

# THE ARKLE BAR

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AND LOUNGE

# OPENING TIMES

Monday	11.30am	6.00pm
Tuesday	11.30am	Bedtime
Wednesday	11.30am	Bedtime
Thursday	11.30am	Bedtime
Friday	11.30am	Bedtime
Saturday	9.30am	Bedtime
Sunday	9.30am	6.00pm

## **Lunch**

Available from 12.00 noon to 2.30pm

## **Afternoon Tea**

Available from 12.00 noon to 5.00pm

# CHAMPAGNES

## BY THE GLASS

### **Champagne** **125ml**

NV Taittinger, Brut Reserve £11.95

NV Ayala, Brut Majeur £10.95

NV Taittinger, Brut Prestige Rosé £14.95

### **Half Bottle**

NV Taittinger, Brut Reserve £34.00

NV Taittinger, Nocturne, Sec £42.50

NV Taittinger, Brut Prestige Rosé £49.95

Taittinger is our house selected champagne. A light elegant champagne, dominated by chardonnay followed by meunier and pinot noir, it is aged for at least three years to give it a more mature, rounded character to balance the crisp appley flavour.

Taittinger Brut Prestige Rosé has delicious soft red fruit aromas with a touch of spice.

Ayala was once the house champagne to the court of Saxe-Coburg, its pinot dominant style finding favour with George V until the end of World War II. The low dosage of only 9g of sugar per litre gives the wine a delicacy and slight sharpness that makes it an ideal aperitif.

*We would be grateful if electronic devices were switched off whilst in Simon Radley at The Chester Grosvenor or The Arkle Bar and Lounge.*

*All prices are inclusive of Value Added Tax.  
**Service is at your discretion.***

# WINES

## BY THE GLASS

<b>White</b>	<b>175ml</b>	<b>250ml</b>
Jean Durup, Chablis, Burgundy, France	£9.00	£12.75
Tabalí, Reserve Chardonnay, Limari, Chile	£7.75	£10.50
Eventide Cellars, Sauvignon Blanc, Wellington, South Africa	£7.50	£10.75
Dignité Viognier, Vin de Pays d'Oc, France	£6.50	£ 9.25
<b>Rosé</b>	<b>175ml</b>	<b>250ml</b>
Buitenverwachting, Blanc de Noirs, South Africa	£5.50	£ 7.75
<b>Red</b>	<b>175ml</b>	<b>250ml</b>
Palacios Remondo, Rioja, Spain	£8.50	£12.00
Rockbare, Shiraz, Mclaren Vale, Australia	£7.50	£10.75
Emiliana, Carménère, Rapel Valley, Chile	£5.50	£ 7.75
Tabalí, Pinot Noir Reserve, Chile	£7.75	£10.75

# COCKTAILS

## MADE TO PLEASURE MARTINI

Please use the following guide to create your ideal Martini

### **The Spirit:**

Gin:	<i>Tanqueray, Bombay Sapphire</i>	£ 9.95
	<i>Hendricks, 209, Tanqueray 10</i>	£11.95
Vodka:	<i>Belvedere, Blackwoods Nordic</i>	£ 9.95
	<i>Wyborowa Single Estate, Stolichnaya Elit, Belvedere</i>	£11.95
	<i>Macerations, Ciroc, Chopin, Ketel 1</i>	

**The Vermouth:** *Noilly Prat, Martini Extra Dry*

**The Style:** *Wet - equal vermouth to spirit  
Dry - a dash of vermouth  
Churchill Dry - pure spirit  
Dirty - splash of olive brine  
Vesper - both gin and vodka*

**The Garnish:** *Green olive or lemon twist*

**The Method:** *Traditional - stirred  
Bond Style - shaken, not stirred*

## CHAMPAGNE COCKTAILS

£14.95

Champagne Cocktail

*Hennessy Fine de Cognac, Grand Marnier, Sugar,  
Angostura Bitters, Chilled Champagne*

Bellini

*White Peach Purée, Chilled Champagne*

Kir Royale

*Crème de Cassis, Chilled Champagne*

French 75

*Tanqueray Gin, Sugar, Lemon Juice, Chilled Champagne*

## OUR TEN CLASSIC COCKTAILS

### Brandy Alexander £9.95

*(Hennessy Fine de Cognac, Crème de Cacao, Cream)*

A classic cocktail that is a perfect way to finish a meal. Supposedly adapted from the classic Alexander Cocktail, substituting Brandy for Gin. It was highly popular at the beginning of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century. Creamy and warming, it's like an alcoholic milkshake!

