

WE LOVE LOCAL!

The best beverages, sourced locally.

The Ducks is all about enjoying food and drink with your mates and loved ones. At the heart of Three Blue Ducks are the people; the roasters, brewers, winemakers and distillers. Our aim is to share what real food and beverage mean to us, by showcasing the best quality local suppliers. We source ethically made, independently produced beverages to complement your dining experience. What we have gathered here is some of our local favourites from the Northern Rivers and its surrounds.

AUTUMN PICKS

2023 M&J Becker 'Rosé', Merlot, Shiraz, Hunter Valley, NSW

This Rosé reflects M&J Becker's minimal-intervention philosophy, crafted from organic grapes and made without fining or filtration to preserve its vibrancy. Light, vibrant, and easy-drinking, it highlights the Hunter Valley's unique character through wild fermentation, embodying the Beckers' commitment to sustainable, additive-free winemaking.

Husk Distillers Ink Gin, Tumbulgum, NSW

Whilst you are in the Northern Rivers, try to visit these wonderful people. Creating Australia's first premium, farm-to-bottle agricole rum with a unique Australian expression. This delightful colour-play gin challenges people's perception of what gin can be!

Travla Brewing Co, Australia

Our good friend and Co-Owner Andy Allen and Actor Travis Fimmel, are owners of this incredible Australian brewery. We stock their mid-strength and full-strength lagers at the Ducks. You should give them a try!

COCKTAILS

Pink Hibiscus Spritz | 19

Grainshaker vodka, rhubarb, hibiscus, pomegranate, strawberry gum

Bizzarro Spritz | 19

Bizzarro Bitter Aperitivo, natural white wine, grapefruit & bubbles

Sorrel Sour | 23

House infused hibiscus rum, elderflower liqueur, citrus

Eastside | 21

Dry Gin, housemade farm herb syrup, citrus, fresh mint

Lavender Breeze | 22

Verbena infused vodka, housemade lavender syrup, citrus & soda

Grapefruit Margarita | 23

Tequila, Cointreau, lime & fresh grapefruit juice

Salted Caramel Espresso Martini | 23

Vodka, Kalua, Single O espresso, salted caramel syrup

Our experienced bartenders can also whip together any classic cocktail, so please don't hesitate to ask our friendly team for your usual go-to!

NON-ALC COCKTAILS

Ambrosia Fizz | 14

Grapefruit shrub, vanilla, orange blossom, lemon, soda

Lemon & Leaf | 15

Organic lemon, farm mint, almond syrup, apple & soda

Brookie's Grapefruit G&T | 16

Aussie rainforest gin botanicals & premium tonic

Brookie's Blood Orange Spritz | 16

Aussie rainforest botanical distillate and blood orange

No-spresso Martini | 17

Lyre's non-alcoholic coffee liqueur, coffee, simple syrup

TAP BEERS (425ML | 570ML)

Travla mid-strength lager 3.5%, AUS | 12, 14

Common People Brewing 'Ankle Biter' steam ale 3.5%, Bangalow, NSW | 13, 16

Travla 'Australia's lager' 4.2%, AUS | 13, 15

Seven Mile Pilsner 4.8%, Ballina, NSW | 15, 17

Seven Mile 'Cali' cream ale 4.5%, Ballina, NSW | 15, 17

Young Henrys 'Newtown' Australian pale ale 4.8%, NSW | 16, 18

Wandana 'Amped' XPA 5.5%, Mullumbimby, NSW | 15, 17

Earth Beer Brewing 'Fruit Tree' hazy IPA 6%, Cudgen, NSW | 16, 18

TINNIES

Young Henrys ginger beer 4%, Newtown, NSW | 15

Young Henrys cloudy cider 4.6%, Newtown, NSW | 14

NON-ALC BEER

Heaps Normal 'Quiet XPA', Canberra, ACT | 12

Hiatus Beers Pacific Ale, NSW | 12

ABOUT OUR WINE

Because we're really passionate about doing our part for the planet, we've made sure to highlight on our menu the wines made from organically farmed grapes. This way, you can easily choose wines that match your personal values and show support for those who are dedicated to the principles you find important.

Natural wine? The wines on our menu that have this denoted next to them are made by the most dogmatic of producers. Sticking rigidly to using no chemicals or heavy machinery, avoiding preservatives and modern manipulations of their wines. This is how wines were made thousands of years ago. Expect the unexpected here, the wines can be cloudy, spritzy, lively and often they do not have the typical flavour profiles associated with modern day examples. There is a raw beauty in this style of wine, that's why we've listed a few of them of course!

