



LIBATIONS

It's Almost Spring 2017

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*Designed to be friendly & fun
We feature 49 wines all for \$49*

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Beverage Director
Jon McDaniel

Head Bartender
Alex Schmaling

BEACON TAVERN

CLASSICS

House Barrel Old-Fashioned \$15
bourbon, sherry syrup, house bitters, on a really big rock

G & T..... \$13
london dry gin, seasonal house tonic, lime cordial

Punch..... \$12
aged rum, mango, litchi noir tea, lime

ON

THE WATER

The Main Stem..... \$13
vodka, cantaloupe, cinnamon, Salers aperitif, lime

Driftwood Bonfire \$13
*tequila, mezcal, fresno chile, dill
lime, mandarin Jarritos*

On the Windowsill \$13
*rye, Bonal, Aperol,
strawberry-rhubarb cordial, lemon*

Fake Patois \$13
*blend of white & pot-still rums, fino sherry
banana, tiki spices, lime*

Buoyed Spirits \$13
*chamomile-infused dry gin, Drambuie
lemon-infused Cocchi Americano, orange bitters*

Last Port of Call..... \$13
genever, blended scotch, amontillado & PX sherries

CABINET COLLECTION

individual cocktails with extremely rare ingredients

Negroni \$48

*rare London dry gin, vintage Campari,
small batch Italian sweet vermouth
-originated at Caffè Casoni, Florence, Italy, 1919*

Boulevardier \$48

*rare rotating older Straight Bourbon Whiskey
vintage Campari, small batch Italian sweet vermouth
-from McElhone's 1927 'Barflies & Cocktails'*

Rusty Nail \$48

*Compass Box Circus, vintage Drambuie, honey
-origin unknown. A variation of The Little Club No.1 from the swank
eponymously named Manhattan gentleman's club*

SOFT COCKTAILS

crafted without alcohol

Blonde Redhead \$7

strawberry-basil kombucha, coconut, lemon

Key Lime Phosphate \$7

vanilla, lime, cream

Ask the Soda Jerk \$7

*ask the bartender for a "dealer's choice"
housemade soda*

ON DRAFT

Half Acre 'Pony Pils' \$7

*German style Pilsner from Chicago
crisp, easy-drinking lager
classic Bavarian malts and hops, 5.8% abv*

Solemn Oath 'Punk Rock for Rich Kids' \$8

*Belgian-American Pale Ale from Chicago
aromatic, caramel sweetness
lightly hopped, 7.0% abv*

Alarmist Brewing 'Phobophobia' \$7

*Belgian Single from North Park of Chicago
refreshing, sessionable ale, bright, complex
brewed with orange, grapefruit, coriander, 4.8% abv*

Off Color 'Troublesome' \$7

*Gose (German Wheat) from Chicago
crisp, light, bright
blend of two different brews, 4.3% abv*

Local Rotating Handle..... \$7

*Chicago
A delicious, ever-changing tap from one of
Chicago's finest microbreweries - ask your server*

Revolution 'Anti-Hero' \$7

*American IPA from Chicago
massive floral, bitter citrus aromas
dry-hop assaulted, 6.5% abv*

Aspall Dry Cider \$8

*British Cider from Suffolk, England
fruity, racy, thirst-quenchingly dry
medium dry, 6.8% abv*

Guinness \$7

*Irish Dry Stout from St. James Gate, Ireland,
rich, creamy, roasted malt flavors
on nitro, 4% abv*

S O M M E L I E R

S O C K D R A W E R

*You know those socks that don't have a match?
The ones eaten by the gnomes in your hamper?*

*This list is like that - but with wine bottles
Limited bottles that you must try before they disappear*

Buy one for \$49 - Get the 2nd for \$4.90

WHITE

Bastianich Friulano 2015

Friuli, Italy

luscious nectarine, zippy acidity, sea salt finish

Cucao Pedro Ximenez 2014

Elqui Valley, Chile

valenica orange, finger lime, shellfish dream

Château de Pennautier Viognier 2015

Languedoc-Roussillon, France

honeysuckle, apricot, sherbet (silent r)

RED

Mount Abora 'Saffraan' Cinsault 2015

Swartland, South Africa

the Mad Max of wine regions, blue fruit, elf spices

Gran Passione Rosso 2014

Veneto, Italy

Merlot/Corvina, sun-dried, infant Amarone

De Bortoli Petite Sirah 2013

Southeast Australia

razzleberry jam, purple plums, teeth stainer

inventory - like your socks - is subject to change

BUBBLY

BY THE GLASS

\$12

Le Contesse Prosecco Extra Dry NV

Veneto, Italy

tiny bubbles, green apple, almonds

for toasting, mimosas and making it to 5:01pm

François Montand Brut Rosé NV

Jura, France

dried cherry, clean, bright berries

blend of Grenache, Cinsault, summer's comin'