### Cosmopolitan £9.95

*(Belvedere Vodka, Grand Marnier, Cranberry Juice, Lime Juice, Sugar)*

A relatively new cocktail whose origins are somewhat disputed. Cheryl Cook is generally credited with its invention in the early 1980's in South Beach, Miami. The drink spread fast throughout the USA and gained popularity in the 1990's after being mentioned frequently in the television series Sex and the City.

### Margarita £9.95

*(Jose Cuervo Gold Tequila, Triple Sec, Fresh Lime Juice)*

The Margarita is one of the most enduring cocktails of the last century. Supposedly the drink was created for Margarita Sames, an American socialite of the 1940's, who liked to serve it at her parties in Acapulco, although some references to the drink can be found a decade or so earlier. Whoever came up with the drink, it was certainly the first cocktail made from Tequila.

### Daiquiri £9.95

*(10 Cane Rum, Fresh Lime Juice, Gomme Syrup)*

The simple blend of rum, fresh lime juice and sugar was reputedly invented around 1905 by an American mining engineer named Jennings Cox, who was working at an iron mine in the town of Daiquiri on the southeast coast of Cuba. Legend has it that Cox came up with the idea when he ran out of gin while entertaining guests, but it's likely that this combo was already being drunk in Cuba, since the island produces limes, sugar cane and rum in abundance.

### Old Fashioned £9.95

*(Bulleit Bourbon, Sugar, Angostura Bitters)*

Some claim the first use of the specific name "Old Fashioned" was for a Bourbon whiskey cocktail in the 1880's, at the Pendennis Club, a gentlemen's club in Kentucky. The recipe is said to have been invented by a bartender there, and brought to the Waldorf Astoria in New York by a club member, Colonel Pepper.

## TEN CLASSIC COCKTAILS CONT...

### Whisky Sour £9.95

*(Johnnie Walker Black, Lemon Juice, Gomme Syrup)*

A really old school cocktail, that can be traced back further than the 1862 publication of Jerry Thomas's cocktail manual. The sour is a judicious blend of two parts spirit, one part lemon juice and just enough sugar to take the sting away.

### Bloody Mary £9.95

*(Belvedere Vodka, Tomato Juice, Worcester sauce, Tabasco)*

The Bloody Mary is believed to have been created by George Jessel around 1939. A gossip column in the New York Herald printed what is believed to be the first reference to this drink, along with the original recipe: "George Jessel's newest pick-me-up which is receiving attention from the town's paragraphs is called a Bloody Mary: half tomato juice, half vodka."

### Sidecar £9.95

*(Hennessy Fine de Cognac, Triple Sec, Gomme Syrup, Fresh Lemon Juice)*

The Sidecar was invented at a bar in Paris during World War I, and was named after a good captain who was driven to and from the little bistro in a motorcycle sidecar. Being a little under the weather the officer asked for an aperitif before dinner. Brandy was used to combat a cold in those days yet is traditionally an after-dinner drink so lemon juice and Cointreau were added and a classic cocktail was born.

### Tom Collins £9.95

*(Tanqueray Gin, Fresh Lemon Juice, Soda, Gomme Syrup)*

Tales of the naming of the Tom Collins vary as widely as the recipes, though there are two basic varieties. Some believe that it was named after the alcohol used in its mixing, Old Tom Gin. Others believe it was named after the clever bartender who invented it. The mysteries surrounding the spawning of the Tom Collins suggest one conclusion; a Tom Collins is for drinking, not studying.

