

A JOURNEY
OF DISCOVERY...





THE DISCOVERY BAR

You never truly know a place until you've savoured its local produce, explored the hidden tastes and tipples created in the community and sampled the culture that gives the local area its unique flavour.

The Discovery Bar at The White Horses takes you on a stroll through the fruits and flavours of our favourite drink's producers. It's a creative collection of the highest quality, infused with local spirit. And an opportunity to discover the area's new, exciting, and most iconic brands.

So why not indulge yourself? Treat your loved ones. Enjoy our selection of fine wines and fizz from the Bolney Estate. Sip on small batch spirits distilled locally by producers like Harley House, Madame Jennifer, and Brighton Gin. Quaff craft ales and beers from across the county. Or celebrate with a freshly prepared cocktail, crafted with care using a blend of the area's finest spirits and botanicals.

Each drink creates a connection to the heart of our community – artisans, tastemakers, brewers, vintners, and distillers – the people who make this part of the country so special.



THIS SEASON'S LOCAL PARTNERSHIP

BOLNEY WINE ESTATE

At The White Horses we are always striving to help guests discover something new. Each season we showcase a different local partner, celebrating the producers on our doorstep. Be sure to come back next season to see who we highlight next.

For our first local partnership, we are delighted to feature wines from Bolney Wine Estate, known for producing some of the highest quality English wines. Nestled in the heart of rural Sussex, the beautiful Bolney Estate offers a true taste of English viticulture.

Established in 1972, Bolney Wine Estate was one of the first English wine estates and has played a significant role in shaping the burgeoning English wine industry. The founders, guided by nature, discovered the ideal varieties of grapes to cultivate in the mild climate and sandstone soil ecosystem of Sussex.

Today, Bolney Wine Estate's team of wine experts continues to embody the founding ethos, producing award-winning still and sparkling wines. From the renowned Pinot Noir and Pinot Gris to the classic sparkling Bolney Bubbly and Blanc de Blancs, Bolney is synonymous with quality wine crafted in a contemporary style.

THE
BOLNEY
Estate

COCKTAILS

Bolney Vermouth with crushed ice – 7

Classic Bolney Sloe Gin & Tonic, Fever-Tree tonic, topped with a lemon wedge – 10

Bolney Sloe Gin & Lemonade, Folkington's Sparkling Pink Lemonade topped with a lemon wedge – 10

Bolney Sloe Gin Fizz, lemon juice, sugar and Bolney Bubbly Sparkling Wine – 12

Bolney Sloe Hedgerow, Bolney Estate Gin, Bolney Estate Sloe Gin, Bolney Vermouth, a dash of orange bitters and garnished with a fresh blackberry – 12

SPIRITS

Bolney Estate Gin – 6

Bolney Estate Sloe Gin – 6

WHITE WINE

175ml 250ml Bottle

Lychgate Bacchus, 2021

9.9 12.3 34

Refreshing – Elderflower – Grapefruit

Try if you like New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc

Pinot Gris, 2021

12.1 15.5 43

Pear – Apricot – Honey

Try if you like Pinot Grigio

Chardonnay, 2021

12.6 16.2 45

Lemon peel – Tropical fruits – Vanilla

Try if you like Chablis

RED WINE	175ml	250ml	Bottle
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Lychgate Red, 2020 Stone fruits – Spices – Dark chocolate <i>Try if you like Merlot</i>	9.9	12.3	34
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Pinot Noir, 2021 Blackcurrant – Dark cherry – Black pepper <i>Try if you like Burgundy Reds</i>	12.6	16.2	45
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ROSÉ WINE	175ml	250ml	Bottle
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Lychgate Rosé, 2020 Raspberry – Pomegranate – Sherbert <i>Try if you like Provence Rosé</i>	9.9	12.3	34
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SPARKLING WINE	125ml	Bottle
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Bolney Bubbly NV Fresh – Green apple – Lemon sherbet <i>Try if you like Prosecco Valdobbiadene</i>	12.5	50
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Bolney Bubbly Rosé NV Lively – Red berries – Almond <i>Try if you like Prosecco Rosé</i>	13.8	55
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Classic Cuvée NV Fresh – Stone fruits – Brioche <i>Try if you like Champagne</i>		60
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Cuvée Rosé, 2018 Wild strawberries – Cream – Brioche <i>Try if you like Blanc de Noir Champagne</i>		65
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Blanc de Blanc English Sparkling, 2018 Green apple – White peach – Honeysuckle <i>Try if you like Blanc de Blanc Champagne</i>		65
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COCKTAILS AT THE DISCOVERY BAR

With a commitment to the finest ingredients and hand crafted with precision, care and more than a little flair. From a heady fusion that captures the aura of the roaring twenties, or a refreshing spritz suspending the essence of summer within a glass – each cocktail takes you on a journey and tells its unique story.