WINE ON TAP

We are always looking at ways to reduce our impact on the environment. Wine on tap and wine in lower impact vessels is something we've seen a resurgence of in the last few years. And we are here for it!

By using a tap system we save thousands of bottles per month! Not only the bottles themselves but also saving the energy and resources that go into their production, transport and disposal.

As for the wine, ask the experts, it's better for the wine. By transporting the wine in bulk containers, then transferring it into our stainless steel kegs, the wine sees no oxygen until it hits your glass or our carafes. We work directly with producers that put their hearts into what they do and that make wine specifically for our taps. No compromise on quality whatsoever! The proof is right here, so feel free to ask your server for a taste!

WINE

By the Glass

SPARKLING

	120ML	250ML
La Gioiosa DOC, Prosecco, Veneto, IT dry, refreshing white peach, nectarine, lemon curd, nougat	14	
Clover Hill, Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinot Meunier, TAS traditional, crisp stone & citrus, creamy complexity	19	

WHITE

	150ML	250ML
Ablington Vineyard, Semillon, Hunter Valley, NSW * +certified organic, light, zesty lime, fresh lemon, lightly hazy	16	26
Quealy, Pinot Grigio, Mildura, VIC * crisp, zippy acidity, pears, apples & citrus	14	24
James Edward Wines, Chenin Blanc, Gundagai, NSW * French oak barrel, classic & versatile, balanced acidity	15	25
Oakvale, Chardonnay, Hunter Valley, NSW * white stone fruits, subtle oak, citrus acidity	16	26
Tyrrell's, Chardonnay, Hunter Valley, NSW * medium-bodied, citrus & stone fruit, subtle oak spice	17	27

AMBER

Cape Jaffa, 'Skinsy', Chardonnay, Limestone Coast, SA * +biodynamic, 6 months on skins, fleshy tannins, structured profile	14	24
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ROSÉ

M&J Becker, Merlot, Shiraz, Hunter Valley, NSW * light bodied, gentle peach, approachable, savoury	16	26
Thousand Candles, Pinot Noir, Yarra Valley, VIC * lively, flavoursome, floral and notes of pomegranate & strawberries	15	25

RED

Quealy, Pinot Noir, Mildura, NSW * strawberry, plum, red berry, juicy, glugable pinot	17	27
MDI, Sangiovese, Mildura, NSW * light ruby hue, cherry & dried herbs, medium-bodied chilled	15	25
Thousand Candles, Merlot+, Yarra Valley, VIC * ripe plum, charred oak, spices, easy drinking, medium-bodied	16	26
Vinteloper, Touriga Nacional, Shiraz, SA * wild fermented, ripe berries, wood spice, medium	15	25

*tap product

DRINKS

Champagne, Sparkling &
White

CHAMPAGNE & SPARKLING

NV Mountadam, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Eden Valley, SA | 86
dry, refreshing white peach, nectarine, lemon curd, nougat

NV Motley Cru, Prosecco, King Valley, VIC | 66
lively, apple, crisp lemon, fresh jasmine, pear

MV Clover Hill 'Exceptionelle', Chardonnay, Pinot Noir,
Pinot Meunier, TAS | 131
traditional method, crisp stone & citrus fruits, creamy complexity

NV Taittinger 'Cuvee Brut Prestige', Chardonnay, Pinot Noir, Pinot Meunier,
Champagne, FR | 169
fine elegance, brioche, zesty citrus, orchard fruits, creamy finish

WHITE | LIGHT & AROMATIC

2024 Rieslingfreak 'No.3', Clare Valley, SA | 86
crisp natural acidity, zesty citrus, sweet stone fruit & tropical notes

2023 Ablington Vineyard 'Organic', Semillon, Hunter Valley, NSW | 77 *
+certified organic, zesty lime juice, taut acidity, distinctively Hunter Semillon

2023 Quealy 'MDI', Pinot Grigio, Mildura, NSW | 70 *
refreshing and vibrant, crisp, zippy acidity, pears, apples & citrus

2023 Shadowfax, Pinot Gris, Macedon Ranges, VIC | 103
grapefruit, preserved lemon, creamy finish, cleansing acidity

WHITE | FRUIT FORWARD & FOOD FRIENDLY

2024 Shaw + Smith, Sauvignon Blanc, Adelaide Hills, SA | 97
bright & crisp, lime, gooseberry, green apple, subtle minerality & casual sipping