### Arkle Mule £9.95

*(Belvedere Vodka, Bundaberg Ginger Beer, Lime Juice, Angostura Bitters)*

They say it's called a mule because the drink has a mighty kick to it. By using Ginger Beer instead of Ginger Ale, we've added more spice and bite to it. A long, refreshingly spicy drink, this will keep the winter chills at bay.

# NON ALCOHOLIC COCKTAILS

£4.95

## Cranberry Delicious

*Mint Leaves, Freshly Squeezed Lime Juice,  
Angostura Bitters, Cranberry Juice, Sugar Syrup*

## Pink Lemonade

*Freshly Squeezed Lemon Juice, Grenadine,  
Sugar Syrup, Soda Water*

## St Kitts

*Pineapple Juice, Grenadine,  
Freshly Squeezed Lime, Ginger Ale*

# PILSNERS, LAGERS AND BEERS

Hopfenkönig 330ml £4.25

(Schloss Eggenberg/Austria 5.1%)  
A pils style beer with a hoppy, bitter  
flavour but smooth character

Eastgate Ale 500ml £5.50

(Weetwood Ales/Cheshire 4.2%)  
A golden ale with a fruity foretaste,  
followed by a mellow finish of hops

Bohemia Regent Golden 500ml £5.25

(Bohemian Regent/Czech Republic 5.0%)  
A premium beer with medium bitterness  
and hoppy taste giving good drinkability

Westons Organic Cider 500ml £5.95

(Westons/England 6.5%)  
An easy drinking cider with a ripe apple  
aroma and balanced fruity flavour

## GINS

Bombay Sapphire	£6.50
Gordons	£6.50
Hendricks Gin	£7.25
Plymouth Navy Strength	£7.00
Tanqueray – House pouring	£6.50
Tanqueray N°10	£7.75
Sloe Gin	£6.50
209	£8.25

## VODKAS

Belvedere – House pouring	£6.75
Belvedere Citrus/Pomarańcza	£7.00
Belvedere Black Raspberry	£7.50
Blackwoods Nordic	£6.50
Chopin Vodka	£7.25
Ciroc	£8.50
Ketel One	£7.25
Stolichnaya Elit	£8.50
Wyborowa Single Estate	£7.75

## RUMS & TEQUILAS

Angostura 1824	£9.50
Bacardi	£6.25
10 Cane	£6.50
1952 Clément (Martinique)	£150.00
J M Bally 1997 Reserve	£14.50
Mount Gay Eclipse	£6.75
Pampero Especial	£7.00
Pyrat XO Reserve	£9.25
Sagatiba Cachaça	£6.50
Jose Cuervo Especial	£6.25
Don Julio Reposado	£13.50

## VERMOUTHS

Campari	£4.50
Dubonnet	£4.50
Fernet Branca	£4.50
Noilly Prat	£4.50
Martini Dry	£4.50
Martini Rosso	£4.50
Cinzano Bianco	£4.50
Punt E Mes	£4.50

## SHERRIES

Harveys Bristol Cream	£4.00
Harvey's Amontillado	£4.00
Croft Original	£4.00
Tio Pepe	£4.00
Lustau "Morillo" Pedro Ximenez	£18.00

## MISCELLANEOUS

Ricard	£6.00
Pernod	£6.00
Southern Comfort	£6.25
Pimm's	£6.00

## MIXERS AND SOFT DRINKS

Freshly squeezed juices 250ml	£3.50
Bottled fruit juices 250ml	£2.75
Whitehole Springs Mineral water 330ml	£2.50
Whitehole Springs Mineral water 750ml	£3.95
Mixers 125ml	£1.75
Bundaberg - Ginger Beer (not more than 0.5% Vol) 275ml	£3.75
Coca Cola 200ml	£2.00
Fevertree Mixers 250ml	£2.50

