

## NEW SPANISH ARRIVALS

Leschi customers have been enjoying Jané Ventura's Cava for several years now. Did you know they produce more than just bubbles? Well, they do! Leschi Market is happy to have them on the shelves. Jané Ventura has been a family run operation by the Jané family since 1914. Here are the newcomers, the White and the Red.

### 2014 Jané Ventura Blanc Selecció Penedès (\$11.99)

Aromas of lychee, pineapple, grapefruit and fennel. In the mouth, crisp and light with mineral notes leading to a surprisingly long finish. A blend of four indigenous grape varieties from very old vines—Xarello (70%), Macabeo (15%), Garnatxa Blanca (5%) and Malvasía de Sitges (10%).

### 2012 Jané Ventura Negre Selecció Penedès (\$13.99)

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—Winemaker notes.

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## Red Wines

### 2011 Mount Eden Vineyards Estate Cabernet Sauvignon Santa Cruz Mountains California \$77.99/\$57.99/\$52.19

“Offers a striking interplay of ripe, flamboyant fruit and supporting mountain structure. Fresh, vibrant and energetic to the core. Pinot Noir and Chardonnay get most of the attention, yet the Cabernet can be every bit as intriguing, just as it is here. The blend includes 93% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Merlot, 1% Malbec and 1% Petit Verdot. Drink now through 2030.”  
—Antonio Galloni, 95 points. **New vintage.**

### 2014 Mark Ryan ‘NumbSkull’ Bordeaux-Style Red Walla Walla Valley \$34.99/\$29.89/\$26.90

“NumbSkull’ is a dense supple blend from some of Walla Walla’s best vineyards. Red and black cherry fruits explode on the palate, eventually mingling subtler tones of vanilla, dark chocolate and hints of toasty oak. It is a substantial wine, with mouth-filling richness and remarkable complexity for the price. 83% Syrah, 14% Mourvèdre and 3% Grenache.”  
—Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

### 2014 Delas Rouge ‘Les Launes’ Crozes-Hermitage \$26.99/\$23.39/\$21.05

“It is fruity on the nose with strong aromas of cassis, plums and a touch of violets. The tannic structure is ample and well-rounded, which assures good aging potential. 100% Syrah.”  
—Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

### 2011 Muga Reserva Red Rioja Spain \$29.99/\$23.39/\$21.05

“Mostly Tempranillo complemented with some 20% Garnacha, 10% Graciano and 5% Mazuelo. Ripe fruit and contains oak aromas that are quite spicy and have some toast and smoke. The palate is medium-bodied, has clean flavors that are balanced with sweet tannins. Delivers a lot for its price. Year after year, one of the most reliable and affordable Reservas. Drink now through 2021.” —*Wine Advocate*, 91+ points. **New vintage.**

### 2014 Black Slate Gratallops Celler Cecilio Red Priorat Spain \$21.99/\$18.69/\$16.82

Sun-scorched vines cling to breathtakingly steep hillsides with their roots deeply plunged in the slate soils of this ancient region. The vineyards grow in terrasses on Priorat slopes, with very low yields. The Black Slate showcases both the power, typical of Gratallops, as well as being charmingly elegant and rustic. A blend of Garnatxa, Cariñena, Syrah, Cabernet Sauvignon. **New vintage.**

### 2013 Domaine Notre Dame des Pallières Rouge Gigondas \$23.99/\$18.69/\$16.82

Often described as a little brother to Châteauneuf du Pape, this classic cuvée, issue of average 50-year-old vines (80% Grenache, 15% Mourvèdre and 5% Syrah) from an outstanding vintage. Classy nose of ripe black fruits is followed by hints of Garrigue herbs, licorice and cigar leaf, with a firm but elegant and complex finish, ending with rounded spicy notes. **New vintage.**

### 2012 Château Lafond Rouge Canon Fronsac Bordeaux \$19.99/\$16.99/\$15.29

A blend of 80% Merlot and 20% Cabernet Franc that shows fragrances of blueberry, flowers, graphite and earth inter-twinned with attractive smoky oak notes that build from the glass. This classic Bordeaux is mouth-filling, supple, with ample dark blackberry flavors with a subtle vanilla and cedar box character. **New item.**

### 2014 Tami Frappato Terre Contrada Bastonaca Vineyard Siciliane \$19.99/\$15.99/\$14.39

100% Frappato. Features a bright aroma of red fruits (think juicy strawberries and red raspberries). A medium body and a long, lingering finish. “Tami” is a joint project between Arianna Occhipinti, and a handful of friends and neighbors. These are well-priced and balanced wines fermented using indigenous yeasts. The project is supervised by Arianna. **New item.**



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**\$16.99/\$13.99/\$12.59**

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**2013 Domaine du Salvard Cheverny Rouge Loire Valley**  
**\$16.99/\$13.99/\$12.59**

Domaine du Salvard has been a working domaine since 1898, through five hardworking generations of the Delaille family. Persistent aromas and flavors of ripe, juicy red fruits. Round, fruity and persistent with cherries, clove and earth leading to a crisp finish and distinct minerality. Fresh acidity and balanced tannins. A blend of 55% Pinot Noir, 43% Gamay and 2% Côt. Drink now. **Kermit Lynch Import.**

