

The Rocks has always been a destination.
For the first European explorers or the modern tourists, it
has always been worth the journey.
Nestled in the heart of one of the oldest parts of Australia,
Pony is the perfect blend of past & present.

In our drinks menu you'll find some fantastic expressions
of local (well local in Australian terms) classic varietals of
wine, as well as our favourites from near & far.

Our view is, you're here, why not experience here?



The Rocks was once abundant with laneways
connecting one section & level to another.

Only a few of these narrow thoroughfares remain, but
they reveal many secrets about the origins, growth &
development of Australia's first maritime village.

Pony sits alongside Kendall Lane,
The name recalls the steam flour mill & biscuit factory of
Lawrence Kendall which operated here from the 1860s.

Pony would like to acknowledge the Gadigal people of the Eora nation,
who are the traditional custodians of the land we meet on today.
We would also like to pay our respects to All Elders past & present, and to the children
of today who are the Elders of the future.

Pony Presents, The Drinks List

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Whether cocktails, beers or wines,
our aim is to highlight local Australian produce.

The main focus for wine is the producers of New South
Wales showcased alongside the wineries that have really
formed the backbone of the Australian wine story.

Cocktails

From the Wood Fire Grill

The wood fire grill is the heart & soul of Pony, so we just had to create some cocktails utilising it.

Jalapeño Margarita	23
Wood fire grilled Jalapeño infused tequila, Cointreau, lime juice	
Chilli Coconut Martini	22
Woodfire grilled chilli infused vodka, coconut, lime	
Smokey Pineapple	23
Kraken Rum, wood fire grilled pineapple juice, cinnamon, lime	

Signature Cocktails

Some inspired by classics, some Pony originals, these are our signature cocktails.

Peanut Rye and Dry	25
Peanut butter whiskey, rye, vermouth, roasted peanut rim	
Pony Colada	25
Coconut tequila, lillet blanc, pineapple juice, lime, syrup	
Kiwi Kiss	24
Gin, elderflower liqueur, kiwi, lime, syrup	
Sunset Lover	24
Vodka, Frangelico, strawberry, pineapple, lime	
Pink Grapefruit Sour	24
Vodka, lime, pink grapefruit juice	
Cucumber Cooler	24
Citrus gin, cucumber, lime	
Blood Orange and Chilli Negroni	26
Austrlian blood orange and chilli gin, blood orange liqueur, vermouth	
Grand Old Fashioned	35
Ron Zacapa XO, bitters, sugar & an orange twist	

Non Alcoholic

All of the fun, none of the alcohol

Mocktails

Botanic Garden 23

Violet infused zero alcohol gin or gin, fresh lime, syrup, egg white, edible flowers

Sydney Late Summer 23

Zero alcohol gin or gin, orange juice, lime juice, passionfruit puree

Michael's Mojito 16

Passionfruit, strawberry, cranberry, lime, mint [add white rum + 8]

Non-alcoholic Beer

Heineken Zero Lager Netherlands 11

Sparkling | Still mineral water 4.5pp

Soft drinks by the Glass

Coke 6

Coke Zero 6

Sprite 6

Ginger Ale 6

Ginger Beer 6

Lemon Lime Bitters 6

Juices 6

Beer and Cider

Australian Craft

Tap Beer

White Bay Beer Co. Pilsner Rozelle, NSW 16
*The team at White Bay say it's the beer their brewers most love making (and drinking).
Complex malt, spicy tones, clean, subtle bitterness.*

Batch Brewery American Pale Ale Marrickville, NSW 16
An easy-drinking pale, delivering a big, fruity aroma, with tropical notes of lychee, stone fruit and citrus. Lightly toasted malt and gentle bitterness deliver a clean finish.

By the Bottle

Sydney Beer Co. Lager Sydney, NSW 14
All-natural, this lager has a light hopped finish & delicious melon peach aroma.

Stone + Wood Pacific ale Byron Bay, NSW 14
Big tropical fruit flavours & refreshment.