# WHISKIES

## MALTS



### Highlands

*Highland malts tend to the middle ground between the light grassy tones of a Lowland and the rich peaty character of an Islay malt. The further north the distillery, the more smoky aromas emerge.*

Brora 30 year old	£60.00
Clynelish 14 year old	£7.00
Dalwhinnie	£7.00
Glengoyne 17 year old	£10.50
Glenmorangie Original	£7.00
Glenmorangie 18 year old	£17.50
Glenmorangie 25 year old	£55.00
Glenmorangie Lasanta	£25.25
Glenmorangie Quinta Ruban	£27.25
Glenmorangie Nectar D'Or	£32.25
1981 Glenmorangie Sauternes Finish	£50.00
1987 Glenmorangie Margaux Finish	£65.00
Oban 14 year old	£9.75
Tullibardine	£6.00

### Islands

*Technically another subdivision of the Highlands, Islands encompasses some quite diverse styles but the one characteristic they share is a sea air tang to the finish. Most have a degree of peatiness, but are much lighter in style than Islay.*

Isle of Jura 10 year old	£6.75
Highland Park 12 year old	£7.00
Highland Park 23 year old	£18.00

## MALTS CONT...

### Speyside

*Speyside covers all those distilleries within sight of the river Spey. The subregion contains more than half the total number of distilleries in Scotland. Speyside whiskies are noted for their sweeter top-notes and in character with Highland malts, tend to have a slightly smokier finish.*

Balvenie 12 year old Signature	£9.50
1988 Glenrothes	£35.25
Glenlivet 12 year old	£7.50
Inverarity Ancestral 14 year old	£9.50
Macallan 10 year old	£7.00
Macallan 18 year old	£27.75
Macallan 25 year old	£45.25
Miltonduff 11 year old Chateauneuf Cask	£8.00
Mortlach 15 year old	£12.75

### Islay

*Islay is home to some of the most distinctive malts available. Rich, medicinal, almost iodine-like aromas evoke a love or loath response. The heavily peated style is much admired by aficionados.*

Ardbeg 10 year old	£6.75
Ardbeg Blasda	£11.50
Ardbeg Uigeadail	£12.00
Ardbeg Corryvreckan	£18.00
1974 Ardbeg Provenance	£60.00
Bruichladdich PC7	£15.50
Bowmore 12 year old	£9.75
Caol Ila 12 year old	£8.75
Port Ellen 25 year old	£35.00
1991 Lagavulin D. E. PX Cask	£10.00
Lagavulin 16 year old	£8.75

### Lowlands

*Light, grassy style due to the lack of peat in the maltings and the softer water. A good introduction to whisky.*

Glenkinchie 10 year old	£7.00
1990 Rosebank	£14.00
1982 St Magdalene	£22.25

## MALTS CONT...

### Campbeltown

*Once home to many distilleries, now only a few survive. Generally full bodied, with a rich peaty character and a touch of sea-salty tang.*

1994 Longrow	£15.00
Springbank 10 year old	£7.00

## BLENDS & DELUXE BLENDS

Bell's	£6.50
J & B Rare	£6.50
Teacher's	£6.25
Chivas Regal 12 year old	£6.25
JW Black Label - House pouring	£6.50
JW Gold Label	£15.00
JW Blue Label	£30.00

## IRISH WHISKEY

Jameson	£6.50
Paddy	£6.50
Connemara Peated Malt	£10.00
Bushmill's Malt 10 year old	£9.00
Bushmill's Original	£7.00
Midleton Very Rare	£30.00

## RYES AND BOURBONS

Jack Daniel's	£6.50
Jim Beam	£6.50
Makers Mark	£7.00
Bulleit	£7.00
Canadian Club	£6.50
Woodford Reserve Distiller's Select	£7.25
Noah's Kentucky Mill 15 year old	£9.75
Knob Creek 9 year old	£7.50

