Xo Caffè - <i>Mexico</i>	14
Strega - <i>Italy</i>	9
Sambuca Molinari - <i>Italy</i>	11
Benedectine - <i>France</i>	10
Baileys - <i>Irish</i>	9
Licor 43 - <i>Spain</i>	9
Galliano - <i>Italy</i>	9
Grand Marnier - <i>France</i>	12
Cointreau - <i>France</i>	9
Southern Comfort - <i>USA</i>	9
Drambuie - <i>France</i>	9
Chambord - <i>France</i>	9
Crème De Cassis - <i>France</i>	9
Liqueur De Litchi Massinez	9
Liqueur De Pomme Verte Massinez	9
Creme De Framboise Massinez	9
Creme A La Fraise Des Bois Massinez	9
Midori - <i>Japan</i>	9

### *Digestives*

Montenegro Amaro <i>Emilia Romagna</i>	45ml	12
Amaro del Capo - <i>Calabria</i>	45ml	12
Averna - <i>Sicily</i>	45ml	12
Fernet Branca - <i>Lombardy</i>	45ml	14
Branca Menta - <i>Milan</i>	45 ml	12
Limoncello – <i>villa Massa</i>	45ml	12
Passioncello – <i>Australia</i>	45ml	16

### *Grappa & Eau De Vie*

Bassano – <i>Blend of Bassano Varieties</i>	20
Barolo – <i>Nebbiolo - Barolo</i>	22
Morbida – <i>Smooth</i>	22
Moscato – <i>White Muscat</i>	22
Stravecchia – <i>aged grappa</i>	25
Verde – <i>Green</i> <i>Combination of varieties infused Alpine herbs</i>	30
Viola – <i>Violet</i> <i>Blend of Prosecco, Cartizze &amp; Moscato</i>	30
Barrique <i>Vintage Blend, Local Reds, 13yr In Oak</i>	25

## *Wines by the Glass*

### **Sparkling**

**Champagne** Le Brun de Neuville Blanc de Blancs, *France* 29

**Franciacorta Saten** 2014 Contadi Castaldi  
*Lombardia Italy* 24

**Franciacorta Rose** Brut Contadi Castaldi  
*Lombardia Italy* 20

**Val d'oca Prosecco** 2018 extra dry millesimato  
*Veneto, Italy* 18

**Moscato D'asti** La Cacciatora 15

### **Rose'**

2017 Cerasuolo D'Abruzzo Masciarelli  
*Abruzzo, Italy* 16

### **White**

2018 Cesari – Pinot Grigio DOC  
*Friuli, Italy* 18

2017 Riesling Scalzi  
*Australia* 16

2018 Kuru Kuru Savignon Blanc  
*Marlborough, N.Z.* 16

2018 Vermentino Costera Argiolas DOC  
*Sardegna, Italy* 18

### **Red**

2016 Scalzi Shiraz  
*Barossa Valley* 16

2016 Jones Road Pinot Noir  
*Mornington Peninsula* 18

2018 Tenute del Cerro – Sangiovese DOC  
*Toscana, Italy* 18

2014 Bundalong – Cabernet Sauvignon  
*Coonawarra SA* 16

2017 Jerzu Cannonau DOC  
*Sardegna* 18

## Sparkling Wines

### Prosecco

#### 2018 Val d'Oca Millesimato Extra dry DOC

Valdobbiadine, Italy 75

*Lemon and lime flower on the nose and equally lemon and lime dominated on the palate with green apple crispness overall crisp, clean and refreshing with just a touch of fruit sweetness.*

#### NV The independent Rose Brut DOC

Tauriano, Italy 75

*Intense and Elegant , rich of flowery notes and delicate fruity extracts. On the palate tempting and velvety perfect with fish-based starters.*

### Franciacorta

#### 2014 Franciacorta Saten dosage Brut Contadi Castaldi DOCG

Lombardia Italy 130

*Chardonnay(prevalent) Pinot Blanc up to a maximum 50%*

*Fine and persistent , almost creamy effervescence. Pale yellow colour that can also be deep with greenish colour. Naunced but distinct fragrance of ripe fruit accompined by delicate notes of white flowers.*