Val de Mer by Patrick Piuze Sparkling NV

Chablis, France

100% Chardonnay, oyster minerals, crisp apple

our staff's favorite bubbly

2016 Shuck Off Finalist

BUBBLES BY THE 1/2 BOTTLE

\$49

mix or match any 2 or more 1/2 bottles - save 20%

Pierre Paillard 'Selection de Parcelles' Brut NV

Grand Cru de Montagne de Reims, Champagne

white plum, elderflower, broad shoulders

Ferrari Brut Rosé NV

Trento DOC, Italy

red raspberry, rose petal, spice drop

CABINET COLLECTION BY THE GLASS

\$25-3oz \$39-6oz

Krug 'Grand Cuvee' MV

Reims, Champagne

toasted walnuts, complex, there can be but one

Henriot Brut Rosé MV

Reims, Champagne

jonathan apple, ginger, Knott's Berry Farm

WINES OF PRETTY COLORS

ROSÉ BY THE GLASS

\$12

Aix 2016

*Coteaux d'Aix-en-Provence, France
velvety strawberry, crisp acidity, round finish
for patio sippin' & Formula One races*

ROSÉ BY THE BOTTLE

\$49

Mouton Noir 'Love Drunk' Rosé of Pinot Noir 2015

*Willamette Valley, Oregon
dry, crisp, berry punch
one of our favorite wineries for hipster Rosé*

Kir-Yianni 'Akakies' Rosé of Xinomavro 2015

*Macedonia, Greece
cherry pie, acacia, rosé for red wine drinkers
ZEE-NO-MAUVE-ROW - fun to say, fun to drink*

ROSÉ BY THE 1/2 BOTTLE

\$49

Caves D'Esclans 'Whispering Angel' 2015

*Côtes de Provence, France
juicy peach, red currant, lip-smackin'
arguably the world's Greatest rosé (not just our opinion)*

ORANGE WINE

\$49

Sclavos Wines 'Robola' 2013

*Slopes of Aenos, Greece
salty, rich nutty characteristic, wine for Zeus!*

WHITE WINE BY THE GLASS

\$12

**Riverlore
Sauvignon Blanc 2015**
Marlborough, New Zealand
pink grapefruit, guava, jalapeño
small producer in the heart of Kiwi country

**Paul Direder
Grüner Veltliner 2015**
Wagram, Austria
white peach, white pepper, meyer lemon
crispy, zippy wine in a Liter bottle - you're welcome!

**Wente 'Morning Fog'
Chardonnay 2015**
Livermore Valley, California
toasty, creamy, zesty
full, rich, caramely, buttery Cougar Juice

**Rallo 'Evrò'
Insolia 2014**
Sicily, Italy
aromatic, a touch fruity, a touch floral
so pretty smelling, you might dab it behind your ears

Connoisseur's Classic
\$15

**Frédéric Magnien
Chardonnay 2014**
Burgundy, France
yellow apple, baked pear, clean sheets
one of Burgundy's most sought after producers

RED WINE
BY THE GLASS

\$12

La Fenêtre 'À Côté'
Pinot Noir 2013

Central Coast, California

*bing cherry, silky structure, red raspberry
A soft, delicate Pinot from Santa Barbara's top sites*

Il Ghizzano
Sangiovese 2014

Costa Toscana I.G.T, Italy

*violets, cinnamon, smoked herbs
organic wine a stone's throw from that leaning tower*

Ladron de Guevara
'Viño de Autor' 2013

Rioja, Spain

*intense dark cherry, balsamic, oaky notes
classic Tempranillo in a modern style, perfect for ham*

Renacer
'Punto Final' Malbec 2014

Luján de Cuyo, Mendoza, Argentina

*powerful, black plum, cigar box
taking a bushel o' berries and face-planting*

Connoisseur's Classic

\$15

Hoopes Vineyard 'Hoopla'
Cabernet Sauvignon 2014

Oakville of Napa Valley, California

*plush blackberry, smashed currants, spice box
one of Napa's first growers of Cabernet*

WHITE WINE BOTTLES

\$49

Amos Cellars Sauvignon Blanc 2014

*Central Coast, California
guava, peach, Wrigley Field ivy, made by Jon!*

**Wairau River
Pinot Gris 2015**

*Marlborough, New Zealand
succulent quince, pear, mouth-watering
Winner - 2016 Shuck Off. Best oyster wine!*

