quo vadis



BAR FOOD

cheese straws

3.5

kickshaw

4

pissaladiere

4.5

sausage rolls

4.5

cheese & co

7

smoked eel sandwich

9.5

roast beef sandwich & chips

12.5

grilled marinated chicken sandwich & chips

12.5

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SPARKLING

	glass	bottle
parés baltà cava brut	6	30
bellenda prosecco superiore brut millesimato 2013	7	36
gusbourne estate appledore kent brut reserve 2009/10		65
rené beaudouin blanc de blancs brut nv	Ι2	65
pol roger brut réserve nv		85
de ruinart brut nv (magnum)		195
larmandier-bernier 'terre de vertus' 1er cru non-dosé 2008		95
andré beaufort millésime brut 'polisy' 2002		110
jacquesso millésime brut 2002		160
bruno paillard rosé première cuvée nv		98

"i don't think i've ever drunk champagne before breakfast before. with breakfast on several occasions, but never before before."

breakfast at tiffany's

EYE OPENERS

café corretto

cognac, espresso

6

prairie oyster

egg, worcestershire, spice, seasoning

3

red snapper

tanqueray gin, homemade tomato, soulsauce, celery

9

qv mimosa

solerno, orange, bitters, cava

9

never cry over spilt milk. it could've been whiskey



white	125	250	750	1000
gavi (cortese) riva leoni, piedmont,	4.5	8.5	22	30
hart bros special selection albarino angel sequeiros rias baixas,	9.5	18	46	64
red corbieres vielles vignes (gscm) ch. fontareche, languedoc,	4.5	8.5	22	30
rose la balade domaine montrose, languedoc,	5.6	10	28	38
qv spritzer st germain, sauvignon blanc, soda	5	9	25	32

fan the sinking flame of hilarity with the wing of friendship; and pass the rosy wine. charles dickens

BITTERS & VERMOUTH

all at £9

casa mariol rosso orange and lemon

americano highball campari, vermouth, soda

pink gin and it collector sweet vermouth, tanqueray, angostura

qv negroni beefeater, campari, punt e mes

brit spritz kamm and sons, pink grapefruit, cava

from the very fountain of enchantment there arises a taste of bitterness to spread anguish amongst the flowers.

lucretius

TIPPLES & TINCTURES

antica formula	7	amer picon	6
barolo chinato	ΙΙ	aperol	8
cocchi americano	6	averna	6
cocchi di torino	8	becherovka	6
dolin chambery dry	7	branca menta	8
lillet blanc aperitif	6	campari	7
lillet rose aperitif	6	cynar	8
martini blanco	6	disaronno	8
martini extra dry	6	dubonnet	8
martini rosato	6	fernet branca	8
martini rosso	6	fernet martini	Ι2
noilly prat dry	6	grand marnier	7
punt e mes	6	yellow chartreuse	9
sipsmith summer cup	8	green chartreuse	9.5
cocchi amaro	6	limoncello	8
cocchi americano rosa	6	zucca rebarbaro	8
pernod pastis	7	kamm & son	8
pernod absinthe	10	kummel wolfschmidt	8
ricard pastis	7	jubilana akvavit	8
isobella sambuca	8	-	

alcohol is the anaesthesia with which we endure the operation of life.

george bernard shaw

THE MARTINI

£IO

"the only american invention as perfect as the sonnet" *h.l.mencken*

beloved by bartenders for the amount of configuration and personalisation the manufacture entails, loved equally by customers for the challenge of creating their own perfect recipe, a quest as difficult as catching moonbeams in a jar but far more enjoyable in the process.

at qv we endeavour to craft every martini to the most exacting specifications – yours. we stock a large range of gin and vodka to provide the palette for your creation, a number of common and boutique modifiers for the finer details and jeremy has selected olives, onions and other fine savoury delights to finish the picture

"the martini is like a woman's breast, one is not enough, two is just right, three is one too many, but four, four is perfect"

eddie hart

VODKA GIN

russian standard bombay sapphire absolut elyx tanqueray 10 beefeater 24 snow leopard grey goose tanqueray belvedere hendricks ketel one plymouth absolut sipsmith millers reyka

MODIFIER

martini extra dry
carlo alberto
lillet blanc
noilly prat
dolin dry
la gitana
tio pepe
cocchi

GARNISH

citrus twists, halkidiki olives, arbequinas, kalamatas, balsamic onions, pickled quail's egg



qv royale

russian standard, pomegranate, apple, honey, mint, lemon ,prosecco

10

colmillo margarita

olmeca los altos, aguamiel, lime, tajin

10

kalza

pisco, lemon, sugar, rosemary, pineapple, bitters

10

la hermosa

bacardi carta blanca, manzanilla, orgeat, chartreuse, lemon

10

st lawrence

woodford reserve, infused maple, lemon, bitters

10

we wanna be free! we wanna be free to do what we wanna do.!
... and we wanna get loaded. and we wanna have a good time.
and that's what we are gonna do. we are gonna have a good time...
we are gonna have a party.

