

UB August News

UNION BANK WINE BAR + WINE STORE ORANGE NSW - AUGUST 2011



Belgravia Wines score a 5 Star Rating and 5 Glasses for its 2010 Chardonnay and 2010 Gewurztraminer.

Belgravia Wines is excited to announce that it has received a 5 star rating for the second year in a row and a 5 glass rating in the 2012 James Halliday Wine Companion for both its 2010 'The Apex' Orange Chardonnay and 2010 Orange Gewurztraminer.

Will Hattersley, the owner of Belgravia said, **"We are extremely proud to have received these ratings which are reserved for wines of the highest quality. The Apex Chardonnay received a rating of 96 and the Gewurztraminer a 94"**.

We are particularly pleased with the results for our flagship wine, the Apex Orange Chardonnay, one of only two chardonnays in the Orange district to have received 96 points, a score which is also the equal highest from all varieties in the region. The gewurztraminer is also a stand out and is described as having 'more varietal fragrance than any gewurztraminer tasted for years'. The review highlights the great match of this wine with Asian food and at a retail price of \$22, we believe it represents outstanding value.

Badlands Beer Tasting in the UB Bar

Some say, 'Dangerously Drinkable'.
We say, 'Try the Pale Ale'.

Join Jon Shiner Head Brewer of Badlands Brewery as he shares his love of the amber liquids. Try his Pale Ale, the Porter and the Indian Pale Ale.

WHEN: Thursday 11 August
TIME: 5-7pm
COST: Free

Beer Bangers + Blokes

Come and join us for the UB 3B's 'Blokes Event of the Year'.

Head Chef Pete Thoms and the Blokes in the Kitchen will be preparing 6 canapés of Gourmet Sausages handmade by M&J Butchery. Followed by handmade speciality of Duck Sausage with Lentils and Dessert with a quirky twist.

Jon Shiner from Badlands Brewery will be showcasing his Amber liquids. This will be a cracker of a night.

Book now to avoid disappointment

WHEN: Friday 26 August
TIME: 6.30 for 7 pm
COST: \$55 pp

Orange Wine Week Events @ UB



Greek Long Lunch featuring wine on arrival to symbolise the "Opening of the Jars".
3 courses including Slow Roasted Spring Lamb + live entertainment in the courtyard.

DATE Sunday 23 October
TIME 1-5PM
COST \$55 pp

Costa's Urban Garden Workshop

Featuring Costa the Garden Guru as seen on SBS. Come along and watch Costa build a sustainable and organic kitchen garden in the Union Bank carpark and taste Rosnay Organic Wines.

DATE Friday 28 October
TIME 3.30-5.30pm
COST Free

Organic + Sustainable Food and Wine Dinner hosted by Rosnay Organic and Jarrett Wines.

DATE Saturday 29 October
TIME 6PM
COST \$95 pp

Maker of the month for August in the UB Bar

Mornington Peninsula's Stonier

09 Chardonnay

Bright straw colour with pale straw hue. The nose displays lifted top notes of white peach and nougat followed by some cashew and a hint of spice. Medium to full bodied the palate delivers mouthfilling flavours of white peach, cashew, nougat and spice. Soft, creamy texture with long aftertaste of cashew, nougat and spice.

\$9 by the Glass \$37 by the Bottle

09 Pinot Noir

Aromas of vanilla, plum and dark cherry with glimpses of undergrowth, good varietal character and on the palate a soft cushion of fruit, clean acid and length; ripe, black cherry pinot fruit, plus a lick of vanillan oak.

