

Wine List



Cornucopia Hotel

Welcome to Cornucopia Hotel



Located on the outskirts of the picturesque Gozitan village of Xaghra, on a high ridge with views over the fertile Imrik valley over to Victoria and down to the sea at Marsalforn, the Cornucopia Hotel has been attractively converted from a traditional farmhouse into a 48 room hotel.

With the bar and lounge area dating back over 300 years, the décor throughout the hotel is traditionally Gozitan from the limestone walls to the arched restaurant with a relaxed and peaceful atmosphere throughout. The Cornucopia makes a special feature of its grounds. Two freshwater swimming pools, a whirlpool and a childrens' pool are set among gardens and terraces.

Across the road from the hotel lie the Cornucopia Bungalows. Split into two complexes each one with a pool, each bungalow has its own private terrace with beautiful views.

The Cornucopia Farmhouse is a two bedroom farmhouse and lies on the grounds of the Cornucopia Hotel, right next to the main pool, whilst the Masri villas are situated in a complex approximately 10 minutes drive from the hotel in Xaghra itself. The Masri Villa Complex consist of five villas and two apartments clustered around a landscaped swimming pool.

This family run complex is a haven for those who appreciate good service, fine food and a truly relaxing atmosphere.

Local White Wine

Code	GOZITAN AND MALTESE SELECTION	Half	Full
Delicata 1-2	Green Label Dry <i>Crisp, dry and fruity</i>	€5.50	€9.50
Delicata 3-4	Dolcino White <i>Fully flavoured medium dry, with a refreshing balance of fruit and acidity</i>	€5.00	€9.50
Bacchus 5	Rustico Bianco <i>A product from the inzolia grape, grown in the rich fertile fields of Gozo</i>		€14.00
Meridiana 6	Isis Chardonnay <i>Made exclusively from Chardonnay grapes grown in Malta. Isis is characterized by fresh, natural, tropical fruit flavors</i>		€27.00
Delicata 7-8	Chardonnay <i>Delicate, fruity and apple crisp dry wine, produced from the Sauvignon grape</i>	€7.50	€14.00
Delicata 9	Landini Vermentino <i>Fruity, light and attractively dry</i>		€14.00
Delicata 10	Pinot Bianco <i>Aromatic, Fruity and apple crisp dry wine, produced from the Sauvignon grape</i>		€14.00
Delicata 11	Medina Chardonnay <i>A skillful blend of the Malta grown Chardonnay and Girgentina indigenous noble grape</i>		€14.00
Delicata 12	Victoria Heights – Chardonnay <i>A soft fruity full flavoured dry white wine produced entirely from Chardonnay grapes grown in the valley vineyards of Gozo</i>		€14.00
Delicata 13	Gran Cavalier Sauvignon Blanc <i>Tropical fruit flavoured, dry wine produced entirely from Malta grown Sauvignon Blanc grapes from individual pocket sized vineyards</i>		€25.00
14/15	Carafe Wine <i>Our specially selection wine from Gozo</i>	€5.00	€7.00



*“Wine makes daily living easier, less hurried,
with fewer tension and more tolerance”* Benjamin Franklin

Local Red Wine

Code	GOZITAN AND MALTESE SELECTION	Half	Full
Delicata 16-17	Red Label Gellewza <i>Dry, soft and fruity; produced from the Maltese variety of the Gellewza grape</i>	€5.50	€9.50
Bacchus 18	Rustico Rosso <i>A product from the Inzolia grape, grown in the fertile fields of Gozo</i>		€14.00
Bacchus 19	Montepulciano <i>Deep garent, dry and with an intence bouquet</i>		€14.00
Meridiana 20	Melqart <i>Made from an art full blend of Cabarnet and Merlot</i>		€27.00
Delicata 21-22	Cabernet Sauvignon <i>A robust, elegant medium bodied wine produced from the noble Cabernet Sauvignon harvested in the Friuli region of Italy</i>	€7.50	€14.00
Delicata 23-24	Merlot <i>Velvety, medium bodied</i>	€7.50	€14.00
Delicata 25	Medina Cabernet <i>A product from locally grown Cabernet grapes</i>		€14.00
Delicata 26	Medina Syrah <i>An elegant blend from locally grown Syrah, Grenanache and Carignan grapes</i>		€14.00
Delicata 27	Victoria Heights – Merlot <i>A robust fruity red wine, produced entirely from Merlot grapes grown in the valley vineyards of Gozo</i>		€14.00
Bacchus 28	La Citadelle Syrah <i>A rich velvety wine; ideal with red meat and game</i>		€18.50
Delicata 29	Gran Cavalier Syrah <i>A rich, robust velvety red wine produced entirely from Malta grown grapes</i>		€25.00
30-31	Carafe Wine <i>Carefully selected wine from Gozo</i>	€5.00	€7.00