#### NV Franciacorta Rose' Dosage Brut

DOCG 100

Contadi Castaldi

Lombardia Italy

*Chardonnay , Pinot Blanc , Pinot Nero (min 35%)  
The presence of Pinot Noir gives this Franciacorta a particular body and vigour , in addition to the typical aromas of the grape .*

### Champagne

#### Le Brun de Neuville NV Blanc de Blancs Brut

Côte de Sézanne, France 175

*This Champagne has a strong green-yellow colour with pale lemon-yellow hints. The first nose reveals hawthorn and acacia, wet chalk, peppermint, green apple, and fresh grapes with a touch of anise. When aerated, it turns to notes of whipped cream, chives, lemon zests, and yellow grapefruit with a pinch of nutmeg.*

#### Pierre Gimonet & Fils 1er Cru Blanc de Blancs 2008

France 200

*A beautiful wine , this has fresh acidity , crisp fruits and zesty mineral texture. Apple , citrus and hints of apricots are all there along with an intense tangy character that bursts in the mouth.*

#### Le Brun de Neuville Grand Vintage 2008

Côte de Sézanne, France 220

*Light green-yellow colour with pale and lightly lemon-yellow hints. The first nose shows great purity of expression with flavours of lemon heart, citron, pebbly chalk, verbena, and biscuit. When aerated, the Champagne reveals notes of rhubarb, fresh grape, and some acacia fragrance. The initial palate is smooth and fresh with some creamy and melted effervescence. The mid-palate is orchestrated by a chalky minerality providing some elegance and strengthening the chalk power on the finish, typical of the 2008 vintage*

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## White Wines

### 2018 Pinot Grigio Cesari DOC

Friuli Venezia Giulia 65

*This Bright straw yellow wine, offers scents of grapefruit with a hints of honey and almonds. The palate is dry with a balance of crisp acidity, flavours of bitters almonds and grapefruit leading towards a clean citrus finish.*

### 2017 Pinot Grigio Villa Russiz DOC

Friuli Venezia Giulia 80

*This Elegant white wine it's origin in Collio. Straw yellow colour, elegant and refined on the Nose with complex fruit aromas. Mature wines Have a fruity bouquet, especially of peach and Pear. Evident notes of wildflowers.*

### 2018 Kuru Kuru Sauvignon Blanc

Marlborough, N.Z. 65

*A blend from two premium vineyards which display quite different characteristics, this wine exhibits both the lush riper tropical fruit notes and the classic lean gooseberry grassy fruits that marlborough is known for.*

### 2019 Lawson's Dry Hills Sauvignon Blanc Barrel Aged

Marlborough, N.Z. 70

*Made with selected fruit from Waihopai, Awatere and Wairau vineyards, this intense wine gives a powerful expression of the Marlborough region. Lifted nose with citrus, passion fruit and a flinty mineral tone, with added complexity from the fermentation in French oak barrels.*

### 2018 Nibali - Soave Classico DOC

Veneto, Italy 70

*Rich fruit and a great strength of flavour that has earned it the title of the pouilly- fuissé of soave which is no mean feat. Tamellini's le bine soave is an excellent wine to match with fish and seafood.*

### 2018 Gianni Masciarelli Trebbiano D'Abruzzo DOC

Abruzzo, Italy 60

*Appearance straw yellow with greenish glints. Aroma fairly intense with notes of green apple, floral and mineral notes taste crisp with a hint of green apple and apricot.*

### 2017 Lava Falanghina IGT

Campania, Italy 65

*Bright straw yellow. Intense aroma, quite persistent, fruity. Medium-bodied, well balanced, quite intense and persistent.*

### 2017 Terre Del Vulcano Greco Di Tufo DOCG

Campania, Italy 70

*This is a rich, exotic bottle with apricot, lemon zest and aniseed flavors, and a crisp acidity holding it all together.*

### 2018 Lama di Pietra Chardonnay IGP

Puglia, Italy 65

*Lama di Pietra chardonnay, is a crisp, stylish white wine, with a broad array of fragrances ranging from citrus to tropical fruit. Wonderful*

### 2018 God's hill Selvaggio Chardonnay

Barossa Valley 75

*Wild ferment Chardonnay with no added cultured yeast make this wine of incredible complexity, with flavours of cashew, toasty, nutty and ripe fruit tones of loquat.*