\$9 by the Glass \$37 by the Bottle

Opening Hours

Monday to Friday 12pm until late. Saturday 11am until late. Sunday Closed
Cnr Sale + Byng Sts Orange NSW 2800 t. 1300 721 731

UB QUICK GUIDE AUGUST

BADLANDS BEER TASTING
Time 5-7pm Cost FREE

BEER BANGERS + BLOKES
Featuring Badlands Beers

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UB QUICK GUIDE SEPTEMBER

RUGBY WORLD CUP - LIVE IN THE UB BAR

Aust v Italy 11 Sept 1.30pm
Aust v Ireland 17 Sept 6.30pm
Aust v USA 23 Sept 6.30pm

UB QUICK GUIDE OCTOBER

Aust v USA 23 Sept 6.30pm

WINE WEEK 21-30 October

WINE CENTRAL @ THE UB BAR

TIME 5-7pm Date 24-27 Oct

CELLAR DOOR GRAZING TRAIL

All week in the new Belgravia Tasting Room

GREEK LONG LUNCH
3 courses + live music
Time 1 pm Cost \$55

COSTA'S URBAN GARDEN WORKSHOP
Time 3.30-5.30 pm Cost Free

ORGANIC + SUSTAINABLE WINE DINNER
Rosnay and Jarretts Wines
Time 6 pm Cost \$95

UB QUICK GUIDE NOVEMBER

GALAPAGOS DUCK
Australia's most famous jazz band in the UB courtyard.

Booking at the UB Bar or
e: functions@unionbank.com.au
Telephone: 1300 721 731



UB Liquid Assets

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Liquid Assets for August

For the second year running, the Oracle himself James Halliday has bestowed 5 stars to Belgravia Vineyards, 'the 10' Apex' Chardonnay 96/100 & '10 Gewurztraminer 94/100 for starters.

But let us not forget the stripes earned to be awarded such an accolade.



'09 'Apex' Chardonnay \$25.99

Just a lick of French gives us a Chardonnay you can really sink your teeth into. Texturally beautiful with a flavour spectrum spawning white peach, white melon and fig, with just a pinch of nutmeg and wee drizzle of caramel. Throw in the mix some natural acid and you've a Chardonnay offering immense pleasure now and over the next 5 years.



'09 Guwerztraminer \$19.99

'Head for China, or it's cuisine' proclaims the Oracle of the '10 vintage; with '09 we suggest being a little more adventurous and heading for Japan and their culinary delights. Turkish delight, burnt spice and rose petal flavours with a tingly spine of refreshing acid. Yummo.



'10 Riesling \$19.99

Less steely than many of the big boys from Clare, but still bursting with clean, fresh citrus fruits that build effortlessly on a foundation of preserves lemons and limes with lashings of crisp green apple skin.

'08 Syrah \$19.99

A savoury slinky lil' Syrah that will please both the most hardened Shiraz devotees and bring pleasure to devout Pinot connoisseurs also. Vibrant red berry and cherry abound whilst the spice elves have liberally sprinkled in pink and black peppercorns that hover above core flavours of blackberry jam and Cherry Ripes.



'08 Cabernet Sauvignon \$19.99

A melting pot of dark chocolate, cassias and cocoa powder with coconut flavours circling and vying for position with the muscular dark cherry and blueberries below. French oak framing this beast to deliver elegant and dangerously drinkable Cabernet. A pure delight to drink. Brilliant now, will hold for 8+ years easily

'08 Merlot \$19.99

Often misunderstood though pleases millions! Gotta be doing something right. This great cool climate example has brambly fruits loosely entwined in spearmint and musk with a monstrous dollop of blueberry and dark cherry at the core. Ticks all the boxes and damn marvy with a block of aged cheddar on a Sunday afternoon.

All orders to matt.heagney@unionbank.com.au or call into the store or call us on 1300 731 721 option 107.



UB Wine Club

Join the Club

Join the UB Wine Club and receive a six-pack every quarter.

Union Bank Pack - \$55
Belgravia Pack - \$110

Member Benefits

UBWC members are also entitled to a 10% discount on all full-price purchases at the Union Bank Wine Store (online or actual).

UBWC members are also welcome to purchase any of the store's 500 plus wines to take next door and drink in the wine bar without paying the usual 20% surcharge. For more info contact us on 1300 721 731.

New UB Wine + Food

Following on from the July Wine list, the new UB August Wine + Food list is now available.

Savour the taste of the new wine + food by jumping into the Wine Bar and grab your favourite food and combine the two. Talk about making your day, you'll want to come back with your friends for more.

Experience it now!

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