Aveleda Alvarinho 2015

*Vinho Regional Minho, Portugal
citrusy, salty, savory - same grape as Albariño*

Cantina del Taburno Coda di Volpe 2015

*Campania, Italy
crisp pear, volcanic zip, like Pinot Grigio with guts!
from our sister restaurant Coda di Volpe*

Santos Winery Assyrtiko 2015

*Santorini, Greece
citrus, orchid blossom, sea breeze*

Brooks 'Amycas' 2015

*Willamette Valley, Oregon
daisies, Edelzwicker, Pebble Beach No. 10*

Red Tail Ridge Riesling 2014

*Seneca Lake of the Finger Lakes, New York
not Alsace, not German, off-dry, peachy, stunner*

Jean-Michel Gautier Vouvray Sec 2013

*Loire Valley, France
Chenin Blanc, ginger cream, a tropical wonderland
2016 Shuck Off Finalist*

Copain 'Tous Ensemble' Chardonnay 2014

*Anderson Valley, California
creamy lemon curd, orchard fruits, oak whispers*

WHITE WINE

1 / 2 BOTTLES

\$49

mix or match any 2 or more 1/2 bottles - save 20%

Henri Bourgeois Sancerre 'Les Barrones' 2014

375ml

Loire Valley, France

*100% Sauvignon Blanc, wet stone, grassy
scents of sexy silex soiree silently
perfect for oysters, 'ersters n' shells*

Robert Sinskey Pinot Blanc 2013

375ml

Carneros, California

*kiffir lime, minerally apricot, casaba melon
an incredibly complex wine for no oak
only made in 1/2 bottles n' big bottles*

Pride Mountain Vineyards

Viognier 2015

375ml

Sonoma County, California

*honeysuckle, poached peaches, rich texture
Since 1991, Pride has been one of Sonoma's best
Is this America's best Viognier? Mhmm*

Willam Fevre 'Montmains'

1er Cru Chablis 2014

375ml

Burgundy, France

*oyster shell, orchid blossom, key lime
balanced acid, unique soil, rock chalk jayhawk
a textbook example of the elegance of Chablis*

Talley Estate Chardonnay 2014

375ml

Arroyo Grande Valley, California

*butterscotch, pear skin, dutch apple pie
not overly oaked, but can hold its own
loved this estate from the very beginning*

RED WINE BOTTLES

\$49

La Kiuva Nebbiolo 2015

*Valle d'Aosta, Italy
very light, blood orange, 2 dozen roses*

Louis Chevalier Bourgogne Rouge 2014

*Burgundy, France
morello cherry, shiitake mushroom, currant*

Barrigue Pinot Noir 2015

*Sonoma Coast, California
cola, cedar plank, bacon - mmm bacon*

Rust en Vrede Merlot 2014

*Stellenbosch, South Africa
bright red fruit, pipe tobacco, dried violets*

Penner-Ash 'Rubeo' Pinot Noir - Syrah 2014

*Oregon
juicy, like getting stuck in a blackberry patch, unique*

Nicola Trabucco 'ERRE' Aglianico 2013

*Campania, Italy
black tea, black cherry, for fans of Rhone, Barolo*

Amos Cellars 'Quasi Famous' Zinfandel 2015

*Sonoma County, California
purple plums, juicy and dry, made by our wine guy Jon*

Venus la Universal 'Dido' 2012

*Monsant, Spain
dry, earthy, black pepper, berry, baby Priorat
blend of Grenache, Syrah, Cabernet, Merlot*

Chateau de Hauterive Malbec 2014

*Cahors, France
juicy blackberry, peppery, no oak*

Tamarack Cellars 'Firehouse Red' 2014

*Columbia Valley, Washington
big, burly Cabernet blend, a staff favorite
10 different varietals!*

RED WINE

1 / 2 BOTTLES

\$49

mix or match any 2 or more 1/2 bottles - save 20%

**Adelsheim Estate
Pinot Noir 2014
375ml**

*Willamette Valley, Oregon
forest floor, blueberry compote, black truffle
a big, lush vintage provides bang for the buck
one of the iconic estates of Oregon*

**Vietti 'Castiglione' Barolo 2012
375ml**

*Piemonte, Italy
kiss of oak, kiss of candied cherry, the best
this bottling vintage after vintage rocks
winemaker Luca Currado is king of nebbiolo*

**Domaine Raspail-Ay Gigondas 2014
375ml**

*Rhone Valley, France
cassis, licorice whips, tellicherry peppercorn
blend of Grenache, Syrah, Mourvedre
Chateauneuf-du-Pape's mini-me is all grown up!*

