

## 2018 Fresh Fall Juices

All juices packaged in pails and make 6 gallons of wine

Order/Payment deadline: Thursday, September 27<sup>th</sup> by 6pm

Pick Up: **Friday, October 5th 12 pm - 7 pm** (if necessary Sat. 10 - Noon)

### **California Reds - \$69.99**

**Cabernet Sauvignon** - The most widely planted grape in the world. The red grape produces a lush, fruity core of ripe blackberry, juicy red and black currant and notes of mocha and a savory hint of black pepper. Medium-full body dry red wine; this wine will taste its best when it has been oaked.

**Cabernet/Merlot** - A blend of Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon. Flavors of black current and cherry, the Merlot blend smoothes it. A full bodied wine and its pungent flavors linger on the palate.

**Merlot** - In recent years, Merlot has become the star varietal of the California wine world. Merlot offers up fruity aromas of currant, black cherry and plum, with a lower natural acidity than most red wine grapes, resulting in a finished wine with a more smooth and velvety taste. Medium-bodied red wine that will benefit with a bit of oak.

**Pinot Noir** - Aromas resembling black currant. Sweet fruitiness and low tannins. Aging with French oak brings out a spicy and smoky flavor. Its flavors are reminiscent of sweet red berries, plums, cherries and occasionally have a notable earthy or woody flavor-depending on growing conditions (terroir).

**Syrah** - Rich with deep violet color and tannins. Shiraz is a full-bodied intense wine which is known for its spicy and peppery notes. This dry red is big, bold with high alcohol. Do not skip the oak on this one!

**Zinfandel** - This wine is robust and hearty wine. It is smooth and easy drinking with a light spiciness and smoky flavors. This grape generally yields a higher alcohol than most reds. It is a beautiful balance between its smoothness and alcohol content.

### **California Whites - \$68.99**

**Chardonnay** - Rich and smooth is the term and explanation for its continuing popularity. Chardonnay assumes a wide range of finished aromas – apples, lemons, peaches, or tropical fruits. Despite its many variances in style, Chardonnay's taste is unmistakable due to its almost perfect sugar/acid balance, its full body, and easy smoothness. Use some American oak to develop hints of vanilla flavors.

**Gewurztraminer** - Delicious white wine with a unique taste. Slight spicy notes makes this medium bodied wine a great wine to pair with seafood or spicy foods. It's perfectly balanced – not too dry or sweet.

**Moscato** - Has a sweet, floral aroma with a unique Moscato taste. This medium-bodied white wine is fast becoming one of the bestselling wines in the U.S.

**Riesling** - Characters of juicy peach, ripe pear, melon, citrus with subtle mineral notes. Rieslings have a high level of acidity but a slight hint of residual sugar provides a nice balance to this easy drinking white wine.

**Sauvignon Blanc** - Has regained popularity in recent years as a dry wine. Grassy/ vegetable like aroma, hence the tendencies of many winemakers to utilize as a blending partner. A grape with naturally high acidity, Sauvignon Blanc is almost always tangy and tart.

### **California Blush - \$69.99**

**White Merlot** - Merlot grapes that are not macerated (contact with the grape skin, which contact extracts color which results in a light pink or blush wine colored wine). An easy drinking wine with a nice semi-sweet smooth finish.

## ***Italian Reds \$79.99***

**Amarone** - Is one of Italy's great wines that is loved by wine drinkers looking for ripe fruit, power, and roundness in their wine. Deep ruby red in color, Amarone presents a forceful and distinct flavor and nose of black cherry, plum, and oak. Amarone itself is not a grape but instead is a juice consisting of three primary grapes: Corvina, Rondinella, and Molinara. To produce an Amarone juice, harvested grapes are allowed to lay on a straw surface in a warm environment where they are allowed to dry over the course of several months, creating a raisiny flavor that is a distinctive characteristic of Amarone.

**Barbera** - The wine, while very dark in color, is actually quite light in taste. Barbera has flavors of cherries, strawberries and raspberries, and when young can have intense aromas of blackberries as well. It's very low in mouth-drying tannins yet it is high in acidity. Zesty and energetic with tangy fruit flavors this wine has a long-lingering taste.

**Barolo** - Is large and robust, this style is the one that lovers of big wines are looking for. Made famous in Italy's Piedmont region - highly regarded for its finest wines – using the Nebbiolo grape. This Barolo is rich in flavor and deep in color, with a rounded oak aroma that lingers on the finish. It is a medium to full bodied red wine that will greatly benefit from oak and aging. See Nebbiolo below for more info.

**Brunello** - Is a vibrant, cherry- and black currant-flavored red, with a bracing structure that drives to the lingering conclusion. The tannins are pronounced yet well-integrated, with hints of spice and tobacco on the finish.

**Chianti** - A very easy drinking dry red table wine. It has the fruity fresh appeal of Beaujolais and is mostly made from the Sangiovese grape.

**Dolcetto** - "little sweet one" is light purple in color with low tannins. It has flavors of cherry, raspberry, and jam with hints of spice.

**Montepulciano** - Is a plump grape with high amounts of juice that is deep purple and ruby in color. In comparison to other Italian varietals, it has lower acidity, and mild tannin levels. Slight notes of spice and pepper. A medium bodied Italian red wine that is very drinkable and will reward the patient winemaker willing to allow it to age.

**Sangiovese** - Italy's most commonly planted red grape varietal, the flavor profile of Sangiovese is fruity, with moderate to high natural acidity and generally a medium-body ranging from firm and elegant to assertive and robust. Typically, Sangiovese grapes produce light to medium wines with tannin structure ranging from medium to firm, with aromas of strawberry, blueberry, violet, or plummy character. As for acidity levels, Sangiovese leans towards medium to high acidity content with a finish that can range from elegant to bitter.

**Tuscan Rosso** - A beautiful blend of Syrah, Merlot, and Cabernet Sauvignon.

## ***Italian Whites \$78.99***

**Pinot Grigio** - Pinot Grigio is absolutely delightful and becomes a magical liquid. Dry in character with a pleasant zip of acidity, Pinot Grigio shows off a pleasant flow of fragrance and tremendous tropical fruit flavors.

**Vermentino** - If you like dry white wine, you need to give this one a try. It has lively aromas of pear, white peach, lime and pink grapefruit with subtle mineral notes and citrus zest. Vermentino has a lot of complexity (especially with a little age time) almost always dry and crisp with a light-bodied, crisp, dry, lemon, grassy, basil, slightly aromatic.

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