PLUMPTON ESTATE

Winter 2008
Wine Portfolio

This is the current list of wines produced by Plumpton Estate. We are wholly unique in the UK wine industry as our wines are crafted by students on BSc and Foundation Degree Wine Production courses under the guidance of our Vineyard Manager and Winemaker.

We also represent a small of number of wines produced by ex-students, The Alumni Collection. One red is featured in this list.

For more information about courses, including the full range of WSET and intensive courses please email the address below

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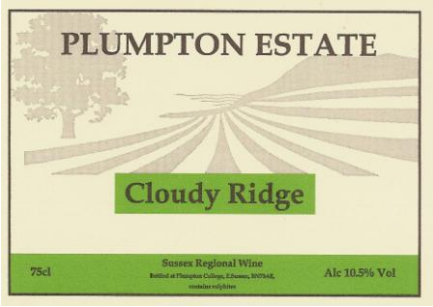
Prices and availability correct as at 30/01/09

White Wines

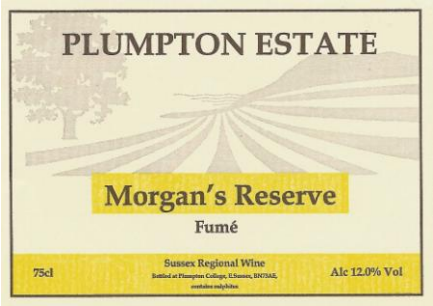
Cloudy Ridge Dry White SOLD OUT £7.00



Dry with a crisp, refreshing, acidity that perfectly balances the delicate gooseberry, green apple and mineral flavours.
An excellent match for fish and light salads, or can be enjoyed on its own.

HIGHLY COMMENDED AT THE 2008 SEVA AWARDS

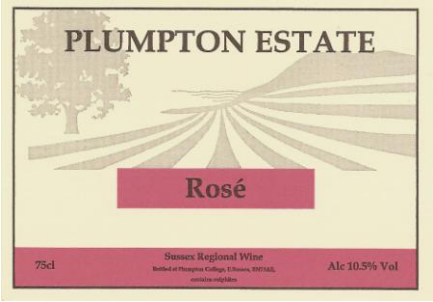
Morgan's Reserve Fumé SOLD OUT £10.00



Clean, fresh and youthful, with lots of peach and melon notes coming to the fore, plus a creamy vanilla undertone with a hint of honey.
A rich and well-rounded wine, drinking very well now. A great match for white meats.

Rosé Wines

Rosé Limited Availability £7.00

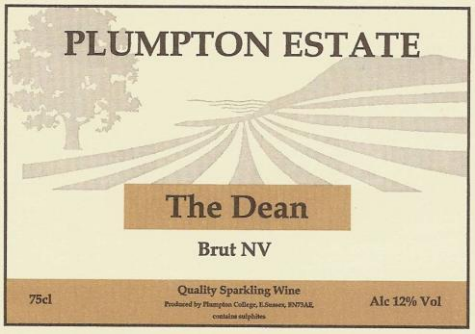


This award-winning wine is full of rich and soft aromas of strawberries, plums and red cherries. Youthful, fresh and perfectly poised.
Light and fruity enough to enjoy on its own, this wine is perfect for sharing with friends.

BRONZE MEDAL WINNER AT THE 2008 SEVA AWARDS

Sparkling Wines

The Dean Brut STOCK DUE MARCH £20.00

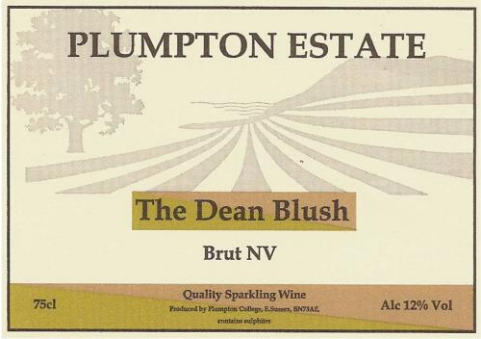


Dry, with refreshing acidity and delicate fine yet persistent mousse. A superb marriage between freshness and finesse, this wine displays complex crisp apple and citrus fruit notes perfectly balanced with creamy brioche roundness and a long refreshing finish.

