## Aperitifs

### The Gin and Tonic 9.5

A sharp dose of the appellation controlled Plymouth Gin from the Blackfriar's Distillery of Plymouth's old Barbican Harbour adds a cardamon and lemon zest twang to a bottle of Schweppes Tonic Water. With a good slice of lime, this is what we think to be the perfect summer drink.

### The Syracuse Americano

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This cocktail was first served in creator Gaspare Campari's bar, Caffè Campari, in the 1860s. It was originally known as the "Milano-Torino" because of its ingredients: Campari, the bitter liqueur, is from Milan and Cinzano, the vermouth, is from Turin (Torino). Together with a small amount of soda water, this cocktail is an aperitif classic and a great choice in order to combat Melbourne's summer heat.

Sangria 16

Victoria's own East Ninth Brewing Co. fires up in 2012 with a cracking 500ml bottle of 'Fog City' Sangria just for the summer! We take the concept even further at Syracuse by adding chunks of fresh apple and orange to this tasty beverage. Enjoy!

Kir Royale 15

First called blanc-cassis, France's classic pre-meal aperitif was first made by mixing the lesser white wines of Burgundy, the likes of Chablis or Bourgogne Aligote, with Creme de Cassis from the area, however, the drink is now named after Félix Kir (1876–1968), mayor of Dijon in Burgundy, who as a pioneer of the twinning movement in the aftermath of the Second World War popularized the drink by offering it at receptions to visiting delegations. The Royale Kir is simply made with sparkling wine instead of still and it is this that we offer to revitalise your tastebuds.

Aperol	Italy	9
Campari	Italy	9.5
Cynar	Italy	9.5
Dubonnet	France	10
Lillet Blanc	France	9.5
Pernod	France	9
Ricard Apertif Anise	France	9
Pimm's	United Kingdom	10
Carpano Punt e Mes	Italy	10
Martini Rosso	Italy	8.5
Martini Bianco	Italy	8.5
Dolin Vermouth Blanc	France	9
Noilly Pratt Original Dry Vermouth	France	8.5
Rosso Antico	Italy	9

#### Gin

Plymouth	United Kingdom	9.5
Plymouth 'Navy Strength'	United Kingdom	14
Tanqueray	United Kingdom	10
Bombay Sapphire	United Kingdom	10
Hendrick's	United Kingdom	12
Westwinds 'The Cutlass'	Margaret River	14

# Beers

<b>Featured</b>	Beer
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Hopscotch 'Independent Stout'	'Sam's Garage', Victoria	9.5	
For those that say dark beer isn't a Summer drink. Hopscotch is a new Victorian brewing company that has sprung out of the West Maribyrnong garage of a well known Melbourne chef. This 'Independent Stout' is a lighter dark ale with candied Banana overtones. Clean and crisp, this is a great medium-bodied hot weather drink!			
Local			
Cascade Premium Light	Tasmania	7.5	
James Boag's Premium Lager	Tasmania	9.5	
Coopers Sparkling Ale	South Australia	8.5	
Knappstein Reserve Lager	South Australia	9.5	
Little Creatures Pale Ale	Western Australia	9.5	
Little Creatures Bright Ale	Western Australia	9.5	
White Rabbit Dark Ale	Victoria	9.5	
Coldstream Cider	Victoria	9.5	
Batlow Cider	New South Wales	10.5	
Imported			
Stella Artois Lager	Belgium	10	
Heineken Lager	Holland	9.5	
Franziskaner Dunkel <b>500ml</b>	Germany	12.5	
Peroni 'Nastro Azzuro' Lager	Italy	9.5	
Asahi 'Super Dry' Lager	Japan	9.5	
Tiger Lager	Singapore	10	
Moritz Lager	Spain	9.5	
Trumer Pils	Austria	11	