*“Water separates the people of the world,
wine unites them”* Charles Dickens



Local Rosè Wine

Code	GOZITAN AND MALTESE SELECTION	Half	Full
Delicata 32-33	Dolcino Rosè <i>A crisp and medium dry wine</i>	€5.00	€9.50
Delicata 34	Medina Rosè <i>A medium dry wine, produced from the locally grown Grenache grape</i>		€14.00
Delicata 35	Victoria Heights Rosè <i>It presents a medium bodied fruity Gozitan character. It has a deep rosè colour, is very well balanced, presenting an intense and very good after taste structure.</i>		€18.00

Local Dessert Wine

Delicata 36	Vinge D'Or Sweet Reserve <i>A golden and rich delicious sweet wine</i>		€7.00
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Local Sparkling Wines

Delicata 37	Gellewza Frizzante <i>A fruity refreshing medium dry and slightly sparkling rosè wine</i>		€14.00
Delicata 38	Chardonnay Frizzante <i>A delicious, slightly sparkling white dry wine</i>		€14.00

Quarter Bottles

Delicata	Green Label <i>(dry white wine)</i>		€2.00
Delicata	Red Label <i>(dry red wine)</i>		€2.00



"A Barrel of wine can work more miracles than a church full of saints" Italian proverb

Foreign White Wine

Code	ITALIAN SELECTION	Half	Full
39	Frascati, Gotto d'Ore <i>Straw yellow in colour with fresh vinosity and good fruity bouquet. On the palate it is a delicate, harmonious wine with pleasant aromatic after-taste. A good accompaniment to the entire meal, it excitingly highlights the taste of fish dishes.</i>		€16.00
40-41	Soave, Bolla <i>This wine is clear, young, fruity and pairs well with range of food. It has fresh aromas of apricot and pepper. In the mouth, the wine is soft, dry with clean flavors of apple, melon and pear. Trebbiano di Soave grapes add body and complexity. The finish is very clear with a long aftertaste.</i>	€9.50	€16.00
42	Orvieto Classico, Ruffino <i>Straw yellow. The bouquet is very fruity and flowery with fresh notes of meadow flowers, chrysanthemum, golden apple and fig. The taste is refreshing, but smooth, thanks to the balance between structure, acidity and fruit notes. The aftertaste is long and fragrant, reminiscent of fresh almond.</i>		€14.50
43	Regaleali Bianco, Tasca d'Almerita <i>Regaleali, the white wine with quality and character. Coronation of the Sicilian vines Inzolia, Cataratto and Grecanico in a wine of rare balance and versatility. Bright, straw yellow with green reflections with a delicate, fruity bouquet of apple, peach and pink grapefruit. Pleasantly rich, intense and crispy.</i>		€19.00
44	Pinot Grigio Lumina del Borgo, Ruffino <i>Medium-bodied, pleasantly saline and harmonious, Lumina is very fragrant, elegant and well structured. This wine is characterized by pleasant fruity notes and an aromatic long lasting which recalls hints of sage and crumb of bread.</i>		€18.00
45	Gavi Docg, Fontanafredda <i>Straw-yellow with greenish highlights, it has an ample nose, with an intense bouquet featuring flowers, vanilla, lemon, lily of the valley and bitter apples. Its nicely dry taste is full, well-balanced and elegant.</i>		€22.00

