

The Mark Hotel Wine List

At the mark hotel we pride ourselves on supporting the local HUNTER WINERIES

We have a close working relationship with our suppliers and offer an in-house

Wine tour of what we like to call the "Glass to Grape" trips.

Please see our friendly staff for more information.

To assist you in your selection we have divided them up into the current wineries.

Audrey Wilkinson

Audrey Wilkinson planted the first vines in Pokolbin in 1866 and was an early innovator in the production of fine wine. Audrey's legacy of 'It's all about the taste' is at the centre of everything the winery continues to do. Located in the foothills of the scenic Brokenback ranges in the Hunter Valley, the family-run business produces award-winning Semillon. It is rated a 5-star winery by Australian wine critic and vigneron James Halliday and has been named in the top 10 wineries to visit in Australia by *Gourmet Traveller*.

	Glass	Bottle
Audrey Wilkinson Chardonnay	7.5	37.5
Audrey Wilkinson Semillon/Sav	8.0	40.0
Audrey Wilkinson Shiraz	8.5	42.5
Audrey Wilkinson Merlot	8.50	42.5
Audrey Wilkinson Pinot Noir	9.0	45.0
Audrey Wilkinson Moscato	9.0	45.0

Tamburlaine

Australia's Largest Organic Wine Producer With a five red-star rating in James Halliday's 'Wine Companion', as well as local, national and international wine show recognition, we continue to challenge industry conventions and lead others down a path less travelled in pursuit of wine excellence. Our approach, we term 'contemporary organics', is a result of our enthusiasm to re-think winemaking and experiment with modern best practice in vineyard management, incorporated with practical and sustainable strategies that continue to produce brilliant wine - with body and soul.

	Glass	Bottle
Tamburlaine Wine Lovers Gewurztraminer	9.0	45.0
Tamburlaine Organic Riesling	8.0	40.0
Tamburlaine Organic Cabernet Merlot	8.0	40.0

Cockfighter's Ghost

Founded in 1988 by the late David Clarke AO, former Chairman of the Royal Sydney Wine Show and co-founder and Executive Chairman of Macquarie Bank, the Cockfighter's Ghost and Poole's Rock wine labels have become synonymous with passionate winemaking which exemplifies the best of regions and varieties. Today, under the ownership of the Agnew Wines Pty Ltd, Cockfighter's Ghost wines continue to be made from the best grapes, specifically selected from vineyards and regions throughout Australia, acknowledged as amongst the best for each variety. At the same time, they have introduced a renewed vigour in pursuing single vineyard perfection with the Poole's Rock range of wine.

	Glass	Bottle
Cockfighter's Ghost Sparkling Chardonnay / Pinot Noir	8.0	40
Cockfighter's Classic Single Vineyard Sauvignon Blanc	8.8	44
Cockfighter's Ghost Cabernet Sauvignon	7.0	37.5
Cockfighter's Ghost 'The Legend' (Shiraz/Cabernet/Merlot)	9.0	45
Cockfighter's Ghost Sangiovese Rose	7.5	37.5

Briar Ridge

Briar Ridge Vineyard is a 5-star winery nestled in the Mount View region of the Hunter Valley, a well renowned viticultural area. Originally owned by Murray Robson, the vineyards were first planted in 1974, and known as the 'Squire Vineyard'. This Iconic Hunter Vineyard was purchased in 1988 by Dr John Davis which makes up one third of his vineyard resources located throughout Australia which also includes Orange in Central NSW and Wrattontully on the Limestone Coast. We are one of the leading producers of iconic Hunter Valley wines and have been awarded numerous accolades on both the National and International Wine Show Circuit. This is reinforced by our 5 star rating awarded by Australia's renowned wine critic James Halliday for 3 consecutive years running 2012, 2013 & 2014.

	Glass	Bottle
Briar Ridge Shiraz Verduzzo (Vegan)	8.0	36.0
Briar ridge Fume (sauvignon blanc Semillon)	8.0	36.0

Leogate estate

Brokenback Vineyard was planted in the mid to late 1970's by a Rothbury Estate Syndicate led by the late Len Evans AO, OBE. Over the ensuing years the vines have produced premium wines which have been sold under a variety of labels.

The current vineyard has 50 hectares under vine, comprising Chardonnay (18.1ha), and Semillon (3.9ha) on the flat gravelled soils and Shiraz (28ha) on the eastern and western-facing slopes of the adjacent rise as well as Verdelho (2.5ha) and Tempranillo (1ha) which were planted in 2009.

Our trophy-winning wines are not just for judging, they are first and foremost for drinking! Leogate Estate aims to create wines of excellent quality which can be enjoyed now or laid down for an enhanced tasting experience.

We produce classic Hunter Valley wines such as Semillon, Chardonnay and Shiraz as well as blends, Rose, Frizzante and low alcohol options.

	Glass	Bottle
Leogate Chardonnay	7.0	35.0
Leogate Pinot Gris	7.0	35.0
Leogate Creek Bed Reserve Semillon	8.0	40.0
Leogate Brokenback Shiraz	8.0	40.0
Leogate Tempranillo	7.5	37.50
Leogate Western Slopes Shiraz	n/a	125
Leogate "The Gatecrasher" Balmain (Shiraz/Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot)	9.0	45.0
Leogate Late Harvest (sweet) Semillon	9.0	45

First Creek Wines

The talented Silkman family lead a team with a passion for wine and aspire to transform the best fruit characteristics into premium varietal wine styles. They have exclusive access to quality fruit from renowned vineyards across the Hunter Valley and New South Wales.

	Glass	Bottle
First Creek Chardonnay	10.0	38.0
First Creek Wines Rose	9.90	38.5
First Creek Wines Pinot Gris	8.80	36
First Creek Wines Sangiovese	8.80	36
First Creek Wines Shiraz / Cabernet Sauvignon	10	42

Savannah Estate / Petersons

Savannah Estate Wines are produced from small select parcels of premium fruit grown in renowned viticulture regions throughout Australia. We hand select varieties from Australia's most unique regions and produce wines that best reflect their unique regionality and character.

	Glass	Bottle
Savannah Estate Sparkling Brut	7.0	35.0
Savannah Estate Sav Blanc/Verdelho	9.0	45
Savannah Estate Sparkling Pink Moscato	6.5	32.50
Savannah Estate Semillon	8.0	40.0
Savannah Estate Marsanne	9.0	45.0
Savannah Estate Chardonnay	9.0	45.0
Petersons Rose	9.0	45.0
Petersons Verdelho	9.0	45.0

Hunter Vodka Distillery

Hunter Distillery is the only certified organic distillery in the Hunter Valley wine region of New South Wales. Locally owned and operated, we produce an exceptional range of top shelf spirits, including Vodkas, Liqueurs, Schnapps and our award winning COPPERWAVE DISTILLED GIN. Visit and sample our unique range of spirits, with a flavour for every taste.

Premium Vodka	all served with by the glass 30ml only \$10
Chilli Vodka	
Apple Vodka	
Turkish Delight Liqueurs	
Mango Liqueurs	

PORT & MUSCAT

Penfolds Port	6.60
The Mark Hotel Barrell Port	8.00
Cockburn Reserve Port	8.80
Hip Hop Muscat	8.80