Lord Nelson '3 Sheets' Pale ale The Rocks, NSW 14
Floral, citrusy notes & a satisfyingly dry finish

Lord Nelson 'Old Admiral' Dark ale The Rocks, NSW 15
Upfront caramel malt leads to a complex palate of choc mocha with a long dry finish.

James Boags 'Light' Lager Launceston, TAS 11
Full flavoured, clean, fresh & a pleasantly bitter finish.

International

By the Bottle

Peroni 'Nastro Azzuro' Lager Italy 13

Asahi Dry Lager Japan 14

Guinness Draught Stout Ireland 17

Magners Cider Ireland 13

Non-alcoholic

Heineken Zero Lager Netherlands 11

Wine by the Glass

Sparkling

125ml

2023 Coppabella Prosecco, Tumarumba, NSW

20

The history of Tumarumba is one that has been built in waves; from early explorers to cattle stations, through the gold rush days and eventually into wine. The first grapes were planted in 1981. Dry with subtle citrus & orchard fruit notes

**NV d'Arenberg 'The Peppermint Paddock' Chambourcin
Graciano, McLaren Vale, SA^{SV}**

24

From the eccentric mind of Chester Osbourne, Sparkling reds are generally reserved for Christmas in Australia, but we love this all-year round. Mulberry & boysenberry characters that are lifted & vibrant, with some sweet & some sour notes.

NV La Gioiosa Moscato, Veneto, IT

18

Lightly sparkling, sweet & round in the mouth, with a persistent fruity aftertaste.

NV Jacquart Mosaique Brut, Champagne, FR

27

Fine bubbles, citrus aromas of lemon & orange. Soft, creamy notes with biscuit & fresh bread crust.

NV Laurent-Perrier la Cuvee Brut, Champagne, FR

32

Pale gold in colour. Fine bubbles feed a persistent mousse. A delicate nose with hints of fresh citrus and white flowers.

Rose

150ml|250ml

2022 Intrepidus, Yass, NSW

17|27

Intrepidus has stepped into the national spotlight with winemaker Chrissie Smith, selected in the top 50 new winemakers from around Australia in the Young Gun of Wine awards. Sweet fruit on the front of the palate followed by a subtle dry finish.

2022 Château d'Esclans 'Whispering Angel', Provence, FR ♡

26|44

Created by Sacha Lichine following his acquisition of Château d'Esclans in 2006, his vision was to create the greatest rosés in the world igniting the "Rosé Renaissance".

Fresh red berry fruit characteristics with floral notes & a long dry finish.

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- White** **150ml|250ml**
2023 Mount Pleasant Semillon, Hunter Valley, NSW **20|32**
Semillon is the Hunter Valley's signature variety & Mount Pleasant's first vintage was released in 1967. Easy drinking with lemon-lime intensity with mouth-watering chalky minerality.
- 2023 Scorpious Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, NZ** **18|28**
Brimming with pure fruit flavours of guava and passionfruit that dance out of the glass. Sweet fruit and crisp acidity harmonise to create a palate that is fresh and zesty with a mineral finish.
- 2024 Nick Spencer Pinot Gris, Gundagai/Tumbarumba, NSW** **17|27**
Grown roughly four hours south west of Pony, Nick has been producing award winning wines for nearly two decades. Ripe pear & stone fruit characters along with subtle white flower aromas.
- 2023 Lark Hill 'Regional' Riesling, Canberra District, ACT** **17|27**
First planted in 1978, high on the Lake George escarpment, 30km from Canberra. Lime, green apple & mineral notes underscored by zesty acidity.
- 2022 In dreams Chardonnay**^V, Upper Yarra Valley, Vic **18|30**
Crunchy green apple, lime sorbet, and a hint of honeysuckle and just-ripe nectarine
- 2023 Shaw + Smith 'M3' Chardonnay, Adelaide Hills,**  **38|63**
Established in 1989 by cousins Michael Hill Smith MW & Martin Shaw. They now have a reputation as one of the best wineries in Adelaide Hills. It has seen 9 months in French oak, with notes of white flowers, citrus, & nectarine.