"A meat without wine is like a day without sun"
Anonymous



Foreign White Wine

Code	FRENCH SELECTION	Half	Full
46	Mocon Blanc Villages, Faiveley <i>Pale straw yellow in colour, with fresh floral aromas and flavors of apple with hints of honey with a fruity and rounded refreshing acidity.</i>		€22.00
47	Muscadet Sur Lie, Langlois Chateau <i>Pale in colour with silver hues. Lively aromas of peach, pear and grapefruit. On the palate this wine is dry, fresh, with a great finesse, ending with notes of citrus. Enjoy it with a good seafood dish.</i>		€23.00
48	Chablis Aoc, J. Moreau et Fils <i>Pale gold in colour with slight green tinges. Fruity nose with butter and hazelnut aromas. Supple and fat in the mouth with citrus and lemon. Ideal with oysters or any other seafood, but also goes well with freshwater fish and white meats in butter or cream sauce.</i>		€29.00
SPAINISH SELECTION			
49	Rueda Sauvignon Blanc Doc Marques de Riscal <i>Pale yellow in colour with hints of green. It has a highly intense, fruity nose, with ripe berries, citrus fruit, pineapple and grapefruit. On the palate it has an underlying mineral presence and a fresh aromatic sensation in the long, lingering finish.</i>		€18.00
GERMAN SELECTION			
50	Blue Nun <i>The Blue Nun is made from the Rivaner grapes which the Langguth winemakers have crafted to ensure a beautifully finished wine with perfect balance, softness and depth of fresh fruit flavours.</i>		€13.00
AUSTRALIAN SELECTION			
51	Semillon Chardonnay, Jacob's Creek <i>Refreshing flavours of fresh lemon and tropical fruit salad are supported by a crisp natural acidity, which provides a soft but lively finish to the wine.</i>		€20.00



"Wine makes a man more pleased with himself, I do not say it makes him more pleasing to others" Samwel Johnson

Foreign White Wine

Code	CHILEAN SELECTION	Half	Full
52	Sauvignon Blanc Valle Central, Caliterra <i>This wine is an intense, elegant wine. The Sauvignon Blanc delivers nerve and acidity to the wine while the Chardonnay gives backbone and complexity. On the palate aromas of tropical fruit with a subtle mineral undertone are present, leaving the mouth with a smooth finish.</i>		€21.50
53	35 South Sauvignon Blanc San Pedro <i>A lively fresh and fruity wine, excellent body and structure, exotic fruits with an elegant citrus finish.</i>		€19.50
54	35 South Chardonnay San Pedro <i>Medium bodied wine, full of tropical fruit flavours and hints of almonds.</i>		€19.50
	ARGENTINA SELECTION		
55	Torrontes Blanco, Bodega Norton <i>Fermented in stainless steel tanks, this youthful wine is well balanced and pleasant on the palate. A fantastically fragrant white wine, aromatic and with lively acidity. Dry, with grapey fruit, it makes the perfect aperitif.</i>		€19.00
	SOUTH AFRICA SELECTION		
56	Chenin Blanc, Kliene Zalze Wines <i>Strong lime, tropical, ripe pineapple aromas shows on the nose and are complemented by a long, clean, crisp aftertaste. Very well-balanced with a medium to full body.</i>		€17.50

Foreign Rose Wine

	FRANCE SELECTION		
57	Rosè d'Anjou <i>A medium dry rose wine with an intense nose of peach, cherry and strawberry. The taste is round, lively and enjoyable.</i>		€19.50
	PORTUGUESE SELECTION		
58 - 59	Mateaus Rosè <i>An easy to drink, light, fruity and slightly sparkling wine.</i>	€8.00	€13.00
	CALIFORNIAN SELECTION		
60	Zinfandell Rosè <i>A light, dry rosé with refreshing raspberry and strawberry flavours, leading to a sweet finish.</i>		€19.50

"Wine makes every meal an occasion, every table more elegant, every day more civilized" André Simon



GERMAN SELECTION

- 61 **Blue Nun** €13.00
This lively and fruity pink rose wine has the easy going style that is the hallmark of BLUE NUN. Careful selection of fully ripened red grapes from the sunny vineyards of Spain and the BLUE NUN Superior Vinification method have together produced this light and refreshing rose. It is dry in style, but soft and fruity on the palate, delicious with or without food.

