

Hello all,

Our May tasting saw a modest 27 wines sampled by the new Wine Panel, but there were a number of standout wines – especially Jean-Luc Mader riesling from Alsace, the reds from Hentley Farm, the Wynns Gables Cab Shiraz and the Burge Corryton Park Cabernet.

Our next University House Wine Club Members tasting will be held on **Tuesday, 15 June, 2010, in the House at 5.00pm**. The tasting will feature a range of Italian wines. Cost is \$10 per head, **Bookings essential**. Check our Tasting Calendar for Dates and themes for upcoming tastings.

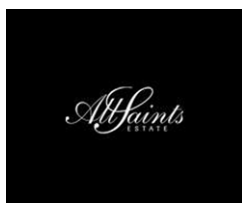
Wine Club Tastings will be held on the third Tuesday of each month. Not a member? Email details to [bar@uniclub.com.au](mailto:bar@uniclub.com.au) to join or call me on 8344 5254.

Just to follow up our **Yalumba Fine and Rare Dinner** – Special guest Jane Ferrari provided colourful and sometimes hysterical stories, sometimes about the wines! The highlight wine was the 2005 Yalumba Signature, and the entertainment by the Caritas Chamber Singers was also first class. Great to see Ronald Farren-Price take home the Double Magnum of Menzies. Jane has promised to return next year – looking forward to it already!

*John Macaulay*



New arrivals:



**All Saints Moscato 2009** - With a light straw colour and packed with crisp, grapey flavour, lush ripe fruit and tingly bubbles or 'frizzante' this wine is fresh and lively and oozes universal appeal. 5.5% A/Vol.

**All Saints Marsanne 2009** – a crisp, refreshing wine packed with distinctive fruit flavours of lemon, peach and honey. Light to medium bodied with a mineral character and good acid.



**Jean-Luc Mader Riesling 2008** – a classic vintage for dry Riesling. Fine floral citrus and lime aromas with mineral backing and wonderful acid backbone. Stunning.

**Palazzo Grimani Soave 2009** – a subtle wine with floral and nutty almond notes on the nose. Fresh on the palate with charming fruit and clean, well-structured finish.

**Palazzo Grimani Pinot Grigio IGT 2009** – A very clean style with focussed apple flavours with a touch of citrus and minerals. Good value.

**Coldstream Hills Chardonnay 2008** – We have not had CSH in the House for a while, and this is a real cracker! A stylish wine with texture, layering of flavours and length. Citrus and stone fruit characters are supported by integrated oak and a hint of minerality.

**Pondalowie MT Tempranillo 2008** – Grown at Bridgewater-on-Loddon. An unwooded style with exuberant fruit and the lovely mouthfeel typical of tempranillo. Medium-bodied, fresh and long. Delicious!

**Hentley Farm**



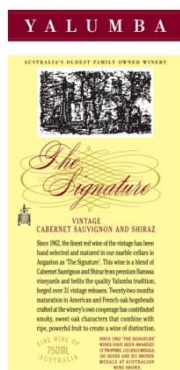
**Hentley Farm** – Established in 1997 on Greenock Creek at Seppeltsfield, Hentley Farm specialises in reds produced using traditional open vats, hand plunging and pumping-over and extended maceration. The **Hentley Farm Shiraz 2008** is a

big, rich, full bodied Shiraz which has maintained a level of elegance. It has soft velvety tannins and mouthfeel combined with aromas of chocolate, liquorice and ripe berry. The **Hentley Farm Bloodline Cabernet Sauvignon 2009** is a medium weight style showing excellent dark fruit focus and balanced structure.

**Te Awa Left Field Syrah 2009** – From Hawkes Bay on the North Island of New Zealand. A fantastic lifted black pepper style, with ripe, cool fruit, loads of spice and cherries.

**Wynns The Gables Cabernet Shiraz 2008** – The classic Oz style from Coonawarra's most famous name. Elegant, with harmonious, juicy berry fruit. Choc/mocha-like oak fills out the seams finishing with fine grained tannins.

**Grant Burge Corryton Park Cabernet Sauvignon 2005** – This new release from Burge is a wine of amazing depth and complexity. The palate is very classy and intense with blackcurrant and blueberry fruit, cedary oak, a touch of tar and dried herbs. Drinking beautifully now and built to last!



**Yalumba The Signature Cabernet Shiraz 2005** –

Beginning with the 1962 vintage, The Signature wines of Yalumba have saluted the best of the vintage. They also have acknowledged the skills and dedicated service of people who have enhanced the traditions and culture of Yalumba. A distinctively Australian style, deep and intense, the wine displays full palate weight with powerful fruit and soft American oak which was hand-coopered at

Yalumba - a wine made for longevity, very much The Signature style.