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Red **150ml|250ml**
2022 Muddy Waters 'Deliverance' Pinot Noir, Waipara, NZ ^o **20|34**

Muddy Water is a pioneering winery in Waipara, New Zealand, known for its organic practices. Red plum, blackberry & subtle French oak spice.

2022 Mount Pleasant 'Mothervine' Pinot Noir, Hunter Valley, NSW  **38|63**

This is a very special expression of pinot noir, with the fruit all being sourced from the Old Hill Vineyard which is home to the oldest plantings of pinot noir in Australia. Filled with red berried flavour, balanced oak, & that signature Hunter Valley earthiness.

2022 Rockford 'Frugal Farmer' Grenache-Mataro, Barossa Valley, SA **22|38**

Based in Australia's iconic Barossa Valley, the winery was built in an 1850s stone cottage style. Rockford Wines feature high quality traditional wines made from some of the best old Barossa vineyards. Fruity, fresh & bright, with very mild, gentle tannins.

2017 Eloquesta Shiraz- Petit Verdot, Mudgee, NSW **20|34**

The Eloquesta is winemaker Stuart Olsen's pride & joy. Created using only the best fruit in Mudgee, three and a half hours north west of Pony. Blueberry, overripe plums, violets, spice, gingerbread & mixed sweet flowers.

2021 Printhie 'Mountain Range' Cab Sauv, Orange, NSW **18|28**

Printhie was established in 1996 when the first vineyard was planted, on the Swift family's property 'Printhie'. Another 'local' winery roughly four hours west of Pony. Blackberry, blackcurrant, mocha, spice & subtle oak.

2023 Henschke 'Five Shillings' Shiraz Blend, Barossa Valley, SA  **26|44**

Now on their sixth generation, the Henschke family has been making wine since Johann Christian Henschke planted his first vineyard in the early 1860's. Black cherry, mulberry, blueberry, satsuma plum & rhubarb are entwined with spicy notes.

2019 Accuro Malbec, Mendoza, ARG **19|31**

We couldn't showcase our Argentinian wood-fire grill without a big Argentinian malbec & this is one of our favourites. It has had a home on our wine list since we opened our doors 18 years ago. Blue fruits with underlying tobacco leaf, cocoa and a smoky edge.

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Wine by the Bottle

Sparkling and Champagne

Australia

2023	Coppabella Prosecco, Tumbarumba, NSW	79
NV	Swift Cuvee Brut, Sparkling, Orange, NSW	98
NV	d'Arenberg 'The Peppermint Paddock' Chambourcin Graciano, McLaren Vale, SA	99
2016	Delamere Blanc de Blancs, Tasmania	168

International

NV	La Gioiosa Moscato, Veneto, IT	69
NV	Jacquart Mosaique Brut, Champagne, FR	145
NV	Laurent-Perrier la Cuvee Brut, Champagne, FR	168
NV	Domaine Amaury Beaufort Brut Nature Rose, FR	280
NV	Taittinger 'Prelude' Grand Cru, Champagne, FR	365

White

Sauvignon Blanc & Semillon

Australia

2023	Mount Pleasant Semillon, Hunter Valley, NSW	79
2023	Penny's Hill Sauvignon Blanc, Adelaide, SA	84
2020	Polperro Fumé Blanc, Mornington Peninsula, VIC ^o	120

International

2023	Scorpius Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, NZ	76
2023	Petal & Stem Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, NZ	82
2022	Domaine Christian Salmon, Sancerre, Fr	140

Pinot Grigio/Gris

Australia

2024	Nick Spencer Pinot Gris, Gundagai/Tumbarumba, NSW	79
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International

2022	Astrolabe Pinot Gris, Marlborough, NZ ^s	84
2023	Breganze Pinot Grigio, Piedmont, Italy	86

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Riesling & Aromatic Varietals