2023 Crowded House, Sauvignon Blanc, Marlborough, NZ | 71
vibrant & refreshing, grapefruit, tropical fruit notes, fresh-cut grass

2023 James Edward Wines, Chenin Blanc, Gundagai, NSW | 73 *
fruit forward, smooth, subtle nuttiness, long & well balanced finish

2023 Louis Jadot 'Chablis', Chardonnay, Burgundy, FR | 159
pristine, bright, fresh, high acidity, citrus & minerals

WHITE | FULLER BODIED & TEXTURAL

2023 Oakvale, Chardonnay, Hunter Valley, NSW | 77 *
stone fruit, subtle oak, buttery & well balanced, nuances of citrus, clean

2023 Giant Steps, Chardonnay, Yarra Valley, VIC | 134
white pears, nectarine, a touch of lemon curd, minimal intervention

2024 Tyrrell's, Chardonnay, Hunter Valley, NSW | 79 *
white stone fruit, healthy dose of oak spice, flinty complexity, soft acid finish

2019 MOON Wines, Marsanne, Goulburn, VIC | 112
+biodynamic, rich, creamy, golden, toasted hazelnuts, ripe grapefruit

AMBER

2023 Delinquente Wine Co 'Macerato', Arinto, Malvasia, Riverland, SA | 88
plush fruit, tropical pineapple syrup, acid driven, laced with structure & tannin

2023 Cape Jaffa 'Skinsy', Chardonnay, Limestone Coast, SA | 70 *
+biodynamic, 6 months on skins, fleshy tannins, structured profile

ROSÉ

2021 Cobaw Ridge, 'Il Pinko', Syrah, Macedon Ranges, VIC | 99
+biodynamic, Australia's answer to Provence rosé, classy, elegant, lifted, perfumed

2023 Thousand Candles 'Rosé', Pinot Noir, Yarra Valley, VIC | 73 *
light bodied, gentle peach, approachable, savoury

2022 Rameau d'Or Provence, Grenache, Carignan, Cinsault, Syrah,
Côtes de Provence, FR | 110
fresh, white peach, rose petals & bright acidity, warm-weather sipping

2023 M&J Becker 'Rosé', Merlot, Shiraz, Hunter Valley, NSW | 77 *
lively, flavoursome, floral, notes of pomegranate & strawberries

RED | LIGHT & BRIGHT

2024 Quealy, Pinot Noir, Mildura, NSW | 79 *
strawberry, plum, red berry, juicy, glugable pinot

2022 Nick Spencer 'P.A.R', Grenache, Hilltops, NSW | 89
light bodied, juicy, strawberries, cherries, light tannins

2023 Rising, Pinot Noir, Yarra Valley, VIC | 98
dark cherries, touches of anise, fine tannins, velvety quality

2023 Nanny Goat, Pinot Noir, Central Otago, NZ | 135
wild red & black berry fruits, floral notes, toasted spices & an earthy background

RED | FRUIT FORWARD & FOOD FRIENDLY

2023 MDI, Sangiovese, Mildura, NSW | 73 *
light ruby hue, cherry & dried herbs, medium-bodied | chilled

2023 Amo Vino 'SANGIO', Sangiovese, SA | 90
red cherry, smashable, casual drinking, light & fresh | chilled

2021 Thousand Candles, Merlot, Shiraz, Yarra Valley, VIC | 77 *
wild fermented, ripe berries, wood spice, medium to full bodied

2022 Kalleske 'Old Vine', Grenache, Barossa Valley, SA | 129
+certified organic, super bright, captivating, defined tannins, outstanding length

DRINKS

Red, Sweet & Dessert

RED | BOLDER

2022 Vinteloper 'Black Label', Touriga Nacional, Shiraz, Multi-Regional, SA | 73 *
ripe plum, charred oak, baking spices, cloves

2021 Head Wines 'Heart & Home', Shiraz, Barossa Valley, SA | 69
full bodied, dry, blackberry, olive, dark slate aromas

2022 Parley 'Light Breaks Dawn', Cabernet Franc,
Langhorne Creek, SA | 99
violets, blackcurrant, oolong tea leaves, spicy sarsaparilla