**Ridge 'Lytton Springs' Zinfandel 2013
375ml**

*Dry Creek Valley of Sonoma, California
rich blueberry jam, vanilla, black cherry
Zinfandel, Petite Sirah, Carignane, Mataró
a very big, bold wine in a baby bottle*

**Hall Cabernet Sauvignon 2013
375ml**

*Napa Valley, California
powerful fruit, restrained oak, bramble
one of America's classic Cabernet bottlings
so good you may need a bottle per person*

CABINET COLLECTION

wines that ya just can't find open...ever

\$25 - by the glass

\$98 - by the bottle

WHITE

Weingut Knoll Grüner Veltliner Federspeil 'Kreutles' 2015

*Wachau, Austria
laser minerality, white pepper, nectarine
Staff favorite!*

Fiddlehead Sauvignon Blanc 2013

*Happy Canyon of Santa Barbara, California
bone dry, packed with citrus, for the Sancerre fan
featured in Sideways!*

RED

Bouchard 'Beaune du Chateau' 1er Cru 2011

*Burgundy, France
100% Pinot Noir, truffle, bright red fruit, satin texture
a winery exclusive since 1907*

Numanthia 'Numanthia' 2011

*Toro, Spain
100% Tempranillo, big cedar, plush black fruits
from vines ranging from 50-80 years old!*

Château Simard 2005

*Saint-Emilion, Bordeaux, France
elegant, herbaceous, dried red raspberry
we have done the aging for you!*

CABINET COLLECTION

wines that ya just can't find open...ever part II

\$32 - by the glass

\$129 - by the bottle

WHITE

Domaine Huet Vouvray 'Clos de Bourg' 2014

Loire Valley, France

*100% Chenin Blanc, poached pears, dried honey
The Vouvray that somm's study on*

DuMol Chardonnay 2013

Russian River Valley, California

*lemon zest, buttery almond, electric acidity
Chicago exclusive by the glass!*

RED

Occidental by Kistler Pinot Noir 2013

Sonoma Coast, California

*Lush black fruit, holiday spices, velvety
For impossible to find in Pinot Noir - it's Kistler!*

Domaine des Sénéchaux Châteauneuf-du-Pape 2012

Rhône Valley, France

*Grenache-based stunner, hearty black fruit, mineral
production dates back to the 14th century*

Miner Family Cabernet Sauvignon 2013

Napa Valley, California

*currant, mocha, Fidel's finest
Chicago native Dave Miner's tribute to his wife Emily*

AMERICAN WHISKEY

BOURBON	2oz
Angel's Envy	\$14
Belle Meade Sherry Cask.....	\$17
Blanton's.....	\$14
Booker's.....	\$14
Buffalo Trace.....	\$10
Bulleit	\$12
Eagle Rare	\$12
Four Roses Single Barrel.....	\$12
Knob Creek	\$15
Maker's Mark.....	\$12
Old Forrester 'Birthday Bourbon'	\$22
Old Forrester 100	\$10
Russell's 10yr	\$11
Weller 107	\$10
Wild Turkey 101	\$10
Wild Turkey Rare Breed.....	\$13
Willett Pot-still	\$12
Woodford Reserve	\$14
RYE	2oz
High West Double Rye.....	\$10
Pikesville.....	\$10
Russell's 6yr	\$10
Whistlepig 100.....	\$15

WHISK(E)Y OF THE WORLD

SCOTCH.....	2oz
Aberlour 'A'bunadh'	\$23
Ardbeg 'Uigedail'	\$20
Auchentoshan 3 Wood.....	\$14
Balvenie 12 yr Doublewood	\$14
Balvenie 14 yr Carribbean Cask	\$22
Bowmore 15 yr 'Darkest'	\$20
Bruichladdich Barley.....	\$12
Clynelish 'Connoisseur's Choice' 11 yr...	\$20
Compass Box 'Hedonism'	\$22
Compass Box 'Lost Box'	\$22
Compass Box 'Peat Monster'	\$14
Glenfarclas 12 yr	\$14
Glenfiddich 12 yr	\$12
Glenfiddich 14 yr	\$15
Glenfiddich 15 yr	\$17
Glenlivet 12 yr	\$13
Glenmorangie 'LaSanta'.....	\$15
Glenmorangie 'Nectar d'Or'	\$22
Great King Street 'Artist's Blend'	\$10
Great King Street 'Glasgow'	\$10
Highland Park 15 yr	\$20
Johnny Walker 'Blue'	\$80

More Scotch on the next page
Because Scotch is delicious !!!