Australia

2023	Lark Hill 'Regional' Riesling, Canberra District, ACT	74
2022	Dead Man Walking Riesling, Eden Valley, SA	75
2023	Henschke 'Peggy's Hill' Riesling, Eden Valley, SA	85
2022	Three Ponds Fiano, Hunter Valley, NSW	92
2022	Inkwell Unfiltered Viognier, McLaren Vale, SA <i>O,B,L</i>	95
2023	Oliver's Taranga Vermentino, McLaren Vale, SA	98

International

2022	Abellio Albariño , Rias Baixas, SP	87
2021	Lössterrassen Grüner Veltliner, Graffenegg, AT <i>S</i>	92
2021	Giannitessari Soave DOC, Veneto, IT	98
2020	Domaines Schlumberger Riesling, Alsace, FR	110

Chardonnay

Australia

2023	Winmark 'Rusty's Run' Chardonnay, Hunter Valley, NSW	82
2022	In Dreams Chardonnay, Upper Yarra Valley, Vic <i>V</i>	88
2023	Rising, Chardonnay, Yarra Valley, VIC	94
2019	Chateau Pato Chardonnay, Pokolbin, NSW	109
2023	Shaw + Smith 'M3' Chardonnay, Adelaide Hills, SA	159
2021	Wilimee Chardonnay, Macedon Ranges, VIC	180

International

2020	Domaine Oudin Chablis, Bourgogne, FR	163
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Rose

Australia

2022	Teusner "Salsa" Mataro, Barossa Valley, SA	76
2022	Intrepidus, Yass, NSW	79

International

2023	La Tonnelle Cinsault, Grenache + Syrah, Provence, FR	84
2020	Angels & Cowboys Grenache, Sonoma County, USA	95
2022	Château de Saint Martin Cru Classé, Provence, FR	145

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Red

Pinot Noir

Australia

2021	Coppabella “The Crest”, Tumburumba, NSW	95
2022	Mount Pleasant ‘Mothervine’, Hunter Valley, NSW	169

International

2022	Muddy Waters ‘Deliverance’ Pinot Noir, Waipara, NZ ^o	92
2022	Louis Jadot Beaujolais-Villages, Beaujolais, FR	115
2018	Sokol Blosser, Oregon, USA ^o	160

Red Varietals & Blends

Australia

2023	Atrius Tempranillo, Hilltops, NSW ^{v,s}	82
2022	The Pawn Sangiovese, Adelaide Hills, SA	88
2022	Teusner “The G” Grenache, Barossa Valley, SA ^v	95
2022	Rockford ‘Frugal Farmer’ Grenache-Mataro, BarossaValley, SA	105

International

2019	Accuro Malbec, Mendoza, ARG	84
2021	Rosso Piceno, Sangiovese Montepulciano ^o , Marche, Italy	86
2021	Lucien Syrah-Grenache, Côtes du Rhône, FR	92
2022	Poliziano ‘Colli Senesi’ Chianti DOCG, Tuscany, IT	106
2021	Bussi Piero Barbera d’Asti DOCG, Piedmont, IT	106
2018	Ca Di Bruno Barolo DOCG, Piedmont, IT ^o	150

Cabernet Sauvignon

Australia

2021	Printhe 'Mountain Range', Orange, NSW	75
2020	Rosenthal "The Marker", Great Southern, WA	84
2019	Flametree "Embers", Margaret River, WA	86
2019	Dalla Mia "Finestra", Yarra Valley, VIC	105
2021	Hickinbotham "Trueman", McLaren Vale, SA	160
2016	Geoff Merrill 'Parham', McLaren & Coonawarra, SA	259