Foreign Red Wine

- | Code | ITALY SELECTION | Half | Full |
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| 62 - 63 | Valpolicella Classico, Bolla
<i>Corvina, Corvinone, Rondinella and other local grapes are hand picked to produce this Valpolicella classico. This wine is garnet red in color and has bouquet of black pepper, cedar hints, fresh fruit (grapes, berries) and walnuts. Valpolicella is medium bodied, has long persistence with smoky character.</i> | €10.50 | €16.50 |
| 64 | Bardolino Classico, Guerrieri Rizzardi
<i>Ripe fruity aromas and fragrance of plum, black cherry and spices.</i> | | €18.00 |
| 65 | Regaleali Nero d' Avola, Tasca d'Almerita
<i>One of the most famous Nero d' Avola wines of Sicily. From the heart of the island, from gentle hills cultivated with wheat and grapes as they have been for thousands of years. Regaleali Nero d' Avola expresses all the style and class of the best-known European wineries. Nice and jammy, plenty of black fruit and liquorice cover the bouquet. The finish is fat, full and continuos.</i> | | €19.50 |
| 66 - 67 | Aziano Chianti Classico Doc, Ruffino
<i>Ruby red. Vibrant and inviting. The Sangiovese grape in Chianti Classico is characterized by notes of sweet violet, red berries and Marello cherries with slight spininess. The taste is medium bodied and well balanced with very pleasing fruit notes accompanied by sweet spices and pepper with hint of aromatic wood.</i> | €10.00 | €20.00 |
| 68 | Barolo Fontanafredda
<i>Many of the famous great Barolo crus come from Serralunga: names which are well-known by wine-lovers and connoisseurs alike; Barolos packed with alcohol, with great structures, full-bodied and robust enough to withstand the passing of time.</i> | | €38.50 |



“Drink wine, and you will sleep well. Sleep, and you will not sin. Avoid sin, and you will be saved. So drink wine and be saved” Medieval German saying

Foreign Red Wine

Code	FRANCE SELECTION	Half	Full
69 - 70	Beaujolais Villages, Georges Duboeuf <i>Beaujolais-Villages is a simple, fruity red wine from the Beaujolais region of France, produced from the Gamay grape. Nicely drinkable, easy to pair with pretty much anything. Its aroma is of ripe berries with a hint of violets. Very pleasant on the palate.</i>	€12.00	€17.50
71	Chinon Ac Longlois-Chateau <i>Chinon Rouge is 100% Cabernet Franc from the Saumur region. This wine has delicate aromas and a balanced red fruit flavour. This is the perfect "bistro" wine and is best when served with grilled meats.</i>		€17.50
72	Cote du Rhone, Paul Jaboulet Aine <i>This Cote du Rhone is marked by powerful, ripe tannins; rich colours and aromas; noticeable minerality; excellent balanced by prominent acidity, and great overall depth and complexity on the palate.</i>		€19.50
73-74	Chateauneuf Du Pape Aoc Mont Redon <i>Its colour is usually dark purple in the first years, slowly evolving towards a deep, intense ruby. Over time the opulent fruit aromas are enhanced with spicy and smoky notes which, in turn, evolve into a rounded and delicate bouquet. Similarly, on the palate, the powerful young fruit acquire rich, toasty flavours which develop into a wine of considerable finesse and elegance. At every stage of this maturation, the tannin structure remains present and complex, which ensures that our wines have enormous ageing potential.</i>	€21.00	€38.00
	SPANISH SELECTION		
75	Tempranillo Marques de Riscal <i>A black-cherry coloured wine with slight violet hues. High aromatic intensity, with aromas of ripe dark fruit, fine smoked notes with toasted aromas coming through. On the palate it is meaty and crisp, with a presence of well-tannins.</i>		€19.50
	CALIFORNIAN SELECTION		
76	Zinfandel Woodbridge, Robert Mondavi <i>This Californian Zinfandel has enticing peppery spice notes - a unique Zin personality trait - that infuse the rich dark fruit character. Full, velvety flavours culminate in an expansive fruity finish.</i>		€19.50

