



LIBATIONS

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

PUNCH SERVICE

large format cocktails for 4-8 guests

Jollier Rancher \$120
vodka, watermelon, poblano, sage, lemon, prosecco

Water Taxi \$45
rum, pisco, passionfruit, pineapple-jalapeño kombucha

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 \$6
strawberry-basil kombucha, coconut, lemon

Key Lime Phosphate \$6
vanilla, lime, cream

Ask the Soda Jerk \$6
*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
100% German hops, 5.5% abv*

Solomon Oath 'Lü' Kölsch..... \$7

*German style Ale from Chicago
light-bodied, mellow malt, floral hops with
mild sweetness, 4.7% abv*

Off Color 'Troublesome' \$7

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

Revolution 'Gagelicious' Golden Ale..... \$7

*A light, refreshing ale -- a collaboration
with Revolution Brewing to celebrate
The Gage's 10 Year Anniversary, 5% abv*

Revolution 'Anti-Hero' \$7

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

Local Rotating Handle..... \$8

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

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*

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
2016 Shuck Off Finalist

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

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'

Gruet 'Sauvage' Blanc de Blancs NV

New Mexico

100% Chardonnay, oyster minerals, bone dry

There's more to NM than chiles and Breaking Bad

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

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

Krug 'Grand Cuvee' NV '162nd Edition'

Reims, Champagne

toasted walnuts, complex, there can be but one

Henriot Brut Rosé NV

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*

CONNOISSEUR'S CLASSIC

\$16

Summer Somewhere Rosé of Grenache 2016

*Santa Barbara, California
berries n' cream, herbs n' baking spices, elegant n' rich
by Chicago native Billy Dim - Beacon Tavern exclusive*

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'*

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

Amos Cellars 'Quasi Famous' Zinfandel 2015

Sonoma County, California
purple plums, juicy, jammy berries, dry,
made by our wine guy Jon

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

AROMATIC WHITES

\$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!

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*

Brooks 'Amycas' 2015

Willamette Valley, Oregon

daisies, Edelzwicker, Pebble Beach No. 10

Red Tail Ridge Riesling 2015

Seneca Lake of the Finger Lakes, New York

not Alsace, not German, off-dry, peachy, stunner

BY THE 1/2 BOTTLE

\$49 - buy any 2 for \$79

Bourgeois Sancerre 'Les Barrones' 2014 375ml

Loire Valley, France

100% Sauvignon Blanc, wet stone, grassy

Robert Sinskey Pinot Blanc 2013 375ml

Carneros, California

kiffir lime, minerally apricot, casaba melon

CABINET COLLECTION

\$25 / glass - \$98 / bottle

Knoll Grüner Veltliner 'Kreutles' 2015

'Federspeil' - Wachau, Austria

laser minerality, white pepper, nectarine

Fiddlehead Sauvignon Blanc 2013

Happy Canyon of Santa Barbara, California

bone dry, packed with citrus, for the Sancerre fan

RICH WHITES

\$49

Santos Winery Assyrtiko 2015

Santorini, Greece

citrus, orchid blossom, sea breeze

Jean-Michel Gautier Vouvray Sec 2015

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

BY THE 1/2 BOTTLE

\$49 - buy 2 for \$79

Pride Mountain Viognier 2015 375ml

Sonoma County, California

honeysuckle, poached peaches, rich texture

Willam Fevre 'Montmains'

1er Cru Chablis 2014 375ml

Burgundy, France

oyster shell, orchid, rock chalk jayhawk

Talley Estate Chardonnay 2014 375ml

Arroyo Grande Valley, California

butterscotch, pear skin, dutch apple pie

CABINET COLLECTION

\$32 / glass - \$129 / bottle

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!

OLD WORLD

REDS

\$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

Venus la Universal 'Dido' 2014

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

BY THE 1/2 BOTTLE

\$49 - buy any 2 for \$79

Vietti 'Castiglione' Barolo 2012 375ml

Piemonte, Italy

kiss of oak, kiss of candied cherry, the best

Domaine Raspail-Ay Gigondas 2014 375ml

Rhone Valley, France

cassis, licorice whips, tellicherry peppercorn

CABINET COLLECTION

\$29/ glass - \$109 / bottle

Bouchard 'Beaune du Chateau' 1er Cru 2011

Burgundy, France

100% Pinot Noir, truffle, bright red fruit, satin texture

Numanthia 'Numanthia' 2012

Toro, Spain

100% Tempranillo, big cedar, plush black fruits

Château Simard 2005

Saint-Emilion, Bordeaux, France

elegant, herbaceous, dried red raspberry

Sénéchaux Châteauneuf-du-Pape 2012

Rhône Valley, France

Grenache-based stunner, hearty black fruit, mineral

NEW WORLD

REDS

\$49

Barrique 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*

Tamarack Cellars 'Firehouse Red' 2014

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

BY THE 1/2 BOTTLE

\$49 - buy any 2 for \$79

Adelsheim Estate Pinot Noir 2014 375ml

*Willamette Valley, Oregon
forest floor, blueberry compote, black truffle*

Ridge 'Lytton Springs' Zinfandel 2013 375ml

*Dry Creek Valley of Sonoma, California
rich blueberry jam, vanilla, black cherry*

Hall Cabernet Sauvignon 2013 375ml

*Napa Valley, California
powerful fruit, restrained oak, bramble*

CABINET COLLECTION

\$32 / glass - \$129 / bottle

Occidental by Kistler Pinot Noir 2014

*Sonoma Coast, California
Lush black fruit, holiday spices, velvety*

Miner Family Cabernet Sauvignon 2013

*Napa Valley, California
currant, mocha, Fidel's finest*

AMERICAN WHISKEY

BOURBON	2oz
Angel's Envy	\$14
Basil Hayden's	\$14
Belle Meade Sherry Cask	\$17
Blanton's	\$14
Booker's	\$16
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	\$12
Whistlepig 100	\$16

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	\$14

AGAVE SPIRITS

TEQUILA

Blanco

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

Reposado

Milagro	\$12
Tromba	\$12
ArteNOM 1414	\$14
Fortaleza	\$15

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
Prairie (well)	\$8	 	\$10
St. George 'Citrus'	\$10	 	\$12
St. George 'Green Chile'	\$10	 	\$12
Tito's	\$9	 	\$11
GIN	2oz	 	3oz
Prairie Gin (well)	\$10	 	\$12
Beefeater	\$10	 	\$12
Bols Genever	\$12	 	\$14
Bombay	\$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	\$12
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