*\* Vintages may vary*

## White Wines...

### 2018 Vermentino Jerzu DOC

Sardegna, Italy 65

*Vermentinos are light and crisp with a tinge of colour, sharing many characteristics with the Malvasia grape to which some experts believe vermentino is related. It is relatively inexpensive and was always intended as a fish wine.*

### 2017 Riesling Scalzi

Barossa Valley 65

*Palish colour and a savoury, malt and dried flower aroma, the palate almost a little austere, with a very firm finish thanks to acid and tannin. It needs food or/and bottle-age.*

### 2017 Pinot Bianco St Paul DOC

Alto Adige Italy 90

*It's aromatic complexity develops flavours of apple, peach, apricot. It's acidity and minerality are convincing on the palate: it is one of south Tyrol's best loved wine.*

### 2018 Luma' Grillo IGT

Sicily, Italy 60

*Golden yellow color. Aromas and flavors of white chocolate graham cracker, banana nut muffin, and spiced apple and peach with an bright, dry medium body and a charming, easy toasted lemon meringue, nuts skin, and minted melon finish with fine, fruit tannins and a suggestion of oak.*

## Rose Wines

### 2017 Cerasuolo D'Abruzzo rosè Masciarelli DOC

Abruzzo Italy 70

*Very clear Rose with cherry pink and bright reflection. Quite Intense refined perfume. Flavour, fruity and floral.*

### 2018 Château Minuty 'M de Minuty' Rosé

Côtes de Provence, France 80

*The expression of the traditional Provençal vines is enhanced by techniques of modern vinification. Château Minuty excludes herbicides and pesticides from their vineyard. It displays freshly sliced pears, nectarines and strawberries. Medium body, bright acidity and a racy, textured finish. Drink now.*

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## Red Wines

### 2018 Jones Road Pinot Noir

Mornington Peninsula, Australia 60

*From a low yield year comes this ripe pinot noir with intense concentration of fruit and tannins. Berries and dark cherry flavours hints of spices deliver a velvety and vibrant feeling on the palate. Refreshing flavoursome finish.*

### 2017 Kuru Kuru Pinot Noir

Central Otago, NZ 80

*Deeply coloured with purple hues. The nose released fresh red cherry fruits with spicy overtones. On the palate the wine is elegant and refined with intense red fruit – well ripened with fine tannins and good acidity to match with a range of foods. A long fruit filled finish*

### 2014 Tarras The Canyon Pinot Noir

Central Otago, NZ 145

*A single Vineyard wine made exclusively from The Canyon Vineyard at Bendigo and labelled as The Canyon only in vintages when it is exceptional. Beautiful floral aromas with elegant berry fruits , spice and dried tannins and excellent length.*

### 2017 Cantina Diomede Nero Di Troia IGP

Puglia, Italy 60

*Complex boquet with notes of red fruit , soft on the palate with delicate tannins. Full bodied , elegant and well structured.*

### 2014 Bundalong Cabernet Savignon

Coonawarra, Australia 60

*This is a well-made carberet savignon with a dense, inky red colour with some youthful purple hues. It has a full, seamless and textured palate of blackberry, plums and spicy vanillin french oak complemented by a long finish of chocolate mint.*

### 2016 Scalzi Shiraz

Barossa Valley, Australia 60

*A dense, inky crimson colour with purple hues. A rich, brooding nose of liquorice, mocha, and spicy black pepper. Smooth, velvety textures are enhanced by elegant french oak spice and balanced by a subtle acid length.*

### 2017 Kay Brothers Basket Pressed Shiraz

McLaren Vale, Australia 75

*Lifted floral notes, musk, aniseed and dark fruits emerge initially, supported by smoky cedar ad an underlying earthiness. Dense, rich fruit flavours of raspberry and boysenberry, followed by black olive, spice and finishing with soft, fine grained dark chocolate tannins.*

### 2018 Primitivo di Manduria Messapi IGP

Puglia, Italy 65

*Intense ruby color with violet reflection , intense fruity. Full bodied, soft , quite tannic. Ready to drink.*