A fresh, inviting nose and a complex yet fine mousse, this can be cellared for up to 4 years. English sparkling wine at its finest.

JOINT SECOND - DECANTER ENGLISH SPARKLING TASTING
GOLD MEDAL WINNER AT THE 2008 SEVA AWARDS
SILVER MEDAL WINNER AT THE 2008 UKVA AWARDS

The Dean Blush Brut £20.00



Dry and youthful with a fine, creamy, persistent mousse. This wine has an appealing salmon pink blush hue. This sparkler displays delicate cherry and green apple fruit with floral hints well balanced with a soft yeasty body.

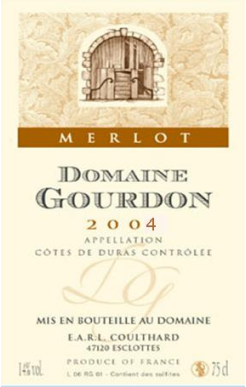
Drinking very well now, but has the potential to develop over the next three years. You don't need to be celebrating an anniversary to open one of these.

SILVER MEDAL WINNER AT THE 2008 SEVA AWARDS
BRONZE MEDAL WINNER AT THE 2008 UKVA AWARDS

As with all sparkling wines please take care when opening

Red Wines

Domaine Gourdon, Cotes de Duras (Jon Coulthard) £8.00

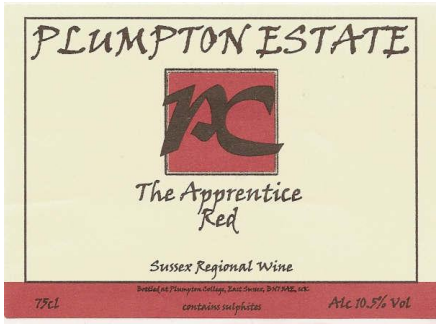


A soft and fruity red wine produced by a member of the Plumpton Alumni in the Cotes de Duras. This Bordeaux-style wine is produced predominantly from Merlot and Cabernet Sauvignon and displays soft plum and blackcurrant fruit characters and gentle tannins.

A perfect match with lamb and beef dishes this rustic red is best consumer over the next 12 months.

There are a couple of other Alumni wines available in extremely limited quantities, please ask for details

The Apprentice Red SOLD OUT £8.00

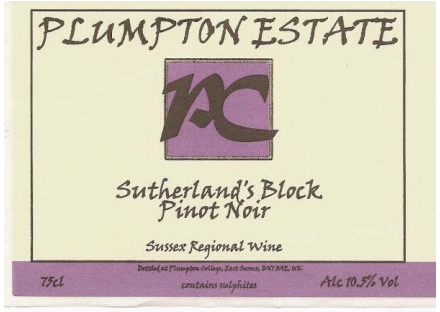


Soft plum, redcurrant and damson fruit characters, harmoniously balanced with gentle cinnamon spice and elegant tannins.

This fruit and spice-driven red is perfect for the cold winter months, and an especially good match for pork and roast lamb.

BRONZE MEDAL WINNER AT THE 2008 SEVA AWARDS

Sutherland's Block Pinot Noir SOLD OUT £10.00



Vibrant red cherry, redcurrant and plum fruit characters, with soft, yet generous, clove, earth, and vanilla undertones. The earthy notes follow through to a rich and balanced finish.

A perfect match for roast turkey with all the trimmings, but will keep for up to 15 months.

BEST ENGLISH RED AT THE 2007 ENGLISH WINE FESTIVAL
BRONZE MEDAL WINNER AT THE 2008 SEVA AWARDS