**2014 Hahn Estates Cabernet Sauvignon Central Coast California**  
**\$16.99/\$11.19/\$10.07**

“Inviting red cherry and currant jam aromatics complement notes of vanilla and caramel. Chewy tannins frame hi-tone cherry and berry flavors that carry through the long, smooth finish. A blend 80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Merlot and 2% Malbec.”  
 –Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

**2014 Peirano Estate Vineyards Petite Sirah Lodi California**  
**\$16.99/\$9.39/\$8.45**

The senses are tempted by an array of black raspberry, spice, coffee, cocoa, cola and white pepper in the Peirano Estate Petite Sirah. The palate is filled with ripe boysenberry, black raspberry, plum and sweet black cherry and firm tannins, with a hint of smoke and dark chocolate. This is a wine that can please now, as well as age out for many years to come. **New vintage.**

## White Wines

**2013 Rotie Cellars Southern Blend Washington**  
**\$30.99/\$26.19/\$23.57**

“This blend of 60% Viognier, 25% Roussanne and 15% Marsanne is the best the winery has produced to date, with vibrant notes of honeysuckle, pear and peach, sweet fruit flavors and a dry finish. An excellent example of the emerging category of Rhône-style whites in Washington.”  
 –Sean Sullivan, 90 points. **New vintage.**

**2014 Joseph Drouhin Vaudon Chablis \$24.99/\$20.59/\$18.53**

“A dry and fruity wine, easy to drink. Its color is pale gold with greenish hues. Very fresh aromas reminiscent of citrus (lemon or grapefruit); small pleasant touches of fern or coriander are found as well. On the palate, dry and fruity, with mineral notes. Pleasant and long aftertaste.”  
 –Véronique Boss-Drouhin, Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

**2015 Kim Crawford Sauvignon Blanc Marlborough New Zealand**  
**\$27.99/\$16.99/\$15.29**

“Light straw with yellow and green hues. Aromas of citrus and tropical fruits backed by characteristic herbaceous notes for which Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc is renowned. An exuberant wine brimming with juicy acidity and fruit sweetness, providing a balanced flavor profile. The finish is fresh, zesty, and lingering.” –Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

**2014 Domaine de l’Idylle Cruet Vieille Vigne France**  
**\$16.99/\$13.99/\$12.59**

In the glass, the Cruet explodes with brisk green apple and lemon-lime fruit and a mineral suggestion of wet limestone. Bright and lively on the palate, the Cruet’s transparent core of orchard and citrus fruit is accented by notes of lemon zest, silver needle white tea and saline minerals. Brisk, bracing and ready to be enjoyed all year long. **New item.**

**2014 Clos du Bois Chardonnay North Coast California**  
**\$23.99/\$10.79/\$9.71**

“Brilliant silver straw yellow in color. Intense aromas of apple blossom, ripe pear and sweet lemon drop are complemented by toasty oak, spice and cream. The silky texture of the wine is overlaid with bright, juicy flavors of ripe apple and pear. The finish is long and fresh.”  
 –Winemaker notes. **New vintage.**

**2014 Domaine des Cassagnoles Blanc Côte de Gascogne**  
**\$9.99/\$7.99/\$7.19**

A blend of 50% Colombard, 30% Ugni Blanc and 20% Gros Manseng, from Gascony southeast of Bordeaux, this wine is aromatic with plenty of fruit, floral notes and good acidity. A crisp and refreshing wine perfect for sipping or with seafood and salads. **New vintage.**

## Sparkling Wines

**Francois Pinon Vouvray Brut Wine & Spirits Petillant Sparkling Wine Loire NV \$26.99/\$20.19/\$18.17**

“Tiny, persistent bubbles are the first sign of this wine’s refinement. It delivers the tuffeau soil savor and the quince-scented chenin of Vouvray in an extremely dry style, its laser focus softened by scents of orange blossom, honey and fresh cream. Youthful and tightly wound, this will age with grace.” –*Wine & Spirits*, 93 points. **New item.**

**Gruet Brut Rosé Methode Champenoise New Mexico NV**  
**\$19.99/\$14.99/\$13.99**

“Made in a very popular style, this is a fruit forward, creamy and lush Rosé. It shows red berry aromas, a soft, suave palate, and fresh red berry and cranberry notes. Finishes very long. This would be the perfect wine for a wedding cake. A blend of 95% free-run Chardonnay and 5% barrel-aged Pinot Noir from estate vineyards.”  
 –*International Wine Review*, 90 points. **New item.**

## From Our Cellar—Limited— Inquire

**2012 St. Cosme Gigondas Le Poste \$83.99**  
**Wine Spectator, 96 points**

**2008 K Syrah ‘The Deal’ Sundance Vineyard \$35.00**  
**Wine Spectator, 94 points**

**2008 St. Cosme Gigondas ‘Hominis Fides \$63.99**  
**Wine Spectator, 93 points**



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