the wild angels

RULES OF DRINKING. 1. if you owe someone money, always pay them back in a bar. preferably during happy hour. 2.always toast before doing a shot. 3.whoever buys the shot gets the first chance to offer a toast. 4. change your toast at least once a month. 5.buying someone a drink is five times better than a handshake. 6.buying a strange woman a drink is still cool. buying all her drinks is dumb. 7.never borrow more than one cigarette from the same person in one night. 8.do not make eye contact with the bartender if you do not want a drink. 9.never, ever tell a bartender he made your drink too strong. 10.if you offer to buy a woman a drink and she refuses, she does not like you. 11.if you offer to buy a woman a drink and she accepts, she still might not like you. 12.if she buys you a drink, she likes you. 13.if someone offers to buy you a drink, do not upgrade your liquor preference. 14.always have a corkscrew in your house. 15.if you don't have a corkscrew, push the cork down into the bottle with a pen. 16.after your sixth drink, do not look at yourself in the mirror. it will shake your confidence. 17.if there is a dj, you can request a song only once per night. if he doesn't play it within half an hour, do not approach him again. if he does play it, do not approach him again. 18.learn how to make a rose out of a bar napkin. you'll be surprised how well it works. 19.if you can't afford to tip, you can't afford to drink in a bar. go to the liquor store. 20.if you owe someone twenty dollars or less, you may pay them back in beer. 21.never complain about the quality or brand of a free drink. 22.the only thing that tastes better than free liquor is stolen liquor. 23.learn to appreciate hangovers. if it was all good times every jackass would be doing it. 24.try one new drink each week. 25.if you are the bar's sole customer, you are obliged to make small talk with the bartender until he stops acknowledging you. then you're off the hook. the same goes for him. 26.anyone on stage or behind a bar is fifty percent better looking. 27.a bar is a college, not a nursery. if you spill a beer, clean it up. if you break a glass, wait for a staff member to clean it up, then blame it on someone else. 28.it's okay to drink alone. 29.if you do a shot, finish it. if you don't plan to finish it, don't accept it. 30.if you are broke and a friend is "sporting you", you must laugh at all his jokes and play wingman when he makes his move. 31.if you are broke and a friend is "making sport of you", you may steal any drink he leaves unattended. 32.if you are trading rounds with a friend and he asks if you're ready for another, always say yes. once you fall out of sync you will end up buying more drinks than him. 33.if you're going to hit on a member of the bar staff, make sure you tip well before and after, regardless of their response. 34.if there is ever any confusion, the fuller beer is yours. 35.the patrons at your local bar are your extended family, your fathers and mothers, your brothers and sisters. except you get to sleep with these sisters. and if you're really drunk, the mothers. 36.it's acceptable, traditional in fact, to disappear during a night of hard drinking. you will appear mysterious and your friends will understand. if they even notice. 37. never argue your tab at the end of the night. remember, you're hammered and they're sober. it's akin to a precocious five-year-old arguing the super-string theory with a physicist. 99.9% of the time you're wrong and either way you're going to come off as a jackass. 38.if you hesitate more than three seconds after the bartender looks at you, you do not deserve a drink. 39.the greatest thing a drunkard can do is buy a round of drinks for a packed bar. 40.if you are 86'd, do not return for at least three months. to come back sooner makes it appear no other bar wants you. 41.anyone with three or more drinks in his hands has the right of way. 42.there's nothing wrong with drinking before noon. especially if you're supposed to be at work. abridged

frank rich

AFTER THAT

vodka espresso

russian standard, tia maria, touissant, espresso

10

corn'n'oil

house grog, falernum, lime

10

fig sour cognac, fig, lemon, egg,

ΙI

the harsh, useful things of the world, from pulling teeth to digging potatoes, are best done by men who are as starkly sober as so many convicts in the death-house, but the lovely and useless things, the charming and exhilarating things, are best done by men with, as the phrase is, a few sheets in the wind.