2023 Henschke 'Henry's Seven', Shiraz, Barossa Valley, SA | 127
deep ruby, concentrated red fruits, smooth tannin, great length

2021 Leeuwin Estate 'Prelude', Cabernet Sauvignon,
Margaret River, WA | 119
dark fruits, subtle oak, spices, silky & well-integrated tannins

DESSERT WINE

2021 Sevenhill 'Inigo', Riesling, Gewürztraminer, Pedro Ximenez,
Clare Valley, SA | 14, 65
highly aromatic, gentle sweetness, soft & easy, pretty

DESSERT COCKTAILS

Salted Caramel Espresso Martini | 23
Vodka, Kahlúa, Single O coffee, salted caramel syrup

No-spresso Martini | 17
Lyre's non alcoholic coffee liqueur, coffee, simple syrup

Slowgroni | 23
Brookie's slow gin, Brookie's gin, Adelaide Hills Distillery bitter orange, Fee Brother's plum bitters

Sparkling glass 120ml, still wine glass 150ml,
carafe 700ml, bottle 750ml, *tap product

GIN

Brookie's 'Dry', Byron Bay, NSW | 14

Brookie's 'Slow', Byron Bay, NSW | 13

Brookie's 'Shirl The Pearl', Byron Bay, NSW | 13

Husk Distillers Ink, Tumbulgum, NSW | 15

Four Pillars 'Rare Dry', Healesville, VIC | 15

Archie Rose 'Native Botanicals', Rosebery, NSW | 15

VODKA

Wyborowa, Poland | 13

Grey Goose, France | 15

TEQUILA

Herradura reposado, Mexico | 16

Herradura añejo, Mexico | 16

Mezcal 'Verde Momento', Mexico | 17

Del Maguey vida mezcal, Mexico | 16

RUM

Havana Club 'Añejo 3 Años', Cuba | 13

Havana Club 'Añejo Especial', Cuba | 15

Brix 'White', Surry Hills, NSW | 15

WHISKEY

IRELAND

Jameson Irish Whiskey, Dublin | 14

SCOTLAND

Chivas Regal 'Extra', Speyside | 13

Pure Scot, Scotland | 14

Glenmorangie 'Quinta Ruban' 10yo, Highlands | 17

Talisker 10yo, Skye | 15

Lagavulin 16yo, Islay | 21

AUSTRALIA / JAPAN

Starward 'Two Fold' double grain, Port Melbourne, VIC | 16

Cape Byron 'The Original Single Malt Australian Whiskey', Byron Bay | 16

UNITED STATES

Old Forester, Kentucky | 13

Woodford Reserve, Kentucky | 14

Woodford Reserve 'Rye', Kentucky | 14

Woodford Reserve Double Barrel, Kentucky | 16

BRANDY

Hennessy VSOP Cognac, France | 29

Christian Drouin 3yo Calvados, France | 28

APÉRITIFS, DIGESTIFS

Aperol, Italy | 10

Campari, Italy | 13

Antica Formula, Italy | 13

Amaro Averna, Italy | 13

Amaro Montenegro, Italy | 13

Adelaide Hills bitter orange, Adelaide, SA | 13

LIQUEUR

Brookie's 'Mac' macadamia & wattleseed liqueur, Byron Bay, NSW | 13

Disaronno 'Amaretto', Italy | 13

Cointreau, France | 13

St Germain, France | 13

Kahlua, Mexico | 13

Manly Spirits, Limoncello, Manly, NSW | 13

COLD DRINKS

Sparkling water - unlimited | 6 pp

House-made lemonade | 8

House-made pink lemonade | 8

House-made ginger beer | 8

Capi cola | 8

Raspberry & lemon kombucha | 9

SOFT DRINKS by bobby ALL NATURAL | LOW SUGAR | LOW CAL | PREBIOTICS

Orange soda | 9

Lemon & lime soda | 9

Passionfruit soda | 9

Berry soda | 9

COLD PRESSED JUICES

Cold pressed orange juice | 10

Cloudy apple | 10

Ruby Tuesday - watermelon & pear | 10

Greens Juice - pear, kale, spinach, celery, lemon, cucumber, ginger & spirulina | 10

SOURCE WATER | UNLIMITED 3PP

SOURCE water is made from sunlight & the atmosphere by the 10 hydropanels on our roof. 100% of the cost from purchasing this water goes towards funding 10 hydropanels for Murrurundi primary school in the drought stricken Upper Hunter Valley. SOURCE water.