SIGNATURE COCKTAILS – 12

The Sussex 75

Brighton Gin, lime juice & Sussex sparkling wine, garnished with a lemon peel

Mermaid's Kiss

Mermaid Gin, St. Germain Elderflower Liqueur & lemon juice, served on the rocks

Goldstone Mojito

Goldstone Rum, lime juice, sugar, mint & soda water, capped with a wedge of lime

Prohibition Punch

Harley House Prohibition Rum & lime juice topped with fiery Fever-Tree Ginger Ale

Ditchling Negroni

Ditchling East Sussex Gin, Campari, Martini Rosso, stirred gently and topped with an orange wedge

LOCAL FAVOURITES

DISCOVER OUR LOCAL PRODUCERS

We are blessed with an incredibly diverse and creative community of drinks pioneers right on our doorstep and across the surrounding area. Learn more about some of our favourites here...

BRIGHTON BIER

As the city's original craft brewery, Brighton Bier is an international award-winning craft brewery that is rooted in the local community, with events, bierhaus venues and an enviable roster of local ales that make them a firm favourite in Brighton and the surrounding area.



Recommendation

Brighton Bier Pilsner — 5

BRIGHTON GIN

Brighton Gin was founded in 2012 by Kathy Caton MBE and epitomises the Spirit of Brighton: unusual, fun-loving, open-minded, fiercely independent, and ethically conscious. Based at the city's first (legal!) distillery, it produces premium, multi-award-winning Brighton Gin in small batches entirely by hand, a stone's throw away from the sea.



Recommendation

The Sussex 75 Brighton Gin, lime juice & Sussex sparkling wine, garnished with a lemon peel — 12

BOLNEY WINE ESTATE

Established in 1972 by English wine pioneers Janet and Rodney Pratt, Bolney Wine Estate in West Sussex was one of the first, and remains one of the most beautiful, English wine estates. The team produce award-winning still and sparkling wines from their famous Pinot Noir and Pinot Gris to classic sparkling Bolney Bubbly and Blanc de Blancs.



Recommendation

Lychgate Rosé 2020 – 34

BURNING SKY BREWERY

A true farmhouse brewery, nestled in the shadow of the South Downs, in Firle, Burning Sky produces hop-forward pale ales and Belgian-style “saisons”. They were the first craft brewery in the UK to install oak “foudres” for ageing beers – barrels which gives their delightful creations the unique profile that make these artisan brewers so loved.



Recommendation

Burning Sky Arise Pale Ale – 6

DITCHLING SPIRITS

Nestled in the foothills of the South Downs, Ditchling is an idyllic village, bustling with creative energy and community spirit. Inspired by the history of the local Arts and Crafts movement and drawing on a tradition of foraging the South Downs, Ditchling Spirits use local ingredients and artisan suppliers to create drinks imbued with a unique sense of place.



Recommendation

Ditchling Negroni Ditchling East Sussex Gin, Campari, Martini Rosso, stirred gently and topped with an orange wedge – 12

GOLDSTONE RUM

Goldstone Rum is a multi-award-winning Sussex distillery making exceptional British rums from scratch. Locally produced, artisan products using the highest quality ingredients, Goldstone combines four unprocessed sugars and all natural fruits and spices to add a distinctive, refined flavour to their rums – fermented, distilled and bottled right here in Sussex.

Recommendation

Goldstone Mojito Goldstone Rum, lime juice, sugar, mint & soda water, capped with a wedge of lime – 12

The logo for Goldstone Rum features the brand name in a bold, sans-serif font. The letter 'O' in 'STONE' is replaced by a stylized sun icon with rays. Below the brand name, the word 'RUM' is written in a smaller, all-caps font.

HARLEY HOUSE

Harley House is a family run distillery located in Seaford, East Sussex. It prides itself on creating unique hand-produced small batch produce that showcases the local area and leaves a lasting memory on the tastebuds. Using water direct from their aquifer which has been filtered through the South Downs in every batch, creates the purest beginning of any spirit.

Recommendation

Prohibition Punch Harley House Prohibition Rum & lime juice topped with fiery Fever-Tree Ginger Ale – 12

The logo for Harley House Distillery features a stylized 'H' inside a circular emblem with a grid pattern. Below the emblem, the words 'HARLEY HOUSE' are written in a bold, serif font, with 'Distillery' in a smaller, sans-serif font underneath.