WHISK(E)Y OF THE WORLD

MORE SCOTCH

Laphroig 10 yr.....	\$14
Macallan 12 yr	\$14
Macallan 18 yr	\$60
Monkey Shoulder	\$11
Springbank 12 yr	\$14

JAPANESE

Nikka

Pure Malt.....	\$14
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Hibiki

Harmony	\$20
Hakushu	\$22

IRISH

Jameson.....	\$10
Greenspot	\$12
Powers 'Signature Release'.....	\$12
Redbreast 12 yr	\$15
Tullamore Dew	\$10

SUGARCANE SPIRITS

RUM.....	2oz
Bacardi 8 yr	\$10
Bacardi Heritage (well).....	\$9
Diplomatico Anejo.....	\$10
Diplomatico Exclusiva	\$14
El Dorado 12 yr	\$12
Gosling's Blackseal.....	\$10
Neisson	\$12
Plantation Guatemalan XO.....	\$16
Plantation Overproof	\$12
Ron Zacapa	\$14
Sailor Jerry.....	\$10
Smith & Cross	\$12
Batavia Arrack	\$12
Leblon Cachaca	\$12

AGAVE SPIRITS

TEQUILA

Blanco

Cimarron	\$8
El Jimador	\$9
Tequila Ocho	\$12
Fortaleza	\$14

Reposado

ArteNOM 1414	\$14
Fortaleza	\$14
Milagro.....	\$12
Tromba.....	\$12

Anejo

ArteNOM 1146	\$16
Siembre Azul	\$16

MEZCAL

Del Maguey Vida.....	\$14
Del Maguey Chichicapa	\$16
El Jolgorio Madrecuixe	\$14
Gracias a Dios Tobala	\$18

WHITE SPIRITS

(ghosts optional)

VODKA	2oz	 	3oz
Belvedere	\$12	 	\$14
Grey Goose	\$12	 	\$14
Ketel One	\$12	 	\$14
Reyka (well)	\$8	 	\$10
St. George 'Citrus'	\$10	 	\$12
St. George 'Green Chile'	\$10	 	\$12
Tito's	\$9	 	\$11
GIN	2oz	 	3oz
Beefeater	\$10	 	\$12
Bols Genever	\$12	 	\$14
Bombay (well)	\$10	 	\$12
CH Distillery London Dry	\$10	 	\$12
Ford's Gin	\$10	 	\$12
Hendrick's	\$12	 	\$14
St. George 'Terroir'	\$12	 	\$14
Plymouth	\$10	 	\$12
Tanqueray	\$12	 	\$14

BEFORE, DURING & AFTER SPIRITS

BRANDY	2oz
Germain Robin 'Craft Methode'	\$12
Hennesey 'Master Blender's Selection' ..	\$14
Hennesey VSOP	\$14
Jean Luc Pasquet VSOP	\$14
Pierre Ferrand 1840.....	\$12
Laird's 100 Apple Brandy	\$10
Rhine Hall Apple Brandy.....	\$9
Kappa Pisco	\$10
AMARI.....	2oz
Averna	\$9
CH Distillery 'Fernet Dogma'	\$9
Cynar.....	\$9
Fernet Branca or Branca Menta	\$9
Lucano	\$10
Nonino.....	\$12
NIGHTCAPS.....	2oz
Benedictine	\$12
Chartreuse Yellow or Green	\$11
CH Limoncello	\$9
Frangelico	\$10
Grand Marnier	\$12
Luxardo Amaretto.....	\$10
Luxardo Sambuca.....	\$9
St. George Cafe NOLA.....	\$12

LIQUID DESSERT

We put it up front so you can plan ahead :)

Dow's

A jewel of Port since 1798

Fine Ruby \$8
raspberry jam, blueberry, cocoa

A Century of Port

10-Year Tawny \$10
baked apricot, cherry tart, fig

20-Year Tawny \$17
toffee, orange peel, smoked marzipan

30-Year Tawny \$25
intensely nutty, dried fruit, licorice

40-Year Tawny \$35
dried honey, almond nougat, rare

Taste the Century \$40
loz tasting of all 4 tawny ports

Valdespino 'Deliciosa En Rama' \$10
Manzanilla sherry, salty, savory, drunk by Spanish kings
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Valdespino 'Contrabandista' \$10
Amontillado sherry, dried plum, coffee, golden raisin

El Maestro Sierra 'Amorosso' \$10
Blended style sherry, currants, riesen candies, cashew

Innocent Bystander Moscato 2015 \$10
orchids, peach, adult juicy juice, 200ml

Banfi 'Rosa Regale' 2014 \$10
think red moscato, loves chocolate, 187ml

Château Tuyttens Sauternes 2012 \$10
williams pear, white currant, blossom