Shiraz & Blends

Australia

2021	Curator Wine Co, Barossa Valley, SA ^V	88
2022	Paxton "Queen of the Hive" Shiraz-Mataro, McLaren Vale, SA ^{O,B}	90
2022	Inkwell, McLaren Vale, SA ^V	92
2017	Eloquesta Shiraz-Petit Verdot, Mudgee, NSW	95
2021	Wild Duck 'Yellow Hammer Hill' Shiraz-Malbec, Heathcote, VIC ^S	96
2023	Henschke 'Five Shillings' Shiraz Blend, Barossa Valley, SA	119
2019	Tellurian "Tranter" Heathcote, VIC ^O	140
2016	Geoff Merrill "Reserve", McLaren Vale, SA	157
2018	Hutton Vale Farm, Eden Valley	180
2021	Utopos, Barossa Valley, SA	190
2018	Rockford "Basket Press", Barossa Valley, SA	350

To Finish

Dessert Wine & Fortified

Australia

2023	David Franz "Sticky" Botrytis Semillon, Barossa Valley, SA	13 79
2021	Robert Stein 'Harvest Gold' Semillon, Mudgee, NSW	15 80
2023	Frogmore Creek iced Riesling, Cambridge, Tasmania	16 86
NV	Gundog Muscat, Pokolbin, NSW	13 79
NV	David Franz 'Old Redemption' old tawny, Barossa Valley, SA	20 115

International

NV	Pedro Ximenez "El Candado", Spain	17 NA
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Cognac

France

Hennessy VS	16
Remy Martin VSOP	20
Hennessy VSOP	20
Hennessy XO	38

Liqueurs

Chambord	France	14
Brookie's Mac	Byron, Australia	15
Opal Bianca Sambuca	Italy	15
Opal Nera Sambuca	Italy	15
Kahlua	Mexico	17
Frangelico	Italy	17
Baileys Irish Cream	Ireland	17
Amaro Montenegro	Italy	17

Spirits

Vodka

Absolut	Sweden	15
Belvedere	Poland	16
Grey Goose	France	17
Archie Rose	Australia	18

Gin

Four Pillars Rare Dry	Australia	15
Settlers Blood orange	Australia	15
Settlers Sloe	Australia	16
Ink Dry	Australia	17
Headlands Distillery Plum Infused	Australia	17
Archie Rose	Australia	18
Tanqueray	England	15
Tanqueray 10	England	21
Bombay Sapphire	England	16
Hendricks	Scotland	17
Drumshanbo Gunpowder	Ireland	16
Koval Barreled	USA	18
Roku	Japan	16

Tequila

Jose Cuervo Silver	Mexico	15
Jose Cuervo Gold Especial	Mexico	17
Patrón Silver	Mexico	18
1800 Coconut	Mexico	19

Rum

Malibu Coconut	Barbados	15
Bacardi Superior	Cuba	15
Bacardi 8	Cuba	16
Sailor Jerry	Caribbean	16
Mount Gay XO	Caribbean	17
Kraken Black Spiced	USA	17
Zacapa Cent 23yo	Guatemala	22
Ron Zacapa XO	Guatemala	34

Single Malt Whisky

Glenfiddich 12yo	Scotland	21
Glenfiddich 18yo	Scotland	34
Talisker 10yo	Scotland	19
Glenmorangie 10yo	Scotland	19
Lagavulin 16yo	Scotland	21
Macallan 12yo	Scotland	24
Hakushu 18yo	Japan	78
Yamazaki 18yo	Japan	98

Blended Whisky

Jameson	Ireland	15
Chivas Regal	Scotland	15
Canadian Club	Canada	15
Starward Two-fold Double Grain	Australia	16
Johnnie Walker Blue Label	Scotland	42
Hibiki 17yo	Japan	82

American Whiskey and Bourbon

Sheep Dog Peanut Butter	USA	16
Jack Daniels	USA	16
Jack Daniels Honey	USA	16
Maker's Mark	USA	16
Bulleit Rye	USA	17
Woodford Reserve	USA	18
Eagle Rare	USA	18
KOVAL Four Grain	USA	19
Van Winkle 12yo	USA	65