## ARMAGNACS

Cassagnoles 5 year old	£9.95
Cassagnoles 10 year old	£15.50
Cassagnoles 20 year old	£26.00
1967 Castarede Bas Armagnac	£27.50
1967 Montal Bas Armagnac	£28.00
1959 Delord Bas Armagnac	£42.00
1900 Château de Laubade	£200.00

## CALVADOS

Château du Brioul 15 year old	£10.50
Reserve de Château du Brioul XO	£20.00
1969 Dupont Pays d'Auge	£39.50

## COGNACS

Hennessy Fine de Cognac	£8.25
A.E. Dor V.S.O.P	£10.50
2000 Hermitage, Grande Champagne, Chez Richon	£10.00
Château de Beaulon 12 year old	£15.00
Hennessy X.O.	£19.95
Prunier 20 year old	£24.00
1971 Hermitage Chez Maillard Fins Bois	£26.00
Forgeron Hors d'Age Grand Champagne	£32.00
Ordonneau 25 year old Borderies	£35.50
Bertrand Petit Fine de Champagne X.O.	£37.00
1983 Château de Beaulon Reserve	£39.50
1976 Château de Beaulon Reserve	£43.00
1971 Château de Beaulon Reserve	£46.00
1988 Raymond Ragnaud	£42.00
Famille Esteve 30 year old petite Champagne Single Estate	£45.00
1975 Hermitage Grande Champagne	£45.00
1947 Hermitage Fin Bois	£48.00
Hennessy Paradis	£49.50
Menuet 50 Ans d'Age	£60.00
Exshaw Age d'Or	£75.50
Remy Martin Louis XIII	£175.00
Hennessy Richard	£250.00
Hennessy Ellipse	£425.00
Hennessy Timeless	£495.00

## GRAPPAS

Tignanello Antinori	£9.50
Nonino Moscato	£7.75
Pinot di Poli	£9.00

## EAU DE VIES

Vallet Frères Marc de Bourgogne	£8.00
Etter Vieille Pomme Royale	£9.00
De Venoge Marc de Champagne	£9.00
Vintage Marc de Bourgogne 1979	£7.00
Marc de Chateauneuf-du-Pape	£9.50

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

For the benefit of our guests, a guideline of the alcoholic strength of our drinks is listed below:

	Alcohol by Volume
Champagne	12.0% - 13.0%
White Wine	7.0% - 14.0%
Red Wine	11.0% - 14.0%
Beers	3.4% - 6.5 %
Vermouth	14.7% - 18.0%
Campari	25.0%
Pastis	40.0% - 45.0%
Sherry	15.5% - 17.5%
Gin	37.5% - 56.0%
Vodka	37.5% - 46.0%
Rum	37.5% - 44.0%
Whiskies	40.0% - 57.5%
Cognac	35.0% - 40.0%

In accordance with the Weights and Measures Act 1985 the measure for sale of Gin, Rum, Vodka and Whisky used on these premises is 50ml or multiples thereof.

175ml and 250ml are measures for wines served by the glass

## FRESHLY GROUND COFFEE

A pot of freshly ground coffee  
£4.75 per person

## CAPPUCCINO

The authentic version of a full-bodied combination of real espresso smoothed out with generous quantities of hot foaming milk and crowned with a liberal sprinkling of chocolate  
£4.25 per person

## LATTE

The authentic version of a full-bodied combination of real espresso smoothed out with generous quantities of hot milk  
£4.25 per person

## ESPRESSO

A small but potent coffee served black and characterised by flavour and aroma so intense they bite  
£3.75 per person

*All of our coffees are brewed from freshly ground Brazilian, Ethiopian and Guatemalan beans*

## TEA

Traditional English Breakfast, Assam, Earl Grey, Darjeeling, Lapsang Souchong, Orange Pekoe Tea and Jasmine  
£4.25 per person

## HOT CHOCOLATE

£4.50 per person

## HAVE YOU TRIED OUR DELECTABLE AFTERNOON TEAS?

The Grosvenor Afternoon Tea  
£21.50 per person

Indulgent Afternoon Tea  
£29.50 per person