**Wine News**

**JUNE 2010**

## June Mixed Dozen selections:

**Sedona Estate Riesling 2006** – Made in the modern German style, it shows plenty of citrus and melon aromas and has excellent ageing potential.

**Ta Ku Sauvignon Blanc 2009** – A crisp and zesty backbone combines with fresh tropical fruit sweetness. Excellent weight and balance, this wine lingers on the palate in a full, refreshing finish.

**Yalumba Wild Ferment Chardonnay 2008** – displays lifted citrus zest and fresh quince with subtle notes of white nougat and toasted almonds. Finely structured and seamless, the palate has nougat, citrus and hints of white nectarine combine elegantly with the subtle nuances of French oak and a restrained citrus acidity for a lingering finish.

**Nanny Goat Pinot Noir 2008** – This Central Otago, NZ, pinot is fresh and lively, this fleshy, medium-bodied pinot has great fruit intensity with distinctive varietal cherry and red fruits, complexed by earth and undergrowth, and balanced with spicy oak. Lovely texture and great length.

**Taltarni 'T' series Shiraz 2007**– This wine is an attractive, deep plum colour and displays great red berry notes, blackcurrant and mocha on the nose. The palate is well structured with nice soft tannins and plummy fruit flavours.

**Yalumba The Scribbler Cabernet Shiraz 2008** – dense crimson purple in colour with a very appealing nose, displaying excellent concentration of dark fruits, spices, liquorice and dark olives. Fresh aromas of violets and lavender are present. The palate is silky and elegant, tasting of sweet blackcurrants and blueberries.

## June Quaffing Dozen selections:

Peter Lehmann Riesling 2009

The Puppeteer Chardonnay 2008

The Puppeteer Semillon Sauvignon Blanc 2008

Acrobat Sangiovese Shiraz 2008

Peter Lehmann Cabernet Merlot 2006

The Puppeteer Shiraz 2008

| Wine                                                               | \$/btl | \$Case    | Qty Ordered | Wine                                                            | \$/btl | \$Case | Qty Ordered |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|-----------|-------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|-------------|
| All Saints Moscato 2009                                            | 17.95  | 75/6-pack |             | Pondalowie MT Tempranillo                                       | 29.95  | 299/dz |             |
| All Saints Marsanne 2009                                           | 19.95  | 89/6      |             | Hentley Farm Shiraz 2008                                        | 35.95  | 329/dz |             |
| Jean-Luc Mader Riesling 2008                                       | 34.95  | 290/dz    |             | Hentley Farm Bloodline Cabernet Sauvignon 2009                  | 21.95  | 199/dz |             |
| Palazzo Grimani Soave 2009                                         | 17.95  | 75/6      |             | Te Awa Left Field Syrah 2009                                    | 24.95  | 229/dz |             |
| Palazzo Grimani Pinot Grigio IGT 2009                              | 17.95  | 75/6      |             | Wynns The Gables Cabernet Shiraz 2008                           | 26.95  | 99/6   |             |
| Coldstream Hills Chardonnay 2008                                   | 28.95  | 179/6     |             | Grant Burge Corryton Park Cabernet Sauvignon 2005               | 45.95  | 189/6  |             |
| Yalumba Wild Ferment Chardonnay 2008                               | 22.95  | 198/dz    |             | Yalumba The Cigar Cabernet Sauvignon 2008                       | 30.95  | 282/dz |             |
| Yalumba FDW 7C Chardonnay 2008                                     | 32.95  | 153/6     |             | Yalumba The Menzies Cabernet Sauvignon 2007                     | 57.95  | 237/6  |             |
| Jansz Premium NV Cuvee                                             | 32.95  | 153/6     |             | Yalumba The Scribbler Cabernet Shiraz 2008                      | 22.95  | 198/dz |             |
| Ta Ku Sauvignon Blanc 2009                                         | 19.95  | 69/6      |             | Yalumba The Signature Cabernet Shiraz 2005                      | 57.95  | 237/6  |             |
| Sedona Estate Riesling 2006                                        | 20.95  | 195/dz    |             | Taltarni 'T' Series Shiraz 2007                                 | 16.95  | 69/6   |             |
|                                                                    |        |           |             | Nanny Goat Pinot Noir 2008                                      | 29.95  | 139/6  |             |
| House Quaffing Dozens (Please specify <b>Mixed, White or Red</b> ) |        | 99/dz     |             | House Mixed Dozens (Please specify <b>Mixed, White or Red</b> ) |        | 179/dz |             |

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