HARVEY'S BREWERY

Harvey's Brewery is the oldest independent brewery in Sussex and has been in the guardianship of seven generations of John Harvey's descendants since 1790. Using a blend of four local hops, water filtered through the Sussex Downs for 30 years and Harvey's unique 60-year-old yeast strain, Harvey's Best Bitter is the embodiment of Sussex.

Recommendation

Harvey's Sussex Best Bitter (Draught) (4.0%)

The logo for Harvey's Brewery features a detailed illustration of a large, multi-story building with a prominent chimney, representing the brewery's historic premises. Below the illustration, the words 'HARVEY'S' are written in a large, bold, serif font, with 'BREWERY' in a smaller, all-caps, sans-serif font underneath.

LONG MAN BREWERY

Creating 'Naturally Excellent Beers' in a converted flint barn in the heart of the South Downs, Long Man put sustainability at the core of everything. Barley regeneratively grown on site, brewing with solar power and water drawn from their own borehole, and recycling as much waste as possible puts flavour in step with nature, from grain to glass.



LONG MAN BREWERY
NATURALLY EXCELLENT BEER

Recommendation

Long Blonde Ale (Draught) (3.8%)

MADAME JENNIFER DISTILLERY

An urban small-batch distillery, making premium gin, vodka, and fine liqueurs. Located in Poet's Corner in the heart of Hove, Madame Jennifer was created by husband-and-wife Inger and Ian, who trained as a chemist and biologist, before turning their training to more palatable pursuits.



Recommendation

Limoncello — 6

SPIRIT OF THE DOWNS

Multi-award-winning, sustainable producer of small batch Brandies, Grape Spirit and Vodka, Spirit of the Downs use grapes from the finest English sparkling wine producers around the South Downs. Each spirit captures the season it was created, the unique territory of the local vineyard and the grape varietal chosen.



Recommendation

Brandy, Chardonnay Vintage 2021,
English oaked grapes from Sugrue
South Downs — 7

UNBARRED BREWERY

Founded from a shed in Hove and now based in central Brighton, UnBarred Brewery was born from a love of brewing uncompromising and exciting beers inspired by the uniquely bohemian and creative nature of their local community. From beer conception to design and brewing UnBarred collaborates with local artists, independent businesses, and creatives to showcase Brighton's vibrant culture at its best.

Recommendation

Joosy Hazy Pale Ale (5.1%)

UnBarred

DRINKS AT THE DISCOVERY BAR

BRIGHTON BIER

Pilsner – 5

BRIGHTON GIN

Pavilion Strength Gin – 6

Seaside Strength Gin – 6

BURNING SKY BREWERY

Arise Pale Ale – 6

Quench NZ Pale Ale – 6

BOLNEY WINE ESTATE

Bolney Rosso Vermouth – 7

Bolney Estate Gin – 6

Bolney Estate Sloe Gin – 6

WHITE WINE

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ROSÉ WINE

175ml 250ml Bottle

Lychgate Rosé, 2020

9.9 12.3 34

Raspberry – Pomegranate – Sherbert

Try if you like Provence Rosé

SPARKLING WINE

125ml Bottle

Blanc de Blanc Sparkling wine 2018

16.3 65

Green apple – White peach – honeysuckle

Try if you like Blanc de Blanc Champagne

DITCHLING SPIRITS

Fling Toffee Vodka – 5

Gin – 6

GOLDSTONE RUM

Amber Rum – 7

Ginger & Lime Rum – 7

Spiced Rum – 7

HARLEY HOUSE

Pure Sussex Gin – 5.5

Prohibition Rum, Spiced – 6

HARVEY'S BREWERY

Sussex Best Bitter (Draught) (4.0%)

LONG MAN BREWERY

Blonde Ale (Draught) (3.8%)

MADAME JENNIFER DISTILLERY

Bubble-Plate Vodka – 5

Limoncello – 6

Amaro – 6

Gin of Paradise – 6

The Biologist, Sussex Dry Gin – 6

The Chemist, Sussex Dry Gin – 6

SPIRIT OF THE DOWNS

Grape Spirit, Pinot Noir & Pinot Meunier Vintage 2019,
Grapes from Tickerage —6

Grape Spirit, Pinot Noir Vintage 2020, Grapes from
Plumpton Estate —6

Brandy, Chardonnay Vintage 2021, French oaked grapes
from Breaky Bottom —7

Brandy, Chardonnay Vintage 2021, English oaked grapes
from Sugrue South Downs —7

Brandy, Chardonnay Vintage 2021, French oaked grapes
from Sugrue South Downs—7

UNBARRED BREWERY

Casual Pale Ale—5

Joosy Hazy Pale Ale (Draught) (5.1%)