h.l. mencken

CLASSIC

all at £9.00

aperol spritz aperol, prosecco, soda moscow mule smirnoff black, lime, ginger beer cosmopolitan absolut, lime, cointreau, cranberry grey goose bloody mary g.g. tomato, soulsauce le fizz grey goose, st. germain, lime, soda $salty\ dog\ {\it russian\ standard, grapefruit, salt}$ v.1.1.b smirnoff black, lemon, lime, bitters pear sour grey goose l'poire, lemon, sugar ivy fizz ketel one, lime, sugar, soda french martini grey goose, chambord, pineapple Vesper absolut elyx, beefeater 24, lillet white russian smirnoff black, kahlua, cream penicillin dewars 12, lemon, ginger, honey, islay blood and sand monkey shoulder, sweet vermouth, orange juice, cherry heering rob roy dalmore 15, vermouth, bitters hot toddy johnnie walker black, lemon, honey

hear no evil, speak no evil, and you won't be invited to cocktail parties.

oscar wilde

COCKTAILS

all at £9.00

w. manhattan woodford reserve, vermouth e. manhattan bulleit rye, vermouth, bitters old fashioned woodford reserve, sugar, bitters Sazerac i.d single barrel, absinthe, bitters whiskey sour gentleman jack, lemon, bitters, whiskey smash hudson's bay, lemon, mint caipirinha leblon, lime, sugar mojito bacardi carta blanca, lime, mint, sugar daiquiri bacardi carta blanca, lime, sugar old cuban havana club, lime, mint, champagne el presidente havana club 7, vermouth, bitters mai tai bacardi 8, agricole, curacao, orgeat, lime spiced mule sailor jerry, lime, ginger beer clover club bombay sapphire, lemon, raspberry tom collins bombay sapphire, lemon, soda bees knees bombay sapphire, lemon, honey amaretto sour disaronno, lemon

sex and a cocktail: they both lasted about as long, had the same effect, and amounted to the same thing.

d.h. lazvrence

VODKA GIN

absolute blue	8	beefeater	8
absolute elyx	I 2	beefeater 24	9
ciroc	I 2	bols genever	9
smirnoff black	8	bombay dry	9
grey goose la poire	10	bombay sapphire	8
babicka	8	fifty pounds gin	10
belvedere	9.5	hendricks	8
belvedere grapefruit	9	jensen old tom	8
belvedere IX	9	junipero	Ι2
chase	10	millers westbourne	10
chase marmalade	9	oxley	14
grey goose	10	plymouth	10
ketel one	8	plymouth navy	ΙΙ
ketel one citroen	8.5	plymouth sloe	9
konik's tail	9.5	portobello gin	9
quintessentially	10	sipsmith	10
reyka	9	sipsmith sloe gin	9
russian standard imperial	10	tanqueray 10	9
russian standard platinum	8	tanqueray	8
finlandia grapefruit	8	william chase gin	10
grey goose citroen	10	xoriguer	8

the only place where using vodka is warranted instead of gin is in scrabble, by 8 points.

anon

RUM

TEQUILA

appleton estate vx jamaica	8.5	arette anejo	9
appleton extra jamaica	9	arette blanco	8
bacardi 840 portorico	8.5	arette reposado	8.5
bacardi oro portorico	8	calle 23 blanco	9
bacardi superior portorico	8	casadores anejo	8.5
diplomatico venezuela	10	chinaco reposado	14.5
doorly's white rum barbados	8	del mequey san luis del rio	IC
doorly's xo barbados	9.5	don julio anejo	Ι2
el dorado 12Y0 guyana	10	don julio blanco	IC
el dorado 1540 guyana	ΙI	don julio reposado	ΙI
el dorado 340 guyana	9	don julio 1942	35
gosling's bermuda	8.5	herradura anejo	IC
havana 340 cuba	8.5	herradura blanco	9
havana 740 cuba	9	herradura reposado	9.5
havana selection de maestro	9	jose cuervo reserva familia	22
la hechicera columbia	10	jose cuervo reserva platino	13
mount gay eclipse barbados	8	ocho blanco	8.5
mount gay xo barbados	9.5	olmeca altos plata	8.5
pampero anniversario	9.5	olmeca altos reposado	9
plantation 3 stars barbados	8	tapatio anejo	IC
plantation barbados 540	9	tapatio blanco	9
plantation grenada	9.5	tezon blanco	IC
plantation trinidad	10		
santa teresa 1796 venezuela	10.5	trois riviere single cask	IC
zacapa 23 guatemala	I 2	clemont blanc martinique	8
zacapa xo guatemala	25	leblon	9
		vehlo harrero	8

one tequila, two tequila, three tequila, floor.