### 2016 Primitivo Di Manduria Il Teo DOP

Puglia, Italy 130

*Lush, ripe, dark berry fruit flavours with nuances of wild herbs, licorice and earthy undertones are followed with a rich, full-bodied and gripping finish.*

### 2017 Messapi Negroamaro IGP

Puglia, Italy 60

*Ruby Red color with purple hues. Intense , vinous, spicy and fruity, with notes of black berries. Medium bodied , very well balance between freshness and warm feeling.*

\* *Vintages may vary*

## Red Wines...

### 2016 Masciarelli Montepulciano D'Abruzzo DOC

Abruzzo, Italy 65

Medium to full bodied to the palate possesses a generous almost juicy like flavour, profile of ripe dark cherries and dark plum with some leathery overtones and a spicy back palate. Very fine grained tannins. Good depth with medium to long ripe dark cherry, earthy leather and spice aftertaste.

### 2015 Re Manfredi Aglianico Del Vulture DOC

Basilicata, Italy 110

The flavour has an exceptional powerful and imperious personality, with warm elegant undertones of spices and cream. This is a wine with marked minerality and flavour, characteristics that give it extraordinary balance and drinkability.

### 2018 Tenute del Cerro Rosso di Montepulciano - Sangiovese DOC

Toscana, Italy 65

It has a ruby red colour. Aromas of small red fruits. Well-balanced taste, elegant with a slight tannic note at the beginning.

### 2015 Tenute del Cerro Nobile di Montepulciano - Sangiovese DOCG

Toscana, Italy 80

From Sangiovese grape variety called Prugnolo Gentile, the wine has been aged in oak for 18 months. Subdued aromas of leather, mocha, wild berry and a whiff of baking spice. The palate is on the lean side, offering dried cherry and star anise alongside light tannins. A coffee-bean note marks the close.

### 2014 Terre Natuzzi Chianti Riserva – Sangiovese DOCG

Toscana, Italy 65

Bright ruby red, ripe plum and spicy nutmeg and cedar notes, full and ripe red fruit characters with integrated tannin structure and bright acidity.

### 2017 Don Giovanni – Chianti Classico – Sangiovese DOCG

Toscana, Italy 85

Beautiful straight forward chianti with nice ripe sour cherry fruit sandalwood and tea. Medium bodied and fresh with a dry round fresh finish

### 2017 Seghesio – Cascina Pajana Barbera DOC

Piemonte, Italy 85

The 2017 Barbera comes from the Seghesio family's original home ranch vineyard. It features bright fruity and floral aromas on the nose and blueberry, plum and black cherry flavours in the mouth

### 2018 Lumá Nero D'avola IGT

Sicilia, Italy 65

Wines show plum and juicy, red-fruit flavors, while more complex examples offer chocolate and dark raspberry flavors.

### 2017 Jerzu Cannonau DOC

Sardegna, Italy 65

Ruby red colour with garnet hues. On the nose blueberries vanilla and paprika, on the palate, the same purity continues, showing a properly dry table wine of a fresh and delicate style.

\* *Vintages may vary*

## Red Wines...

### **2017 Batasiolo – Langhe Nebbiolo DOC**

Piemonte, Italy 90

*Light red typical of Nebbiolo fruity, fresh, soft tannins on the nose plum and cherry. Fantastic wine to match with any red meat.*

### **2016 Marchesi Dei Frescobaldi Sangiovese, Cabernet Sauvignon & Merlot IGT**

Toscana, Italy 90

*A combination of fruit fragrances including Cherries, black currants and violets. Tannins are well-balanced by the alcoholic component and the finish is long and satisfying.*

### **2016 Cesari Mara Valpolicella Ripasso DOC**

Veneto, Italy 100

*Deep, young-looking garnet. Delightful nose of ripe red and black fruits with subtle liquorice and some herbs. A supple attack leads into a delicious, fleshy, full palate with fine spice, a touch of exotic wood and hint of firmness. A convincing offering.*

### **2017 François Arnaud Grande Réserve Côtes du Rhône**

Côtes du Rhône, France 85

*François Arnaud constantly seeks out the best terroirs with the help of his friend Jean-François Ranvier, they select the best plots and oversee the whole winemaking process to create modern blends, offering both generous fruit and freshness. A dark purple red colour, vibrant aromas of red and black fruits (blackberry, cherry), revealing an intense and spicy structure with a long fresh finish.*