"Good wine is a good familiar creature if it be well used." William Shakespeare (1564-1616) – Othello, TIII (315)



Foreign Red Wine

Code		Half	Full
	CHILEAN SELECTION		
77	Cabernet Sauvignon/Merlot, Caliterra <i>This blend of Cabernet Sauvignon-Merlot has a deep violet colour. The wine displays ripe aromas of red cherry, while the Cabernet contributes aromatic complecity, with deep blackberry and characters. The oak ageing is evident in integrated notes of soft vanilla and toast. The palate is full and soft.</i>		€17.00
78	35 South Cabernet Sauvignon San Pedro <i>Fresh black berries, with overtones of mint and vinilla. Full-bodied and bursting with sweet, ripe and berry fruits.</i>		€19.50
79	35 South Syrah San Pedro <i>A well-structured, medium bodied wine with smooth tannins. Delicate favours of cherries, sweet spices and chocolate on the finish.</i>		€19.50
	ARGENTINA SELECTION		
80	Malbec barrel Select, Bodega Norton <i>A wine with intense red colour and purple tones. The nose shows an enticing array of ripe black fruits, as well as smoky, tabacco notes and vanilla. The wine is medium-bodied on the palate and has a balanced lingering finish.</i>		€18.00
	SOUTH AFRICA SELECTION		
81	Shiraz/Viognier Foot of Africa, Kleine Zalze Wines <i>A combination of deep red colour with prominnet spicy, blackcurrant and red fruit flavours on the nose and a hint of honeysuckle. Touches of mulberry and rosemary on the palate are well integrated with French oak tannins to give the wine a long, lingering aftertaste.</i>		€17.50



“The soft extractive note of an aged cork being with drawn has the true sound of a man opening his heart”
William Samuel Benwel

Dessert Wine

Code		Half	Full
82	Moscato D'Asti Le Fronde Fontana Fredda <i>A really excellent Moscato, and good value. Nose was full of perfumey flowery notes - chamomile, white musk, poutpourri and lavender, Sweet palate, but with a good balance, and attractive flavours of sweet muscat grapes and sultanas, moving into sappy white fruit notes in the finish.</i>		€23.00

Sparkling Wine and Champagne

Code		Half	Full
83	Prosecco Cinzano <i>Light, soft and refreshing with crisp citrus and peach flavours. Clean, fruity style with fine bubbles.</i>		€20.00
84	ASTI Cinzano <i>The most renowned of the Cizano sparkling wines. Asti Cinzano is produced from the white Muscat grape in the DOCG area of Asti, at the heart of the Piedmont region. Its sweet and fruity aroma makes it the perfect choice for accompanying desserts or simply for adding a touch of sparkle to any occasion - big or small.</i>		€20.00
85	Piper Heidsieck Brut NV 75cl <i>Clean, pale straw, slow rising, small bubbles, clean, fairly deep, floral citrus, green olive, yeast, bread, toast and roasted nut aromas. Slightly expansive, frothy, creamy, very well-balanced, medium-long finish. An appealingly elegant style, walks the middle line between delicacy and yeasty fullness.</i>		€60.00
86 - 87	Moet et Chandon - Brut Imperial <i>A well-balanced aroma between wine and blossom. The delicate, well-balanced palate leaves a lingering sence of harmony and mellowness.</i>	€32.00	€60.00
88 - 89	Veuve Clicquot Ponsardin Brut Yellow Label <i>First, Brut Yellow Label looks beautiful: golden-yellow, with a foaming neckleace of tiny bubbles. Next it is so pleasing to the nose: initially reminiscent of white fruits and raisins. then of vanilla and later of brioche. The first sip delivers all the freshness and forefulness so typical of Yellow Label with a symphony of fruit tastes following on.</i>	€38.00	€65.00

"I drink champagne when I'm happy and when I'm sad, sometimes I drink it when I'm alone. When I have company, I consider it obligatory. I trifle with it if I'm not hungry and drink it when I am. Other wise I never touch it unless I', thirsty" Madame Bollinger



*Cornucopia Hotel
& Bungalows*

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