george carlin

WHISKEY

BOURBON		RYE			
four roses single barrel	8	bulleit	9.5		
old grand dad	8.5	five star	9.5		
bulleit	8.5	jim beam	10		
maker's mark	9	high west double	14		
knob creek	9	high west rendezvous	14		
elijah craig	9	mitcher's	14.5		
eagle rare 1040 bourbon	IO	high west rocky mountain	2 I		
four roses small batch	IO	old potrero rye	22		
pappy van winkle's 1240	I 2	hudson manhattan	24		
hudson baby bourbon	16	bitter truth 24YO	30		
pappy van winkle's 1540	17	pappy van winkle's 1540	17		
george t.stagg	28				
TENNESSE AND CORN IRISH					
jack daniels	8	jameson	8		
gentleman jack	9	tullamore dew	8		
jack daniels single barrel	I 2	tullamore 1240	9		
hirch corn whiskey	10	green spot	9.5		
hudson nyc	20	middleton rare	2 I		
ninety percent i'll spend on good times, women and irish whiskey. the other ten percent i'll probably waste.					
	tug mcgraw				

JAPANESE WHISKY

hakushu 12YO	13	taketzuru 1740	2 I
nikka from the barrel	ΙΙ	taketzuru 2140	27
nikka pure malt black	14	yamazaki 1840	27

whiskey, like a beautiful woman, demands appreciation. you gaze first, then it's time to drink.

haruki murakami

$W\,H\,I\,S\,K\,Y$

SPEYSIDE		HIGHLAND AND ISLA	AND
glenfarclas 1540	9	glenmorangie 1040	9
glenlivet 12YO	9	dalwhinnie 1540	9.5
cragganmore	9.5	oban	10
glenfiddich 12Y0	9.5	highland park 1840	20
balvenie 1240 double wood	10	glenmorangie 1840	2 I
glenfiddich 1540	IO	talisker	10
glenfarclas 105	Ι2	dalmore 1540	I 2
macallan gold	Ι2	dalmore 12Y0	10
balvenie 1540 single barrel	15	dalmore 25YO	24
glenfiddich 1840	15	dalmore king alexander iii	35
glenlivet 1840	15	jura superstition	10
balvenie ton 1401	15	jura 1640	15
glenfiddich 21Y0	30		
balvenie 2140 portwood	32	SCOTTISH BLENDE	D
glenfiddich 25Y0	35	chivas 12Y0	10
		chivas 1840	18
LOWLAND		chivas 2540	46
glenkinchie	9	compass box asyla	10
auchentoshan 3 wood	10	compass great king street	9
		johnnie walker black	8
ISLAY		johnnie walker blue	30
caol ila	10	johnnie walker gold	10
		johnnie walker green vatted	10
lagavulin laphroig	10	johnnie walker platinum	16
1 0		monkey shoulder vatted	9
ardbeg 1040	10	dewars 1240	I 2

always carry a flagon of whiskey in case of snakebite and furthermore always carry a small snake.

w. c. fields

BRANDY & LIQUEURS

COGNAC		ARMAGNAC	
martell vsop	10	chateau laubade hors d'age	13
courvoisier exclusif vsop	IO	chateau laubade vsop	10
hennessy fine de cognac	IO	domaine de cassagnoles	10
hennessy xo	31	lacquy 1984	31
louis xiii	180	lacquy vsop	ΙΙ
martell cordon bleu	18	lacquy xo	22
martell xo	28		
ragnaud sabourin alliance	13	LIQUEURS	
remy martin coeur de cognac	I 2	tia maria	7
remy martin vsop	10	benedictine	7
remy martin xo	30	chambord raspberry	/ 8
		cherry heering	-
EAU DE VIE		cointreau	7 8.5
framboise eau de vie	11.5	disaronno	8
la vieille prune	I 2		
1		APPLE BRANDIES	S
GRAPPA		apple jack	8
miclo poire william	9	chauffe coeur calvados vsop	10.5
amarosa di vespaiolo	20	henry querville	8
marolo di guwurtztraminer	10	lemorton 1968	47
0		somerset cider brandy 5yo	9.5

claret is the liquor for boys, port for men; but he who aspires to be a hero must drink brandy.

samuel johnson

BEER & CIDER

estrella glaicia

4.5

schiehallion

5

timothy taylor

6.5

kernal table beer

5.5

kernal export

6.5

st. peters

6.5

cidre breton

5.5

beer, mmm mm. beer.

homer simpson

SOFTS

fever-tree

tonic, bitter lemon, ginger ale, ginger beer lemonade

2.75

poison

coca cola, diet coke

3.25

j.j. starkey

apple

4.25

squeezed juice

orange, pink grapefruit, pomegranate

4.25

eager juices

cranberry, pineapple, tomato

3.5

bitburger drive

5

qv virgin cocktail

lime, elderflower, apple, cucmber, mint, soda

5

i'd hate to be a teetotaler. imgine getting up in the morning and knowing that's as good as you're going to feel all day.

dean martin