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## Cellar Selection

### 2009 Cesari Bosan Amarone Riserva DOC

Veneto, Italy 270

*The characteristic fragrance of cherry merges with hints of spices, cocoa and vanilla. With a full and Velvety flavour, it displays all its power in a warm, elegant body. This extraordinary wine refined in large oak barrels, after which it undergoes a long period of rest in the bottle. Nearly 6 years are required before Amarone Bosan can leave the cellar.*

### 2014 Cesari Amarone Classico DOC

Veneto, Italy 190

*Typical aromas of ripe fruit, fruit preserve and cherry are immediately perceived on first olfactory examination. Incredible long length that lingers on the palate. This wine displays warm and elegant body. 12 months in Slavonian barrels and at least 8 in the bottle.*

### 2014 La Poderina Brunello Di Montalcino DOCG

Toscana, Italy 180

*A wonderful long maturing red wine, high expression of the tradition in Montalcino's wines. It has an intense ruby colour with burgundy hue and concentrated scent ethereal with hints of black cherry, wild berry and vanilla. 12 months in French oak followed by 12 in Slavonian oak casks. It is left 18 months in bottle.*

### 2012 Poggio Abate Riserva Brunello Di Montalcino DOCG

Toscana, Italy 250

*Poggio Abate is a special Brunello with some unique characteristics. With a deep ruby red colour, with a bouquet of black cherries and red berries, it has more complex level for the balance of vanilla and tobacco notes, through the use of barriques. 15 months in French oak followed by 15 in Slavonian oak casks. It is left 24 months in bottle.*

### 2010 Briccolina La Morra Barolo DOCG

Piemonte, Italy 250

*Located in the township of Barolo, in the area's most historic vineyard with excellent sun exposition and unique microclimate. This is wine of great character, elegant and long lasting. Intense garnet red. Minimum 36 months, of which at least 24 are in wood and 9 in bottle.*

### 2014 Batasiolo – La Morra Barolo DOCG

Piemonte, Italy 190

*The colour is deep garnet red. The bouquet has all the typical aromas of the grape Nebbiolo, showing dried fruit, flowers, spices, sweets, and typical delicate herbaceous aromas. Good intensity and persistence put this wine one of the best expression of the Langa, 24 months Slavonian oak and at least 12 months in stainless steel and 6 months in bottle.*

### 2015 Batasiolo Barbaresco DOCG

Piemonte, Italy 180

*The colour is deep garnet red. Spices, sweets, and typical delicate aromas. Good intensity and persistence put this wine one of the best expression of Barbaresco. Elegant wine with soft tannins. 18 months Slavonian oak and at least 10 months in stainless steel and 6 months in bottle.*

### 2016 Shiraz Menzel Riserva

Barossa Valley Australia 175

*Brilliant ruby red. Rich Aromas oozing out of glass with ripe cherries raspberry and hint of spice. Winemaker Charli Scalzi is living his passion adopted from his grandfather producing Italian style wines in Barossa Valley.*

### 2011 Villa Gemma Montepulciano D'Abruzzo Riserva DOC

Abruzzo Italy 180

*Dark and dense colour with notes of black cherry and chocolate, the mouthfeel is full bodied and wrapping, the flavour a return of juicy prunes with solid and elegant tannins. A monumental vintage for this wine, one of the best Montepulciano D'Abruzzo*

## *Dessert Wines*

### **2017 Cantine Pellegrino Passito di Pantelleria DOC**

*Sicily Italy*      \$75

Glass              \$15

*Outstanding aromas obtained from the dried grapes:  
apricots and candied orange peel. The palate is very  
fresh and intense, balancing perfectly the sweetness  
followed by a long and satisfying persistence.*

### **2012 Fattoria del Cerro Vin Santo di Montepulciano DOC**

*Toscana Italy*      \$100

Glass              \$20

*Rich concentrated nose with notes of Orange peel,  
acacia honey and walnut.  
On the Palate it is perfectly balanced between the  
natural sweetness and the acid components with a  
long juicy and fresh nutty finish.*

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